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## VARIETY

By NEAL ESTES

West Texans learned a long time ago not to frown on a generous portion of moisture. No individual is against a good rain out here. Sure, the cotton harvest has been delayed and the grade and price might not be so favorable but the ranchers are singing the praises of the rainfall. One rancher told me Monday that enough moisture had fallen during the present spell to hold his cattle in good shape until January.

Friends of CHARLEY ECKERT will be sorry to learn he has been hospitalized in Midland for the past few days. Those of us who know, admire, and respect CHARLEY wish for him a hasty recovery. Another good citizen who has lots of friends has been in a Big Spring hospital following surgery. He is EUGENE CRUTCHER. Reports concerning his condition are good and it is our hope that they stay that way.

Bad weather caused the cancellation of the scheduled Halloween Carnival the past Monday evening. It will be held next Monday, weather permitting. The Stanton Bison's journey to Colorado City Friday night to play a non-district game and most of the student body will be going along to the game. That will leave very few spooks in town to do the traditional trick or treating here on the evening of Oct. 31.

Dollar Day is on deck for Monday, November 3. In this issue of the paper our readers will find a number of ads concerning the values the sponsoring merchants expect to offer. Take advantage of these low prices to fill your Christmas list.

MRS. JAMES HOUGH is a talented artist and she is going to open up a school and direct an art class in Stanton. Her announcement appears in this issue of the newspaper. Read the contents of the ad and if you would like to open up an avenue to another possible hobby why not sign up.

The recent rash of bank robberies brought forth these statistics on Texas banking institutions. There are 629 state banks and 538 national banks currently doing business in the state.

I was personally glad to get back on standard time Sunday. According to the Uniform Time Act, Daylight Savings Time runs from the last Sunday in April, when clocks are advanced an hour, to 2 a.m. on the last Sunday in October. The act became effective in 1967, but any state can exempt itself by legislative action, as have Arizona, Hawaii, and Michigan.

A very fine lady passed away in the city she loved so well a few hours ago. She was MAGGIE PINKIE JONES, mother of JAMES JONES of Stanton. Not many of us are permitted to have the love.  
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## Robert Cowan Places Sixth

Robert Lee Cowan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cowan, placed sixth in the district competition of the Ford Company sponsored Punt, Pass, and Kick contest held in Dallas, October 25.  
Robert won the Stanton contest, and won his class in Midland, in the zone competition.

## Claude Nowlin Attends TADA Workshop Oct. 28

Claude Nowlin, TADA, area director, was among the 80 Odessa - Midland area automobile dealers that attended on October 28, at the Inn of the Golden West in Odessa, the one-day workshop, program, sponsored by Texas Automobile Dealers Association. The program is designed to help auto dealers do a better job in sales, methods of creating customer satisfaction, and better business procedure.

Finley Ewing, vice president of TADA, is general chairman of the workshop being held statewide this fall. Hall E. Nall, TADA director of Plainview, is co-chairman.

## Howard Gwinn Joins Stanton Banking Staff

R. O. Anderson, president of the First National Bank of Stanton, announced the appointment of Howard Gwinn to the staff of the bank.

Gwinn replaces Bill Terry who has moved to Ranger to assume vice-president duties of the bank there.

Gwinn served with the Levelland bank prior to moving to Stanton, and has had approximately 15 years of banking experience.

While in Levelland, Gwinn was active in the Lion Club, and was a member of the Metro - Lubbock Board of the National Foundation of March of Dimes.  
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CONGRATULATIONS — Stanton FFA chapter sponsor, Nolan Parker, congratulates one of the FFA members, Rickey Mims, on being the high point individual in the grass judging competition at the State Fair of Texas on October 4.

## Stanton Youth Gary Job Corps Center Grad

Earney L. Maker, 17, of Stanton, was among 185 Gary Job Corps trainees to receive a certificate of completion at formal graduation ceremonies recently in San Marcos.

Maker completed the food service course, and has been in training at Gary for 18 months.

Principal speaker was Walter Richter, former regional director of the Office of Economic Opportunity. He addressed a class that represented all eight vocational clusters, which include 34 trade programs offered at Gary. Richter advised the graduates to keep learning, be honest, take care of their health, and most of all, "Be nice to people, because the good guys always win."

The Gary Center has an average enrollment of 3,000 young men between the ages of 16 through 21, and offers skill-related basic education as a part of its training program.

Information concerning Job Corps opportunities is available.  
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# SHS Homecoming Activities Set Nov. 7 Schedule Includes Parade, Barbecue, Game

Plans for the 1969 Stanton High School Homecoming on November 7, are unfolding as the Ex-Student Association announces the day's schedule of events.

Bob Sale, president of the ex-students organization, announced the homecoming festivities will begin with the school pep rally at 2:30 p.m., and continue with a parade at 4:00 p.m. in downtown Stanton.

## Girls Named For Queen Title

LaWanda Glaspie, senior; Carlene Walker, junior; Judy Costlow, sophomore, and Cindy Wheeler, freshman, have been elected as candidates for the 1969 SHS homecoming queen in elections held Tuesday afternoon.

The 1969 queen will be crowned by Doris Howard, 1968 queen at half-time ceremonies of the Stanton-Ozona game, November 7.

Tom Ed Angel will be in charge of the parade this year, and entries should be made with him before the November 7 date. Prizes will be awarded to both school and independently sponsored entries.

Following the parade, Exes will register at the High School cafeteria, and at the same time vote for the 1969 "Coming Home Queen." Last year's queen crowned at half-time ceremonies, was Mrs. Mary Kathryn Bristow. This year's half time activities will be under the direction of Claudia Saunders.

Following the registration, the annual barbecue will be served at the school cafeteria at \$1.50 per person, and homecoming guests will have an opportunity to view the old school annuals and photographs assembled by Herb Sorley. Sorley stated that he would appreciate anyone's donation for the display for that evening of any of Stanton High's annuals, or photographs.

The Stanton Buffalo and Ozona football game will start at 7:30 p.m., at the Buffalo field, and the Exes reception and business meeting will follow the game.

Bob Sale, president of the association, will preside at the business meeting, assisted by secretary, Mrs. Bill Stone, and vice-president, P. M. Bristow.

Recognition of the oldest ex-student present will be made and to the class with the most members present.

Mrs. Neil Fryar and Mrs. Glenn Brown will be in charge of the refreshments for the meeting.

## Stanton High School Homecoming Schedule

November 7, 1969

- 2:30 P. M. — Pep Rally, High School Auditorium
- 4:00 P. M. — Parade, Downtown Stanton
- 5:30 P. M. — Exes Registration, High School Cafeteria
- 5:30 to 7:30 P. M. — Barbecue, High School Cafeteria
- 7:30 P. M. — Football game, Stanton versus Ozona
- After Game — Exes Reception and Business Meeting, High School Cafeteria

## Committee To Recognize County Senior Citizens

A special committee concerned about the maturing population of Martin County, made plans to recognize and show appreciation to this group during Thanksgiving season.

Census figures show 8.7 percent of the Martin County population is 65 years of age or older. The state average figure is 9.7 percent.

Plans have been made to have a get acquainted party in  
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## Weather Halting Harvesting

The weather has done it again. Harvesting has come to a complete halt in the Abilene territory, reports B. B. Manly, Jr., officer in charge of the U. S. D. A. Cotton Classification Office, Abilene. It appeared for a while that receipts would really pick up, as much of the crop over the area has been desiccated and is ready to strip.  
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## Stanton Study Club Federated 40 Years

A year of special events is being planned for the Stanton Study Club, which is celebrating forty years of affiliation with the Texas Federation of Women's Club, thus making it the oldest federated club in Stanton. It was founded by the late Mrs. John F. Priddy, Sr. in 1929. Mrs. Priddy was an outstanding speech teacher and civic leader, who was always interested in Stanton and Martin County. Through her own classes and the study club, she did much special work with young people.

