

## Skirting Stanton

By PEGGYE SORLEY



Kathleen Lewis, chairman of the Martin County Mothers' March of Dimes, asked me to remind the people of Martin County that more volunteers are needed to help with the drive this coming Monday, January 18. Volunteers should get in touch with her as soon as possible. The group will meet at the Commissioners Courtroom on January 18 at 5:00 p.m. for instruction and information on the drive. Area people should be prepared Monday to give generously when the volunteers knock on your door.

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Cecil Bridges was the honored guest at a reception held at the Reddy Room of Texas Electric Service Company this past Sunday. Preceptor Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi was host to the affair, and presented Bridges with a plaque of gratitude. Approximately 70 guests were present to show Bridges their appreciation for all the things he has undertaken and accomplished during the past years. We at the Reporter would also like to send our thanks to him, and hope that his retirement from TESCO will not cause him to fade out of the Martin County scene. He is certainly a credit to our town, and with more men like him, Martin County just could be the greatest little town in Texas.

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From all reports, the Junior Livestock Show will be a great success this year. Tom Ed Angel, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce Agricultural Committee, stated last week that over 100 animals would be entered in the show, and they hoped for the biggest show ever. A complete story with pictures will appear in next week's edition.

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Miss Debra Holloway was named top showman at the 1971 Sand Hills Hereford and Quarterhorse Show last week. Brenda Holloway was second place showman. Bob Sale and Marilyn Newman presented the trophies to the girls, which they donated to the show in memory of their father, J. C. Sale.

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Get your names in for the February sweetheart as soon as possible so the judges can be considering her for the Miss February title. Deadline for the picture and biographical sketch will be Tuesday, February 2.

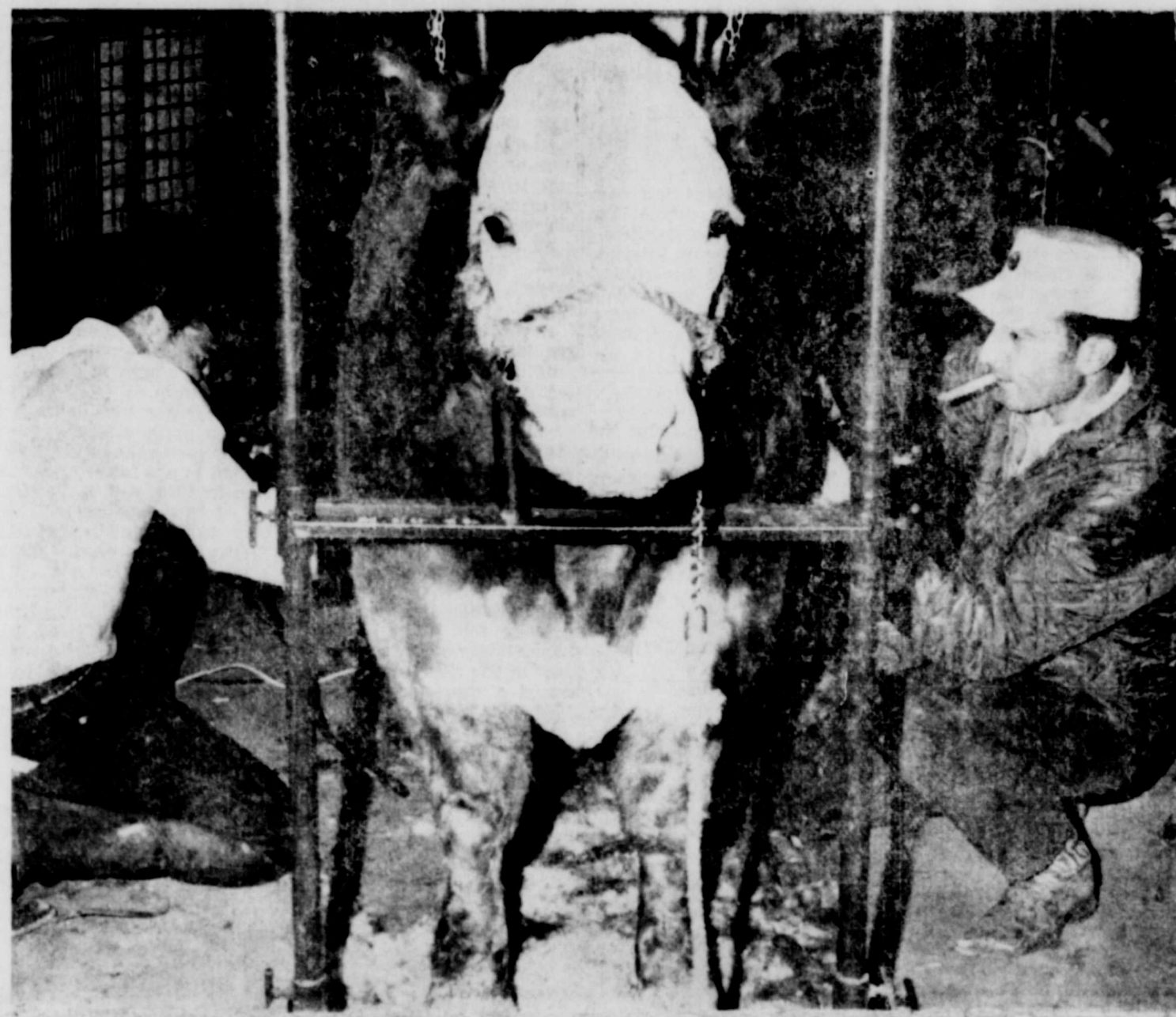
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Since the cost of day to day living has increased, the Stanton Reporter has found it necessary to increase its rates by 50 cents. Starting in February, the cost of the paper will be \$3.00 in the county, and \$3.50 outside county. Subscriptions expiring after January 31 will have the extra 50 cents attached regardless of whether your subscription is being renewed for December, 1970, or any other date, except for the month of January, 1971.

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The Martin County Chamber of Commerce will hold their annual banquet this month. It will be held at the Cap Rock Auditorium, Saturday night, January 23. The new officers for the chamber have been elected and will be announced that night. The speaker for the evening will be Tom Craddick of Midland State Representative of the 73rd Congressional District. The chamber has promised that it will be a most enjoyable evening, so plan to attend.

# Jr. Livestock Show Friday, Saturday



**PREPARE ANIMALS FOR SHOW**—Tommy Newman, left, and Billy Reagor, Martin County Farm Agent, prepare a steer for the Martin County Junior Livestock Show to be held in the county barn Friday and Saturday. Judging for the show is to begin Saturday morning. More than 100 entrants are scheduled to be shown in the show.

Scheduled January 23—

## Tom Craddick Named CC Banquet Speaker

Tom Craddick, State Representative for the 70th District, from Midland has tentatively agreed to serve as speaker for the 1971 Martin County Chamber of Commerce banquet to be held in the Cap Rock Electric Cooperative auditorium Jan. 23, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Craddick is a graduate of Midland High School, received a Bachelor of Business Administration degree, a Master of Business Administration degree, and has completed all but his dissertation for his doctor's degree from Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

He also serves in the business world, as vice president of Gulf States Enterprises, Inc., is president of Field Creek Pecan Farms, Inc., and is vice president of C.B.C. Inc.

Craddick was re-elected in last November's general election on an "economy in spending platform."

"I would support streamlining the state government to help eliminate waste of state revenue," he told voters at the time of the election. "There is a need to centralize many state agencies, functions and facilities at the state level. For example," he added, "central printing, mailing and computer facilities would save money. I would oppose a state income tax. I would support federal tax-sharing with a portion of the revenue to be returned to the state on a no-strings attached basis."



TOM CRADDICK

"Coping with pollution problems is looking realistically at our social and economic responsibilities and doing everything to eliminate pollution where it can be, and controlling it where prevention is not possible."

Bob Deavenport, vice president for the Martin County Chamber of Commerce, said Wednesday plans for the banquet are about finalized.

Also scheduled at the banquet will be introducing new Chamber officers and directors, who were recently elected.

Top item on the banquet agenda will be naming the outstanding farmer in Martin County for 1971. Last year's presentation was awarded to Clarence Fryar.

Outgoing 1970 Chamber of Commerce officers include Charles Elmore, president; Bob Deavenport, vice president; Jack Ireton, secretary, and Glenn Brown treasurer.

