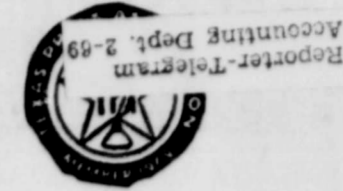


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By NEAL ESTES

It won't be long until school-boy football practice sessions will get underway. Schedules of all teams in the area will be published just as soon as they are received. This is an invitation to all coaches to lend total cooperation to the newspaper in getting their articles concerning the teams in early. Football time is a favorite time and the fans in these parts are always willing to back the teams.

Quite a number of friends and relatives gathered at the home of MR. and MRS. JIM RINGENER the past week to pay honor and respects to MRS. CLAUD (BERTHA) EGGLESTON on her 80th birthday. The complete list appears elsewhere in this issue of the paper. The newspaper wishes to add another Happy Returns to those already expressed to MRS. EGGLESTON.

JACK VALENTI, once of the White House LYNDON JOHNSON crowd, is the man the nation is depending on to screen and censor the type of films our children are being subjected to presently. VALENTI is head of the Motion Picture Association of America. VALENTI is abundantly aware of the quick profits available for sex sensations. Sweden's "I Am Curious," and the shockers, "Lonesome Cowboys" and "Midnight Cowboy," are three of the sorriest productions ever to be turned loose on the theatre goers of this nation. Persons under 18 years of age are not even allowed in the picture houses to view "The Midnight Cowboy."

The Stanton High School pep squad will have a meeting on Monday, August 11, at the high school gym at 2:30 p.m. The cheerleaders will meet with the pep squad, and instruct at cheerleading school held at East Texas State University. Officers for this year's pep squad include: president, LaWanda Glaspie; vice-president, Sandra Chandler, and secretary - treasurer, Anita McIntire.

E. L. Short Wins Legislative Election

Four-Year Ban On Pesticides Sought In Bill

The country is waking up to the ever-increasing danger of pesticides.

A measure that would place a four-year ban on the use of four pesticides has been introduced in Congress by Senator Joseph D. Hydings, (D) Maryland.

Pesticides to be banned include DDT, dieldrin, aldrin, and endrin. These are the ones most suspect. There are others.

Senator Tydings issued a statement saying that it is imperative to have the moratorium in light of "mounting evidence that indicates a definite deterioration in the environment due to pesticide residues."

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Martin 4-H'ers Take District Honors At Revue

Doris Howard, representing the Martin County 4-H Club, was named at the District 6 4-H Dress Revue, second alternate to the State 4-H Dress Revue to be held in Dallas in October. Doris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burnell Howard, competed against other area winners in the judging that was held August 4 in Midland at the Holiday Inn.

Doris, who won the county dress revue on July 12, modeled her one hundred percent wool three-piece suit she made. The contestants were judged on the construction of the garment, the record book, and the modeling of the costume.

Peggy Barnes, who represented the junior division of the county dress revue, won a blue ribbon for her jersey lounging pajama outfit.

"Fashion Horoscope," a special program for revue guests, was held at the Patio Room, Monday morning, following the junior and senior judging. Judges for the revue were Mrs. Ellison, Karen Buckley, and Dottie Huston.

Martin Gains Two Producers

Two wells have been completed in Martin County, a location staked in Garza County, and a dry hole reported in Dawson County. John L. Cox of Midland has completed No. 1-D Anderson in the Spraberry trend area of Martin County, 1,980 feet from the south line and 660 feet from the east line of section 29 35-1N, T&P survey. Well site is 5 1/2 miles northeast of Stanton.

Former Miss America Named C. C. Speaker

Big Spring Chamber of Commerce banquet chairman Lester Morton has announced that Marilyn Van Derbur, television personality and former Miss America, will be the speaker at the annual banquet set for February 4.

Miss Van Derbur was a college major in public speaking and is considered an accomplished mistress of ceremonies and speaker.

After having been selected Miss America and served in that capacity for a year, she returned to the University of Colorado and graduated with Phi Beta Kappa honors.

She made television performances on some of the more worthwhile shows and has announced the Bell Telephone Hour and Miss America Pageant.

An avid sportswoman, Miss Van Derbur has completed in national A A U swimming.

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Texas American To Drill No. 1 Fay Holt Flynt

Texas American Oil Corp. of Midland No. 1 Fay Holt Flynt is slated as a 13,600-foot Ellenburger searcher in Martin County, 25 miles northwest of Stanton.

It spots 990 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of league 248, Hartley County School Land, 5 3/4 miles southeast of Ellenburger oilers in the Block 7 multipha area, it also is 1 1/2 miles southwest of the Block 7 multipha area, it also is 12,327-foot failure.

John L. Cox of Midland completed two stepouts to the Martin sector of the Spraberry Trend Area.

No. 1-D Anderson is a 1/2-mile southwest extension and is 5 1/2 miles northeast of Stanton, 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 29, block 35, T-1-N, T&P survey.

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State Alternate — Doris Howard was named second alternate to the State 4-H Dress Revue to be held in Dallas in October. Doris is wearing the outfit that won her the Martin County contest and the top third place in the district.

3 Amendments Carry Tuesday In Martin County

To make a long story short, Jim Clack was soundly thrashed at ballot boxes in six counties in a special runoff election Tuesday by E. L. Short of Tahoka.

The vote was: Short 3,699, Clack 2,065. Short, a rancher, farmer, and businessman, will go immediately to Austin to take his seat in the called session of the Texas Legislature which convened after call by Gov. Preston Smith on July 28.

Mrs. Eiland To Attend State Agent Meeting

Mrs. James Eiland, Martin County home demonstration agent, will be among the 300 home economists and guests at the County Home Demonstration Agents' Association of Texas annual meeting in Amarillo, August 7.

Mrs. James Jones Attends Meeting In Abilene

Mrs. James Jones was among more than 200 church women who gathered at McMurry College in Abilene, the week of July 28 - August 1 for the twentieth annual School of Christian Mission of the Northwest Texas Conference, United Methodist Church.

Stanton Aero Club Doing A Good Job

They're flying high in Stanton! And it all starts in Benny's Barber Shop. The special appointment book in Benny's is used for more than scheduling haircuts. On those pages, flight plans for the Stanton Aero Club are made.

Although the membership of the "Flying Club" is small in number, this group is doing much to increase pride in our community. The Stanton Municipal Airport is rapidly becoming one of the most beneficial assets in the area due to the work of the concerned and enthusiastic members of the aero club.

Funeral Rites For D. R. Lemon Held August 1

Funeral services were conducted August 1, at the St. Joseph Catholic Church for Daniel Ramon Lemon, who died July 22 in the Veteran's Hospital in Big Spring. Burial was the St. Joseph Cemetery under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home.

Short succeeds Rep. Randy Pendleton, resigned. Pendleton, an Andrews attorney, is in Washington as the special liaison man for Gov. Smith.

In Martin County Short polled 245 votes, and Clack clocked 11 ballots.

Over the six county district, including Yoakum, Andrews, Lynn, Martin, Gaines, and Dawson counties, E. L. Short took up the slack over Clack by rolling up 62 per cent of the votes to the Andrews man's total of 38 percent.

So Jim Clack won't be cliche-clacking down to Austin but E. L. Short will be there representing the 73rd Legislative District for a Short course during the called session.

The vote on the nine constitutional amendments in Martin County wound up in this fashion.