Past presidents who have served since the club was organized 40 years ago are as follows: Mesdames E. P. Woodard, Otis Petsick (Lorraine Lamar), R. W. Hamilton,

James Jones, O. E. Bryan, Arlo Forrest, Jim Tom, Phil Berry, Dale Kelly, John F. Priddy, Sr., Ben Carpenter, Paul K. Jones, A. E. Pittman, Glenn L. Brown, James H. Billington, George Dawson, Joe Stewart, J. O. Stuard, L. D. Snell, Ralph Caffey, and Mrs. S. W. Wheeler. Mrs. James E. Wheeler is now serving as president.

The only charter member remaining in the club is Mrs. B. F. Smith. Mrs. Smith is an active, faithful member, who has inspired and aided much work of the Study Club over the years.

Ever since its organization the club has sponsored a library program. This began  
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# ★ ★ DEBORAH HOLLOWAY, LESLIE BUTLER NAMED SATURDAY Gold Star Winners In Martin Co. ★ ★

Deborah Holloway, Tarzan, and Leslie Butler, Stanton, were named Gold Star Girl and Gold Star Boy of the Martin County 4-H Club during the organization's annual awards night Saturday at the Cap Rock Auditorium.

Miss Holloway, 17 is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gleen Holloway, and is a senior at Stanton High School. Her projects in clothing, food, nutrition, home improvement, livestock, leadership, and safety have earned her a number of county, district, and state awards. She showed the reserve champion steer in the junior show at Fort Worth

this year. Leslie Eugene Butler is the 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butler. A sophomore has been active in the 4-H Club for five years and has included as his projects swine, beef, capons, home beautification, and electricity.

Capon feeding is his strongest project. He showed the Grand Champion Single, and Grand Champion Trio at the county show in 1967, and both reserve champions in 1968. Medals were awarded Saturday night in the following categories:

ACHIEVEMENT — Vicki Graves, Lee Cook, Deborah Hazlewood, Suzanna Brown, and Deborah Holloway.

CONSERVATION — Byron Hill, Jay Mullins, Frank Atchison, and Bruce Hill.

SAFETY — Diania Wells, Carrell Wells, Deana Holcomb, and Cyndie Mullins.

SHEEP — Jerry McIntyre. SWINE — Jimmy Britton, J. C. Tunnell, Jody Yates, and Gary Webb.

PUBLIC SPEAKING — Leslie Butler.

ENTOMOLOGY — Gary Hanson, Larry Butler, and Curtis Howard.

FIELD CROPS — Theodore Wells, and Curtis Flanagan.

HORSE — Gary Hanson, Kay Hankins, Terry Kelly, and Larry Franklin.

HORTICULTURE — Ronnie Henson, and Mel Polk.

LEADERSHIP — Willie Wells, Pam Roper, and Steve Webb.

PHOTOGRAPHY — Mark Eiland.

I DARE YOU — Leslie Butler.

BREAD — Glenda Livingston, Debbie Caffey, Terri Graves, and Jan Simmons.

CLOTHING — Doris Howard, Peggy Barnes, Tahita Blake, and Lois Howard.

CONSUMER EDUCATION —  
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# Golden Cranes Rip Stanton Buffaloes

Stanton fans may have been sorry they allowed the Crane Golden Cranes in town Friday night after the visitors downed the hometown Buffaloes by a resounding 45-0 in District 5-AA grid play.

Crane upped their season mark to 5-2 with the high-scoring win, while pushing Stanton further into the deficit column at 1-6.

The first Crane score came in the first period when Jerry Smith went across on a 23-yard run with 7:15 remaining in the quarter. In the second quarter the Cranes broke loose for 21 point to shatter Stanton hopes.

The first second period score came when quarterback Ricky Andreg completed a 29-yard pass play to Jimmy Wilson. A

little later tackle Mike Warren intercepted a Stanton pass and ran it back into the end zone for another 6 points from 62 yards out. Smith came back to score his second touchdown of the night on a 69-yard run with 2 minutes left in the final period.

Andreg kicked one of the two completed extra points in the second quarter, and half-back L. P. Tennyson was credited with the other. The Cranes retired out front by 27 points at the half.

In the third period the only score was another successful pass combination between Andreg and Warren, this one covering 39 yards. The PAT failed.

In the final quarter Crane got on the scoreboard twice

more, first on a 3-yard run by Smith, scoring his third touchdown of the night, and again when fullback Don Hollings took a punt and ran it back 62 yards of the score. Both extra point attempts failed.

STATISTICS	
Stanton	Crane
5 First Downs	20
2 Yards Rushing	289
46 Yards Passing	222
5 of 15 Passes Com.	10 of 18
2 Passes Interc.	By 2
0 Fumbles Lost	0
3 for 35 Pen.	Yds. 10 for 84
9 for 31 Punts	Avg. 3 for 27
Score by quarters:	
Crane	6 21 6 12—45
Stanton	0 0 0 0—0

## Funeral Rites Held October 26 For Mrs. Jones

Funeral services were conducted Sunday for Mrs. Maggie (Pinkie) Jones at the First Baptist Church, with Rev. W. H. Uhlman officiating, assisted by Rev. Richard Payne. Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery under the direction of Glibreath Funeral Home.

Mrs. Jones, 91, died Friday in Physicians Hospital after a short illness.

Mrs. Jones was born December 18, 1877, in Lockhart, and her late husband, Wilmer Jones, came to Stanton in 1906 from Williamson County. He died in November 1947.

Survivors include her son, James Jones, Stanton; one sister, Mrs. Charlie Kelly, Lockhart; and one brother, Jess Parr, Robstown; two grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, and one great-grandchild, numerous nephews and nieces.

## SHS "Coming Home" Queen Candidates Are Announced

Candidates for the 1969 "Coming Home Queen" have been announced by the Stanton High School Exes Association president, Bob Sale. Voting for the title to be presented at half-time activities of the Ozona versus Stanton football game on November 7, will be Kathleen McCreeless Lewis, Corene Cook Manning, and Polly Watson Nichols.

Reigning the 1968 title of "Coming Home Queen," will be Mrs. Mary Bristow.

Mrs. Lewis, a Courtney High School graduate of 1937, is the wife of R. S. Lewis, and the mother of two sons, James, a Marine, stationed at Camp Pendleton, California, and Charles, stationed with the U. S. Army at Okinawa.

While at Courtney, Mrs. Lewis was an active student in school affairs, and participated in girls basketball. She is a graduate of Texas Tech, with a major in journalism.

Mrs. Lewis is currently a deputy in the sheriff's office, and the Lewis family are members of the Courtney Baptist Church.

## Stanton Women Attend El Paso Graduation

Mrs. Clinton Miller and Mrs. John Shanks attended graduation exercises for Company B 1st Training Battalion at Fort Bliss, El Paso, Texas, October 17.