Directors for 1970 were Ed Hall, Bruce Key, Owen Kelly, Kenneth Holcombe, and Paige Eiland.

Tickets for the banquet can be purchased at the Chamber of Commerce office between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 11:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, or from Chamber directors.

Tickets to this year's banquet will be \$3.50 per person.

According to a report received from James Jones, chairman of the Martin County Savings Bonds Committee, sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds in Martin County during the month of November totaled \$3,020,000. Eleven-month sales were \$30,694.00, for 102 per cent of the 1970 goal of \$30,000.00.

Sales in Texas during the month amounted to \$14,915,027, compared to \$12,962,108 during November 1969. The January - November sales totaled \$166,883,983 for 93 per cent of the 1970 goal of \$179.9 million.

Over the Nation during November there were new purchases of E and H Bonds amounting to \$373 million. Sales for the first 11 months of 1970 were \$4,281 million — 5.8 per cent above a year earlier. Exchanges of Series E for new Series H Bonds totaling \$212 million were reported for the first 11 months — a 27 per cent increase over the \$167 million exchanged during 1969.

Judging and the show will begin at 8 a.m. Saturday, according to Reagor.

Lamb judging will begin following the swine, and the steer judging will be the final event of the day Saturday.

"The livestock sale will begin at 3 p.m. Saturday," Chuck Elmore, chairman of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce Agricultural Committee, said. The show and sale are sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

"We moved the sale time up to 3 p.m. this year," Elmore said, "because we have more stock that will be for sale than in previous years. We plan to sell 50 head of stock this year instead of the usual 40 or 44 head."

Melvin Chisum, who heads the Flower Grove FFA, and Nolan Parker, Stanton FFA director, are scheduled to bring the largest delegations to the show and sale.

Registration has closed to additional entries for this year's show, according to Angel.

This weekend marks the second running in which junior stock raisers from the area have participated in animal shows. Last week a large delegation from Stanton entered the Sand Hills Hereford show held in Odessa at the Ector County Coliseum.

"We had some real good entrants there," Reagor said, "and many of those who showed there will bring their animals to this show."

Deborah Holloway, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Holloway of Stanton, was declared the top showman of the Sand Hills Hereford Show in Odessa.

For her showing, Miss Holloway was awarded the J. C. Sale Memorial Trophy and \$75 in cash. Bobby Sale and Mrs. T. R. Newman, the son and daughter of the late J. C. Sale, made the presentation.

Windy Tunnell, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcom Tunnell of Stanton, had her Hereford steer judged the best steer in the lightweight division.

Also placing high in competition from Stanton were a second steer entered by Miss Holloway which was judged fifth best steer in the middleweight class, Brenda Holloway had her Hereford steer judged eighth in the middleweight division, Morgan Cox's steer was judged 12th, and Jody Yates Hereford steer was judged 18th.

Following behind Miss Tunnell in the lightweight class, Jerry Holloway placed 11th, Vicki Graves' steer was 12th, and J. C. Tunnell's steer was 16th.

In the heavyweight class a steer shown by Jackie Jones was judged 18th.

In the fat lamb show lambs entered by Vicki Graves placed first and 15th.

Other Stanton entrants who showed lambs were Mike Douglas, Marty Douglas, Lisa Angel, Leslie Welch, Sharolyn Holcomb, and Deana Holcomb.

Reagor said a concession stand, operated by 4-H Club members, will be open both Friday and Saturday to serve contestants and spectators. The stand will be located in the barn.

## All-Region Bands Presented In Odessa Saturday

Local music makers were participants in the Annual All-Region Bands in concert presented at Permian High School in Odessa last Saturday evening.

The event is sponsored by the Texas Music Educators Association as a mean of recognizing the outstanding instrumentalists in the state.

Members of the Stanton band selected for this year's activities included: Bill Pardue, Pamela Petree, Thomas Pinkerton, Judy Costlow, Polly Creech, Betty Anderson, Lyn Herzog, and Kim Douglas.

Guest clinicians and conductors were Don Baird, West Texas State University; Ben Gollehon, Hereford, and Leon Theriot, Sul Ross State University.

The bands rehearsed their program numbers through the day for the evening's presentation. Jacket patches were awarded to each member of the participating groups.

Other towns represented in the Class AA-A-B All-Region Band were Alpine, McCamey, Big Lake, Crane, Coahoma, Grandfalls, Iraan, Rankin, Van Horn, Forsan, Imperial, Sanderson, and Marfa.

The featured bandsters were selected on a competitive basis in tryouts during December, and represent the best performers on their instruments in forming the concert group.

George Walker, director of Stanton bands, parents, and other interested friends were on hand to enjoy the evening program.

## Savings Bonds Goal Reached In November

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## Chief Of Police Announces New Parking Time

Police Chief C. L. Rogers announced the past Monday that the parking area in front of the post office was now limited to 15 minutes parking. The chief stated that parking tickets would be issued if the signs were not obeyed.

The loading and unloading zone on the corner of St. Anna and St. Peter would be limited to 30 minutes only, stated Rogers.

In reporting the change in parking, the chief stated that the new time limit on the parking will help prevent so much congestion in the downtown area.

### TWENTY-FOUR ARE LISTED—

## Principal Yater Names 1st Semester Honor Students

J. M. Yater, Stanton Elementary School Principal, has announced the honor roll for the first semester of school for grades three and four.

"We do not name an honor roll for students in the first and second grades," Yater said. "In fact, we do not give grades in the first two years of school."

Third graders named on the honor roll include:

— From Mrs. Augustine Epley's room—Susan Waid, Judy

Cook, Craig Eiland, and Douglass Lambert.

— From Mrs. Virginia Lile's room — Craig Martin, Lana McKenzie, David Luna, Kenneth Cook, and Randall Koonce.

— From Mrs. Mary Payne's room — Leah Flannagan, Denby Snell, Kristi Turner, and Steven Walton.

Fourth grade students from the elementary school named on the honor roll included:

— From Mrs. Evelyn Lank-

ford's room they are, Mike Tolison, Charles Straub, Todd Smith, Karla Simson, Polly Lewis, and Mitch Elmore.

— From Mrs. LaRue Harrell's room they are, Donita Douglass, Tony Henson, Cindy Herzog, Tommy Morrow, and Randy Turner.

"Our students maintained high averages during the first semester," Yater said, "and I was real proud of all those who made the honor roll."

According To Bob Hill—

# County Farmers Still Have Big Stake In World Trade Decisions

Bob Hill, chairman of the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) Committee, said today that American farmers still have a big stake in world trade, and in policies that expand trade in agricultural products.

He called attention to recent efforts by Secretary of Agriculture Clifford M. Hardin to reverse actions in the European Community that work against imports of U. S. farm products. The EC is the American farmer's largest export market.

ned recently from a 15-day, 8-nation trade policy tour, expressed the concerns the United States has about some agricultural trade policies of the EC. He expressed concern over high grain prices in the EC, over the preferential arrangements the EC has negotiated with Mediterranean citrus producers, and over the Common Agricultural Policy for tobacco.

Summing up in a London press conference prior to returning to the U. S., Mr. Hardin said "High grain prices which discourage utilization within the Community, result in surpluses that undermine and interfere with our legitimate trade when they are pushed into world trade channels with heavy subsidies."

He said the preferential arrangements with Mediterranean citrus producers "discriminate against U. S. citrus growers who are producing and marketing without a subsidy."

He described the CAP for tobacco as being incompatible with provisions of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) and said, "the buyers' premium which provides an incentive to buyers within the Community to purchase leaf produced within the Community, is discriminatory and harmful to U. S. and other world producers."

The ASC Chairman quoted Secretary Hardin who emphasized in his talks throughout Europe that the U. S. takes "a most serious view toward actions that threaten the U. S. farmer's largest market — \$1.3 billion to EC countries last fiscal year, and a larger amount in earlier years."

The Secretary also said, "we are quite interested in the agricultural terms of the United Kingdom's negotiation for EC membership, and we are concerned about that government's new agricultural policy."

"We have stressed the need," he said, "for new and immediate initiatives by the EC to signal a liberalization of attitudes toward agricultural production and trade."