Amendment one, Affirmative 127 and Against 164. Amendment 2, For 252, Against 58; Amendment 3, For 65, Against 223; Amendment 4, For 131, Against 160; Amendment 5, For 160, Against 140; Amendment 6, For 70, Against 211; Amendment 7, For 149, Against 142; Amendment 8, For 141, Against 151; Amendment 9 For 65, Against 220.

School Starting Time Is Near, Time To Get First Graders Ready

Only nineteen days remain before that six year old youngster will start to school for the very first time in the Stanton Independent School District. Pre-registration for students will start August 21, and school will begin the following Monday, August 25.

In that short span of time, mothers of those first graders will have a million and one things to be done before August 25. One of the most important items on the long list, is getting that first grader's records in order for registration.

Every new student must have a birth certificate and a health report as proof of immunity from childhood diseases.

If the original birth certificate has been lost or misplaced, another may be obtained from the Texas State Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, 410 East Fifth, Austin.

But don't wait until the last minute. This fall there will be an expected 250,000 new first graders in schools throughout Texas. The bureau reports that a large staff is required just to open the thousands of letters received daily, let alone search for a requested certificate, make a copy, and mail it within a day or two after the request.

To expediate receipt of the certificate and prevent delay, parents are required to include the child's name, place of birth, date, the parent's name, and the mother's maiden name.

The fee for a certified copy of the birth certificate is \$1.50. That health record is important too, for it is a part of the child's school record until he graduates. School officials advise parents to take their child to a physician for an examination to make certain the child's immunization record is up to date.

First grade teachers for the (Continued on page 6)

Operator pumped 215 barrels of 40-gravity oil per day and no water with a gas-oil ratio of 690-1 after fracturing with 90,000 gallons. The 4 1/2-

inch casing is set at the total depth of 8,225 feet and perforated at 7,533-8,164 feet. John L. Cox of Midland has also completed No. 1-B Kentax in the same field at a total depth of 8,200 feet. Operators pumped 227 barrels of 40 gravity oil per day and no water with a gas-oil ratio of 840-1 after fracturing with 90,000 gallons. The 4 1/2-inch casing is set on the bottom and perforated at 7,522-8,139.

The well site, six miles northeast of Stanton, is 660 feet from north line and 1,980 feet from the west line of section 47-35-1N, T&P survey.

All production facilities are being utilized, and reserves are in good condition. Odessa, where the heaviest demand has been, has the equivalent of one 80,000,000 reservoir in storage and will gain more storage over the weekend.

Although there was a flurry the last few days of the month, indications are that the demand has peaked for the 1969 season, Odom said.

Water Use Sets Record During Heat Of July

All water records for a single month were shattered by the Colorado River Municipal Water District during the month of July.

Total deliveries to all customers reached 1,721,951,458 gallons, said Paschall Odom, assistant general manager.

This was 170 million gallons more than in July, 1966, when 1,555,918,000 gallons were delivered.

The cities in this district used 1,260,082,000 gallons,

which was 40.86 per cent more than they used last July. It brought to 4,726,712,100 gallons the amount delivered to the cities this year and converted a two per cent deficit through June into a 6.54 per cent gain for the first seven months of the year.

Through July, the district has delivered 7,472,281,568 gallons of water, an increase of 6.23 per cent for the year.

All the cities except Stanton, used record amounts of

water. Stanton was asked to utilize its wells during the peak period to supplement lake supplies. Odessa used 710,890,000 gallons, up 49.27 cent over July a year ago.

Oil companies used 461,869,358 gallons, an increase of 21 per cent. Part of this gain was due to two new customers, Walsh & Watts in eastern Howard County, and American Magnesium, in Scurry County.

Together they used 13,960,000

I send personal congratulations to the gentleman from Tahoka E. L. SHORT on his election victory Tuesday. The Tahoka neighbor already knows a lot of people here in Martin County and it is the feeling of most of the citizens we have talked with in our county that MR. SHORT will have an open ear to any worthy suggestions for better state government in the field of legislation and will be glad to listen to the views of those of us who live in Stanton, Lenorah, Grady, Flower Grove or anywhere else in the area. Congratulations Representative E. L. SHORT.

It is that time of year again (Continued on page 6)

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Bond Set On Black Militant McMillan

Black militant Ernest McMillan was hit last week with another heavy bond — this one \$25,000 — after he was indicted by a federal grand jury on a charge of failing to appear in federal court in Dallas July 7, for his draft evasion trial.

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Philosopher Has Confidence Congress Will Win At Least One Inflation Battle

(Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw examines inflation a little bit this week.)

Dear editor: According to a newspaper I was reading this morning to get my mind off the last line on my July bank statement...



The reason they're worried is that they're afraid the surplus will produce more inflation. At a time when the more a man makes the harder it is to make a living...

self, come to its senses, and emerge in a few months with some plan to achieve an over-draft.

Once you let Congress understand it has an inflationary surplus on hand you'll see more anti-inflationary legislation though up than we've got the road construction equipment to build it with...

Up to now, fighting inflation has been a worrisome thing because nobody knew where to start, but once you convince Congress the way to do it is to eliminate a surplus and we'll have it whipped faster than that snowball melts you know where.

Provided, of course, the economists are right. You've got to remember though that the economists themselves were caught off-guard by the surplus, as they'd predicted just the opposite.

I have long contended that economists are like weather forecasters. They're good at telling you what happened yesterday but a little shaky about what's going to happen tomorrow.

Yours faithfully, J. A.

Bible Comment—

Paul's Field Of Service Widened As He Traveled

When Paul saw the light on his way to Damascus, we are told he was not "disobedient unto the Heavenly vision."

It does not matter how God call comes to us, whether in Heavenly visions or through normal human impulses. The important thing is that no matter how it come, it is by obedience only that we find a way to contribute our greatest service.

Paul the persecutor could have only partly realized at the time of his conversion that the mission of which God called him was one of great magnitude.

His conversion meant that he was breaking away from the old associations. His future, so say the least, was uncertain. He was accepting the risks and dangers of a new way of life.

But there was no uncertainty in Paul himself. He threw himself into the business of being a Christian with the same intensity with which he formerly persecuted his new brethren.

Nor was there any incompleteness in Paul's conversion.

It was from the pagan city of Antioch, the place where the disciples were first called "Christians," that Paul began his journeys as a missionary.

His first journey was small in comparison to his later travels. His companion on that first journey was Barnabas, the same man who endorsed Paul when the disciples at Jerusalem were inclined to fear and distrust him.

Accompanying them was a young man named John, whose surname was Mark. Latter this companion was the cause of a sharp controversy between Paul and Barnabas. Paul refused to take him on the next trip.

But in defense of John Mark, it may be said that Paul, for whom no danger was too great or terrifying, may have been too exacting a leader.

The world owes a great debt to this John Mark, because later he wrote the Gospel of Mark. It is the simplest and most direct of the Gospels and give us a valuable portrayal of the Master's life and work.

Twenty-Five Years Ago

New officers were elected at a recent meeting of the freshman class of Stanton High School.

Officers are: Sidney Chesser, president; Jack Hill, secretary-treasurer; Gene Dougle, reporter, and Mrs. Elmer Long, sponsor. Room mothers elected were: Mesdames Dale Kelly, James Jones, H. L. Gregg, J. S. Blissard, J. T. Flowers, Edmond Tom, Leroy Fincher, Delmar Hamm, and N. G. Haggard.