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## Good Laundering Techniques

By MILDRED EILAND  
County HD Agent

As with almost any job to be done the right way produces best results and generally is the easiest and quickest method. Today's homemaker who washes daily, needs all the time-saving ease she can find, reports Mrs. Mildred Eiland. She wouldn't understand grandmother's once a week back-breaking routine of soaking, rubbing, and boiling cottons and linens with homemade products and equipment. For one thing, the laundry load has changed. In addition to natural fibers, modern textiles are made of synthetic fibers and finishes in a vast array of colors, textures, and blends. Many need just a short wash and a quick dry before they're ready to be used again. With these easy-care fabrics, automatic appliances, and modern laundry products, washday now is a push-button procedure with A-1 results if the homemaker has a knowledge of good laundering techniques. By following use and care directions (on the garment, on the appliance, on the product), she'll find that good laundering habits include the following steps:

1. Saving and reading fabric hangtags.
2. Sorting.
3. Preparing the wash load.

4. Treating spots and stains.
5. Loading the washer.
6. Adding soap or detergent.
7. Setting washer controls.
8. Using other laundry aids correctly.
9. Drying.
10. Finishing.

1. Saving and reading hangtags should become a habit. They are the main source of information on how to launder a specific item.

2. Sorting divides laundry into loads that can be washed together under similar condition of water temperature, washing time, agitation and spin speeds.

3. Preparing the wash load includes mending rips and tears, closing zipper, and tying belts.

4. Treating spots, stains, and heavily soiled areas, is *not* necessary preparation for washing. This can be done by treating the specific type of stain by the most suitable method—

- a. Soaking.
- b. Applying concentrated detergent before adding to the rest of wash load.
- c. Using a stain remover.

5. Loading follows one very important rule: NEVER OVERLOAD.
6. When adding soap or detergent, use a standard measuring cup and follow package directions for correct

## Philosopher Not Interested In Space Station Giving 100% Correct Forecast

(Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw takes a jaundiced view of the latest plans of space scientists this week.)

Dear editor:

I was studying the weather out here on this Martin County grass farm yesterday trying to decide what my next farming operation would be. I'd already listened to the forecast but you can't go on that — weathermen are like sports writers who predict the outcome of the weekend football games. What they have to say is interesting but don't bet on it — and decided the weather was so unpredictable I'd be foolish to start anything, so I pulled out a newspaper and read a while.

An article that caught my eye said the U. S. is considering building a space station, big enough to hold 15 or 20 men who'd live on it and circle the earth every couple of hours and among other things give an accurate, world-wide weather report every day, one so dependable it'd take most of the guess-work out of forecasting.



Since farmers particularly would benefit by this, it was suggested they'd pay part of the cost of launching and maintaining the space station.

I don't know about other farmers, but I would like to state that I do not wish to participate in this program. Oh, I can count backwards all right from 10 to zero and anybody who can start the 23-year-old tractor I use out here shouldn't have any trouble lighting the fuse under a rocket, but it's the information on the weather I don't care for.

I don't believe I'd want to know without fail this morning what the weather is going to be like tomorrow morning, day in and day out. All it does is lead to work. What man, if he knows positively it's going to rain tomorrow, would cut hay today. On the other hand, if he has hay to cut and knows it's going to be clear tomorrow, how could he fish comfortably today?

If those scientists are banking on any financial help from me in launching their space station, they'd better revise their plans.

It's sometimes inconvenient to know. How can you be optimistic if you always know what's going to turn up next?

Yours faithfully,  
J. A.

## FHA To Abolish Program Of Loans For Golf Courses

The Nixon administration has decided to abolish a controversial program of government-insured loans for golf courses, it was disclosed Wednesday.

The Agriculture Department program received wide attention as a result of published reports about a pending loan to a golf club near Tupelo, Miss.

"The golf courses are being phased out," James V. Smith, administrator of the Farmers Home Administration (FHA), told newsmen.

The FHA has made about 500 loans for golf facilities since late 1962, as part of a general recreational credit program for rural areas. After existing commitments amount.

7. In setting the washer controls to put the machine in operation, it's important to know the type and length of cycle and temperature of water needed for each particular wash load.

for about \$10 million in 80 pending loan applications are honored, Smith said, there will be no more.

Smith said the FHA would continue to make insured recreation loans — such things as swimming pools and similar projects — to local government units.

Smith said the phase-out would not affect a pending \$265,000 loan to Natchez Trace Golf Club Inc., of Saltillo, Miss., near Tupelo. He said the club appeared to be meeting stiff federal antidiscrimination requirements and a final decision on formal closing of the loan would probably be made soon.

The Martin County Country Club golf course was partially built with a loan in excess of \$100,000 from the FHA.

Patronize your home town merchants and lay away for Christmas gifts now while the things you need are in good supply!

## Bible Comment—

### True Life In Christ Is The Best Life

"Except a grain of wheat fall into the ground and die," said Jesus, "it abideth alone; but if it die, it bringeth forth much fruit." And Jesus laid down as a law of the spiritual world that "whosoever will save his life shall lose it; and whosoever will lose his life for My sake, shall find it."

Is the Christian life, then, only a life of martyrdom? And are we who are situated in areas where there is little danger of our dying for our faith, excluded from the life that is found through sacrifice?

The answer is "no." Jesus' words have a deeper and more general application to Christian living. Saint Paul suggested this when he wrote in Corinthians, that "I die daily."

What Paul meant by that

is brought out in Galatians where he says: "I am crucified with Christ: nevertheless, I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me; and the life that now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me, and gave Himself for me."

Perhaps the mistake that most of us make is in failing to share all the experiences of the Christ as Paul did. We walk with Jesus in the fields; we listen as He talks in the villages with the common people, we watch as He blesses the little children.

But we shrink following the cross, even as Mary, His mother did.

Yet the secret of the fullness of life is in going all the way in our acceptance of Jesus.

"He that loseth his life shall find it."

## Seeds From The Sower

By Michael A. Guido, Metter, Georgia

As the river to the city, so is grace to the soul. How all-sufficient its store! It is not an evil that can be turned aside, but a river that flows on triumphantly. The inspired writer of Psalm 46:4 taught, "There is a river, the streams whereof shall make glad the city of God."

Some rivers are fed by streams, but this river furnishes streams. There is the stream of pardoning grace. No fragrance is too foul to be forgiven. Testified Abrikaner, a celebrated Bechuana Chief when dying, "My former life was stained with blood, but Jesus Christ had pardoned me, and I am going to Heaven."

### Apples Are Perfect As Snack Time Treat

Dieticians consider apples the perfect snack fruit. Of all fruits, apples contain the greatest amount of pectin, which combines with water to form non-irritating bulk. Sugars are easily digested, quickly assimilated, and the bulky pulp gives one a filled-up feeling, with a low-calorie count. A raw medium-sized apple, about five ounces, is 75 calories, as is a half-cup unsweetened apple sauce. For

There is the stream of pacifying grace. It keeps the pardoned soul restful in a restless world. Peace and wickedness are far apart. "The wicked," said the prophet Isaiah, "are like the troubled sea, when it cannot rest, whose waters cast up mire and dirt. There is no peace, saith my God, to the wicked."

There is the stream of pleasure-giving grace. A girl said to her suitor who had kicked over the traces, "We are both desperately unhappy, and we don't know what it is." In every person there is this nameless unsatisfied longing. It is the gladness that comes from God. Only he is satisfied who avails himself of these streams.

weight watchers, a fresh apple is the perfect snack: low in calories, yet satisfying hunger. For these reasons a fresh apple is the ideal "night-cap." It allays hunger during the night yet assists with the digestion of food already present in the stomach, and well.

Read the Ole Reliable for the latest hometown news!

## Twenty-Five Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. McKaskle of Orange, are visiting relatives in Stanton. He is working in the ship yards at Orange.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Barfield and children have returned to Guyman, Oklahoma, where he is combining wheat.