The Secretary headed a 10-man trade policy team that also included Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Clarence D. Palmby, Assistant Secretary of Commerce Lawrence A. Fox, and two members of the President's Commission on International Trade and Investment Policy. The team conferred in Bucharest, Belgrade, Rome, Paris, Bonn, The Hague, Brussels, and London.

purpose, PCG is taking the position that the objective can be reached by other means which will not cause unnecessary hardship and expense on the farmer.

Production cost increases, according to the PCG letter, will come about in more than one way. Farmers in some cases will be forced to dig new irrigation ditches or buy new irrigation pipe to get water to farm sections that lie farther from existing irrigation wells, the letter states that "irrigated acreage will not be reduced, but the farmer's expense will be materially increased and the loss of water associated with moving it extra distances will be substantial."

There are instances in which a farmer will have to plow up rye or some other soil-conserving crop which government money helped to establish under the Agricultural Conservation Program. Then the farmer would be out additional money putting another part of his land in a soil-conserving crop.

Also, some producers have already applied fertilizers and herbicides to the land they expected to use for crop production in 1971. And some if not all of this expense will have been wasted if at this late date they are required to change plans.

When these points were explained to one USDA official he reportedly admitted that "this sounds like a bad regulation." But it remains to be seen what language, if any, USDA can devise which will accomplish program objectives without causing undue hardship on producers.

ASCS officials have advised

Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., that every cotton producer who suffered yield losses to adverse weather in 1970 should request a yield adjustment. The cotton program for 1971, 1972, and 1973, as in the past, provides for raising farm's per-acre yield up to a percent of the projected yield when abnormal weather causes crop loss or damage.

And when an adjustment is granted, officials say the adjusted yield, not the actual yield, will be used in figuring payment yields for all three years of the program.

The payment yield for 1971 will equal twice the 1970 projected yield, plus the 1970 actual yield, divided by three, except that (1) the 1970 actual yield may be adjusted for abnormal weather, and (2) the 1971 payment yield will not be less than the 1970 payment yield if total farm production for 1970 was equal to or greater than the number of pounds on which payment was made in 1970.

Walter Wells, Lubbock County ASCS office manager, points out that the "total production" feature might protect a farmer's payment yield for 1971 without a weather adjustment. "But the adjusted yield might well help to prevent the payment yield from being lowered, or even help to raise it, in 1972 and 1973."

Payment yield for 1972 will be the total of 1970 projected yield, 1970 actual or adjusted yield, and 1971 actual or adjusted yield, divided by three. For 1973 the payment yield will be the average of actual or adjusted yields for 1970, 1971, and 1972. However, for any year in which total farm production equals the number of pounds on which payment was made the previous year the payment yield will not be reduced. This will afford some protection of payment yields for those farmers who each year plant acreage above base allotments.

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## SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



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Conservation serves many people in different ways, reports the Soil Conservation Service.

Conservation benefits to farmers and ranchers may include: more convenient operations, more income, reduced erosion, better use of water and fertilizer, and recreation values.

The Soil Conservation Service gives technical help to plan and carry out farm and ranch conservation programs. These plans include such things as a soil map showing the different soils and the capabilities. Assistance is also available to

help install and maintain conservation practices as well as federal cost-sharing or certain practices. City people can also benefit from conservation by direct assistance in selecting building sites, roads, septic tank locations, as well as erosion problems around their homes. The Soil Conservation Service employees are charged to help you, and your school system with conservation education.

This may include help on arranging tours to conservation study sites, guest speakers, conservation films, and

television tapes.

Conservation also helps the sportsman by increasing wildlife habitat and preservation. The SCS gives aid in building farm ponds, as well as stocking them with fish. Other practices help provide food and cover for wildlife. Use and support your local Soil and Water Conservation District.

The coconut palm, growing along tropical rivers and shores, is the most all-round useful kind of tree. It provides food, drink, clothing, shelter, shade and beauty.

## Philosopher Claims Farmers The Only Group Which Has Solved Problem Of Over-Crowding

(Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw immodestly laws claim to the solution of a problem this week).

Dear editor: Try it. It doesn't make any difference what subject you're talking about, somewhere in the world it's a problem something ought to be done about.

For example, I was reading in a newspaper last night I salvaged from a Christmas package it was used in to keep some cups and saucers from breaking — two them came out



all right except for a few chipped places — that dogs are becoming unmanageable problems in cities.

That's right. The dog population, the article said, is increasing faster than the human population, which most people claim is increasing too fast itself, and as a result city officials don't know what to do. You take a city with a million people and a million dogs, counting those roaming the streets, dogs, that is although some people come under this category too, and you have got a problem.

But of course dogs and people are just part of the problem. There are too many cars, too many airplanes, too many wars, too many countries, too many diseases, in fact, if you'll survey the entire world you'll find that there's just one group that has had the sense to understand the problem and keep its head. It's farmers.

You don't find there're too many of us farmers. Farmers saw the problem of endless multiplication and overcrowding years ago, and began cutting back. Where cities tried to put two dogs where there was room for just one, and three cars where there was barely room for one, farmers put one farmer where there used to be four.

From 50 per cent of the population we dropped to 8 per cent.

I don't know why cities haven't caught on to this solution.

Yours faithfully,  
J. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezell McKaskle have returned from a business trip to the Panhandle area. While in that area, they reported that the temperature reached four below zero in Tulsa and Perryton.

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# Monahans Group Completes 5th Middle Clearfork Well

Wood, McShane & Thams of Monahans, completed No. 2 E. W. Douthit as the fifth middle Clearfork well and location north and west extension to that pay in the Howard-Glasscock multipay field of Howard County.

It finished to pump 93 barrels of oil and 132 barrels of water per day, through perforations at 3,692-3,707 feet, which had been acidized with 750 gallons and fractured with 30,000 gallons and 60,000 pounds. Gravity of the oil was not reported.

Originally drilled by the same operators, it was cleaned out to 3,773 feet, on total depth of 3,805 feet, and has 5 1/2-inch pipe set at 3,780 feet. It had been plugged and abandoned

in October 1970.

Wellsite is 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 123, block 29, W&NW survey, one mile east of Chalk town-site.

Wood, McShane & Thams of Monahans, staked site of No. 4 E. W. Douthit as a west offset to production in the five-well middle Clearfork area of the Howard-Glasscock multipay field of southeast Howard County.

Location for the test, slated to 3,850 feet, is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 123, block 29, W&NW survey, one mile east of Chalk town-site.

Western States Producing Co. completed six extensions

in the Martin County part of the Spraberry Trend Area, about nine miles northwest of Stanton.

No. 1-A Cross, 1/2 mile north extension, finished to flow 244 barrels of 38.7-gravity oil and 50 barrels of water daily, with gas-oil ratio of 820-1, through a 24-64-inch choke and perforations at 7,979-8,970 feet.

Location is 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 25, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey.

No. 1 McAlpine, 3/4 mile northeast, flowed 290 barrels of 39-gravity oil and 35 barrels of water on 24-hour potential test, through a 22-64-inch and perforations at 7,939-8,950 feet.

It spots 1,420 feet from south and 1,220 feet from west lines of section 30, block 36, T-1-N, T&P survey.

No. 1 McKenney, 1/2 mile south and east, finished to flow 252 barrels of 38.8-gravity oil and 48 barrels of water per day, through a 24-64-inch choke and perforations at 7,878-8,876 feet. Wellsite is 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 37, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey.

No. 1-A McMorries, 3/4 mile northeast and southeast, finished to flow 260 barrels of 38.7-gravity oil and 45 barrels of water per day, through an 18-64-inch choke and perforations at 7,976-8,885 feet.

Location is 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 31, block 36, T-1-N, T&P survey.

Western States and Basin Petroleum finished No. 2 Meeks, 1/2-mile east extension, to flow 252 barrels of 38.6-gravity oil and 25 barrels of water daily, through a 24-64-inch choke and perforations at 7,866-8,892 feet.

Wellsite is 1,320 feet from north and east lines of section 37, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey.

Western States filed 24-hour potential of 290 barrels of 38.9-gravity oil and 25 barrels of water per day for No. 1 Quatlebaum, 1/2 mile north of the nearest producer in the Martin County part of the Spraberry Trend area.

Completion was effected through perforations at 8,115-9,025 feet, which had been acidized with 80,000 gallons and 180,000 pounds sand.

