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Variety

By NEAL ESTES

STEPHEN J. MATTHEWS, Austin, executive director of the Texas Municipal League, and a boyhood pal of the editor of this newspaper, died suddenly in El Paso Monday afternoon while playing golf. STEVE was a resident of Commerce for years and was educated in the public schools and at college in the city. His family lived on Caddo Street in Commerce, and STEVE was a member of our Caddo Street Club. MATTHEWS, a veteran of World War Two, served Pampa, Borger, Lubbock and San Antonio in the capacity of city manager before moving up to the top spot in municipal work in Texas. Another present city manager now serving Abilene is H. P. (DOC) CLIFTON. He is an old Commerce classmate too and, STEVE and DOC started their careers in the field of city management early after graduating from East Texas University.

MARTIN GIBSON, our local veteran's service officer, thoughtfully sent us his copy of Texas Legion News. An article appearing in the September-October edition concerned the naming of the newly built American Legion Hall in Longview. The building was dedicated in honor of GEN. GASTON HOWARD, the only remaining charter member of the Longview post. The Memorial Auditorium was named for our brother, CARL L. ESTES, late publisher of the Longview newspapers. The auditorium is the main meeting room of the Bernay Camp Post 140, Longview. Late brothers, CARL and DILLARD, were charter members of the Bruce B. Williams Post Number 1, Commerce.

RUSSELL McMEANS, Stanton school superintendent, was by the office Tuesday to tell us that all the necessary repair work to make the auditorium and band hall ship-shape again had been completed and the building would be ready for occupancy on Thursday or Friday of this week. One wall of the auditorium was found to be damaged following the collapse of the breezeway connecting the senior high building with the auditorium.

Police Chief C. L. ROGERS was an office visitor Tuesday. He revealed plans to redesign the parking set-up on some downtown streets to allow more room for driving. ROGERS also requested that the press ask all vehicle owners using the one-way alley behind the buildings facing St. Peter Street to observe the traffic signs. Some congestion has been caused by trucks parking in the alleyways to unload merchandise. This is strictly a violation of a recently passed traffic ordinance.

Officers For FHA Chapter Elected

The presiding officers of the 1970-71 school term for the FHA chapter of Stanton High School are: Judy Mims, president; Zanna Angel, vice president; Jackie Cook, secretary; Rosalyn Louder, treasurer; Carol Smith, historian; Diani Payne, parliamentarian; Betty Anderson, song leader, and Susan Vest, reporter. Mrs. Florene King is the chapter's sponsor.

These officers are planning the annual FHA formal and informal initiation to be held on September 21.

Chuck Wagon Cafe Now Open For Business

The Chuck Wagon Cafe has opened for business in Stanton on Highway 80 in the city limits. The new restaurant is located in the building formerly occupied by Currie's Cafe. It is adjacent to Currie's Little Store.

Mrs. Mary Crownover will manage the restaurant, and her partner will be Danny Fryar. Both families reside in the Lomax community.

Mrs. Crownover is an experienced cafe operator, having been associated with the Continental Cafe in Greenville, Texas for a number of years. The Crownovers moved to the Lomax community from Hunt County.

The new cafe will open at 5 a.m. daily and close at 10 p.m., but during football season will maintain "after-the-game" hours to take care of out-of-town game visitors and local patrons.

In addition to serving regular and specialty foods, a special salad tray will be available to customers as an added feature.

An advertisement sponsored by Chuck Wagon appears elsewhere in this issue of the newspaper.

Owen Kelly Says Boll Weevil Menace Gone

Owen Kelly, president of the Martin County Insect Control Association, said this week that the weevil menace has just about disappeared from the local scene.

Two Texas Department of Agriculture experts were in the area recently to inspect and report on their findings.

Kelly said: "In most cases no weevil signs were found and the highest count was approximately eight per cent punctures."

"Last year the puncture count approached twenty per cent," Kelly added.

Kelly announced that the diapause program would be discontinued. (Continued on page 8)

Midland Operators Recomplete Howard County Pay Opener

Dalton H. Cobb and John W. Ruwwe of Midland, have recompleted as a Clearfork pay opener in the Ruwe-Cob (Pennsylvanian) field of northeast Howard County, No. 1 Guffee, former Pennsylvanian opener of the field.

Through perforations at 4-482-4,490 feet, and an 18-64-inch choke, it flowed 96 barrels of 32-gravity oil per day, no water, on 24-hour potential test. Gas-oil ratio was 1,000-1. Amount of treatment was not reported.

The same operators recompleted the well Dec. 14, 1967, to flow 261 barrels of 41-gravity oil daily, natural, through a 16-64-inch choke and Pennsylvanian perforations at 414-7,424 feet.

It spots 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 38, block 20, Lavaca Navigation Co., two miles northeast of Vincent.

McGarth & Smith, Inc.,

Cap Rock Sets Annual Meeting Here Saturday

Members of Cap Rock Electric Cooperative will gather in Stanton Saturday, September 12, for their 31st annual meeting, which will be held at the Stanton High School football field. Registration will begin at 7 p.m.

A free barbecue will be followed by a business session in which members will elect directors to three-year terms, and hear reports on the operations of their Cooperative. A printed financial statement will be distributed at the meeting.

The Nominating Committee nominated the following members to be voted on as directors: Mrs. Joe Mae Gaskins and C. Ray Russell, District 4; Paul Adams, incumbent, and Larry Shaw, District 5; and D. W. McDonald, incumbent, and Ervin A. Baumann, District 9. Mrs. Lee Castle, who has represented District 4 since the

Cooperative was organized, is retiring from the board of directors.

Bill Sarpallius, outstanding young speaker and past president of Texas Future Farmers of America, will speak at the meeting. Bill is a shining example of the youth of rural America today. Hearing him will enrich the soul.

Another highlight of the meeting this year will be entertainment by the Charles Williams musical group from the Big Spring area known as "The Roadrunners." This little up-and-coming band has been busy this summer playing for many social functions in the community.

An outstanding student will be awarded a scholarship to Howard County Junior College. Attendance prizes will be given, and there will be free snowcones and rides for the children.

Clubbers Hold Mixed Labor Day Tournament

The Martin County Country Club held a mixed-four-some golf tournament Labor Day, September 7. The tournament was held on the local green with approximately 26 golfers participating.

Winners with a score of 78 were Bobbie Snodgrass and Rufus Tom. Gene Douglas and L. D. Snell placed second with an 84. Other teams and scores included: Doris Costey and Roger Fleckenstein, 88; Sarah Blocker and Houston Woody, 90; Linda Bess Angel and Bill Young, 91; Latrell Welch and Ronnie Gilbreath, 93; Oleta Young and Bob Costey, 94; Tom Haislip and Bob Haislip, 96; Robert Herzog and R. Tidwell, 96; Faye Fleckenstein and Corky Blocker, 97; Gina Hopkins and A. J. Smith, 100; Betty Conaway and Tom Ed Angel, 102; and Dorothy Smith and Henry Watson, 105.

In addition to the election, PGC Field Service Director Ed Dean will review this year's boll weevil control operations with members of the Martin County Insect Control Association. (Continued on page 8)

Cotton Growers Elect Officers September 17

Martin County cotton producers and agrusinessmen will elect two directors to Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. at a meeting called for that purpose at 8:00 p.m. September 17, in the Grady School Cafeteria north of Stanton.

Announcement of the meeting comes from Owen Kelly, current producer director of the 25-county commodity organization, and Gerald Hanson, businessman director. Each of the counties in a PGC territory has two directors, one a businessman and the other a cotton producer. They serve two year terms, with businessmen elected on even years.

Second Class: Tommy Haislip, Gary Hanson, and Billy Pinkston.

First Class: Dale Henson, Gordon Elland, and Gene Louder.

Mile Swim Awards: Dennis

(Continued on page 8)

Chief Rogers Says Parking Styles Changed

Stanton Chief of Police C. L. Rogers, says that some of the parking spaces on St. Peter and other downtown streets will be remarked this week and next week.