Claude Edwards of Lenarah, was in The Stanton Reporter, and reported that his son, Veston Edwards, a Marine, was on his way overseas. This will make the last of their five sons in the service overseas.

The rain falling in Stanton Tuesday evening and night measured three inches. No wind, no lightning, just a steady downpour.

PFC Louis Dwain Henson, stationed at Amarillo Air Field, is home in Stanton, visiting his mother, Mrs. Alta Henson.

Jack Jones and Alton Turner have purchased the Madison Grocery. Not long ago, Jones sold the store to Madison, after operating it eight years.

Mrs. P. M. Bristow and little daughter, Marsha, visited last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bullock in Sweetwater. The Bullocks are former residents of Stanton.

G. B. Shelburne, Jr., who is minister of the Church of Christ at Corpus Christi, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Shelburne in Stanton. He will deliver the Sunday morning sermon at the local Church of Christ.

Ruth Stroud, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Stroud, has entered Texas Tech for the term.

### Louvre's Treasures

Most of the great art treasures of the Louvre were temporarily removed for safe-keeping during World War II. Since the end of that war, the museum's collections, which were unharmed, have been gradually returned.

### Benedaled "Beefeaters"

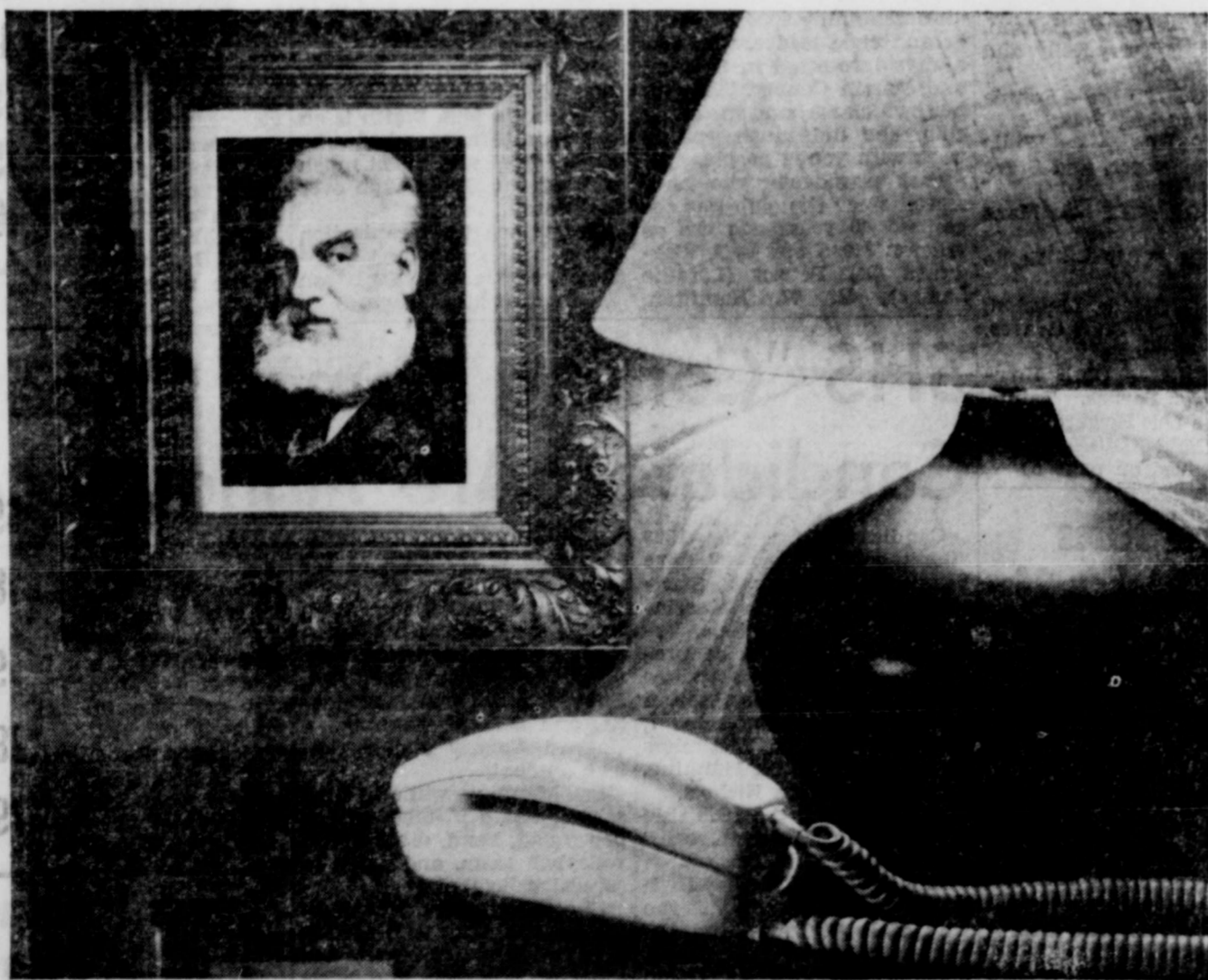
The warders of the British Yeomen of the Guard, or "Beefeaters," are chosen from retired army sergeants and warrant officers with distinguished records and, as a consequence, each of the wears a long row of medals.

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### LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS)  
COUNTY OF MARTIN )  
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S  
SALE OF REAL  
PROPERTY

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the 125th Judicial District Court of Harris County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 23rd day of July, 1969, in favor of H. G. Counts and Company and against MARY SUE MOFFETT, being the same person as MARY SUE WILLIAMS in said Court, I did on the 24th day of October, 1969, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described lot, tract or parcel of land situated in the City of Stanton, Martin County, Texas, as the property of said MARY SUE MOFFETT, being the same person as MARY SUE WILLIAMS, to-wit:

Lots Nine (9), Ten (10), Eleven (11), and Twelve (12), in Block Nine (9), Original Townsite to the City of Stanton, Martin County, Texas.

And on the 2nd day of December, 1969, being the first Tuesday of said month between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a.m. and 4:00 o'clock p.m. on said day at the Court House in said County, I will offer for sale by virtue of said levy made under said execution and Order of Sale and will sell to the highest bidder for cash all the right, title and interest of the said MARY SUE MOFFETT, being the same person as MARY SUE WILLIAMS.

DATED this 24th day of October, 1969.

DAN SAUNDERS, Sheriff  
Martin County, Texas.  
By: G. B. THERWHAN-GER.

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ELECTRIC SERVICE

# Letter To Ex-Students

The Buffalo Round-up is here again, and we want you to come and join the Homecoming herd. When the Ex-Students met last year the following officers were elected:

- Trail Boss ..... Bob Sale
- Driver ..... P. M. (Doc) Bristow
- Cook ..... Carolyn Stone

A schedule of events is planned for Friday, November 7, 1969, as outlined:

- 2:30 p.m. — Cow calling (Pep Rally), High School Auditorium.
- 4:00 p.m. — Stampede (Parade) — Downtown Stanton.
- 5:30 p.m. — Head count (Exes Registration) — High School Cafeteria.
- 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. — Chow (barbecue) — High School Cafeteria.
- 7:30 p.m. — Football Game (in the cow pasture) — Stanton vs. Ozona.
- After game — Round up and Branding Exes Reception and Business Meeting) — High School Cafeteria.