—25 YA—

Junior class officers were elected at a recent meeting at the high school. They include: Van Ross, president; Paul Odell, vice president; Sue Patton, secretary, and Mrs. G. B. Hambrick, sponsor.

—25 YA—

The following Stanton boys are home from the Army with honorable discharges: Casey Jones, who served in New Guinea, as well as Red White; J. T. Cross, who served in the Pacific theatre, and David D. White, who served in the European theatre.

—25 YA—

The Stanton Junior 4-H Club met September 19, in the high school auditorium and elected officers. They include: Anita Shankle, president; Peggy Ross, vice president, Alta Mae Coggin, secretary-treasurer; Bill Pinkston, recreational leader, Tattieis Roried, assistant recreational leader; Betty Bune, parliamentarian, and Becky Bentley, reporter.

—25 YA—

Seniors of Stanton High School elected new officers at a meeting September 19. They include: Douglas Church, president; Gwendolyn McClair, vice president; Betty Gibson, secretary; Billie Evelyn Lindsay, treasurer; Bobby Atchison and Betty Renfro, reporters, and Mrs. P. G. Smithson, sponsor.

—25 YA—

The year book committee of the Martin County Home Demonstration Council submitted plans for the next year's work at a recent meeting. Annual reports were given, and plans were made to sell Christmas cards to raise money.

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See his examination. He asked in Psalm 42:5 "Why art thou cast down, O my soul? Why art thou disquieted within me?" The expression "cast down" means to be depressed. And the word "disquieted" means to growl as a bear.

As he looked at his grief, he growled as a bear. But when he looked to his God, he gloried as a believer; and he went from sighing to singing.

See his exhortation. He said, "Hope thou in God." If God were limited in His love or stunted in His strength, we might despair. But with Him

everything is possible. There is nothing too hard for Him. He is all-powerful.

When you are discouraged and blue, hope in God. When you are financially in the red, hope in God. When an unkind person tells a white lie on you, hope in God. When you are accused of being yellow because you will not join your friends in a sin, hope in God. And you will have a rainbow about your head and a song in your heart. Do not look at your grief and growl. Look at your God and glory.

Planning To Retire?

If you plan to retire, take proof of your age when you apply for social security benefits. If you don't have a birth or baptismal certificate recorded at or shortly after your birth, take old insurance policies, poll tax receipts, old drivers' licenses, your children's birth certificates, or your old family Bible. Your local social security office can suggest and help you secure other acceptable evidence. Do not delay applying because you do not have these proofs.

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Screwworm Cases Continue Downward

The downward trend in screwworm cases, which has been evident for the past month is continuing into July, and the outlook for the summer is quite encouraging, according to Dr. S. C. Gartman, director for the Mission Screwworm Eradication Center.

The case situation is beginning to look more like a normal year in the southwestern states. Dr. Gartman adds, Continuing hot, dry weather in Mexico — along with sterile fly drops there—also make the Mexico case situation look much brighter than for the past several months, he added.

Factors contributing to the downward trend in cases, are the recent increase in sterile fly increases.

Dr. Gartman emphasizes, however, that the largest screwworm buildup generally occur in early fall, and heavy fall rains could result in big screwworm buildups. He notes that larvae sample have decreased in recent weeks, and urges producers to continue to check their animals closely for worm cases.

"Send in worm sample from all suspected cases," he says.

On Monday and Tuesday of this week, Texas recorded four case out of 40 larva samples. Two of the cases were in Starr County, in the Rio Grande City, and San Isidro areas; and Live Oak County reported a case northeast of Three Rivers. In Real County, a case was confirmed south of Leakey. No cases were confirmed in Texas Wednesday, although Arizona chalked up a case in Graham County, where two also were recorded in Monday.

Nationally, 192 case have been confirmed thus far in 1969. Texas has had 151 case; Arizona, 25; New Mexico, 14, and California, 2.

To keep screwworm cases under control ranchers are encouraged to continue preventive practices.

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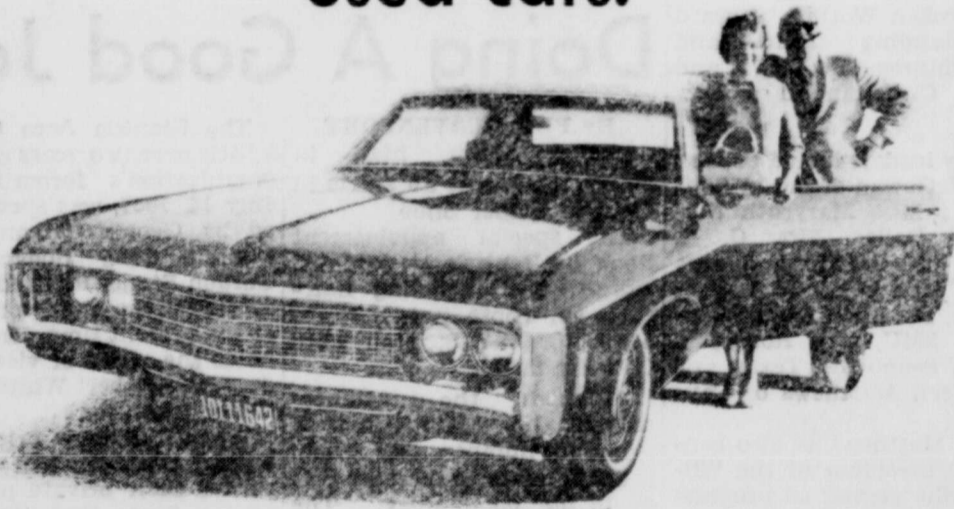
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SEN. BLANCHARD TO BE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE for the special session, 61th Texas Legislature in Austin. Left to right: Senate Chamber Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes, administering oath of office of President Pro Tempore of Senate to Sen. H. J. Doc Blanchard, Lubbock, District 28, as wife, Mary, and four of his five children look on (left to right) William Clifton (Clif), six; Robert Henry (Hank), nine; John Ben, thirteen, and Jeffrey Paul (Jeff), sixteen. Mrs. Adrienne Robertson, twenty, of Lubbock, Blanchard's daughter, was not present.

Many Wild Birds Protected By Law

Before you take a potshot at that bird flitting from tree to tree think about it. You may be shooting at a protected bird, and it may cost you up to \$200.

Texas protects its birds three general laws which classify birds either as game, non-game, or unprotected varieties.

Each of the more than 500 species in the state falls into one of these categories by definition of the law.

Game birds are listed in Article 872 of the Penal Code as "wild turkey, wild ducks of all varieties, wild geese of all varieties, wild brant, wild grouse, wild prairie chickens, or pinated grouse, wild pheasants of all varieties wild partridge, and wild quail of all varieties wild pigeons of all varieties, wild mourning doves and wild white-winged dove, wild snipe of all varieties; wild shore birds of all varieties, wild Mexican pheasants or chachalacas, wild plover of all varieties. . . . Game birds are protected during closed season.

Birds not included in the game bird list may be found under an overall non-game bird statute established in Article 847 of the Penal Code which was recently amended to read: "No person may catch, kill, injure, pursue, or have in his possession, either dead or alive, or purchase, sell, expose for sale, transport, or ship to a point within or without the state, or receive or deliver for transportation, any bird other than a game bird, or have in his possession any part of the plumage, skin, or body of any bird other than a game bird . . . or disturb or destroy the eggs, nest, or young of such a bird.