The city has been using individual parking spaces marked at 45-degree angles. Some of the spaces or stalls, will be changed to thirty degree angles, thus giving more room to the passing of vehicles in the traffic streams in the downtown area.

Chief Rogers also stated that the thought of making loading zones in one or two downtown spots to accommodate commercial trucks unloading for delivery purposes to local stores was being considered. He indicated one loading zone marked with yellow lines, would be established on the north side of St. Anna Street for a distance of five parking spaces from St. Peter to the alleyway behind Brown's Drug Store. This measure would help truck drivers and delivery men and by using the loading zone could remain clear of the traffic lane behind the post office, thus avoiding a traffic stoppage in that area.

Ten members of Boy Scout Troop 28 were presented awards at a Court of Honor held Monday at the First United Methodist Church.

Walt Haislip, senior patrol leader of the unit, presided for the affair. After the opening ceremonies by Billy Pinkston and Gary Hanson, and the invocation by Dale Henson, the following awards were presented:

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First Class: Dale Henson, Gordon Elland, and Gene Louder.

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Legionnaires Elect Officers Here Thursday

Legionnaires of Stoeger-Estes Post No. 429 of the American Legion met Thursday, September 3, at 8:00 p.m. in the Martin County Commissioners Courtroom.

Commander Louis Stewart called the meeting to order, with Chaplain Jim McCoy offering the invocation.

Adjutant Warner Haynie read the oath of office to the following elected officers for 1971:

Clarence E. Walker, commander; Dan Saunders, first vice commander; Kenneth Holcombe, second vice commander; T. W. Haynie, adjutant; James D. Renfro, finance officer; Martin L. Gibson, service officer; F. E. (Sam) Houston, historian; Jim McCoy, chaplain; G. L. Stewart, sergeant-at-arms; John Rouche, publicity chairman.

The group of Legionnaires approved the first Tuesday of the month as the regular meeting night, and the Martin County Commissioners Courtroom as the place the meeting will be held. Time for the meeting will be 8:00 p.m. Martin L. Gibson, veterans service officer for Martin County, gave an interesting report on the services his office has rendered to veterans in Martin County since World War II. In his report Gibson revealed that \$69,500 was paid to Martin County veterans, their widows, and their children in the year 1969. Thus far in 1970 more than \$30,000 has been received by these veterans. In conclusion of his talk, Gibson presented each Legionnaire a copy of the "Ten Commandments of a Veterans Service Officer." They are:

1. A veteran is part of our business—not an outsider.

2. A veteran is not someone to argue with—or match wits with.

3. A veteran is the most important person in our business.

4. A veteran is the lifeblood of the Veterans Service Officer.

5. A veteran is not dependent on us—we are dependent on him.

6. A veteran is a person who is reliable.

7. A veteran is a person who brings us his needs—it is our job to fill those needs.

8. A veteran is deserving of the most courteous and attentive treatment we can give him.

9. A veteran does not do us a favor when he calls—we are doing a favor by serving him. (Continued on page 8)

Tahoka Eleven Opponents For Stanton Team

The Stanton High Buffaloes are shooting for a winning start in the 70's when they open on the home field Friday night. The Buffs will tangle with Tahoka at 8 p.m.

The Tahoka Bulldogs are said to be improved over last season when they took a 7-6 victory over the locals. The Tahoka team has shown good speed and quickness in two controlled scrimmages. They easily mastered a heavy but slow team from Littlefield, but had their hands full with an aggressive O'Donnell eleven.

The Buffalo squad has shown a tight, aggressive defense in both scrimmages. The Buff offense couldn't untrack against Wink, but showed a much more potent attack against the Roscoe Plowboys last Friday.

Coach Bill Young is anxious to see his squad under game conditions. He feels his team will play hustling football. The Buffaloes will have a varied offense.

The probable varsity players for the opening game are: 10, Glen Ray, quarterback, 6' 3" 180, junior; 11, Larry Adams, end, 5' 11", 150, senior; 12, Rick Wilson, quarterback, 6' 0", 155, sophomore; 20, Gary Kitchens, halfback, 5' 11", 180, senior; 22, Roy Kelly, halfback, 5' 5" 130, senior; 24, Jackie Swanson, halfback, 5' 11", 150, junior; 30, Franky Barnhill, fullback, 5' 11", 183, junior; 32, Bubba Standefer, halfback, 5' 9", 140, junior; 34, Dwayne McMeans, halfback, 5' 9", 145, sophomore; 40, Steve Douglas, halfback, 5' 8", junior; 42, George Dean, halfback, 5' 11", 140, junior; 47, Charles Atchison, fullback, 5' 8", 138, junior; 50, Mike Adams, center, 5' 11", 157, junior; 54, Curt Howard, center, 5' 7", 140, junior; 60, Robby Dickenson, guard, 5' 8", 165, senior; 62, Willie Wells, guard, 5' 9", 145, junior; 64, Theodore Wells, guard, 5' 9", 140, junior; 65, Billy Coggins, guard, 5' 10", 170, junior; 70, Marc Briggs, tackle, 6' 3", 155, sophomore; 72, Ricky Mims, tackle, 6' 1", 165, senior; 73, Clark Ray, tackle, 6' 0", 170, sophomore; 74, Steve Fryar, tackle, 5' 11", 180, junior; 82, Mark Hersh, end, 6' 2", 160, senior; 84, Walt Haislip, end, 6' 0", junior; 85, Dennis Jones, halfback, 6' 0", 155, senior, and 76, Mike Cook, tackle, 5' 11", 200, senior.

Bulls Clip Plowboys In Practice Game

The Stanton Buffaloes edged by the Roscoe Plowboys in an inter-school scrimmage last Thursday night in Buffalo Stadium. The total touchdown count was 3-2 on the varsity level, and 2-2 for the "B" teams.

The Stanton first team varsity scored once on the Roscoe varsity in the 40-play scrimmage, while holding the Plowboys scoreless. The touchdown drive started at the Buffalo 40 yard line and took 14 plays. The climax was a 9 yard touchdown pass from Glen Ray to Larry Adams.

First Team Varsity Statistics

Stanton	Roscoe
6 First Downs	1
58 Net Yds. rushing	(-11)
44 Net Yds. passing	12
7 Passes Attempt.	5
3 Passes Compl.	1
1 Passes Int. by	0
0 Fumbles Lost	2

The Second Varsity units tied 2-2. The touchdowns came on a 40 yard pass play from Rick Wilson to Paul McCallister, and a 42 yard run by Rick Wilson.

Second Team Varsity Statistics

Stanton	Roscoe
3 First Downs	8
76 Net Yds. rushing	66
48 Net Yds. passing	53
9 Passes Attempt.	5
3 Passes Compl.	4
0 Passes Int. by	0
1 Fumbles Lost	0

SHS Pep Squad Met Sept. 3

The Stanton High School pep squad met Tuesday, September 2. Forty girls are learning new yells to boost the football boys to victory. The pep squad decided on red and white plaid jumpers with red bell-bottomed pants to wear to the upcoming games. Each Friday the girls will wear the jumper for color day.

Each girl is required to have their dues in by Wednesday, September 9. The officers for the 1970-71 pep squad are: president, Carla Perry; vice-president, Brenda Holloway; secretary - treasurer, Karen Linney, and reporter, Darla Sawyer.

The sponsor of the pep squad this year is Miss Pamela Bass.

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Kentucky General News announced that over and over again, things are being done in the same routine way because very few people ever ask, "Why can't we find a new or better way? How can it be done at less cost?" It isn't al-

ways easy to look at one's own job with a fresh new look. It's sometimes difficult to look at a job in a different perspective, but it's very rewarding when you do. Little ideas and subtle changes become obvious, and you wonder, "Why didn't I think of that before? It was right there in front of me!" More people are looking for excuses why not to try a new approach than looking for new approaches. We cannot simply respond to change. We must initiate it.