We will also elect a "Coming-Home Queen," who will be crowned at half-time of the football game. We ask your cooperation in voting for the Queen. A nominating committee has elected the following Queen candidates:

1. POLLY WATSON NICHOLS
2. CORENE COOK MANNING
3. KATHLEEN MCCRELESS LEWIS

All Exes will vote on these three finalists at the 5:30 p.m. registration this part of the program a success. These candidates will be riding in the time, before supper, at the cafeteria. We really need your help in making parade, along with out 1968 "Coming Home Queen," Mary Kathryn (Barfield) Bristow.

Would appreciate receiving any address you may have of members of your class, as this will help bring our mailing list up to date.

We are looking forward to seeing you at your Homecoming Round-Up.

See you there.  
BOB SALE, President  
P. M. (DOC) BRISTOW, Vice-President  
CAROLYN (KELLY) STONE, Secretary.



**BUTTERFLIES AND CLEAN AIR** — Gov. Preston Smith displays a butterfly perched on his finger to two curious young friends, Karen Lynn Cole (center), and Carren Weir. The butterfly has been chosen as a symbol of Clean Air, and Governor Smith brought the importance of Clean Air to the attention of all Texans by proclaiming Clean Air Week October 19-25. Grandfathers of Karen Lynn and Carren, are Senators Criss Cole of Houston, and Charles Herring of Austin, who led in legislative efforts against air pollution. Clean Air Week in Texas is jointly sponsored by the Texas Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association, the Texas Medical Association, the Texas Air Control Board, and the Air Pollution Control Association.

## Benefits Of Topping Cotton Questionable

Questions arise each year among producers concerning the practice of topping cotton. Is it a paying proposition? Can I gain in lint yield and quality by removing terminal growth?

Obviously, there is no pat answer to these questions, says County Agricultural

Agent Billy Reagor. Research in several cotton-belt states has generally shown no advantage from topping. In cases where yields were increased, the gain was small. Important factors such as the season, variety and frost date no doubt affect results of this practice. Topping too early

causes lateral branches to grow and actually defeats the purpose of topping.

Topping removes excessive terminal growth to allow better sunlight penetration as air circulation around lower maturing bolls, points out Reagor. Light seems to promote boll development and

## Baptist Laymen Plan Program At Convention

A space scientist, a southern mayor, and an ex-missionary recently released from a Cuban prison are featured participants in the annual meeting of Texas Baptist Men in San Antonio Nov. 3-4.

Edward Lindaman, an executive in the Space Div., North American Rockwell Corp., has been consulted by top government, industrial, educational, and church leaders in exploring implications of man's entrance to the space age. The former president of United Presbyterian Laymen, worked on the team which designed and manufactured the Apollo spacecraft.

## County Agents Column

With a touch of fall in the air, most trees will soon be shedding their leaves, and leaves and that brings on problems for the homeowner.

The leaves can serve a very useful purpose if they are collected and made into compost, says County Agent Billy Reagor. As material becomes available, including leaves, place it in layers in an out-of-way place. A mesh wire or board pen makes a good container for keeping the material from scattering. Keep the pile moist as an aid to the decomposition process, suggests Reagor.

Layers of manure or commercial fertilizer, placed alternately with the leaves will make the resulting compost even more valuable. The compost will not only supply organic matter, but will also have value as plant food, says the county agent.

Compost can be made anytime during the year, but the decaying process is slower during the cooler months of the year. Now is good time to start a compost pile, because of the generous supply of composting materials available during the fall season.

Your flower and vegetable gardens next year can become more beautiful and productive as a result of the compost you can have ready for next spring. And finally, points out Reagor, composting eliminates burning and result air pollution.

maturation. Therefore, plants with mature bottom bolls but with immature fruit in rank top growth with no opportunity to mature, would benefit most from topping. Yet, even under the conditions, beneficial results are not always assured.

One problem, explains Reagor, is that topping will remove some mature bolls that should be kept while leaving some immature bolls that should be removed. In other words, mature and immature bolls are usually not distinctly separated on the cotton plant. On the other hand, little or no advantage can be expected on cotton with quarter size and larger bolls near the top. In fact, reduction in yield can be expected when topping this type cotton.

Another reported advantage of topping is reducing foliage to aid in stripped harvesting, adds Reagor. This may be especially beneficial in rank cotton receiving excess water in certain areas of the field. However, most cotton this year is generally not too large due to the hot, dry summer. Therefore, the need for topping is less than in previous years.

Of course, reminds Reagor, the primary factor to consider is the cost of this practice. Topping costs will range from \$2-\$4 per acre. This means a yield advantage of at least 25 to 30 pounds of lint is needed for a break-even proposition. So the producer should take a careful look at this practice before considering it. If you only expect to break even, the time and money can be more profitably spent on other enterprises, contends Reagor.

Lindaman conducts a weekly 30 minute television production in Los Angeles, discussing ethical implications of recent scientific discoveries with high school students.

Other speakers at the two-day convention will be David Fite, a Baptist missionary, who spent two years in a Cuban prison; Lambert Mims, youngest mayor in the history of Mobile, Ala.; T. A. Patterson, executive secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, Dallas, and Luman Holman, businessman and Baptist layman from Jacksonville, Texas.

The convention will feature testimonies, leadership conferences, and special music from the Seminary Choir of Torreon, Mexico. All sessions will be held at the Alamo City's First Baptist Church.

Texas Baptist Men meet in convention session each year immediately prior to the Baptist General Convention of Texas annual sessions. This year's BGCT conclude is set for Nov. 4-6, at the San Antonio Convention Center.

## Insurance Rep. Guest Speaker At Lions Club

Clyde Tanner, representative of Trinity Universal Insurance Company, was the guest speaker at the recent meeting of the Stanton Lions Club.

Tanner spoke to the 23 Lions attending, on the subject of the high rate of automobile insurance. Tanner stated that the principle cause of high insurance rates is due to the current inflation the nation is experiencing.

Charles Elmore presided over the meeting, which met at the Belue Restaurant.

## State Sets Bag Limit For Quail In Martin County

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission in its regular quarterly meeting last week, set quail hunting seasons and bag limits for 207 counties including Martin County, under regulatory authority of the Texas Parks

and Wildlife Department. Basically, the hunting seasons and bag limits will remain the same as last year except in the 67 counties in the Permian Basin and Possum Kingdom Regulatory Districts, where the season will continue an extra 15 days through Feb. 15, 1970. Last year's season ended on Jan. 31.

Quail seasons and bag limits by regulatory district are as follows:

**Permian Basin Regulatory District** — Andrews, Borden, Cochran, Coke, Crosby, Dawson, Ector, Fisher, Gaines, Garza, Glasscock, Haskell, Hockley, Howard, Irion, Jones, Kent, Knox, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Midland, Mitchell, Nolan, Reagan, Runnels, Scu-

rry, Sterling, Stonewall, Taylor, Terry, Tom Green, Upton, Ward, and Yoakum. Quail season will be Nov. 3 through Feb. 15, with a daily bag limit of 12 and a possession limit of 36. Seasons and bag limits in Coke and Reagan counties will not become effective until approved by the County Commissioner's Court.

### Measured By "String"

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C H I L I, Wolf	No. 7 Can 65c
DOG FOOD, Red Heart	No. 300 Can, 7 for \$1.00
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CRISCO	3 lb. can 75c
Sugar, with purchase of \$5.00 or more excluding tobaccos,	5 lb. bag 39c
FLOUR, Gold Medal	5 lb. bag 49c
FLOUR, Light Crust	25 lb. bag \$1.98
DR PEPPER or PEPSI COLA, King Size	6 bottle ctn. 43c
COCA COLA, King Size	6 bottle ctn. 45c
HERSHEY'S DANTIES	6 oz. pkg., 2 for 49c
PEACH PRESERVES, Bama	18 oz. glass, 2 for 75c
POP CORN, Pop-Rite	10 oz. can, 5 for \$1.00

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## Stanton Intermediate School News

By BARBARA TRIMBLE

The eighth graders are still trying to get enough money for their graduation banquet. Now they are trying to sell candy.