Drilled to 8,100 feet, it has 4 1/2-inch casing set on bottom.

Wellsite, eight miles northwest of Stanton, is 1,320 feet from north and west lines of section 43, block 36, T-2-N, T&P survey.

ProChemo Exploration Co. of Amarillo, completed No. 1-A Eiland as a 1/2-mile north and east extension to the Martin County part of the Spraberry Trend Area, five miles west of Stanton.

On 24-hour potential test, it pumped 92 barrels of 39.2-gravity oil and 31 barrels of water, with gas-oil ratio of 706-1.

Production was through perforations at 7,315-8,828 feet, which had been acidized with 4,000 gallons and fractured with 46,000 gallons and 132,000 pounds of sand. It has 5 1/2-inch casing seated at 8,900 feet, total depth, and has been plugged back to 8,837 feet.

Wellsite is 1,570 feet from north and 1,320 feet from east lines of section 23, block 37, T-1-S, T&P survey.

Anderson Oil & Gas Co. of Midland, staked sites for two outposts to the Sulphur Draw (8,790 Dean) field of north Martin County, 20 miles north of Stanton.

Both projects are slated to 9,200 feet.

No. 1 M. H. Nance, 1 3/8 mile northeast of a recent long south extension area, spots 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 30, block 36, T-3-N, T&P survey.

No. 1 Bertha M. Stone, a 1 3/8 mile east-southeast and south-

west offset to production in a south extension area of the Sulphur Draw (8,790 Dean) field of Martin County.

Location for the test, slated to 9,100 feet, is 18 miles north of Stanton, 1,320 feet from north and east lines of section 3, block 36, T-2-N, T&P survey.

Connally Oil Co. Inc. of Abilene, completed No. 1 B. C. Jackson Estate as a 1/2-mile east offset to the nearest producer in the Midland County part of the Spraberry Trend Area, 11 miles northeast of Midland.

It finished to pump 85 barrels of oil and 20 barrels of water on 24-hour potential test. Oil gravity was 39.1 degrees, and

gas-oil ratio measured 943-1.

Production was through perforations at 8,283-9,233 feet, which had been acidized with 4,000 gallons and fractured with 147,000 gallons and 280,000 pounds.

Location is 1,320 feet from north and west lines of section 30, block 37, T-1-S, T&P survey.

No. 1 Hardin, 1/2 mile south, was completed to pump 108 barrels of 40-gravity oil per day, through perforations at 6,664-8,269 feet, which had been fractured with 130,000 gallons. Gas-oil ratio was 759-1.

It spots 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 10, block 35, T-1-S, T&P survey.

No. 1 Kewanee, 1/2 mile west, finished to pump 112 barrels of 38-gravity oil daily, through perforations at 6,751-8,233 feet, which had been fractured with 130,000 gallons. Gas-oil ratio measured 844-1.

Wellsite is 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 4, block 35, T-1-S, T&P survey.

No. 2 Kewanee, also 1/2 mile west, was completed to pump 88 barrels of 39-gravity oil daily, with gas-oil ratio of 760-1, through perforations at 6,762-8,233 feet, which had been fractured with 130,000 gallons.

It is 660 feet from north and east lines of section 14, block 35, T-1-S, T&P survey.

The firm's No. 3 Kewanee finished on the pump for 97 barrels of 40-gravity oil daily, with gas-oil ratio of 595-1, through perforated interval at 6,794-8,325 feet, after treatment with 120,000 gallons.

It is located 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 4, block 35, T-1-S, T&P survey.

Cox staked site for No. 2-B Inez Woody as a 3/4-mile northwest and 1 3/8-mile west outpost to the Martin County por-

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Commercial Shots	N-1	The Stanton Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, January 6, in the home of Mrs. Morgan Hall.	
Copy Work	N-2	Mrs. James Eiland presented the program on "Creative Art." She displayed different patterns of art work, and explained the various ones to the members to create themselves.	
LEY'S STUDIO	N-3	Mrs. Chapman, mother of Mrs. Eiland, was a guest.	
"Here - Anytime"	N-4	The next meeting will be held Wednesday, January 20, in the home of Mrs. W. T. Wells.	
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This traveling unit is operated by experienced space science specialists who travel throughout the United States speaking to school and general public audiences. The lectures demonstrate basic scientific principle by using visual aids and performing experiments. They explain current and future scientific programs of NASA by using authentic scale models of rockets and spacecraft.

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**TAKES FIRST PLACE** — Windy Tunnell, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Tunnel of Stanton, at right, shows her Hereford steer which won first place last week in the Sand Hills Hereford Show in Odessa's Ector County Coliseum. At left, Tammy Herricks, 10, had her steer place first in the medium class, and Sue Hager, 16, had her steer placed first also in the medium class.

### Relatives Guest In Knett And Ackerly Homes

**KNOTT** — Out-of-town guests of the Earl Newcomer's on New Year's Eve, were the Jewell Franklins of Seminole.

The Lawrence Longs have returned to San Angelo, where he attends Angelo State College, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Long.

The Bud Hughes family attended the Odessa stock show and rodeo over the past weekend.

Guests of the Charles Crownovers, were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Woods, and her sister and family; The Eugene Colemans, all of Odessa. The Colemans also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Coleman, Ackerly.

The Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Allen, injured in an automobile accident Dec. 21, will be confined for several more weeks at Hall-Bennett Memorial Hospital, in Big Spring.

H. C. McClain had more eye surgery this week at Medical Center Memorial Hospital in Odessa.

The Fred Romans were guests in Abilene of her sister and family, the R. L. Hendersons.

Guests of the Cecil Gibbs' Sunday, were Ricky Strokes of Orient, Ill., along with area relatives. The Gibbs' son, Russell, has been home for the holidays from Howard County Junior College.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roman, Sr. returned Sunday from Austin, where they visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Owens.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bearden, Ackerly, were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Bearden, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Brown, Seminole; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Walton, Stanton, and Mr. and Mrs. Rayron Hester, Friona.

William Taylor.

Jack Archer, Ackerly, recently attended a family reunion at Forrest Park Community Center in Lamesa, for descendants of the late Jesse and Lula Archer.

Miss Beverly Shockley has returned to Mesquite, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shockley, Knott. Miss Shockley is head librarian at Christian College of Southwest, Dallas.

A guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Stallings has been his sister-in-law, Mrs. E. H. McNeil, of Dallas.



**TOPS SHOW** — Deborah Holloway, center, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Holloway of Stanton, was named top showman in the Sand Hills Hereford Show last week in Odessa's Ector County Coliseum. She received the J. C. Sale Memorial trophy and \$75. Making the presentation are Bobby Sale and Mrs. T. R. Newman, both of Stanton, and are the mother and daughter of the late J. C. Sale.

### Residents Return From Visits

**KNOTT** — Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Shortes have returned from Tulsa, where they visited Mrs. Lowell Shortes' sister, Mrs. Ray Carlton, and son.

Sam Duke is a patient at the Veterans Administration Hospital, Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Shroyer, Jr. have returned from Little Rock, Ark. They were guests of her parents, Dr. and Mrs.

### LEGAL NOTICE

#### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Martin County, Stanton, Texas, will receive bids until 10:00 o'clock A. M. February 8, 1971, for the purchase of one new current series motor grader for Prec. No. 4, with the following minimum specification: engine to be direct electric starting, horsepower 125, weight base 26,000, tires 14-00X24-10 ply, with 10" rims, hydraulic shiftable moldboard, 14' moldboard, heavy duty dry type air cleaner with service indicator and air intake pre-cleaner, fully enclosed cab with tinted safety glass, heater—twin fan 27,000 B T U.

One Huber-Warco—10D motor grader will be offered in trade. The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive all technicalities.

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### LEGAL NOTICE

#### NOTICE OF HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT OR CONSTRUCTION

The Texas Highway Department is planning to proceed with the development of the proposed highway improvements on FM 1212 from the end of existing FM 1212, 6.7 miles northwest of FM 1203, north approximately 8 miles to State Highway 176 (FM 87). Since the Administration of the Texas Highway Department has approved the route and design as proposed by the Texas Highway Department at the Public Hearing held on October 29, 1970, for development of this project, work will begin on the next phase of engineering necessary for the development of this project.