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Philosopher Comes Up With A Campaign To Keep City People From Moving To The Country

(Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw seems alarmed over the census report).

Dear editor:

I have been reading the census figures for the whole country and find them almost completely alarming.

While the total population is increasing, some of the big cities are losing people, some of them as much as 15 per cent, and you know what that means. It means they're moving out to the suburbs.



Now that in itself is all right, I never could see why people wanted to crowd up in inner cities, after all, the country is now safe from Indian attacks, no use in everybody huddling up inside the fort, but if you look ahead you know what's going to happen. The who over-crowded the inner cities will before long over-crowd the suburbs. They're just moving from one un-livable spot to another.

So what's going to happen? Some real estate man, when his suburban development gets choked up, is going to start saying, "Look, the place to live is out in the country.

Plenty of fresh air, room for kids to run, no traffic congestion, no, smog, etc. Get out of the un-livable suburbs and move to the country. Now I've got this tract of land about 20 miles out . . ."

This is what's alarming about the whole thing, and if its country people are smart we'll start a campaign to frighten the people away.

Point out, for example, that country living is exaggerated. Water wells are always going dry, water pumps break down right when you have guests, septic tanks clog up, snakes and other varmints are dangerous, you have to gravel your own road, you're too far from the fire station and besides there aren't any fire plugs, if you think it's hard to get a repairman in town try to get one in the country, there aren't any neighborhood schools, there aren't even very many neighbors, you'll get lonesome out there, you're ten times as far from your job or the supermarket, there aren't any buses or taxis, there's no garbage pick-up, no home delivery of newspapers, say, the last thing you want to do is move to the country. Life is miserable out there. Stay miserable where you are and save the cost of moving.

Yours faithfully,
 J. A.

Seeds From The Sower

By Michael A. Guido, Metter, Georgia

There was a boy in Scotland who awakened from his sleep one night, crying, "My sins—I must give an account to God. But I can't! I'm afraid!"

His family tried to comfort him, but failed. Later one told him that God loved him and sent His Son to be his Saviour. Believing, he exclaimed, "I'm not afraid of God now."

"Why?" asked a friend. "Have you not sinned?"
 "Yes," he admitted. "But I'm not afraid of God now."
 "Don't you know?" questioned the neighbor, "that God will punish sin?" "Yes," came the reply, "but He will not punish me." "What makes you so

sure?" demanded his chum.

"Well," he explained, "some day I'm going to meet God. He will have a big book in front of Him. The sins of all the people are written in that book. When I come to God, He can read my sins, Jesus will cover them with His bleeding hand. Then God will say, "I can't find a sin on this page."

What relief for that boy and for all who have confessed their sins and God through Christ has forgiven them. Oh, the joy of those of whom it is written in Psalm 85:2, "Thou hast covered all their sin!" Is your sin covered?

County Agent's Column

By BILLY REAGOR
 County Agent

In order to get the most benefit from brush control, livestock producers should fol-

low the control practice with a deferred grazing and proper stocking program.

Deferred grazing following a brush control operation is a must, reports County Agent Billy Reagor. In fact, he adds, without a followup with other good range management practices, the money spent for brush control might have been better spent for supplemental feed.

It's a good idea to include an entire pasture in the brush control operation rather than a part. The reasoning is that livestock will concentrate their grazing in the areas where brush has been controlled, since the grass on controlled areas will be more nutritious and palatable. Soon the controlled areas will become badly overgrazed. If the entire pasture cannot be treated, it should be deferred following control measures.

Benefits from brush control amount to much more than increased grass production. These include the ease of working and caring for livestock; increased offspring numbers; lessening of parasite problems; increased food and cover for wildlife and often the number of breeding males in the herd can be reduced.

Deferring the treated area for one growing season will give desirable plants a chance to come back if a seed source is available; otherwise, reseeding may be necessary.

The county agent said several extension publications are available at his office on brush control and followup practices as well as publications on many other range management subjects.

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Bible Comment—

Jesus Lived His Life In Prayer

The Gospels give us much evidence of the prayers and petitions that were in every sense a way of life for Jesus. Jesus prayed for Peter, that his faith should not fail. He prayed for the chosen disciples, that God the Father would give them a comforter who would abide with them forever.

Jesus prayed for the disciples, not that they should be taken out of the world, but that they should be kept from the world's evil and sanctified through the truth, which is the word of God.

And in that same prayer He prayed for all who should believe through them, that might be united in spirit, even as He and the Father were one.

The ministry of Jesus began in prayer, for He prayed at His baptism, and He prayed in the hour of Calvary for the forgiveness of those who crucified Him.

And if the cry of His suffering, "My God, My God, why hast Thou forsaken Me?" was a prayer, a prayer also was the prayer of submission to

the divine will: "Father, into Thy hands I commend My spirit," in fulfillment of the prayer in Gethsemane, "not My will, but Thine, be done."

Thus it was that Jesus prayed. He told us how to pray, not only in the words of what we call "The Lord's Prayer," but in the example of a life continuous prayer.



New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Corder, of Harper, Kansas, and formerly of this city, are the proud parents of a baby boy born August 30, and weighing eight pounds and five ounces.

The infant has been named Doyle Lee Corder, Jr.

Patronize your hometown merchants and save!

Forty Years Ago

Last week a Dawson County farmer was in Stanton with a bale of cotton to gin, and stated that several other farmers of that county intended to do their ginning here because of the very cordial treatment received both from the ginners and the merchants.

Mrs. Nell B. Casey, county treasurer, has returned from a combined business and pleasure trip to Roswell, New Mexico.

How would this work today. According to the rules of the Interscholastic Leaguer just off the press, there will be no more "tie games." When the score board tallies even figures on a side at the close of the game, the team having to its credit the most first downs or the most yardage, will be pronounced the victor.

Thieves active. Sunday night about 8 o'clock while John E. Epley and family were sitting at home listening to the radio, some thief stole up to his 1920 Chevrolet coupe, standing just outside by the windows, and off with it he went. Epley went out to drive a neighbor home and the car was gone.

Over in Midland, the same night, while a freight train was waiting on the switch for a passenger train to pass, robbers held up the brakeman and the engineer. They got \$10 from the brakeman and a gold watch from the engineer.

Attention Members of Cap Rock Electric Cooperative
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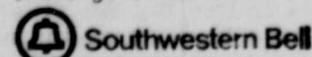
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The recent rains over the county will not only benefit the growing crops and grasses, but will aid in establishing cover crops this fall. Several area farmers are preparing land for cover crops to protect the land from wind and water erosion as well as add organic matter to the soil. Small grain to be used in strip cropping should be drilled by October 1 in order to have adequate growth during the critical erosion period.

Small grains used as cover crops can provide adequate protection around roads, fence rows, and farmsteads.

Cover crops such as oats, wheat, rye, and barley can provide protection around stock tanks, drainage areas, and waterways to reduce silt pollution and control erosion.

Now is a good time to fertilize lawns, with a balanced fertilizer. Bermuda grass that is fertilized in the fall should make adequate growth to provide a good turf before frost. Proper fertilization of Bermuda grass will help the plants develop a deep root system, that is needed to carry the plants through the winter months.

Applications are still being received for the Great Plains Conservation Program to carry out a complete conservation program on a farm or ranch. The Soil Conservation Service will cost-share certain practices up to 80 per cent of

the actual cost of the item. These practices include such things as range seeding, brush control, parallel terraces, waterways, critical area plantings, and others. Anyone interested in this program should contact the Soil Conservation Service.

Mrs. C. McKenzie Is President Of Scale Steppers

Mrs. C. E. McKenzie has assumed her duties as president of Stanton Scale Steppers.