Violation of this law is a misdemeanor with a fine from \$10 to \$200.

Recent legislation effective Sept. 1, 1969, drastically shortened the list of unprotected birds under this statute.

Previously, unprotected birds were listed as "English sparrows, crows, ravens, vultures or buzzards, 'ricebirds' identified as harmful, blackbirds,

METALLIC FURNITURE FINISHES

Wood furniture will resemble metal in modern home scenes. A finishing technique using silver nitrate gives wood the appearance of silver, copper, brass, gold, or chrome. Explains Bonny Lay, extension housing and home furnishing specialist.

This finish now found on upholstered furniture has been used for many years on picture and mirror frames.

It can be used on pieces with elaborate detailing, such as Spanish and Mediterranean styles, where it would be impossible to shape some metals into some of the intricate designs. Advantage are that the finish can be applied to almost any surface or material and is economical.

Read the Ole Reliable for the latest hometown news!

Spell Quiz

Which of the Following is Spelled Correctly?

Rebonat Reboent Rebonete

(Meaning: Resounding loudly.)

See Classified Page for Correct Answer.



J. W. (Bill) Henderson, a 1951 Agricultural Education graduate of Texas Tech, will join the staff to Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. on August 1, according to Donald Johnson, PCG Executive Vice President.



J. W. (Bill) Henderson

Johnson said Henderson will serve the 25-county producer organization as field men, stepping up PCG's personal contact and services to the area's cotton farmers, and other allied businessmen.

Henderson, now 42 years old, moved with his family to Levelland from Morton Valley, in Eastland County, at the age of 17, and has been a High Plains resident since that time.

He taught vocational agriculture a Levelland High School for a year and a half, and was later associated with a Lubbock farm supply store as part owner for 15 years. He was most recently manager of Lubbock Municipal Auditorium-Coliseum on the Tech campus, resigning that position to join PCG.

He stated that he had been happy in his work with the Auditorium-Coliseum, but had wanted to some time to "get back into something connected with my first love—agriculture."

Johnson said in his announcement, "I believe PCG is fortunate to secure the services of a man with Henderson's qualifications and background, and we expect him to make a significant contribution to the work of this organization on behalf of the High Plains cotton industry."

Henderson will be remembered by many on the Plains as one of Texas' most promising young boxers in the late 1940's. While attending Tech he captured state Golden Gloves championships in 1947 and 1949, and in 1948 was Texas Amateur Athletic Association champion. He had 145 amateur fight as a featherweight, winning 142.

In 1949 he turned professional as a lightweight and lost only 3 of 49 professional bouts, many of which was staged before Plains audiences.

Henderson resides at 4612 30th Street, Lubbock, with his wife, Jackie; a daughter 16, and twins sons, 14.

Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock, told the House Committee on Agriculture and high officials of the U. S. Department of Agriculture in Amarillo July 20, the "The present cotton law contains the framework of a national program to maintain a solid and prosperous cotton economy for the future."

He also told the Committee that "massive, whole-farm land retirement programs such as those recently introduced to both houses of Congress will not alone do the job for cotton."

HOME IMPROVEMENT BRIGHTEN OLD BRASS HARDWARE

Since the cost of new housing has increased nearly 20 percent in the past year, value-conscious homeowners remodel to improve their surroundings.

Expenditure for home repair and modernization are at record high reports extension housing specialist Jane Berry. High money has little effect on remodeling decisions since home improvement loan generally are available at banks, or charge accounts may be used for materials, she adds.

Some families are becoming "do-it-yourselfers" while others are turning to cheap,

To remove dirt and tarnish from old brass hardware uncrew from the furniture and brush-scrub it with salt and vinegar (mixed in a ceramic dish.) Then wash it with soap and water. Rinse and dry. The next step is to oil the screws and reattach brass to the furniture. This advice is from Linda Jacobsen, extension home management specialist.

unlicensed "handyman" operations in an attempt to cut costs.

The House Committee was in Amarillo as part of an agricultural tour which took them July 18, 19, and 20, through much of the district of Congressman Bob Price, including Tullio, Hereford, Halfway, Plainview, Pampa, Memphis, Perryton, Dumas, and Stratford.

Johnson explained that the constant presence and intensity of competition between cotton and substitute fibers made cotton's situation different from that of other farm commodities.

The philosophy behind general land retirement programs, proposed in the House by Paul Findley (R-Ill) and in the Senate by Everett Dirksen (R-Ill), is that when enough land has been taken out of production, supply-demand conditions for farm commodities will give farmers and opportunity to achieve parity of income from the marketplace.

But Johnson's contention is that because of competition from synthetic fibers, if cotton prices rise beyond a certain point there will be a corresponding loss of market volume, defeating the purpose of the whole program.

For this reason he urged the Agriculture Committee members to work for a cotton program which will "permit cotton farmers to put their product on the market at competitive prices and provide another source from which they can recover their cost of production plus a reasonable return from investment labor, and management."

He explained that cotton consumers are enjoying the benefits of cotton's low market price, and said they "should understand that if they are to continue to enjoy any product, they have no choice but to pay a price for it which will justify its production, whether they pay it at the retail counter or in the form of taxes."

While Johnson touted the current program as basically sound, he said some changes are needed for 1971 and subsequent years. The law does not discriminate against any to the livelihood of millions of people and to the national economy.

Among needed improvements he listed (1) protection against the imposition at any level of limitations on individual program benefits, (2) a change from the "domestic market concept" now in effect to a "total market concept," taking into consideration the need for both domestic and foreign markets, (3) additional flexibility to allow for production adjustments, up or down, to keep supplies in line with domestic and export market demands, and (4) liberalization of allotment sale and lease provisions to further the movement of cotton acreage into the hands of producers who want to continue growing cotton.

U. S. Senator Karl Mundt from South Dakota stated: "In the last fifty or so years, the inventive capacity of man, figuratively and almost literally, has reduced the size of our world to a neighborhood. Instant communication and the near-instant capability of modern transportation have indeed, made this 'small world'."

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DISH WASHING LIQUID, Easy Monday	32 oz. bottle	39c
PINE OIL, Pine O Pine	16 oz. bottle	45c
PINTO BEANS, Casarole	2 lb. pkg.	25c
CANNED MILK, Pet or Carnation, Large Size	5 for	89c
PEARS, Stokley	No. 2 1/2 can	49c
PEAS, English, Trellis	No. 303 Can, 3 for	49c
CORN, Whole Kernel, Kounty Kist	12 oz. can, 3 for	49c
BEANS, Ranch Style	No. 300 Can, 3 for	49c
PIE CHERRIES, RSP, Stokley	No. 303 Can	29c
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CHOPPED KRAUT, Stokley	No. 303 Can, 2 for	39c
BAR-B-Q BEANS, Brown Beauty	No. 300 Can, 4 for	49c
SHORTENING, Swift's Jewel	3 lb. can	49c
DOG FOOD, Swift's Pard	15 1/2 oz. can, 7 for	\$1.00
COCA COLA, King Size	6 bottle ctn. (plus bottles)	45c
DR PEPPER or 7-UP, King Size	6 bottle ctn. (plus bottles)	41c
CRISCO	3 lb. can	65c
Sugar (With purchase of \$5.00 or more excluding tobaccos), 5 lbs.		39c
COFFEE, Folger's	1 lb. can	59c
ICE CREAM, Borden's, Texas Gallon	(5 qt.)	\$1.59
FLOUR, Light Crust	5 lb. bag	49c
FLOUR, Light Crust	25 lb. bag	\$1.98