The proposed project provides for the reconstruction of an existing two-lane county road on approximately 100 feet of right of way to provide for current design requirements established by the Texas Highway Department. The location of the project follows the existing route of a paved county road.

Maps, drawings showing geometric design and all other available data concerning the development of this project may be inspected at the Resident Engineer's Office at 2701 Elizabeth, Midland, Texas.

### LEGAL NOTICE

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
Article 2544 provides for the selection of a depository for County School Funds at the first February session of the Commissioners' Court following each general election. Within twenty days after the selection of the depository, a bond must be executed and filed with this office.  
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### Agricultural Chemicals Conference February 10-11

**LUBBOCK** — The 18th annual Agricultural Chemicals Conference to be held at KoKo Palace in Lubbock Feb. 10-11 is designed especially for West Texas agriculture.

The lectures, papers, and demonstrations will emphasize a theme of "prudent and profitable use of agricultural chemicals."

Between 300 and 400 persons are expected to attend the conference sponsored by the West Texas Agricultural Chemicals Institute in cooperation with Texas Tech University, Texas A&M University, Lubbock and West Texas chambers of commerce, and the Texas Plant Food Institute.

Three of the speakers who will highlight the Feb. 11 program are Carl Tanner of San Francisco, manager, Proprietary Products, Ortho Division, Chevron Chemical Company; James Conner of Washington, D. C., director of congressional

affairs, National Agriculture Chemicals Association, and Dr. John Shirley of Dallas, with the Communication Institute of America.

Tanner will speak on responsibilities of the chemicals industry; Conner on legislation concerning agricultural chemicals, and Shirley on profitability in marketing.

Other speakers include Dr. P. L. Adkisson, head of the Department of Entomology, Texas A&M University; Dr. Jack Price, leader of agricultural chemicals, Texas A&M; Dr. B. L. Allen, professor of agronomy, Texas Tech, and Ross Irvin of Odessa, president of the Texas Plant Food Institute.

Research reports will be delivered by Dr. Bob Metzger and Dr. Bob Berry of Texas A&M; Dr. Alex Pope of Houston, chief of agronomist, Occidental Chemical Company; and Dr. Charles Ward, professor of entomology at Tech.

Two awards will be presented at a luncheon at noon Feb. 11, at which H. S. Johnson, of Lubbock, area manager for Stauffer Chemical Company, and president of the institute, will preside. One will go to a man in the chemicals industry, the other in education or research.

First day of the conference opens at 3 p.m. Feb. 10, and

### Baptist Church News

The Bethany Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church, met at the church, Thursday, January 7, for regular class meeting.

Mrs. Ruth Holloway devotion, "Suffering for Right," based on the chapter of First Peter.

Mrs. Oma Womack, reach leader, presided the business session.

Lunch was served. Jane Stovall, Mrs. Mack, Mrs. Eruda T. Ruth Holloway, Estes, Mrs. Mae Y. visitor, Mrs. Chas.

On Friday, Jan. 8, of the committee many classes met. Mrs. Ruth Holloway, singing program.

Those present were Mae Yater, Mrs. and Mrs. Oma Womack, and Mrs. Oma Womack.

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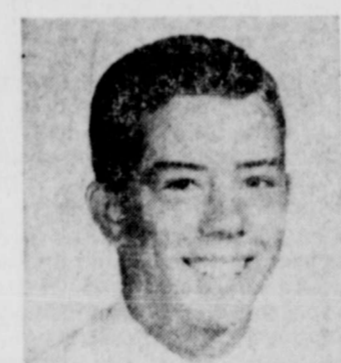
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### Two Howard County Youths Gain Friends at National 4-H Congress

Two Howard County youths who became swine experts in 4-H are recalling friendships they made with other young people from across the nation at the National 4-H Congress in Chicago.

Kelly Joe Gaskins, 18, of Knott, and Johnny Peugh, 18, of Stanton, were among some 30 state 4-H'ers at the exciting Nov. 29-Dec. 3 meeting in the Windy City.

Gaskins made the trip under an educational award from The Santa Fe Railway System, which also awarded him a \$500 college



Johnny Peugh

scholarship. He is a freshman at Texas A & M University and plans to major in veterinary medicine.

Gaskins' awards were based on his overall excellence during eight years of 4-H work.

Peugh, a high school senior, received the trip as state swine award winner and was the guest of Moorman Mfg. Co.

The two youths were high school friends before Gaskins began college and they played football and basketball together. Last summer, the two organized a Little League baseball team when there was a lack of adult leaders.

Gaskins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mac Gaskins, was the 1969 state public speaking winner and received a \$50 U.S. Savings Bond. He has given speeches to 4,300 persons so far this year and was a member of the high school debate team.

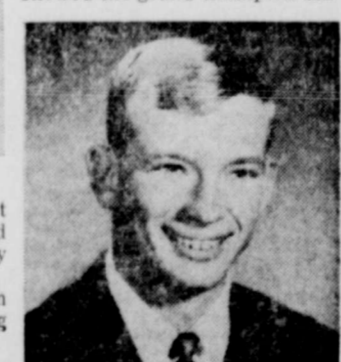
He won a 1968 state oratorical contest and went on the Texas Government in Action Youth Tour to Washington, D.C. He

was chosen Howard County's 1968 Gold Star 4-H boy.

He served as an officer of the district 4-H Council and attended state leadership and electric camps. He was named to the All-State football team as a high school senior, was president of his senior class and ranked academically in the top one-quarter. He and a teammate, Linda Crawford, won first place in 1970 state landscape horticulture competition.

Peugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Peugh, began his swine project with two barrows, a feed trough and a lean-to shade in 1963. Now he has nearly 400 head of feeding pigs and breeding stock and equipment valued at \$5,000.

"The most important part of my swine operation is the end product—the pork that the consumer will buy," he said. He showed the grand champion bar-



Kelly Joe Gaskins

row at the 1969 Junior Livestock Show at the State Fair. He is president of the county 4-H Council.

He attended the district leadership workshops for the last three years and was elected a member of the district 4-H Council. He also attended the 1970 natural resources conference.

The youth was named to the all-tournament basketball team at Garden City last winter. He also is on the track squad. He plans a career in animal science.

The 4-H program is supervised by the Cooperative Extension Service which judges records of members. The awards program is arranged by the National 4-H Service Committee.

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# Buffaloes Grab Fourth Place In Big Lake Cage Tournament

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## SPORTS



**HERE IT COMES**—Glenn Ray, in the air, a 6-2 Stanton High School Buffalo performer seems to be ready to tip the rebound down to Reagan County's Don Poole during their tournament match in Big Lake Friday. Stanton won the contest, and Ray was named to the all tournament team.



**WHAT NOW**—Two Stanton High School Buffalo performers receive a loose ball during a game in the Reagan County Invitational Basketball Tournament, but neither appears to know just what to do with the ball.

**BIG LAKE**—The Stanton Buffaloes managed only a fourth place finish in the 40th annual Reagan County Basketball Tournament, but came home with about as much hardware as anyone.

In addition to winning the fourth place trophy at the 14-team meet, the Buffs were also presented the team sportsmanship award, voted on by the tournament officials, and junior Glen Ray was a member of the all-tournament team.

Even more important than the wins for the Buffs, was the experience gained in the tournament, as Stanton was able to face two District 5-AA opponents, Crane and Reagan County, in tilts that have no bearing on the league standings.

Stanton opened play at Big Lake drawing Buena Vista of Imperial, a Class B team with enough cage talent to make many larger schools envious.

But the Buffs had little trouble with the Longhorns, winning 61-47. The ease of the victory was even more impressive when one looks at the Buff's 47-26 third quarter advantage before Buena Vista rallied against Stanton's reserves.

Ray, a 6-2 junior, led Stanton with 24 points, and Dennis Jones, a 6-0 senior, added 17. They were aided by the 10-point performance of Ricky Mims, a 6-0 senior, who rebounds as if inches taller.

Imperial was paced by 6-4 Richard Cox, who scored 17. Larry Wilhelm and Bill Boron added 11 each.

The Buffs gained even more confidence in the second fray, destroying district foe Reagan County, 74-49.

Racing to a 19-9 first quarter lead, Stanton outscored the

Owls in every period even though Coach Jackie Burns cleared his bench.