Other new officers are Mrs. Prentiss Hightower, vice president; Rosa Lynn Louder, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Billy Louder, program chairman; Mrs. Derwood Clardy and Mrs. Joe Barber, photographers and scrapbook chairmen; Mrs. Al Morgan and Mrs. W. A. Ringener, weight recorders; Mrs. Henry Louder, measurer; Mrs. Allen Hopper, scale marker; Mrs. Gordon Tunnel, gift buyer, and Mrs. Barber, reporter.

Mrs. Morgan and Mrs. Tunnel have been named queens for August having tied for greater weight loss in the club.

Read The Stanton Reporter for the latest news from your home county!

Martin Gets Well, 3 More Outposts

A Martin County field gained an extension and locations for three outposts. Also a wildcat showed oil in a drillstem test in an unidentified zone.

Adobe Oil Co. Midland, No. 1 Yater a 1/2-mile west extension the south side of the Sale Ranch area of the Spraberry Trend area, 12 miles northwest of Stanton, was finalized for a daily flowing potential of 232 barrels of 39.9 gravity oil, plus 12 barrels of water, with gas-oil ratio of 830-1.

Production was through a 20-64-inch choke and perforations at 8,051-949 feet, which had been acidized with 3,500 gallons and fractured with 80,000 gallons and 240,000 pounds of sand.

Drilled to 9,050 feet where 5 1/2-inch casing was set, operator plugged back to 9,012 feet.

Location is 1,320 feet from the south and east lines of 34-37-1N-T&P.

Outpost Slated
 Adobe Oil Co., Midland, will drill the No. 1 Stroud, 1/2-mile south outpost, 10 miles northwest of Stanton.

Location is 1,320 feet from the north and west lines of 38-37-1N-T&P. Contract depth is 9,150 feet.

DK Petroleum Corp., Mount Carmel, Ill., will drill two outposts, 1 1/2 miles southeast of Farzan.

The No. 1 Glen & Kenneth Cox, 3/4-mile west, is 1,320 feet from the north and west lines of 30-37-2N-T&P.

The No. 1 Inez Woody, one mile west, is 1,320 feet from the south and east lines of 31-37-2N-T&P.

Both projects are slated to 9,500 feet.

Recovers Shows
 Monitor Petroleum Corp., Midland, No. 1 Jones-Holton, in 246 - Wheeler, csl, 12,500-Fusselman wildcat, 22 miles northwest of Stanton and 1/2 mile southeast of the deplet-

ed opener and lone producer in the Holton (Strawn) field, recovered 70 feet of oil-cut water and 210 feet of filtrate water on a drillstem test in an unidentified zone.

Tool was open an unreported time on the test taken at 8,080-8,105 feet.

The project was bottomed at 8,740 feet, circulating for another drillstem test.

HD Club News

The Lakeview Home Demonstration Club had its first fall meeting September 3, in the home of Mrs. E. P. Madison.

The group met at 10 a.m. for a sewing project for the Hi Ski Girls Ranch. At noon a salad luncheon was served with each member bringing a salad.

Mrs. Alfred Franks, president, called the meeting to order with the reading of the club prayer. Roll call was answered with "An Absent Minded Stunt I Did."

A program committee appointed to work on the Senior Citizen program for November were: Mrs. Bill McIlvain, Mrs. E. P. Madison, and Mrs. Horace Tubbs.

Mrs. Mildred Elland gave the program on "Up-dating Food Nutrition."

Refreshments of Mississippi mud cake and punch were served to guests, Mrs. Lee Castle, Mrs. Jess Miles, Mrs. A. D. Murphy, and Mrs. Mildred Elland, and members, Mrs. Alfred Franks, Mrs. Bill McIlvain, Mrs. Horace Tubbs, Mrs. W. J. Harlow, and Mrs. E. P. Madison.

The next meeting will be September 17, at 10 a.m., in the home of Mrs. Bill McIlvain.

Patronize your hometown merchants and save money!

Farm & Ranch Review

Senior Citizens — Senior Texans and their friends are urged to attend and participate in the Speak Out Forum to be held during week of Sept. 20 - 26 in each county. Miss Minnie Bell, extension specialist in family life education-aging, says the information gained from the forums will be used in developing plans for the 1971 White House Conference on Aging. It's the Senior Citizen's chance to be heard.

Texas Corn Crop Not Affected — Dry weather rather than the Southern Corn Leaf Blight has cut corn yields over much of Texas. Dr. Wendel Horne, extension plant pathologist, said the fungus disease which is playing havoc with corn crops in some states reached Texas a bit late. Greatest yield losses apparently occur when severe insectation hit the corn plants at the silking and tassel stage. Texas corn was past this stage when the infestations started. Horne does not see the disease as an annual threat to Texas corn production.

Destroy Cotton Stalks Immediately After Harvest — Shredding cotton stalks and plowing under all residue immediately after harvest has long been recognized as a good farming and insect control practice, especially for pink bollworm. John G. Thomas, extension entomologist, points out that the larger the area involved in a stalk destruction program, the more effective it will be. Community, county, and area coverage is suggested.

Professional Ag Workers In Huntsville Conference — The Professional Agricultural Workers of Texas will meet at Huntsville's Holiday Inn, Oct.

25-27 for a close look at ways to rebuild human and as well as soil resources. Byron Frieson, assistant director for agriculture, Texas Department of Corrections and president of the Ag workers said conferees will have an opportunity to see the varied vocational training programs used in rehabilitation of prison inmates and also to visit Sam Houston State University's Institute of Behavioral Science.

Weems Williams Entertained Relatives Recently

Mr. and Mrs. Weems Williams of Midland, entertained some of her relatives with an ice cream party in their home recently.

Those attending the social were: Mr. and Mrs. Al Morgan, Tillmon Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Henson and Robby, and Mrs. Laverne Cheatham, all of Stanton; Mr. and Mrs. Smiley Smith, and children of Big Spring; Mrs. Clyde Guerin of Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Morgan, and Debra Turner of Midland.

Also attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Needham of Seattle, Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. Williams, Shannah and Michelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Morgan, and Lela Shankle of Midland, visited the Carlsbad Caverns Saturday, September 5.

Research additions costing \$11 million will be constructed at VA hospitals in Cleveland, Cincinnati, Ann Arbor, Philadelphia, Oklahoma City, Albuquerque, Wilmington, and Jackson, Miss.

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- Peaches 4 for \$1.00
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- SHORTENING 65c
- CORN Our Darling No. 303 5 for \$1
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- Paper Towels 29c
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MASONIC LODGE — Second and fourth Tuesday of each month.

AMERICAN LEGION—First Tuesday night of each month.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY—Third Tuesday of every month.

MEN'S DEPARTMENT First United Methodist Church—Second Monday night of each month.

BROTHERHOOD, First Baptist Church — Second Thursday each month.

BETA SIGMA PHI CITY COUNCIL — First Monday of each month.

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XI THETA NU — First and third Monday.

MU LAMBDA — First and third Monday.

PRECEPTOR MU — First and third Thursdays.

XI EPSILON DELTA — First and third Thursdays.

LIONS CLUB — Each Tuesday at noon.

ROTARY CLUB — Each Wednesday at noon.

STITCH AND CHATTER CLUB — Every other Wednesday.

STUDY CLUB — Second Tuesday of each month.

GRADY PARENTS-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION—Third Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE, CIRCLE I—First United Methodist Church, Each Monday.

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE, CIRCLE II—First United Methodist Church, each Tuesday.

STANTON MUSIC CLUB—Second Wednesday of each month.

WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT — Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints — First and Third Thursdays.

GA'S, LENORAH BAPTIST CHURCH — Wednesday night at 7:45 p.m.

BROTHERHOOD, LENORAH BAPTIST CHURCH — Fourth Monday of each month at 8:00 p.m.

WYA, LENORAH BAPTIST CHURCH — Each Tuesday at 4:15 p.m.

STANTON GARDEN CLUB — Fourth Tuesday of each month.

WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD — First United Methodist Church, second Monday evening of each month.