—SIS—

The seventh graders had a class meeting Tuesday, to elect class officers. They are Bruce Stanley, as president; Susie Hopkins, as vice-president; and Gaye McIntyre, as secretary - treasurer. Their sponsors are Mrs. Mona Elmore, Mrs. Decker, and Mrs. Carter.

—SIS—

The Pee Wee team for the fifth and sixth graders is coming out great. So we may have another trophy in our trophy case pretty soon.

—SIS—

The A and B girls basketball teams are practicing hard and are about ready to start the season. We hope all of you will be there to watch our games.

—SIS—

Pep Rally. Our pep rally is going to be great this time, with the cheerleaders doing a skit. We would like to see all of you there. It will be from 3:00 to 3:30.

The seventh and eighth graders went to play Coahoma. Both teams lost with the scores, seventh 14 to 0; and the eighth 22 to 0. Both teams played a hard fought game, but just couldn't beat them. The seventh grade will stay at home this week to play Rankin, but the eighth grade will visit Forsan. We would like you to attend either game.

### To Late To Classify

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS A

##### Lodge Notices A-1

Stanton Chapter No. 409 O.E.S., first Tuesday night of each month.

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##### Special Notices A-2

Stanton Country Club membership for sale. \$75. Call 756-3431. 10-44-ltc

##### Miscellaneous K-8

For Sale: One set Ludwig



SCS AWARD — Gary Deitiker is presented with a Soil Conservation certificate of performance merit for the fiscal year of 1969, by work unit conservationist, Jake Hodges. The award was for overall performance of Deitiker is his job as soil conservationist on the Stanton work unit. Deitiker has also lead the soil conservation area in conservation plans, for the past two fiscal years.

## Stanton High School News

By DORIS HOWARD

The students at SHS received the "shock" Wednesday as they received their nine weeks report cards, but were so relieved to be finished with

all the tests, all they care about is the recuperating. But still the activities go on.

—SHS—

The student body held class meetings today to elect nominees to represent them in the contest for Homecoming

Drums. Complete. 756-2274.

## Oil Pioneers Will Assemble In Midland

More than 400 early day oil pioneers and their widows have pre-registered for the Sixth Biennial Permian Basin Petroleum Pioneers' reunion, which will be held in Midland, Friday, Oct. 31.

Still more registrations are expected before the big event gets underway. And registrations will be accepted during

queen. LaWanda Giaspie will represent the senior class; Cariene Walker, will represent the junior class; Judy Costlow, will represent the sophomore class, and Cindy Wheeler will represent the freshman class. The queen will be elected by the faculty, and one representative from each class.

—SHS—

The Stanton High band will represent our school this coming Friday, Oct. 31, in the Colorado City homecoming parade. Led by Mr. Walker, the band is in for a full day, as that night they will be there to back the Buffaloes as they play Colorado City to try to destroy their homecoming. The boys are real enthusiastic about the game, so come and back the Buffaloes along with the Buffalo Band.

—SHS—

The junior are sponsoring a Haunted House to raise funds. The haunted house is located on College Street, Monday and Tuesday nights. The admission charge is 25 cents.

—SHS—

The Future Teachers of America held a meeting this week to collect dues, and discuss the state convention. The PTA, sponsored by Robert Waddel, is in for a big year.

—SHS—

Sunday the 26th of October, the Student Council held an audition to try to decide on a group to provide entertainment for the Homecoming dance. A group from Big Spring, The Bicycles, was one of the possibilities. The Student Council hasn't posted its decision as to the entertainment yet.

the morning of Oct. 31.

Any person who was actively engaged in the oil business in West Texas or Eastern New Mexico prior to Oct. 1, 1939, is eligible to become a member of the PBPP. Widows of early-day oilmen also are eligible.

"If you think you are eligible and have not yet received an invitation to the reunion, please contact the Midland Chamber of Commerce," urged general chairman Robert C. "Bob" Tucker.

Registration of pioneers will begin at 9 a.m., Oct. 31,

in the lobby of the Hotel Scharbauer, followed by a men's "get-together" at the Midland Petroleum Club. The men's luncheon will be held in the hotel ballroom.

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## RENTALS

Houses L-2

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## REAL ESTATE

Farm & Ranches M-2

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## HD Club News

The Martin County Home Demonstration Club elected Mrs. D. E. Ory chairman during the meeting Tuesday in the Cap Rock Auditorium.

Other officers named were Mrs. Fred Bowlin, vice chairman, Mrs. Morgan Hall secretary, and Mrs. W. T. Wells, treasurer.

Plans were discussed for the annual countywide Achievement Day to be held Nov. 20 in the Cap Rock Auditorium. The theme will be "Changing Times."

It was announced the Christmas party will be Dec. 9.

Mrs. James Eiland, home demonstration agent, discussed the report she has written on "Family Stability." She also announced the Martin County HD Council will be hostess group to a party for persons 65 years of age and more from 3 to 5 p.m. Nov. 25, in the Texas Electric Service Co. Reddy Room.

Mrs. Ory and Mrs. O. D. Green reported on their recent trip to Dallas to attend the Texas Home Demonstration Association convention.

Eleven members met recently in the home of Mrs. Nolan Simpson, for the regular meeting of the Koffee Kup Home Demonstration Club. Mrs. Fred Bowlin presiding at the meeting. Mrs. Bob Cox

gave the devotion.

A report from Home Demonstration Council was heard from Mrs. Bill Morrow and Mrs. Bowlin. Mrs. Charlie Burnett was elected to serve as the council delegate for the coming year. It was announced that President Mrs. Bowlin was elected to serve the council as vice-chairman for the next year.

Each member was asked to give a gift idea, and several brought items which they had made for gifts. Mrs. Simpson displayed a ceramic Christmas that she had decorated

"The political philosophy expressed in the Black Manifesto is unacceptable," said the resolution in the name of the 3.2-million-member denomination. "One cannot separate the fundamental philosophy of the organization from its program."

The Forman document had openly attacked American institutions as racist, then demanded \$500 million to be used to fund self-help black programs listed by the Black Economic Development Conference - BEDCO. The figure has since been raised to \$3 billion.

Forman five months ago demanded \$50 million from the Lutheran Church, "without distinguishing among the three major Lutheran denominations in the United States."

Through the personal recognition given him by state and federal government officials, Shepperd was able to bring to the program the prestige which has been maintained since that time.

The rigorous standards of the state marking program were largely formulated by Shepperd, who gave freely of his time and personal resources throughout his service to the Survey Committee.

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## Exes Will Convene At Ackerly

The Ackerly-Sands High School homecoming is slated for Nov. 8, at the school. Registration will begin at 4 p.m., to be followed by a program and business meeting at 4:30 p.m., with Mrs. Jeff Jones presiding. Dinner will be served

1964. A marker for the Rocking Chair Ranch in Collingsworth County put the effort over the top.

The Ruth Lester Award honors Mrs. Ruth Lester of Jefferson, who was a member of the committee until her death in 1968. Her work in the restoration of the town of Jefferson - once the largest inland port in the Southwest - began in the 1930s. For many years she had served as chairman of the annual Jefferson Pilgrimage. She was the wife of Jefferson Mayor Dan Lester.