Jones was high with 18, and Mims added 13. Junior guard Jackie Swanson chipped in 10, along with Ray. And Stanton's easy win over Buena Vista looked even more impressive when the Imperial five eliminated Rankin, 48-39, in consolation play. Don Poole had 16 points for Reagan County in a losing effort.

Van Horn was the next for Stanton and the Buffs quickly fell behind the pressing, fast-breaking Eagles who could do no wrong in the opening period, building up a 27-9 lead.

Stanton and the Eagles played on fairly even terms after that, but the Buffs could never overcome the early deficit and wound up losing 64-39.

Jones was the lone Buffs eager in the double figures with 15. The Eagles were led by Perry Floyd who tallied 12, while Joe Nobles, Mike Coulter, and Jim Beatty added 11 each.

In the third place game, Stanton was outplayed, but not outthrust by a Crane quintet that was much better than its 11-9 record indicated.

The Cranes entered the game playing a schedule that consisted largely of AAA and AAAA teams, and appeared to be a more seasoned five, even though their star Ricky Anderson was off his usually fine game.

Crane led 17-14 at the end of the first quarter, and had

upped its margin to seven by the half.

Tommy Washington hit four quick buckets for the Cranes to start the second half, and the seven-point halftime margin proved stable as both coaches substituted freely in the final quarters, with Stanton coming out on the short end of the final score, 75-69.

Washington and Terry Neal lead the winners with 14 apiece, while Buddy Ward and George Bowen each scored 10. Mims was high for Stanton with 20, and Jones and Ray both netted 17.

While Stanton lost the game, and didn't shoot well, the Buffs displayed some excellent defense and strong rebounding that could make them a strong entry in the District 5-Cit and wound up losing 64-39. AA race that gets underway this week.

Coahoma, a 5-AA team won the tournament championship, defeating Van Horn, 66-64, in four overtimes. Ozona, also a 5-AA member, won the consolation title, downing Brady 50-43.

Joining Ray on the all-tournament team were Nobles, Floyd, and Joe Villasenor, all of Van Horn; Ricky Stone and Jackie Wolf, both of Coahoma; Terry Penn, Brady, Neal, Crane; Steve Reid, Ira; Buzz Stevenson, McCamey, and David Pagan, Ozona. Neal and Pagan were repeaters from the 1970 team, and Wolf was voted the tournament's outstanding player.



**TAKES REBOUND**—Elvin Brown (33) reaches up to take a rebound away from a McCamey Junior High School defender during a seventh grade contest Monday evening at Stanton Junior High School. Brown was outstanding on defense, according to his coach Richard Granado. The seventh grade squad has won five contests and lost five in 10 contests this season. They have five games remaining. They meet Coahoma here tonight. They defeated McCamey Monday, 33-29. The eighth grade team lost to McCamey 53-35.

Now is the time to renew your subscription to the "Ole Reliable" for yourself, your relatives, and friends. You read all the latest news from Martin County!

### Stanton High School Basketball Schedule 1970-71

Date	Place	Team	Boys	Girls	Time
January, 1971					
Thursday 14	— Here	Coahoma*		A&B	6:00
Friday 15	— Here	Coahoma*	A&B		6:00
Monday 18	— There	Slaton*		A&B	6:00
Tuesday 19	— There	Reagan Co.*	A&B		6:00
Thursday 21	— Here	McCamey*		A&B	6:00
Friday 22	— Here	McCamey*	A&B		6:00
Monday 25	— Here	Crane*		A&B	6:00
Tuesday 26	— Here	Ozona*	A&B		6:00
Thursday 28	— There	Ozona*		A&B	6:00
Friday 29	— Here	Crane*	A&B		6:00
February					
Monday 1	— There	Coahoma*		A&B	6:00
Tuesday 2	— There	Coahoma*	A&B		6:00
Thursday 4	— Open				
Friday 5	— Here	Reagan Co.*	A&B		6:00
Tuesday 9	— There	McCamey*	A&B		6:00
Friday 12	— There	Ozona*	A&B		6:00

\* — Denotes District Game.

### Sands Swept 3 Games From Wellman Jan. 5

**WELLMAN**—Sands swept three games from Wellman here January 5, but the girls had to go all out before winning, 40-39.

In boys' A team competition, Sands raced to an 85-49 victory. The Mustangs also won the B game, 34-33.

The Sands boys are undefeated in 15 starts, and stand 2-0 in conference. Three Sands teams returned to play at home Friday night, January 8, against Dawson.

Felix Nobles paced the Sands A team with 15 points. Jackie Burris had 20 for Wellman.

Alex Calvio bucketed 15, and Benny Green 10 for the Sands B team.

The Sands' girls had a five-point lead with 23 seconds to go but Wellman rallied to close the gap. Jan Nichols tossed in 26 points for Sands.

**Boys' game:**

Sands	25	55	72	85
Wellman	8	17	33	49

**Girls' game:**

Sands	4	20	30	40
Wellman	9	21	31	39

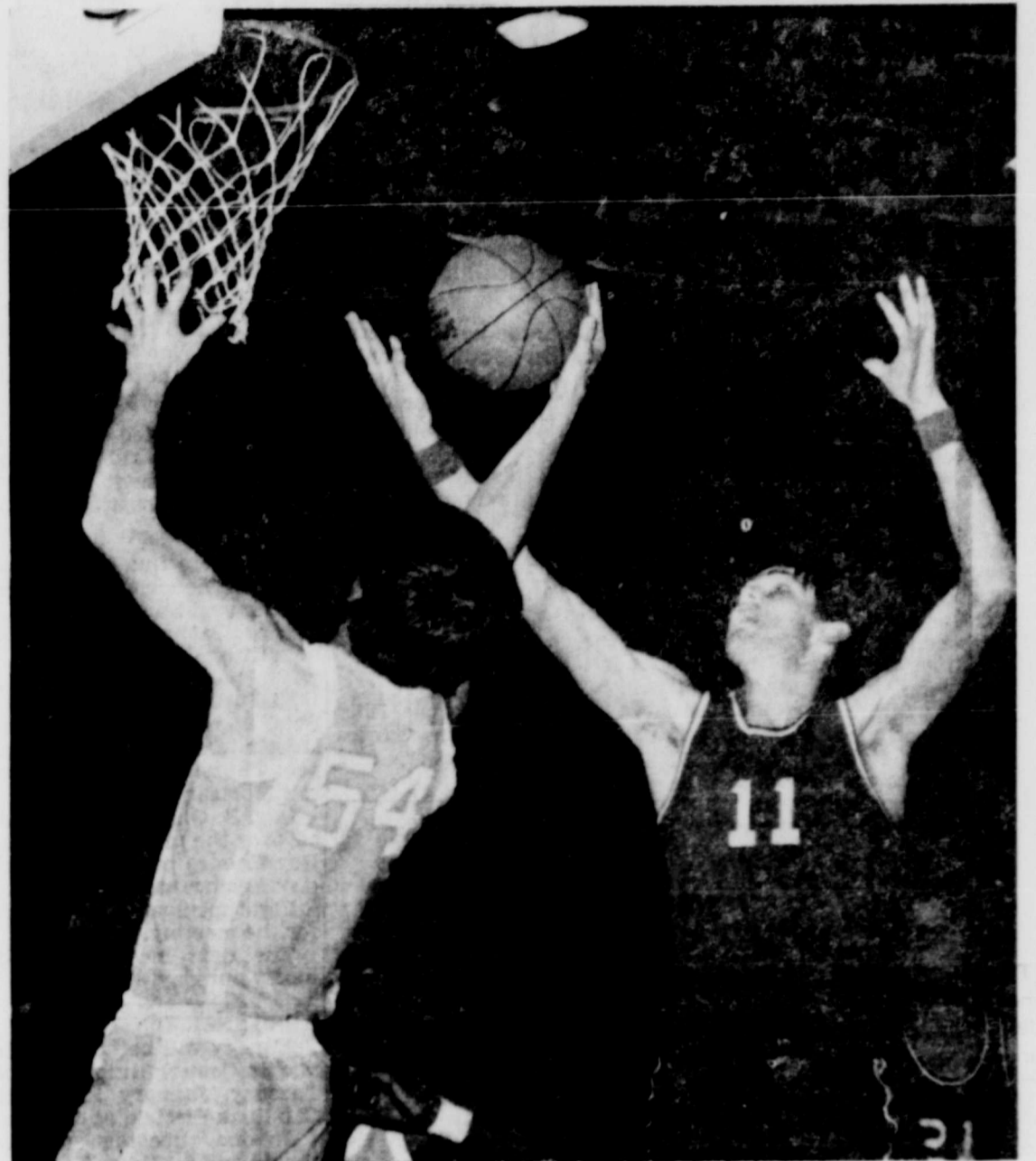
### Charles E. Miller Rites Held In San Angelo

Services for Charles E. Miller, 67, who died Saturday, Jan. 9, in Big Spring's Hall-Bennett Hospital, was held Monday, January 11, at 2 p.m. in Johnson Funeral Home. Burial was in Belvedere Cemetery with Rev. Earl Dunn of Harris Avenue Baptist Church officiating.