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ONIONS YELLOW, NEW CROP	Lb.	5c	SAUSAGE GERMAN, GOOCH	12 Oz. Ring	69c
PLUMS SANTA ROSA	Lb.	25c	FRANKS GOOCH	12 Oz. Pkg.	55c
GRAPES SEEDLESS	Lb.	19c	BEEF CUTLETS	Lb.	69c
CUCUMBERS LONG GREEN	Ea.	5c	FRYERS FRESH DRESSED, WHOLE	Lb.	33c
CORN ON COB	Ea.	5c	BACON GOOCH	1 Lb. Pkg.	79c
DINNERS Mexican or Enchilado, Patio	2 For	89c			
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Official Invitation

We are asking you to consider this an official invitation to attend our GOVERNOR FOR A DAY activities at the State capitol in Austin on Friday, August 15. Time prevents us from writing individual letters to all of our friends. We want you to come to Austin and share this special day with us.

Sincerely,
Sen. and Mrs. H. J. Doc Blanchard and Family.

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



OUR SOIL ★ OUR STRENGTH

MARTIN-HOWARD-MIDLAND SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Jack Buchanan, Bob Cox, Bernard Houston, Larry Shaw, Bobby Howard.

S. C. D. and S. C. S. are different, although their initials are somewhat similar. The Soil Conservation District (S. C. D.) and the Soil Conservation Service (S. C. S.) are distinctly different agencies.

A S. C. D. is a specific geographical area, in which a group of farmers, ranchers, and other landowners, have banded together in democratic fashion to practice and promote soil conservation on a local basis.

Public Notice

To all of my friends and customers I have purchased Mr. Gene Clement's interest in the Franklin Gulf Butane Service in Stanton as of July 31, 1969. He is no longer connected with the firm.

I will appreciate the continued support and business of the customers, and am looking forward to serving you with your needs in the butane and service station field.

Franklin Gulf Service

DELBERT FRANKLIN — Owner

Public Notice

A public hearing on the school budget for the 1969-70 school year of the Stanton Independent School District, will be held on Monday, August 11, 1969 at 7:00 P. M. at the Stanton Independent School Administrative Office.

All interested persons should be present for this important meeting.

Stanton Independent School District Board Of Trustees

Farm & Ranch Review

Range Fires A Real Threat — Good moisture last spring resulted in much vegetative growth on most Texas rangelands, but hot and dry summer have combined for optimum fire conditions.

Texas Calf Crop Up — The 1969 Texas calf crop is expected to total 5,184,000. According to the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, this compares with 4,948,000 for last year, and is the highest since estimates began in 1924.

Cotton Bollworm On Increase

Recent field inspections and reports on the cotton insect situation in the Trans-Pecos area indicate an increased activity of cotton bollworms.

The cotton bollworm moth usually deposits singly pearly-white or reddish-brown eggs (about the size of a pin head) near the terminal buds of the cotton plant, but the eggs may also be deposited on squares, blooms, or bolls.

Method A: Examine the terminal buds (upper 3 to 4 inches of the plant) of 100 cotton plants and 100 consecutive squares and bolls at each of several points in the field.

Method B: Make a whole plant examination, terminals, squares, flowers, or bolls of all plants on 10 feet for row in five different locations across the field.

Method C: Examine the terminal buds (upper 3 to 4 inches of the plant) of 100 cotton plants and 100 consecutive squares and bolls at each of several points in the field.

Method D: Examine the terminal buds (upper 3 to 4 inches of the plant) of 100 cotton plants and 100 consecutive squares and bolls at each of several points in the field.

Method E: Examine the terminal buds (upper 3 to 4 inches of the plant) of 100 cotton plants and 100 consecutive squares and bolls at each of several points in the field.

Method F: Examine the terminal buds (upper 3 to 4 inches of the plant) of 100 cotton plants and 100 consecutive squares and bolls at each of several points in the field.

Method G: Examine the terminal buds (upper 3 to 4 inches of the plant) of 100 cotton plants and 100 consecutive squares and bolls at each of several points in the field.

Method H: Examine the terminal buds (upper 3 to 4 inches of the plant) of 100 cotton plants and 100 consecutive squares and bolls at each of several points in the field.

Method I: Examine the terminal buds (upper 3 to 4 inches of the plant) of 100 cotton plants and 100 consecutive squares and bolls at each of several points in the field.

Rites Mark Fifth Anniversary Of Singer Jim Reeves' Death

(Editor's Note: Singer Jim Reeves was a native of Panola County. He lived in a small community 14 miles east of Carthage on the Shreveport highway called De Berry. Jim was the son of a widow lady. He rode a school bus to attend school in Carthage and was a good student and star baseball player.

Baptist Church

The Bethany Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met July 31 for a luncheon. Mrs. Raymond Louder gave a devotion from the Book of Psalms, and also led the prayer.

CARTHAGE (Sp1) — The fifth anniversary of the death of "Gentleman Jim" Reeves, world-famed country music singer who was killed in a plane crash July 31, 1964, was marked Thursday with a

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Temperatures Are Measured in Kilowatt-Hours, Too

The number of kilowatt-hours used in the home in any summer month and the size of the electric bill are good measures of just how hot the weather has been.

and 1968 when averages were among the lowest on record here.

That's why nearly everybody has been using more kilowatt-hours this summer... because July, 1969, was the hottest month in this area in recent years, with temperatures of 100 degrees or higher day after day.

With electricity working harder for you, bills are higher, even though the folks we serve are buying kilowatt-hours of electricity for use in the home at lower average prices than ever before.

This was in sharp contrast especially with July temperatures in 1967

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New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Walton Stone announce the birth of a son born August 1, at Midland Memorial Hospital, weighing five pounds and 14 ounces and measuring 18 inches in length.

To Late To Classify

Household Goods K-3

For Sale: Koylon foam mattress and springs, regular double bed size. \$50.00, Call 756-3437. 8-32-1tp

RENTALS L-2

For Rent: Three bedroom house with glass-in back porch, dining room and kitchen. Six miles west of Stanton. Call Mrs. Mary Holcombe, 756-3360. 8-32-tnc

LOST & FOUND C

Lost: "Cock-Pood" dog with long shaggy black and white hair wearing a white plastic collar. Answers to "Gus." Reward. 756-3436. 8-32-2tc

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FRUIT DRINK, Hi-C	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 46 oz., 3 for	89c
FLOUR, Gladiola	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 5 lb. bag	47c
TOILET TISSUE, Scottissue	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 4 rolls	39c
PAPER TOWELS, Zee	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, Jumbo Roll	29c

FRO-ZAN, Gandy . . . Every Day Low Price, 1/2 gal. 39c

CRACKERS, Pride	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 1 lb.	19c
LIQUID DETERGENTS, King Size, (Joy - Ivory - Lux)	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE	85c
BLEACH, Clorox or Purex	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, gal.	58c
CASCADE, Dishwater Detergent	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, Giant	79c
PINE SOL	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 1 pint, 12 oz.	93c
DOG FOOD, All Dry Food	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 10 lbs.	\$1.35