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION — First Baptist Church.

MARY STAMPS CIRCLE — Each Monday.

WHS GENERAL MEETING — All Circles, first Tuesday morning of each month.

BETHANY SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS — Last Thursday of each month.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH — Second Wednesday of each month.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS—

COURTNEY CLUB — First and third Thursday morning, 9:30 a.m.

KOFFEE KUP CLUB— Second and fourth Thursday morning 9:30 a.m.

LAKEVIEW CLUB — First and third Thursday afternoon, 2:00 p.m.

STANTON CLUB—First and third Wednesday afternoon, 2:00 p.m.

GRADY CLUB — Second and fourth Thursday afternoon, 2:00 p.m.

HOME DEMONSTRATION COUNCIL MEETING — First Tuesday of each month, 2:00 p.m.

FIRE DEPARTMENT — First and third Monday night at City Hall.

CANCER SOCIETY — First Monday night at Cap Rock at 7:30 p.m.

GRADY LIONS CLUB — First and third Monday night of each month at Grady School.

MARTIN COUNTY FARM BUREAU MEETING — First Tuesday of each month.

BOY SCOUTS — Troop No. 28, every Monday night at 7:00.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY OF MARTIN COUNTY HOSPITAL — Every Tuesday night.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY — Third Tuesday.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY—First Baptist Church, Second and third Tuesday.

Exchange Desk

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS: "ASC community committee election ballots were mailed to all known eligible farm Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, ange. Both 'A' and 'B' teams took part in the pre-season concurred this week.

"Farm voters may vote for up to three of the candidates listed, or they may write in their choice on lines provided at the bottom of the ballot. To be counted, all ballots must be properly signed and mailed or returned to the County ASC office by Sept. 11. The voted ballots will be counted in public at the Foard ASCS office beginning at 9:30 a.m. on September 15."

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THE McCAMEY NEWS: "Coach Bob Pollard's 1970 Badger footballers had their first test of the season here last Friday evening with the Sonora Broncos in a controlled scrimmage. Both 'A' and 'B' teams took part in the pre-season contest.

"The Sonora 'A' aggregation scored twice while the Badger regulars failed to cross the goal line. A 70 yard run and a 45 yard pass completion did the job for the Broncos."

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THE BIG LAKE WILDCAT: "Sunday afternoon Big Lake received a good shower, the U. S. Post Office gauge recording .38 of an inch. This Monday more good rain fell, this time just shy of an inch.

"The month of August wound up with an official 1.89 inches of rain. The Monday rain will reflect in September's

Questions And Answers

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

Q) I don't have the money to pay all that I owe on my third quarter estimated tax. Can't I pay part now and the rest next time?

A) You may have to pay a penalty based on a 6 percent annual rate if your payments are not made in full when they are due. To avoid the penalty, your estimated tax installments must be paid on time and should amount to at least 80 percent of your income tax when your return for the year is filed. Farmers and fishermen can avoid this penalty if their payments equal 66 2/3 percent of their total tax liability.

Q) I used an employment agency to get my job. Are the fees I paid deductible?

A) Yes, if you itemize expenses this will be deductible. If a job was not secured, the fees are nondeductible.

Q) I work part-time as a maid. How can I tell if social security is being paid for me?

A) Ask your employer whether these taxes are being paid for you. Employers are required to file a return and pay social security taxes for household employees when cash wages of \$50 or more are paid to an employee during any calendar quarter. Employers are also required to provide employees with an annual statement of wages paid and social security taxes withheld.

A full statement of your Social Security coverage may be obtained by writing the Social Security Administration, Baltimore, Md., 21235. Give your name, address, and social security number when you write.

Q) My son has earned almost \$600 this year. If he makes any more will I lose his exemption?

A) If your son is either under 19 at the end of the year or a full-time student for at least five months during the year, the amount of his earnings will not affect his status as your dependent. The other dependency test, support for instance, must continue to be met.

Alsup To Show New Vega Today

Alsup Chevrolet today revealed details of the Vega 2300 — the new small car line it expects to become a leader in the economy market.

"Vega 2300 is unlike any other Chevrolet ever built," John Z. DeLorean, General Motors vice president and Chevrolet general manager, declared.

"It meets the growing desire for an American-built car which — besides being small in size — is fun to drive, safe, comfortable, economical to own and operate, easy to maintain and long lasting in both construction and styling.

"Vega sets a new standard of customer value in the economy market with performance and handling far superior to any car in its field."

DeLorean said the full line of four Vega 2300 models goes on sale in dealerships on Thursday, September 10th.

They include a 2-door sedan, a 2-door hatchback coupe, and a sporty 2-door "Kammback" wagon — all four-passenger models. There is also a unique one-passenger Vega panel express truck available with a second passenger seat.

With a wheelbase of 97 inches, an overall length under 170 inches, and a sedan weight of 2,190 pounds, the Vega is generally the same size as other economy cars but offers significant differences.

It is nearly eight inches lower and over four inches wider than the best selling foreign car. It has greater passenger room and trunk space. Its lower center of gravity and wider tread helps the Vega hug the road in American freeway driving.

Vega's excellent handling is due to a specially designed front suspension and steering system that gives high cornering ability, responsive steering and less driver fatigue on long trips. A new custom tailored braking system includes standard front disc brakes.

Computer-selected full coil springs at each wheel plus extensive body sound deadening gives a smoother, quieter ride than the usual economy car.

Vega's most innovative feature is its new lightweight overhead cam four-cylinder engine. This engine — specially designed and built in this country for the Vega — meets performance needs of American drivers while giving impressive fuel economy and low emissions.

The 140 cubic inch engine (of 2,300 cubic centimeter as indicated in the Vega 2300 name) develops 90 horsepower. There is also a 110 horsepower optional version. Both are designed to operate efficiently on the new no-lead or low-lead gasolines. A new open combustion chamber design contributes to more complete burning of fuel and improved emission control.

The Vega engine is the first in the industry to use a new high-silicon aluminum alloy, and a recent breakthrough in aluminum casting technique in its lightweight engine block.

The result is a large piston displacement engine with high torque output at moderate speeds and good fuel economy.

In Chevrolet tests thus far, the Vega has been getting about 25 miles per gallon with a standard engine and 3-speed manual transmission.

Vega's unitized Body by Fisher contains a number of "firsts" in the economy car market including:

— An exclusive new power-flow ventilation system which constantly provides a controlled supply of outside air to the passenger compartment. The system is in operation whenever the ignition is on and uses functional louvers at the rear of the car to exhaust air.

— Disc brakes are standard in the front. So are bucket seats, except on the truck.

How we doing so far? Numbers speak louder than words. The wheelbase is 97 inches. Total length is just under 170 inches, or nearly four feet shorter than a full-size Chevrolet.

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During the past fiscal year, 451,719 vets, a 28 per cent increase, were counseled on VA benefits at Veterans Assistance Centers.

Announcing!

A New Cafe For Stanton and Martin County

Chuck Wagon Cafe

Will open for business on Sept. 9 in the location on Highway 80, formerly used by Currie's Cafe. Our formal opening will be held on September 13.

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Yet unlike your average little car, ours steps right out when you step on the gas.

The engine is a specially designed overhead cam four with a lightweight aluminum alloy block. It turns slowly and quietly at turnpike speeds, with power to spare.

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September An Ever-Expanding Month For Texas Press Group

Texas Press Association's Central Office in Austin, completed its 22nd year of operation on September 1, growing from a two-person staff to 22 in a like number of years.

September is an eventful month in the history of TPA. It was September, 1947, when the TPA board voted to establish a Central Office in Dallas, and to employ a full-time general manager.

A contract was signed with the then secretary-manager of the Oklahoma Press Association, Vern Sanford, to establish the office. Headquarters were set up in the Baker Hotel in "Big D." In September of 1948 the office was moved to Austin, and has remained in the Capital City ever since.