Miller was born July 2, 1903 in DeLeon, and married Offa Oneta Davis Nov. 13, 1923 in Stacy. He moved to San Angelo in 1954, and resided at 410 Koberlin.

A member of Harris Avenue Baptist Church, and the Businessman's Bible Class, Miller was a retired building contractor.

Survivors include his wife; four daughters, Mrs. Buford Wilmoth of Garland, Miss Billie M. Miller of San Angelo, Mrs. Glen Morrison of Stanton, Mrs. Ralph Schnur of Austin; one son, E. G. Miller of Big Spring; two brothers, E. C. Miller of Big Spring, Dale Miller of San Angelo; three sisters, Mrs. Matalie Jones of Oklahoma, Mrs. Polly Leatherwood of Scottsdale, Ariz., Mrs. Willie Newsom of Tye; 10 grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.



**I'LL TAKE THAT**—Roger Neill (54) Reagan County High School seems to be controlling a rebound, but Buffalo player Glenn Ray from Stanton High School reaches out and controls the ball during last Friday's tournament game in Big Lake. Ray was named to the all tournament team.

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### Grady Schedules Hoop Invitational Jan. 21-23

The annual Grady Invitational Junior High Basketball Tournament will get underway Thursday, Jan. 21, and will run through Jan. 23.

Teams from Grady, Stanton, Greenwood, Crane, Garden City, Flower Grove, Klondike, Union, and Coahoma are scheduled to participate in the tournament, with all schools planning to enter both girl and boy teams in the event.

Competition will be held in the eighth grade division. In last year's action Grady won the girls division, and Stanton won the boys competition.

The Grady Athletic Club will keep a concession stand open for refreshments throughout the tournament, and meals will be available all three days.

Stanton eighth grade girls expected to see action in the

tournament include forwards Susie Hopkins, Lynette Haggard, and Jeanie Ramos. Guards will be Brenda McKenzie, Gloria Simonek, and Linda Woody.

Eighth grade boys expected to start for Stanton Junior High School are Vernon Brown, Ray Conner, Jerry Brumley, Gordon Elland, and Paul Evans.

Possible starters for the Grady girls are Teena Davenport, Jackie Haggard, Debbie Hildreth, Jana Woods, Melyn Meskler, Tana Yates, Jo Anna Sawyer, Tahita Blake, Becky Gutierrez, and Mary H. Rivas.

Probable starters for the Grady boys include J. C. Tunnell, J. T. Springer, Jerry Holloway, Junior Rangel, Billy Howard, Tony Sawyer, Santos Buerro, Benny Butler, and Tony Douglas.

### Beta Sigma Phi News

Preceptor Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Mrs. P. M. Bristow, on January 7. A 100 per cent attendance was recorded, and Mrs. Tull Ray Louder presided.

The program was presented by Mrs. P. M. Bristow on "Texas and the War With Mexico," taken from the outline, "Our American Heritage."

The club voted to send a money order to aid Cindy Equionones, a patient at the M. D. Anderson Hospital in Galveston.

Plans were finalized for the reception honoring Cecil Bridges the past Sunday.

The next meeting will be held Thursday, January 21.

Xi Epsilon Delta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met at the Martin County Library the past Thursday, with Mrs. Russell McMeans as hostess.

Mrs. R. O. Anderson presided over the meeting, and Mrs. Roy Koonce revealed the book on "Psychoanalysis."

Eight members were present for the meeting. The next meeting will be held Thursday, January 21.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

A party will be held for the Martin County Senior Citizens, Tuesday, January 19, at the Cap Rock Electric Auditorium. Anyone needing a ride should call 6-3316 or 6-2588.

### Postscripts

By PEGGYE SORLEY

Well, I've heard several people say that this week is "Super Bowl" week. Technically, we know that Sunday starts a new week, but I guess most people do classify it as the end of the week. Anyway, the Dallas Cowboys are right where they should have been the past few years. I heard on a television report the other night that they were practicing behind closed doors, and that absolutely no one would be admitted to these sessions. I also understand that no interviews are being taken either. I swear if they don't pull it out this time, I will change to the Oilers or someone who won't get my hopes built up and then let me down. I shall predict that the Cowboys will win the title this year though. The law of averages just has to have found its way to them.

The Grady Independent School District will host an invitational tournament next week-end starting Thursday, January 21. The finals will be held Saturday night, and there will be plenty of home baked foods sold in the concession stand. So if you enjoy basketball and lots of it, go to the Grady school next week-end.

It looks like the Stanton High girls' basketball team just may have their opponents hopping. The girls have won their past two district games, and looks as though they may come out with a pretty good place — we're hoping first, but there is still lots of district games to be played. We are behind you girls so keep it going.

I talked with Mrs. Hubert (Betty) Gregg, the other day and found out that she and her husband and two children, Karla and Kerry, have purchased Maxine's Flower and Gifts from Maxine and Floyd McArthur. Betty told me that they would have their open house just as soon as they get settled, which would probably be in three or four weeks. Hubert Gregg is well known around Stanton, as he lived here and attended school several years. They have been residing in Big Spring, where he is employed with Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home. We wish the Greggs lots of luck in their new endeavor and welcome them to the community.

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### 4-H Club News

The Friendship 4-H Club met January 8, in the Texas Electric Reddy Room. Willie Wells presided over the meeting. The members discussed the Junior Livestock Show to be held January 15 and 16, and the foods show.

Members of the 4-H Club will have animals to show in the Livestock Show, and many of the members will also take

# WTEC Holds Open House For Opening Addition

More than 50 persons were on hand for the ribbon cutting ceremony marking the completion and opening of a \$34,000 addition to the West Texas Education Center building at Midland-Odessa Regional Air Terminal last week. The 2,550 square foot addition houses the WTEC's data processing equipment, special educational materials, and the 1600-film media library.

The facility serves as headquarters for WTEC services to 38 school districts in 19 West Texas counties. Another office, giving vocational and special education services, is located in Alpine.

Formally known as the Region XVIII Education Service Center "for its enrichment to shell," officials said, "is to help schools in the Region do things which they cannot do by themselves or to carry out programs more economically than otherwise possible."

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Midland Mayor Ed Magruder, and Midland County Judge Barbara Culver saluted the Center "for its enrichment to the public school programs in this Region."

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The City has been a most cooperative and generous landlord for us," said WTEC Board Chairman of Midland, Tom B. Campbell. "This has been a very workable facility for our headquarters, and with the addition it will be even more so," he added.

Members of the Center's Board of Directors are Campbell; Dr. William D. Furst, Odessa, vice chairman; Gilbert L. Ray, Fort Stockton, secretary, Dr. Z. W. Hutcheson, Jr., Andrews; C. M. "Fritz" Kahl, Marfa; Derwood Langston, McCombs, and Harold

G. Talbot, Big Spring.

The Executive Council of the Joint Committee, an advisory group to the Center staff, is composed of S. M. Anderson, Big Spring, chairman; D. M. Mayer, Kermit, vice chairman; George Cullender, Monahan, secretary; H. G. Adams, Rankin; Dr. James H. Mailey, Midland; Floyd Manry, Odessa, and Elmer Grunds, Alpine. Other joint committee members are superintendents and administrators from other school districts throughout the Region.

Other guests included officials from the City of Midland, the Midland Chamber of Commerce, and representatives from various media within the Region.