TIDE, Giant Size Every Day Low Price 69c

DOG FOOD, Kim	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 15 oz., 12 for	\$1.00
PRUNE JUICE, Sun Sweet	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 40 oz.	67c
GRAPE JUICE, Welch	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 24 oz.	39c
COFFEE, Folger's, Maryland Club, Maxwell House	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, lb.	57c
COFFEE-MATE, Large	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 11 oz.	75c
DR PEPPER, King Size	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 6 bottle ctn.	39c
PEACHES, Libby	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, No. 2 1/2	29c

Baby Food, Gerber Strained Every Day Low Price, 6 for 59c

TOMATO SAUCE, Mountain Pass	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 7 oz.	10c
INSTANT BREAKFAST, Carnation	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 7 oz.	69c
CANNED MILK, Carnation or Pet	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, tall	17c
DOG FOOD, Alpo	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 15 oz.	29c
ALUMINIUM FOIL, Reynold's Wrap	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, std. size	31c
CORN MEAL	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 5 lb. bag	39c

TEA, Lipton Every Day Low Price, 1/4 lb. 39c

BLEACH, Kalex	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 1 gal.	39c
MAZOLA OIL	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 48 oz.	99c
TUNA, Del Monte	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, flat	29c
CORN, Kounty Kist	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 12 oz.	15c
PEAS, Del Monte	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, No. 303	23c

Fruit Drink, Del Monte, Every Day Low Price, 46 oz. 25c

SPINACH, Del Monte	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, No. 303	21c
SPINACH, Hunt's	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, No. 300, 2 for	39c
TOMATO PUREE, Buffalo	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 3 for	19c
CORN, Upper Deck	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, No. 303, 6 for	\$1.00
PORK AND BEANS, Van Camp's	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, No. 300, 2 for	31c
BUTTER BEANS, Seaside	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, No. 304, 2 for	35c

ICE CREAM, Gandy . . . Every Day Low Price, 1/2 gal. 69c

HOMINY, Kimbell	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, No. 300	10c
PEAS, Diamond	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, No. 303, 6 for	\$1.00
WHOLE NEW POTATOES, Hunt's	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, No. 300, 2 for	35c
SLICED CARROTS, Kimbell	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, No. 303, 2 for	29c
COLA DRINKS	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 6 bottle ctn.	43c
SALAD DRESSING, Kraft	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, quart	44c
SALAD DRESSING, Kimbell	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, quart	35c
GRAPE JELLY, Kimbell	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 18 oz.	35c
FLOUR, Big-K	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 25 lb. bag	\$1.89
SHORTENING, Diamond	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 3 lb. can	49c
CRISCO	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 3 lb. can	65c

BREAD, Country Fresh, Every Day Low Price, 1 1/2 lb. 19c

HAMBURGER BUNS, Country Fresh	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 8 count	27c
HOT DOG BUNS, Country Fresh	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE	27c
FLOUR, Big-K	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 5 lbs.	39c
TOILET TISSUE, Delsey	EVERY DAY LOW PRICE, 2 rolls	25c

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TOMATOES	Lb.	29c	BACON TALL KORN	Lb.	69c
CORN FRESH	Ear	5c	HAMBURGER FRESH, LEAN	Lb.	59c
NECTARINES	Lb.	29c	BACON SLICED, SLAB	Lb.	79c
POTATOES	Bag	39c	FRYERS FRESH, WHOLE	Lb.	35c



DATE SET—Sept. 20 is the date chosen by Cynthia Britton of 1206 W. Missouri and Roger Ferrell Wells for their marriage at 8 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church of Stanton. Sauval F. Britton and the late Mrs. Mozelle Britton of Stanton, are the parents of the bride-elect. Mrs. Loreta Wells of 3206 W. Louisiana St. and Delbert Wells of S. I. St., Midland, are parents of the prospective bridegroom. Miss Britton, a graduate of Stanton High School, is employed as a stenographer in the Land Department of Mobil Oil Corp. Wells, a Midland High School graduate, is intermediate clerk in production and accounting for Mobil Oil Corp.



Mrs. Robert Irving Haggard

Couple Repeats Vows In Stanton

Linda Sharon Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Adams of Stanton, and Robert Irving Haggard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Haggard of Stanton, repeated double ring wedding vows at 7:30 p.m. Friday at St. Joseph's Catholic Church. The Rev. John Pierce officiated.

Glenda Adams, twin sister of the bride, was the maid of honor. Bridesmaid were Linda Holder of Midland, Sandra Chandier, Ann Haggard, cousin of the bridegroom, and Lynnett Haggard, sister of the bridegroom.

Amy Porterfield of Tahoka and Angela Adams of Big Spring, cousins of the bride, were the flower girls.

The best man was Tommy Griffin of Abilene, Leon Langley of Big Spring, cousin of the bridegroom, and Terry Franklin, Johnny Louder, and Karl Herzog were the groomsmen. Don Porterfield of Tahoka, cousin of the bride, and Cathie Nunnelle of Tulsa, Okla., niece of the bridegroom, were ring bearers. Candles were lighted by Diana Langley of Big Spring, cousin of the bridegroom, and Terry McQuerry of Midland.

Guests were ushered to their seats by Larry Adams and Michael Adams, brothers of the bride.

Baskets of white gladioli flanked by branched candelabra and greenery decorated the church.

Melrae Angel was the organist, and Mike Springer was soloist.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a formal gown of white peau de soie overlaid with Chantilly lace. The fitted bodice was fashioned with a scalloped neckline accented with iridescent sequins. Tiers of ruffles formed the front of the skirt. Her veil of silk illusion was held by a petaled headpiece of lace with pearl trim. She carried white roses and orchids on a white Bible.

The bride's attendants had dresses of blue embroidered lace over taffeta fashioned with square necklines and long sleeves. Blue taffeta bows accented the backs of the gowns. Their headpieces were blue embroidered lace bows with nylon net. They carried bouquets of white chrysanthemums.

The reception was held in the First Baptist Church. Doris Howard registered the guests. Other house party members were Mary Frene Powell, Doris White, Ann Cook, Mrs. Terry Franklin, Mrs. Albert Johnson, Mrs. Jim Porterfield, and Mrs. Richard Lewis.

Bride's Bouquet
The table was covered with a white taffeta cloth and was centered with the bride's bouquet.

After Sept. 1, the couple will be at home in Abilene. The bride was graduated from Stanton High School and is

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Houses For Sale M-4

For Sale: Three bedroom house, 1108 St. Joseph. Call 756-2435. 7-28-tnc

Three bedroom, two bath, brick - veneer home for sale. Low interest rate. Contact Paige Elland, at Elland Insurance, or call 756-3481. 7-28-2tc

For Sale: Home for luxurious living. Six years old, three bedrooms, three baths, large living room, den, dining area, connecting. Electric kitchen, central cooling and heating, water softener, two car carport, horse and tack barn on one acre lot with four acre pasture adjoining. Outside city limits, 1500 School Street. Contact: Dr. Jack Woodrow, Box 458, New Boston, Texas. 7-29-tnc

For Sale: three bedroom house newly redecorated. 411 W. First. Call 756-2356. 8-32-tnc

For Sale: Three bedroom, two bath house 509 W. 3rd. Call 756-3728 or B. H. Brantley, Odessa 337-0487. 6-32-tnc

Controls For Cotton Insects Studied At A&M

Texas A&M University has received a \$40,000 grant from the U. S. Department of Agriculture to study biological control of cottoninsect pests.