Charlie Eckert is currently in Midland Memorial Hospital, after undergoing surgery.

## TAPESTRY

Actually an embroidery and not a tapestry, the celebrated Bayeaux tapestry documents the story of the Norman conquest of England and is believed to date from the 11th century.

Rembrandt Peale is regarded as the first great American portrait painter. His portrait of George Washington is the most popular and famous picture of the first president.

at 5:30 p.m. by the Women's Society of Christian Service, First United Methodist Church. The price for the meal is \$1.50 for adults, and 75 cents for children.

Reservations must be made by Nov. 1, by calling 353-4422, or by writing Mrs. A. D. Reed, Box 3, Ackerly. The ball game between Sands and Jayton will begin at 7:30 p.m.

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# The Launching Pad

By NEAL ESTES

One of the finest television programs I have seen in many months was put on the air from New York Sunday afternoon. If all tv programs followed the line of the dedicatory concert of the Julliard Orchestra when new facilities were opened to complete Lincoln Memorial Center the industry would not longer be called a vast wasteland. The famed Julliard School of Music, moved to the Lincoln Center, to complete the complex. I especially admired the contribution made to the program by the master director LEOPOLD STOWKASKI. The late President EISENHOWER turned the first shovel of dirt for the new Lincoln Center ten years ago. MRS. RICHARD NIXON and her children, DAVID and JULIA EISENHOWER, occupied the top box at the dedication.

I received a copy of the annual FBI Report in the mail Saturday and spent some time Sunday afternoon in reading the contents. The report of FBI activities during the 1969 fiscal year is more than an informative record of outstanding accomplishments—it is a record of outstanding employees who faithfully serves the FBI and our nation. In his introduction, DIRECTOR J. EDGAR HOOVER said: "During the 1969 fiscal year, our Nation suffered grave and often unparalleled threats to its freedom and internal security. From without, forces antagonistic to a free government sought through espionage and other clandestine-type activities to weaken the United States and its contribution to the defenses of the Free World. From within, shocking excesses of criminal activity—organized and otherwise—and violent attempts to subvert democratic processes and promote racial discord lacerated our society. Destructive acts of senseless rebellion by increasing numbers of our youth and widespread contempt for properly constituted authority greatly supported the cause of lawlessness and subversion throughout the country."

"To those sworn to uphold the law and maintain public order, the challenges of the past year were many and profound. Already overtaxed, law enforcement agencies at all levels of government were burdened with new and increasingly complex responsibilities in a rapidly changing society. To the men and women of the FBI, the year demanded the fullest measure of dedication and professional competence. No less was given. With unstinting devotion to the highest ideals of justice and public trust, they effectively carried out the Bureau's heavy investigative and service responsibilities."

Two bigwigs in the Democratic Party who have known in the past to level heavy blast of criticism at a lot of public figures have come under the spotlight of unfavorable publicity. Former Vice-president HUBERT HUMPHREY, and House Speaker JOHN McCORMICK, both found themselves trying to explain certain deals pulled off for the benefit of cronies right under their very noses. McCORMICK apparently let an aide and an "old friend" occupy his office for the purpose of peddling influence. With or without the knowledge of the Speaker, a sizeable sum of money was allegedly passed to one of the McCORMICK buddies to help get the favor done for a man up on an income tax evasion charge. McCORMICK has denied any knowledge of the transaction. He couldn't do anything else. I have always thought the man from Massachusetts was a weak leader but I have always preferred to think he was honest. The second scandal literally rocked the nation. HUBERT HUMPHREY is said to have intervened repeatedly with high U. S. and Indian officials from 1961 through 1964 to help a Minnesota firm in a \$2.3 million deal for which the company is now being sued for fraud. It is going to be interesting to watch the big talker clear the gravel off his vest on this accusation.

## Stanton Study

(Continued from page 1) with an exchange of books among members. In 1932, the program developed more fully and occupied a room on the third floor of the courthouse. Later, the library was housed upstairs in the building formerly occupied by the county jail. During this period Mrs. Jim Kelly, wife of the editor of The Stanton Reporter at this time, was head of the library committee, and was responsible for a large number of books being donated to this project.

As the facilities in the county jail where not long suitable and became completely inadequate, the club set about to remedy the situation through a campaign to raise funds for a library building. Mrs. John F. Priddy, Sr., was responsible for getting this project under way, and Mrs. Glenn L. Brown, served as chairman of the Library Fund-raising Drive, which began in 1961.

Today, with the cooperation of many individuals, civic clubs, and business organizations, the Stanton Study Club's dream of an adequate library for Stanton and Martin County is a shining reality. The building is beautiful and simply done, the books are correctly cataloged, and it is opened for the greater part of five days each week—a striking example of what

city-county teamwork can do for itself and by itself.

Librarians who have served through years years, include Mrs. J. B. Collier, Miss Carrie Alys, Mrs. Pat Hull, Mrs. Louis Latimer, and Mrs. Ralph Caffey. Mrs. Velma Zimmerman is now serving as librarian.

The Stanton Study Club has always upheld Christian, cultural, and educational ideals. Its activities have been many and varied, and are too numerous to list them all here. Outstanding projects, however, have included several Art Exhibits from the Texas Fine Arts Association in Aushina painting show, and many, many book and play reviews.

Of special interest for many year to student of high school age, where the Valentine Teas that were given honoring all the seniors.

In 1952 the club was given a special citation by the United State United Service Organization, for scrapbooks which were compiled and mailed to servicemen at the Base Hospital in Casablanca, French Morocco. This was a project of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

In 1959 the club organized the first chapter of the Jubilee Belles, for the celebration of the Martin County Diamond Jubilee held that year.

Over the years many contributions of money and time have been made by the club to the needs of local city and county

## Committee

(Continued from page 1) Texas Electric Service Reddy Room, November 30, from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Transportation will be available. Call 756-3316 or 756-2568.

Committee and hostesses for the special event are: Mrs. Delmar Hamm, Mrs. A. C. Fleming, Mrs. Glenn Gates, Mrs. W. T. Wells, Mrs. Dewey Williams, Mrs. B. P. Eldson, and Mrs. James Elland.

## Weather

(Continued from page 1) We processed 7,500 samples last week, compared to 32,000 for the same week last year. This brings the seasons total to 26,200, compared to 65,500 for a seasons total last year at this time.

Grades were about the same as last week with 38 per cent in the white category, 56 per cent in the light spotted category, and 5 per cent in the spotted category. Bark bales were 4 per cent, and below grades were only 1 per cent.

Staple was a little shorter last week, with 46 per cent, 29; compared to 42 per cent for the previous week. Other staple lengths were: 28, 7 per cent; 30, 32 per cent; 31, 9 per cent; 32, 3 per cent; 36, 2 per cent; and 37, 1 per cent.

Micronaire readings were about the same with 92 per cent in the premium or 3.5-4.9 range; 7 per cent, 5.0-5.2; and 1 per cent, 5.3 and above.

The Consumer and Marketing Service, Abilene, reports that prices are good on the cotton market, and cotton is bringing producers, from 125 to 300 points over the government loan. Some prices are: 3310-19.50c; 4220-18.90c; 3219.50c; 4229-\$18.05c; 4230-18.85c; 5229, 16.60c, and 5230-17.35c.

## Variety

(Continued from page 1) affection, and association of our mothers for 91 years, the age of MRS. JONES at the time of her passing the past Saturday. I wish to join the numerous friends of JAMES in sending sincere condolences to him at this time.