### County Agent's Column

By BILLY REAGOR

Soil testing is an important part of today's production agriculture. Maximum yields produced at the lowest per unit cost are a must to keep fertilization practices at a profitable level, reminds County Agent Billy Reagor.

Now is the time to have soil tested to determine its capacity to supply the needed plant nutrients for top yields. And, continues the county agent, it is also a good time to make arrangements for the fertilizer which will be needed when the test results are known.

If the soil test shows the soil is now in a given nutrient, fertilizer containing this element will be recommended to meet the expected yield requirement for the crop to be grown.

Low production means a higher per unit cost of production, and a loss of potential profit while high yields have the opposite effect on production and profits, points out Reagor.

And finally, reminds the county agent, fertilizers for next year's crops can be applied when the land is being prepared; thus, when planting time rolls around next spring, there'll be no delays and planting can proceed on schedule. Detailed information on all phases of soil testing along with needed instructions, mailing conditions, and record sheets are available as Reagor's office.

members answered roll call. The program "Creative Art" was presented by Mrs. Mildred Elland.

The members filled out the yearbooks for the new year. Refreshments were served to the members, Mrs. Elland, and Mrs. Bessie Chapman, mother of Mrs. Elland.

Lions often hunt in parties, called "prides," of four or five, or even up to a score or more.

The Namaz, which is recited five times daily, is the chief prayer of the Mohammedans.

About 95 per cent of South America lies east of a line drawn south from New York City.

### HD Club News

The Lakeview Home Demonstration Club met January 7, in the Texas Electric Service Reddy Room, with Mrs. E. P. Madison as hostess.

The yearbooks were finished and distributed to the members. Members drew names for their secret pals.

The program was presented by Mrs. Mildred Elland, Martin County HD agent, on "Creative Art." She showed the members some small and inexpensive articles in which they could use their own creative abilities to make into articles.

Mrs. W. J. Harlowe read the poem, "This Day," and then refreshments were served to Mrs. Elland, the members, and Mrs. Elland's mother, Mrs. Bessie Chapman.

The next meeting will be held January 21, with Mrs. W. J. Harlowe as hostess. The program will be "Equity for Showers."

The Courtney Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Alice Stripling, on Thursday, January 7.

Mrs. Albert Pittman presided over the meeting, and sev-

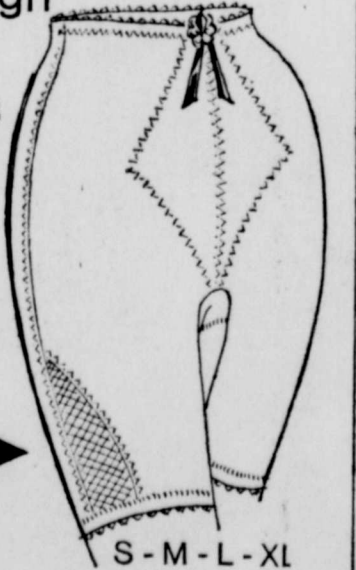
## Special Notice

The Mothers' March of Dimes will be held Monday, January 18, at 5:00 p.m. Kathleen Lewis, chairman of the March of Dimes in Martin County, has asked that any volunteers should get in contact with her. Volunteers are to meet with her at the Commissioners' Conference room on January 18 at 5:00 p.m. to receive instructions before the march.

## Deavenport's IS HAVING A SALE

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Short and average legs in light or full control styles. Regular Price from \$7.00-\$11.00. Sale Price from \$5.99-\$8.99

### SHS News

By GLORIA BRYAND

It turned out to be a good week for the Stanton basketball teams. The A-team Varsity girls won their first district game in 1971, by defeating Crane, January 7, 54-33. Sandy Chandler made this victory possible by scoring 19 points. Jana Hall scored 15. Darla Sawyer and Debbie Lambert tied scoring 10 points apiece.

53-28 was the B-team score. High point girl was Fawn Briggs scoring 14 points. Claudia Nichols followed second scoring 12.

It was a long hard night this past Monday as the Stanton A-girls squeezed by Ozona to win 42-33. Sandy Chandler, that was the first to score in the game, scored a total of 23 points. Jana Hall scored 10. Darla Sawyer scored 9.

The B-team girls were also victorious that night. Tricia Shoemaker was high point girl scoring 11 points. The final score was Stanton 40, Ozona 15.

At the Big Lake Tournament held January 7, 8, and 9, the Stanton A-boys were defeated Saturday by Crane for third place, 75-69. Ricky Sims scored 20 points for Stanton, while Dennis Jones and Glen Ray scored 17 points apiece. The Stanton boys won fourth place and the team sportsmanship trophy. Glen Ray made all tournament for Stanton.

The A and B boys travel to Crane Tuesday, January 12, for district game. The A and B girls play here Thursday night, January 14, against Coahoma. The A and B boys play Coahoma here Friday, January 15. These are district games, and begin at 6:00 on both nights in the High School gym. Please attend these games, and back the Buffs. Thank you.

### Under New Ownership

Mr and Mrs. Hubert Gregg have purchased

Maxine's Flower and Gift Shop. They are open for

business... open house will be soon.

## Camelot Mobile Home Park

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HIGHWAY

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### Rx FOR SHELF IMPROVEMENT



Does your bathroom suffer from a cabinet crisis? Is your medicine chest ill-equipped? Has protection against everyday emergencies not been put "on the shelf"? If the answer to any of these questions is "yes", you may be suffering from that dread disease "hypoprepaditia" (inadequate preparation). To cope with this serious condition, a trip to your drug store to pick up a wide range of first-aid supplies is just what the doctor ordered. Many good products are available, and your pharmacist will happily help you choose the ones that will serve you best.

- Adhesive bandages, including large ones.
- A cream or lotion for abrasions.
- One pair of tweezers for removing splinters.
- A universal antidote in case of poisoning.
- Adult and children's thermometer.
- Rhuilist, good for poison ivy, non-poisonous insect bites and other minor itches.
- A stomach upset remedy.
- Sterilized cotton and cotton-tipped sticks.
- Ointment or baking soda for burns.
- Sterile dressing—to cover up wounds.
- Olive oil or mineral oil—a single drop to take objects out of the eye.

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### Library Lines

Library Hours: Monday through Friday, 2 to 6 p.m.

As your county librarian the past year, it has been one of the most pleasant and rewarding years of my life. I attribute this to the people of Martin County. They are proud of their library, and always anxious to cooperate and make it a better library.

The Study Club added new shelves, the Boy Scouts painted the outside of the building, and did an excellent job too.

A large number of books were donated by Miss Elma Sprawls, Mrs. Ray Simpson, Mrs. Jackie Ginnich, Bobbie Papanan, Mrs. Albert Franks, Mrs. Granville Graves, and Mrs. Bernard Houston. Mrs. Houston also has given hours of time typing and cataloging.

There was \$147.00 given for memorials, often the selection of the book is given to the librarian. Please feel free to inquire about the selection as a permanent record is kept, and very easy to refer to.

Memorials have been received in memory of Mr. Gary Doshier, by Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Therwanger, and Mr. Neal Estes, by Texas Electric Service Company.

### FHA Activities

The Stanton FHA Chapter held a business meeting Tuesday, January 12. Plans were discussed for the annual collection of stamps for TUB-FRIM. TUBFRIM is the name

### Martin County Hospital News

Volunteer badges were presented to the members of the Martin County Hospital Auxiliary when they met for their first meeting of the year, Monday, January 11, at the Texas Electric Reddy Room.

Kathy Decker and Diana Payne reported on the Candy Strippers program.

Mrs. Owen Kelly presided, and Mrs. Al Smith, Stanton school nurse, reported on the immunization program held at the Junior High School, Wednesday, January 6.

The group voted to sponsor programs for the new year, and Mrs. Stanley Reid reported on the hospital news concerning the auxiliary.

Nine members and three guests, Mrs. Smith, Miss Payne, and Miss Decker, were present.

of an organization that comes from the words TUBerculosis and FRIMerker, the Norwegian word for stamp.

This organization was formed to market cancelled stamps to stamp collectors, and the profits from this were to go to fight tuberculosis among the children of Norway. This is a disease that is extremely prevalent in Norwegian children. FHA members will collect stamps and decorated boxes will be placed in the elementary classrooms for the students to collect stamps.

## Pete Rodriguez

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