This month, September of report as the Post Office gauge is read at 8 a.m. each morning for the preceding 25 hour period."

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THE FORT STOCKTON PIONEER: "Fort Stockton schools continued an upward trend of enrollment Monday on the first day of school for the 1970-71 term, with a total of 3,153 reported in the six schools of the system, up 56 from the same day of 1969.

"A substantial gain in opening day enrollment was revealed at Fort Stockton High School, with 820 this year, compared with 774 last year. Junior high (seventh and eighth grades, for the entire system, showed a moderate increase, 538 compared with 527."

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ANDREWS COUNTY NEWS: "In a surprise grassroots tour of his district, Congressman George Mahon arrived in Andrews Tuesday morning to 'visit constituents here."

"He had previously been in Midland and was in route to Seagraves where he planned to speak to the Rotary Club at noon."

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Lance Kitchens announce the birth Aug. 21 in Breckenridge of a son, Richard Lance Kitchens, Jr., weighing eight pounds, eight ounces. Kitchens is the son of Mrs. George Costlow of Stanton, and Richard H. Kitchens of Childress. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Don Melton of Breckenridge.

Tax Man Sam Sez:

Congress has carefully provided a number of hearings and appeals if you disagree with Internal Revenue over the amount of tax that you owe. Naturally the Internal Revenue Agents who audits your tax return discusses your case with you. He has a two-way responsibility — he has as much responsibility to see that you get all of your deductions and tax benefits as to see that the government gets all the tax that is due. If you disagree with the agent you can ask for a conference with an independent conferee and get an independent impartial hearing on your tax. If you don't agree with the conferee there is an Appellate advisor who will hold another hearing. Then you can go to Tax Court. Eventually you can pay your tax and sue in District Court, and finally, you can appeal all the way to the Supreme Court. It is probably safe to say that you don't have to march in the street carrying a sign to be heard on what you think about your income tax — you can tell it to Internal Revenue and the Courts, in hearing after hearing.

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The female elephant is referred to as a cow, the male, a bull. The cow is more quiet



tempered than the bull so she is the leader of the herd. This is also the reason why most circus elephants are cows.

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The annual meeting of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. has been set for 9:30 a.m. September 29, in the Municipal Auditorium on the Texas Tech campus.

According to Donald Johnson, PCG executive vice president, speakers for the two hour morning program will include J. Dukes Wooters, newly appointed general manager of Cotton Producers Institute, and Charles G. Scruggs, editor of Progressive Farmer magazine, and chairman of the Texas Legislature's Interim study committee on natural fibers and textile development.

The program calls for adjournment of the PCG meeting at 11:30 a.m. to permit those interested to attend a Cotton Producers Institute presentation scheduled for noon in the Red Raider Convention Center.

A separate luncheon program is being planned for the ladies, with details to be announced later, Johnson said.

The first application of low volume malathion in the High Plains Diapause Boll Weevil Control Program was successfully completed on Friday, September 4. And according to Ed Dean, field service director for Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., the organization responsible to producers for the program, "this is an excellent start."

Dean said, "It rained August 31, the first scheduled day of spraying, but after that the weather cooperated beautifully and sprayplanes flew with only minor interruptions for the next four days." The first dose of weevil killing insecticide this year covered just under 100,000 acres, about a third less than was covered by the first application in 1969.

"Extensive surveying this year discovered fewer infested acres than were found last year," Dean explained. He cautioned however that it is impossible to tell at this stage to what extent the control zone may have to be enlarged as the season progresses. "But," he said, "we know from past experience that additional infestations will crop up and the control base will have to be broadened."

In 1969 it became necessary to add over 50,000 acres to the control area that was sprayed in the first application.

Weather-permitting program officials hope to begin aerial spraying again on September 7, in order to complete the sec-



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and application on approximately the same acreage by September 11. These first two rapid-fire shots are designed to reduce population and either stop or reduce migration by breaking the weevil reproductive cycle. Subsequent applications on a 12 day schedule, will continue until the end of the season to kill remaining weevils before they can attain "diapause," the stage in which they hibernate through the winter.

The farm bill recently reported by the Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry is now slated for consideration on the Senate floor during the week of September 14. The outcome remains in doubt.

Amendments will doubtless be offered to change the Committee's bill in several respects, but the major conflict is expected to build around the limitation of payments to individual farmers. The Senate Committee version goes along

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with the \$55,000 per crop per farmer limit passed by the House. But the body of the Senate, in an amendment to the agricultural appropriation bill, previously endorsed a limit of \$20,000 per person. And proponents of a limit at that level will mount a strong effort to override the Committee's recommendation.

Also, the Committee's version of a farm bill differs substantially from the bill passed by the House, and contains features to which the Administration to stongly opposed. Some But it now appears that if programs for cotton, wheat, and feed grains are to be passed this year, some of the important provisions may have to be written by a House-Senate Conference Committee.



PRICES EFFECTIVE THURSDAY, SEPT 10th, FRIDAY, SEPT. 11th, And SATURDAY, SEPT. 12th, And MONDAY, SEPT. 14th, TUESDAY, SEPT. 15th, And WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 16th.

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GATORADE, Stokley	12 oz. can, 5 for 69c
PEACHES, Sliced, Stokley	No. 2 1/2 Can, 3 for \$1.00
CORN, Golden, Stokley	No. 303 Can, 5 for \$1.00
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CATSUP, Hunt's	14 oz. bottle, 4 for \$1.00
VIENNA SAUSAGE, Van Camp	4 for 95c
TAMALIES, Wolf	No. 300 can, 3 for 95c
O L E O, All-Sweet	lb. 29c
C H I L I, Wolf	No. 2 Can 69c
SHORTENING, Snowdrift	3 lb. can 69c
SUGAR, Imperial	5 lb. bag 45c
F L O U R, Gladiola	5 lb. bag 45c
F L O U R, Gladiola	25 lb. bag \$1.98
COTTAGE CHEESE, Borden	12 oz. carton 33c
ICE CREAM, Gandy's	1/2 gal. 79c
DR PEPPER	King Size, 6 bottle ctn. 39c
COCA COLA, King Size	6 bottle ctn. 47c

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ORANGES	5 Lb. Bag	49c	ROAST Chuck, Blade Cut, Choice Beef	Lb.	59c
CARROTS	1 Lb. Cello Bag	10c	MEAT SPICED LUNCHEON	Lb.	69c
CABBAGE GREEN	Lb.	5c	SAUSAGE GERMAN	12 Oz. Ring	69c
TATER TOTS Ore., Ida	1 Lb. Box	35c	FRYERS Fresh Whole, U.S.D.A. Inspected	Lb.	29c
SHRIMP BREADED, SINGLETON	8 Oz. Box	79c	BACON DECKER'S	Lb.	75c
			CUTLETS GOOCH	Lb.	69c
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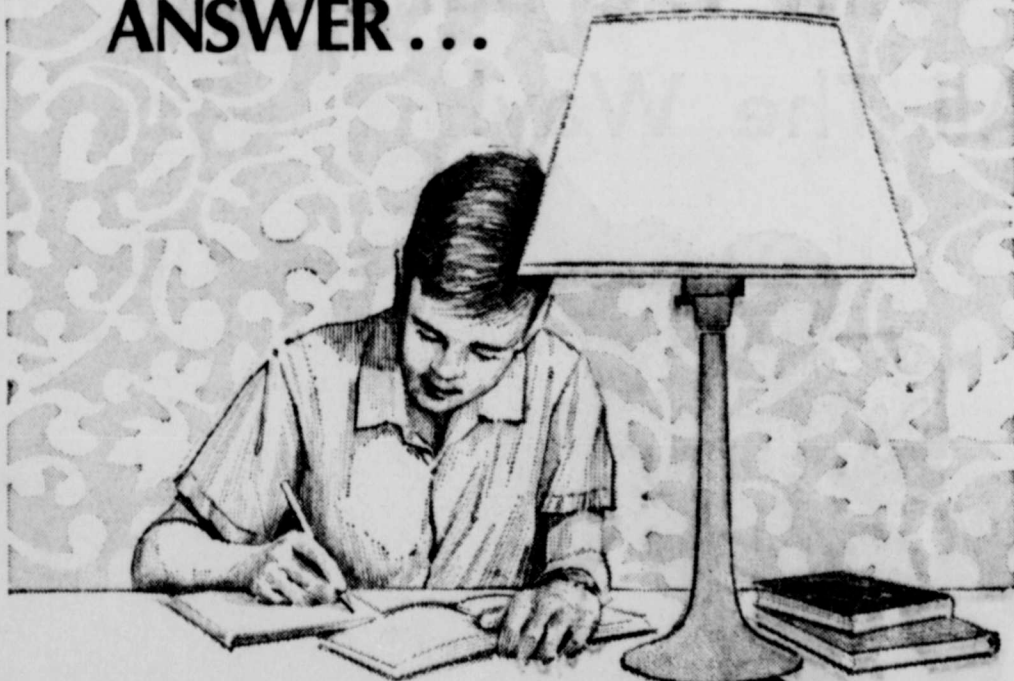
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The Launching Pad