Biological control is usually defined as the introduction or encouragement of natural parasites and predators as a way of keeping crop-damaging insects in check.

The object to reduce the need for chemical insecticides which can be dangerous to handle and may cause pollution problems. Some insect pests are also developing genetic resistance to even the most potent insecticides.

Texas A&M is providing \$25,000 in addition to the USDA grant.

Dr. R. L. Adkisson and Dr. Winfield Sterling of the A&M Entomology Department will direct the study. The USDA will be represented by Dr. Erma Vanderzant and Dr. R. L. Ridgway of the Agricultural Research Entomology Laboratory at College Station.

Adkisson said the research will center on the nutritional requirements, mating and egg laying habits of parasites of the bollworm and tobacco budworm, which are major insect enemies of cotton.

After this information is gathered, the researchers will attempt to develop methods of mass-rearing the parasites for release in the field.

Texas A&M is one of three state universities that have received USDA grants for biological control work. The others are the University of California at Berkeley and the University of Arkansas.

United Methodist Church News

Terri Hazlewood, Carol Perry, and Diana Payne attended the Youth in Dialogue camp for the Northwest Texas Conference of the United Methodist Church. The camp was held at Ceta Canyon August 15-17.

Bishop Aisie H. Carleton will be the preacher for the annual Laymen's Retreat to be held at Ceta Canyon August 15-17. Bill Man, director of Evangelistic Music of the First United Methodist Church in Dallas, will direct the music.

this time certificates will be awarded to every person who has read at least 12 books since the beginning of the program in May. About 25 will complete the course, and almost all will have read more than 12 books, which is very encouraging.

Library Lines

Mrs. Ralph Caffey, Librarian

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

Thursday, August 7, is the closing date for the Texas Reading Club Program. At attending Commercial College of Midland. The bridegroom, also a SHS graduate, is attending the Stenographer Institute of Texas in Abilene, where he is studying to be a court reporter.

The bridegroom's parents entertained Thursday with a rehearsal dinner in their home.

Roadrunner

Poisons
Cotton Insects

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The Launching Pad

By NEAL ESTES

RAFER JOHNSON, black former champion de-cathlon tosser, and one of the several colored bodyguards of **BOBBY KENNEDY** when he was shot and killed in California, was a guest of **MRS. ETHEL KENNEDY**, widow of **BOBBY** at the compound when **TEDDY KENNEDY'S** accident was reported. "I was up there to the compound for the weekend," said the former athlete. "Mrs. KENNEDY and I had flown down. We heard it on the car radio. I am unskanen in still feeling that **TEDDY** should be president," **JOHNSON** said.

I have read columns on the **TED KENNEDY** tragedy. Of course its easy to find glee in the hearts of the **KENNEDY**-haters and no doubt that Democrats are in current disarray because **TEDDY** was the only prominent personality with a chance to capture the nomination of his party in 1972. It is my opinion that the opinions of the women of this country are going to be significantly scanned for typical feminine viewpoints. One woman knows another better than most men. The **KENNEDY** thing could have happened to anyone. **SENATOR KENNEDY** stands a chance to overcome the unfortunate incident from a political standpoint only if the women of America forgive him. In the long run, I predict, most of **TED'S** troubles will come from his own fire-side. So far, his attractive wife, **JOAN**, is standing pat. She is the mother of his three children and they are expecting another child. **JOAN** will bear watching. Frankly, if my old Dad came home with a story like the one **TED** told on television, I suspect my late high spirited mother would have chased him all the way back to **Adairville, Kentucky**. But the American public is more tolerant than wives.

Rain continues to dodge Stanton and Martin County but the cloudy weather the past day or so has been welcomed. Temperatures in the mid-nineties don't seem so bad compared with the running string of 100-degree weather we experienced awhile back. The old-timers say this is the longest hot spell we have had in years.

New arrival **WALLACE WALTON STONE** is a special little fellow. He is the son of **MR. and MRS. BILL STONE**. His mother is the former **CAROLYN KELLY**, daughter of **MR. and MRS. WALLACE KELLY**. The youngster's official birth announcement appears in this issue of the paper. It is accurate to predict a fine future for **LITTLE WALLACE**. His proud dad and pretty mother are up in the clouds and **ALYNE and WALLACE KELLY** wouldn't think of allowing a baby sitter on the premises. As a personal admirer of the **KELLY-STONE** families, I send my best wishes and congratulations to **WALLACE WALTON** for having the good judgment to pick such splendid people as parents and grandparents.

Schools bells are due to sound in a few days. It's Back-To-School in August for vacationing Martin County students. It seems like just yesterday when the spring semester closed and summertime was ushered in. Several of the graduates will be packing up to leave for college around September 1. If you have a son or daughter planning an entering a college or university this fall please advise the paper. A special feature on college choices of our county graduates is a story we all like to read. Help us make it complete by causing the grads in your family to be mentioned.

Watch the **OLE RELIABLE** for timely advertising messages concerning crisp, new, economically priced merchandise suitable for Back-To-School wear.

It appears that the last election on the calendar for this year is behind us. This started out as an off year for voting but local residents have been parading back and forth to the polling places pretty consistently to cast ballots on everything from a bond issue to the amendment election. Let us hope some time will lapse before tax-payers are called on to decide other races.

Former . . . School . . .
(Continued from page 1) meets, broke and trained her own horses, competed in golf tournaments, and raced for the Colorado University ski team.

Texas . . .
(Continued from page 1) It pumped 215 barrels of 40-gravity oil in 24 hours from shot holes between 7,563 and 8,164 feet with a gas-oil ratio of 690-1 after a rupture of 90,000 gallons of fluid.

Stanton . . .
(Continued from page 1) m.p.h., while the **Cessna 182** travels at an approximate 140 m.p.h. Aero Club members are convinced that flying is a speedy and fun-filled way to taking off for both business and pleasure trips.

August 15 Deadline Looms For Acreage Certification

August 15 is the final date to certify acreage of cotton, feed grain, and diverted acres with the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service. Most farmers are in the process of certifying their acreage with the ASC. These farmers are told to certify crops as accurately as possible, since there will be no adjustment after certifying on August 15 whichever is earlier, and incorrect certification may result in payment reduction. George Glynn, ASCA Stanton office manager, has said that diverted acres cannot be grazed before October 1, and cannot be baled, bundled, or harvested. Blank rows in a skip row pattern used for di-

Nancy Luna Wed To David Howard

Nancy Jeanne Luna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Luna of Mt. Pleasant, and David Wayne Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Burnell Howard of Stanton, were married July 29, at 8:00 p.m. at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson Sr.

The double ring ceremony, officiated by Rev. W. H. Uhlman, minister of the First Baptist Church, was performed in a setting of greenery and white mums in tall wicker baskets. The bride was attired in a blue knit dress. She wore a diamond necklace of her grandmother. Her bouquet of white carnations was carried upon a white Bible.

The bride was attended by Doris Howard, sister of the groom. Bill Wilson, cousin of the bride was best man.

The maid of honor wore a pink silk dress.