## Stanton Youth

(Continued from page 1) able through the local state employment office, or Youth Opportunity Center.

projects. The newest committee project of the club is the establishing of a Martin County Historical Museum. Mrs. Stanley Reid serves as the club's museum committee chairman.

The Stanton Study Club stands ready to nurture the investments of time and money given freely by its past members and those of the present to the activities of the club and community. It looks toward the future with confidence that its work has not been in vain, and that through cooperation and work with community and county, its investments will grow and become priceless in the future.

## Lunch Menu

Elementary and High School

Oct. 27 Through Oct. 31:  
Monday: Sloppy Joes of bun, vegetable salad, French fries, banana pudding, and milk.

Tuesday: Ground beef and spaghetti, or ranchburger, green beans, buttered cabbage, hot rolls, butter, milk, and lemon edged wafers.

Wednesday: Burritos, buttered corn, turnip tops, beets, plum cobbler, corn bread, butter, and milk.

Thursday: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, let-

peas, hominy, fruit relatin, hot rolls, butter, milk, and peanut butter cookies.

## Carnival Delay

The Stanton School Carnival set for Monday, Oct. 27, has been postponed until next Monday, Nov. 3. Sponsored by the Buffalo Booster Club, the carnival will begin at 6 p.m. in the American Legion Hall.

Mrs. Reva Koonce, Mrs. Leo Adkinson, and Mrs. E. T. Williamson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Max Ecklebury in Midland, recently.

## Gold Star

(Continued from page 1) Lesa Howard, and Rosaline Louder.

DAIRY FOOD — Polly Creech.

FOOD PRESERVATION — Susan Hill, Laquana Jones, and Darla Caffey.

HEALTH — Janie Roper, Tere Hazlewood and Pam Holcombe.

HOME MANAGEMENT — Elizabeth Flanagan.

DRESS REVUE — Debbie Webb, Belyand Blake, and Peggy Barnes.

The awards were presented by local agents Mildred Elland and Billy Reager. Guest speaker at the banquet was Patrolman Bob Williams, of the Department of Public Safety, Odessa, who spoke on citizenship.

## Stanton Woman

(Continued from page 1) ed as a clerical specialist. Pvt. Tommie Shanks will continue his advanced individual training at Fort Gordon, Georgia, where he will be enrolled as a communication center specialist.

## Howard

(Continued from page 1) Gwinn, a native of Matador, Texas, was employed at the Matador banking institute for 13 years.

Gwinn and his wife have three children: a daughter in Arizona, a son at South Plains College, and another son, 11 years old, at home.

The Gwinn family are members of the First Assembly of God Church.

size the levels expected to the basis of tends a few years ago. The projected yield for 1967-68-69 crops was established at 545 pounds, because of previous upward trend. During the past four year, yields have been leveling off and have trended down since 1965. The 1970 national projected yield is based on 1964-68 harvest yields (497 pounds average per acre) adjusted for abnormal weather, for trends, and for changes in production practices. Projected state yields will be announced within a few days.

small businesses in Midland and this area, will have an opportunity to make thorough studies of their own businesses when a practical course, "Planning For Growth" is conducted in Midland.

Midland Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the ten-hour course in business planning. The course will be conducted Monday, Nov. 3, through Thursday, Nov. 6, at the Community Room of the Commercial Bank & Trust Company. The course will last from 7:30-10 p.m. each evening. Registration fee for the course is \$12.50 per participant.

"Planning For Growth" is a course designed to present a practical approach to planning for the future. It will be taught by James J. Kelly, planning specialist with the Distributive Education Department of the University of Texas.

During the ten hours, the course will stress the preparation of a "planning package." Each member of the class will take a hard look at his business with an eye to the future and will develop a package containing written market, financial, and personnel plans.

Reservations for the course are being accepted by the Midland Chamber of Commerce. Additional information may be obtained by writing the Chamber at P. O. Box 18-90, or by calling 683-3381.

## Individual Gun Importation Under Law, Cited By IRS Official

You can still import that Spanish shotgun you've had your eye on, legally, under the Gun Control Act of 1968, according to Carl Booth, IRS Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms Chief Special Investigator for Texas and New Mexico.

The only difference under the new law is that it is generally unlawful for anyone other than licensed importer or dealer to transport or receive any firearm purchased or obtained outside the United States, Booth said.

However, Booth pointed out that an importer or dealer located in the purchaser's state of residence and holding a valid license under the act, must submit an application to the IRS Director of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms Division, to import the firearm ordered by an individual. To do this, he said, the licensed importer or dealer should file the application Form 6, (Firearms), showing himself as the importer and

the individual as the consumer. A foreign shipper should be instructed to ship the firearm to the licensee.

In this way, the delivery of the firearms would then be made between the individual and the licensee in the state of residence, with the dealer recording the receipt and sale, as is necessary under the law, Booth said.

A permit must be obtained for all firearms to be imported, regardless of the date purchased, the IRS official added. However, this does not apply to a firearm previously taken out of the country by the person bringing it in, or under certain circumstances, to members of the Armed Forces.

The Bureau of Customs is authorized to release a firearm without a permit from IRS on seeing proof that the firearm was simply being brought back into the U. S. by the same person who took it out.

## County Has Cold, Rainy Week

Cold, rainy, weather continued to be the weather formula the past week for Martin County, and little improvement seemed unlikely, according to the U. S. Weather Bureau, in it's forecast Wednesday, of "more rain and drizzle, continued cold."

Rainfall, the past week had been measured in several areas of the county up to one and one-quarter inch, while

book "Farewell to Texas," and place it in the library. The public is invited to read this book and do its part in helping to preserve this fabulous area of the Big Thicket, which is in danger of being destroyed.

Hostesses for the coffee were Mrs. J. Alex Haggard and Mrs. Glenn L. Brown. Members present were Mrs. Stanley Wheeler, Mrs. Joe Stewart, Mrs. James Wheeler, Mrs. J. O. Stuart, Dr. Sue Fisher, Mrs. Bob Cox, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Haggard, and one guest, Mrs. C. Meek.

The next meeting will be November 11, at the library.

other parts of the county received one inch. That was still enough to cause muddy country roads and slick highways for county motorists.

The temperatures recorded this past week, reminded residents fall is over and winter is seemly here. Tuesday morning temperature hit the 37 degree mark, and causing some to start thinking about the first frost of the season.

## Beta Sigma Phi Activities

Programs on "Jewelry" and "Hair Styles," were the highlights of the recent meeting of a Lambda Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, at the Texas Electric Reddy Room.

Mrs. Mary Brown presented the program on "Jewelry," stating the history of jewelry, showing examples, and telling about the jewelry she saw in Europe on a recent trip.

"Her Crowning Glory," was the topic of the program Mrs. Dorothy Smith gave to the sorority. She showed several hair styles, from the present styles to the Aborigine, and presented the history of hair styles.

# DOLLAR DAYS

Thursday thru Monday

## WEAVER'S CLOTH

45 inch polyester-cotton blend textured fabric in prints and solids ..... 2 yards **\$1.00**

## MISSION VALLEY FABRICS

45 inch blended plaids, new fall patterns, regularly \$1.50 ..... **88¢** yard

## SPECIAL PURCHASE

U. S. Keds "Olympia" style, sizes from children's 6 to man's 11, in red, faded blue, and black, values to \$6 ..... **\$3.88**

## MEN'S SWEATSHIRTS

A special purchase from Healthknit Mills, turtle neck style, selling regularly for \$4, sizes small to extra-large, grey only ..... **\$1.88**

# Deavenport's

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