By NEAL ESTES

Both candidates for U. S. Senator will accelerate their campaigns during the remaining weeks before the general election in November. GEORGE BUSH and LLOYD BENTSEN will start the big drive in motion for the nomination this week and the race is expected to be an extremely close one right down to the wire. The candidate with the best organization—the one who is successful in bringing the people to the polls, will undoubtedly be the winner. Supporters interested in either candidate will find the "Ole Reliable" the best medium for advertising purposes in Martin County. As a matter-of-fact, it is the only taxpayer, consistently circulated medium in the county. We here in the office are fully aware of the fact that the big cities have the voting strength, and we are aware of the fact that BUSH and BENTSEN are now running so close together that the ballots from some rural county like Martin — all possible 1,700 of them — could make the difference in the U. S. Senate race. Remember the time LYNDON JOHNSON defeated COKE STEVENSON by only 78 votes for a U. S. Senate seat. Well, it was not necessarily Duval County and Box 214 that pulled LBJ over the victory line. There was another voting box down in East Texas — at Gary to be exact, in Panola County, that really turned the tide of victory to JOHNSON from STEVENSON. The editor of this newspaper owned the newspaper in Carthage, the county seat of Panola County, when LBJ posted his weak triumph over CALCULATING COKE. As a matter-of-fact, the author of this column was LYNDON'S campaign manager in Panola that election time, and the Gary box gave the then youthful Congressman a real fat majority. There was nothing amiss about the voting at Gary—it was simply hard work for LYNDON that carried the day down there for him. Ex-President LYNDON JOHNSON will confirm the contents of this paragraph and perhaps he might recall the personal telephone conversation he had with his Panola County campaign manager back in the forties after the Gary box reported in on Monday after the election on Saturday to complete the county tabulations. Yes sir, voters, the results in one small county, could make the difference in victory and defeat in the election coming up in November between BUSH and BENTSEN.

The lady who managed the famed Continental Cafe in Greenville, Texas, for a number of years is opening the Chuck Wagon Restaurant in the building formerly occupied by Currie's Cafe in Stanton on Highway 80. Her partner will be DANNY FRYAR from Lomax. MRS. MARY CROWNOVER and her husband also reside in the Lomax community. MRS. CROWNOVER is a member of a well known Hunt County family. She was MARY BRYANT, daughter of MR. and the late MRS. FRED BRYANT of Commerce, Texas. Her mother was the former FRANCES WYLIE, a schoolmate of the editor of this publication for many years. The Continental Cafe in Greenville was known far and wide across North Texas as one of the best places to eat on the blackland. Writing of the blackland reminds us of the sign which hangs across Lee Street in Greenville. It reads: "Greenville, Welcome, the Blackest Land — the Whitest People."

The Stanton High Buffs lift the lid on the 1970 season here Friday evening at 8 p.m. with Tahoka furnishing the opposition. Stanton, always a good football town, win, lose, or tie, will be out in force to back the Buffalos. The Tahoka eleven won the opening game last year in Lynn County by a 7-6 score. The Bisons are real anxious to avenge that defeat and get the grid season off on the victory foot here come Friday night in the local stadium.

WHITE MOTOR COMPANY is again sponsoring the annual Punt, Pass and Kick contest originated by Ford Motor Company, Detroit. JACK IRETON of the sales staff at WHITES is handling arrangements for the firm and an advertisement appears in this issue of the paper describing the rules of the contest, giving sign-up time, and outlining other important features of the contest.

The editor plans a feature story on the life of CECIL BRIDGES, when he retires on October 1 as Texas Electric manager here. CECIL is one of our loyal friends and he has written a record of rich accomplishment, both personally and from a business standpoint in our community. I regret his decision to accept retirement from the business circle but I am delighted we can continue to count on CECIL and his gracious wife to contribute much more of their time and talents to the benefit of Stanton and Martin County as citizens in the years ahead.

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Ireton, Dale Henson, and Gene Louder.
The most merit badges ever presented at one time by the group, were awarded as eight boys received a total of thirty-eight awards as follows:
Walt Haislip: Swimming, conservation, camping, nature, cooking, pioneering, Indian lore, and art.
Gordon Elland: Swimming, fingerprinting, camping, nature, cooking, pioneering, and athletics.
Dennis Ireton: Swimming, conservation, camping, nature,

cooking, pioneering, and citizenship in the home.
Dale Henson: Lifesaving, conservation, camping, nature, cooking, and pioneering.
Gene Louder: Lifesaving, conservation, camping, nature, cooking, and pioneering.
Tommy Deavenport, Camping, and citizenship in the Nation.
Gary Hanson: Swimming.
Tommy Haislip: Swimming.
Troop 28 is sponsored by the Stanton Lions Club.

Cotton - - -

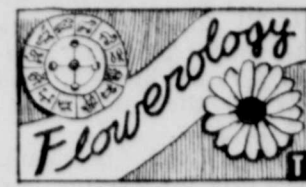
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of the association are especially urged to attend, Kelly said.
Kelly also stated that directors to POG are the men who determine the organization's policy on legislation, research, promotion finances, and the other matters which play a big part in the Martin economy. And all interested people should attend the meeting and have a voice in the election," he said.

Variety Of Federal Subsidies Total \$9.77 Billion In Year

The U. S. government subsidized businesses, farms, home purchases, and a variety of other undertakings involving millions of individuals to the tune of \$9.77 billion during the past year. The total is a 70 per cent increase over the level of 10 years earlier. And it does not include some items, such as tax preferences, that are widely regarded by many economists as well as laymen as effective subsidies. The figure on actual government expenditures identified as subsidies or the equivalent were compiled by the Legislative Reference Service. The Department of Agriculture, with its farm price supports and service programs, accounted for \$4.67 billion during the year ending last

June 30. Business subsidies ran \$1.36 billion. In this category larger items included operations of the Federal Aviation \$702 million; Coast Guard navigation aids and other services, \$376 million; ship operating subsidies \$234 million, and operation and maintenance functions of the Army Corps of Engineers, \$164 million. Some activities, such as the Panama Canal, produce a profit, reducing the net outlay. Labor subsidies were estimated at \$842 million, mostly from the operation of the unemployment trust fund. Subsidies to homeowners and tenants and other services of the Housing and Urban Development Department were estimated at a net of \$1.48 billion, with expendi-

tures for various urban renewal, public housing, and low-income housing programs partly offset by receipts from the Federal Housing Administration and Federal Home Loan Bank Board. The Joint Economic Committee of Congress commissioned a pioneering study of government subsidy programs in 1965. It is now undertaking and updating an expansion of this study, but sources said the completion date is not yet in sight. The 1965 report devoted considerable attention to defining a government subsidy. Its list of "federal programs, past and present, which might be considered to partake of or involve an element of subsidy" ran to eight closely printed pages.