A reception was held in the home following the ceremony. Members of the house party were Mrs. James Albert Wilson, Jr., aunt of the bride, and Betsy Luna, sister of the bride. Miss Luna served at the bride's table, and Lois Howard, sister of the groom, registered guests.

The couple will reside in Stanton at 807 N. St. Peter, and Howard is employed by Kenneth Holcombe Pump Service.

Attending the wedding from Midland, were Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Notgrass, grandparents of the groom, and J. W. Schröder, uncle of the bride.

Glenda Adams Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Adams of Stanton, announce the engagement and the coming marriage of their daughter, Glenda Fern Adams, to Earl Eugene Flowers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Flowers of Denton.



Glenda Fern Adams

The couple plan to marry on August 29, in the First Baptist Church, with the Rev. W. H. Uhlman officiating.

Three Birthdays Celebrated At Party August 3

A triple birthday celebration honoring J. G. Notgrass, Curtis Howard, and Nathan Notgrass were held August 3, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Notgrass in Midland.

The eight children and their families of Mr. and Mrs. Notgrass, gathered to honor their father on his 70th birthday, and to also celebrate the birthdays of two of his grandsons, Curtis, 15 years old, and Nathan, nine years old.

Attending the dinner party were Mr. and Mrs. Troy Notgrass and children, Eddie, Craig, and Lynn, of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Burl Notgrass and Jan Carolyn, and Nathan, of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Burnell Howard, Doris, Curtis, Gordon, and Lois, of Stanton; Mr. and Mrs. David Howell of Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Smith, and Qwen, and Jimmy, of Windgate; Bobby Notgrass, and Kim, and Kevin, of Kermit; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Notgrass Sara, Diana, and Cora Sue, of El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. Randall Notgrass, Julie Rose, of Lockhart; Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ramsey, Mandy, Ronnie, and Cathy, of Odessa, and John Baker of Lockhart.

Variety . . .

(Continued from page 1) when local school leaders release the names of all faculty members who plan to teach in the public schools when the new term begins. This is good, free information, always printed as a public service by the **OLE RELIABLE**. Patrons of school districts — the taxpayers — always appreciate this thoughtfulness on the part of school chiefs. I might add that editor's like to know who the new crop of teachers will be too. Someday, maybe, an educated faculty widow might want to try her hand at bulldozing a country editor with the ultimate idea to bring about a state of wedded bliss, or visa versa. With that thought it is time to sign thirty to this column for this week.

Local Coaches In Dallas For TCA Coaching Clinic

Stanton athletic coaches are in Dallas attending the 37th annual Texas Coaches Association convention and clinic. Athletic director Gerald Loyd, head basketball coach; Phil Stovall, Jim Eden, Bill Jennings, both assistant football coaches, and Jerry Bethell, junior high coach, will participate in the five day clinic.

The coaches will attend the Texas all-star football game scheduled for tonight at the Cotton Bowl, and the all-star basketball game.

The clinic will feature Charles Fairbanks of the University of Oklahoma, and Bobby Dodd of the University of Texas at El Paso, as speakers.

Spec. 4 Kenneth R. (Ronny) Graves recently spent a 20 day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Graves of Tarrant. He is now serving with the U. S. Army (Airborne Division) in Germany. Prior to leaving for Germany, he was stationed in Fort Lee, Virginia.

hostesses Mr. and Mrs. Jim Plingener.

A wonderful time was had by all.

Three sons were unable to attend on account of sickness, Dee of Fort Worth, Charlie of San Antonio, and Elzia of Sumnerville.



Jennifer Ruth Geurin

Couple Plans August Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Perry C. Geurin, Lenorah, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jennifer Ruth, to Sgt. Michael Eugene Mayfield of Webb Air Force Base, Big Spring. Sgt. Mayfield is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arley Mayfield of Floyd Knobs, Indiana. Tentative date for the wedding is August 16.

Stanton Independent School District

STANTON, TEXAS

SCHOOL CALENDAR—1969-70

August 21	Pre-Registration for New Students
August 22	In-Service for Teachers
August 25	First Day of Classes

HOLIDAYS

September 1 — Monday	Labor Day
November 27, 28 — Thursday, Friday	Thanksgiving Holidays
December 24 - January 2	Christmas Holidays
March 6, Friday	TSTA District XVIII
March 25 - 31, Inclusive	Spring Holidays

School dismisses at 2:30 prior to each of the above holidays;

SIX-WEEKS ATTENDANCE PERIODS

First — August 25 - October 3	29
Second — October 6 - November 14	30
Third — November 17 - December 23	25
Fourth — January 5 - February 13	30
Fifth — February 16 - April 3	30
Sixth — April 6 - May 22	35
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NINE-WEEKS GRADE REPORTING PERIODS

First Semester:	
First Nine-Week	August 25 — October 24
Second Nine-Weeks	October 27 — December 23
Second Semester:	
Third Nine-Weeks	January 5 — March 5
Fourth Nine-Weeks	March 9 — May 22

Trade at home and save! Read the Ole Reliable and enjoy all the good news!



No creature is shrouded in as many myths and half-beliefs as the rattlesnake. Yet there are a couple of honest - to-goddness facts about this common reptile that are not falsehoods.

It has been established, beyond doubt, that the truculent western diamondback rattler accounts for more deaths than any other species of snake in the United States. Also that more people die from snake bit in Texas than any other state. Specifically, 10 to 15 deaths annually.

These facts, among others, come from "A Guide to Texas Snakes," authored by Gerald G. Raun and published by the Texas Memorial Museum in Austin.

In his book, Raun points out that the annual national death rate from snakes (about 40) is less than that caused by stings of bees or wasps, or surprisingly, that caused by lightning.

As for rattlesnake myths he debunks the much-told one that a mama snake swallows her young when threatened by danger.

"This old folk tale has been around for as long as European man has been familiar with rattlers," Raun writes, "and will probably persist for a long time to come." He continues "I have met no fewer than six eye witnesses to this miraculous event in the past five years! The odd part about it is that I would not hesitate to accept the word of these person on any other topic and I doubt that any were consciously lying to me." "But," say Raun, "if such an event were true, some hepvetologist who spends his life studying snakes could not help but have witnessed it; none has.

This tale does have a logical foundation, much more so than the weird fables fact that "rattlesnakes are ovoviviparous and the young at birth are active and aggressive miniatures of mother."

If one kills a female rattlesnake who is about to give birth, she cuts her open in such a way as to free the young, a dozen or so active little rattlers will be released. Hence the belief that the female must have swallowed them to protect them from harm. Thus, a fable is born along with a brood of rattlesnakes.

Raun points out that with prompt and proper treatment it seems quite likely that less than three per cent of the people bitten by poisonous snakes would die. Many of the deaths in Texas he feels, occur among uneducated field hands who often fail to get medical attention.

Actually, according to Raun, there is no excuse for an adult to be bitten by a snake.

"If you are in an area where there are apt to be snakes, look where you step, sit, or stick your hand," he cautions. "Anyone who steps over a log or sticks his hand in a hole without looking, is asking for trouble."

Many people falsely believe that the rattlesnakes gives birth to young just as a mammal, like the human, does. "Not so," says Raun. "All snakes produce eggs. In some species like the rattlesnake the eggs are retained within the female's body until hatching."

Another myth that Raun debunks is that the forked tongue of a snake is poisonous. "Purpose of the tongue," he says, "is a device for chemoreception ('smell') which aids the snake in relating to his surroundings."

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