(Virgo, Aug. 24-Sept. 23)

Virtues of those born under the sign of Virgo include constant attention to detail, making for a most careful worker where keen observation and exactitude are important. They often have an enlarged view of the importance of neatness and precision.

The desire for purity leads to



an interest in hygiene and cleanliness. The Virgo person is essentially a worker and often a server of others. He generally prefers not to take the lead. Overstress or misuse of their traits can alter the pleasant reserve to a stand-offish attitude, which friends find difficult to break through, and from which they get little response.

One way to overcome this reticence is by sending flowers that inspire warmth and affection. FTD florists make it possible to deliver them anywhere in the world.

Vital signs of Virgo include the Jasper as its gem, dedication to detail its principal characteristic, and the cornflower as its flower.

Midland - - -

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1-A Hastings, a 1/2-mile west and slightly north extension, to flow 224 barrels of 39.8-gravity oil and 22 barrels of water per day, through a 20-64-inch choke and perforations at 7,956-8,957 feet. Gas-oil ratio measured 812-1.
Drilled to 9,050 feet, where 5 1/2-inch casing is seated, it is plugged back to 9,031 feet. The producing section had been treated with 80,000 gallons and 240,000 pounds.

It spots 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 40, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey, 13 miles northwest of Stanton.

John L. Cox, of Midland, No. 3 Dickenson, a 1/2-mile north extension, completed to flow 274 barrels of 39-gravity oil per day, through a 16-64-inch choke and perforations at 8,379-9,111 feet, in 4 1/2-inch casing seated at 9,200 feet, total depth.

Producing section was treated with 40,000 gallons of fracture material.

Well site is 1,320 feet from north and east lines of section 18, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey, 12 miles northwest of Stanton.

Adobe Oil Co. of Midland, completed No. 1 Yater, 1/2-mile west of the nearest production in the Sale Ranch extension area, for 232 barrels of 39.9-gravity oil and 12 barrels of water per day, through a 20-64-inch choke and perforations at 8,051-8,949 feet, which has been acidized with 3,500 gallons and fractured with 80,000 gallons and 240,000 pounds. Gas-oil ratio measured 830-1.

Drilled to 9,050 feet, where 5 1/2-inch casing is seated, it is plugged back to 9,012 feet.

Well site is 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 15, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey, 12 miles northwest of Stanton.

Adobe Oil of Midland, completed No. 1 Fortune as a one-mile north extension of the Sale Ranch part of Martin County's Spraberry Trend Area, 14 miles north-northwest of Stanton.

On 24-hour potential test, it flowed 288 barrels of 39.9-gravity oil, through a 12-64-inch choke and perforations at 8,320-8,998 feet, which had been treated with 1,000 gallons of acid and 40,000 gallons and 120,000 pounds of fracture material. Gas-oil ratio measured 820-1.

Drilled to 9,100 feet, it has 5 1/2-inch casing set on bottom, and has been plugged back to 9,061 feet.

It spots 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 32, block 36, T-2-N, T&P survey. Adobe filed application to drill No. 1 Stroud, a 1/2-mile south offset to production in the Sale Ranch part of the pool, 10 miles northwest of Stanton.

Site for the 9,150-foot project is 1,320 feet from north and west lines of section 38, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey. RK Petroleum Corp., of Mt.

Registration - -

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group in our competition will go on to the zone competition. And from there, top winners on up the ladder through district, area, division, and national finals," he said.

"This year, the national finals will be held in Los Angeles at the pro All-Star Game, January 24. Finalists get an all-expense-paid trip to Los Angeles for themselves and their parents, plus a special tour of Disneyland, a Banquet of Champions celebration and the chance to meet some of the top players and coaches in professional football. Naturally, we hope some of our local PP&K winners will make it all the way to the finals," Ireton said.

The Ford dealer further explained that each boy upon registering receives a free PP&K Tips Book. In the 1970 edition, there are competition tips by NFL stars Dave Lee, Bill Nelsen, and Fred Cox, plus all-round suggestions from Coaches of the Year Hank Stram and Bud Grant. The Tips Book also includes complete PP&K rules and helpful conditioning exercises for contestants.

PP&K registration will close at White Motor on September 26.

This is the 10th anniversary year for PP&K. From its inception the youth activity has been sponsored by the Ford Dealers of America, and the National Football League. In that time more than 6,000,000 boys have taken part in PP&K, making it the largest and fastest growing activity of its kind in America.

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continued this year in the county due to favorable findings and because cash was also short.

A charge of fifty cents per bale will still be collected this year at the compresses on Martin County cotton in order that the depleted fund might be built up to where money will be available to take care of any future emergency, Kelly said.

Kelly also stated that any producer who did not wish to pay the per bale fee could be entitled to a refund by filling out a form.

He stated that the directors of the Martin County Insect Association wished to thank everyone who helped to make

Carmel, Ill., filed intention to drill two 9,500-foot projects, about 1 1/2 miles southeast of Tarzan, in the same extension area.

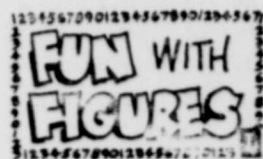
No. 1 Glen & Kenneth Cox, 3/4 mile northwest, spots 1,320 feet from north and west lines of section 30, block 37, T-2-N, T&P survey.

No. 1 Inez Woody, one mile west, spots 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 31, block 37, T-2-N, T&P survey. Tom Brown Drilling Inc., of Midland, filed application to drill two offsets in the area.

Both projects, scheduled to 9,200 feet, are in section 39, block 37, T-2-N, T&P survey, 10 miles northwest of Stanton.

No. 1 Welch & Welch, 1/2 mile west of production, is 1,320 feet from south and west lines.

No. 1 Winchester, 3/4 mile southwest and northwest of production, is 1,320 feet from north and west lines.



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Legionnaires - -

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him.

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Adjutant Warner Haynie reminded the group that the 1971 membership drive is now in progress, and that 24 new members have been signed this month.

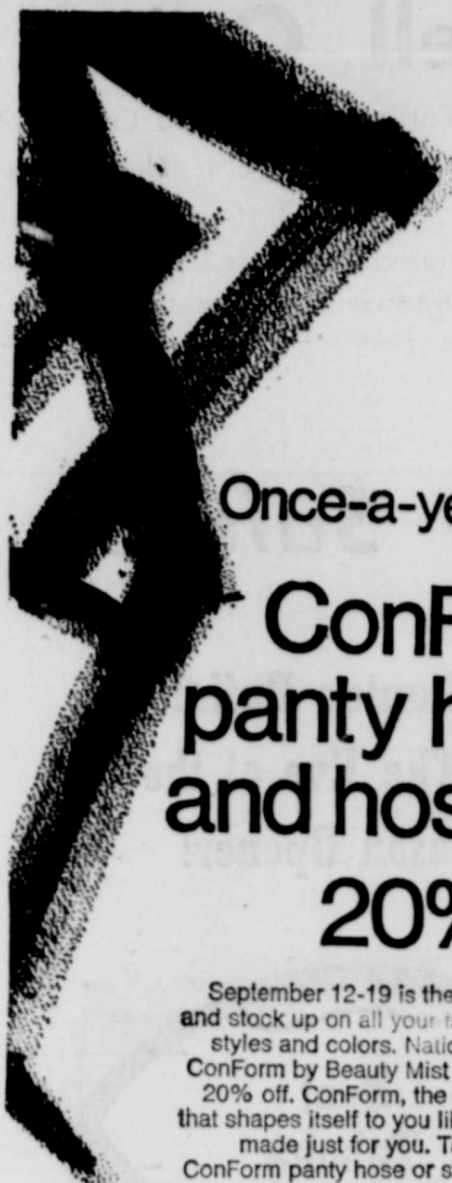
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