

Skirting Stanton

By PEGGYE SORLEY



The Mothers' March for the March of Dimes was held this past Monday, and Irene Long, chairman of the Martin County Unit, has stated that the drive was the biggest one the March of Dimes has ever had. Volunteers for the drive collected over \$400.00 from the generous residents of Stanton. People who did not have the chance to donate to this worthy cause should send donations to any one of the March of Dimes Committeemen. Kathleen Lewis and Irene Long asked that I express their appreciation for them to the residents of Stanton, and to the volunteers of the drive. They asked that special thanks be sent to the FHA members of Stanton High School for volunteering their time to help with the drive. These students are: Rosalyn Louder, Zanna Angel, Betty Anderson, Diana Payne, Judy Mims, Carol Smith, Rosa Sanchez, Barbara Trimble, Cheryl Bradshaw, and Nancy Glynn.

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The annual Martin County Chamber of Commerce banquet will be held this Saturday night at the Cap Rock Auditorium. Tickets sell for \$3.50, and be purchased from any of the directors of the chamber, or at the Chamber of Commerce office. The supper will be buffet-styled, and the time is set at 7:30 p.m. Tom Craddick will be the guest speaker for the evening, and chamber officials promise a most interesting evening. New officers of the Chamber of Commerce were selected recently and include: Bob Deavenport, president; Don Tollison, vice-president, and Glenn Brown, secretary-treasurer. These officers will be recognized on that night along with directors who include: Don Tollison, Henry Watson, and Corky Blocker. The Outstanding Farmer award will also be presented.

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The Junior Livestock Show was quite impressive as far as animals and buyers are concerned. A list of buyers is displayed on another page in this issue, and several pictures are also on various pages to give the people a chance to see the animals these youngsters entered in the show, and perhaps to get some idea as to how much hard work the youngsters put out to have these animals. The Stanton Reporter would like to send our congratulations to all the participants, and especially to Cynde Mullins who showed the Grand Champion Steer, and to Brenda Holloway for the reserve champion.

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Our new editor of The Stanton Reporter arrived this past Monday to assume his duties. His name is Ed Piel, and he is a native of Myrtle Point, Oregon. He came here from Slaton where he was employed by the Slatonite, a weekly newspaper. Several new changes will be made in the office, and the appearance in the newspaper and as time goes along, the paper will be better and better. Now happens to be time to renew for The Stanton Reporter as the rates will increase the first day of February.

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NOTICE
Martin County farmers were mailed 1971 cotton allotments on Wednesday, January 20. The county allotment for 1971 is 65,799.2 acres. The represents approximately 67 per cent of the 1970 allotment. The Martin County Committee also approved the county transfer cotton by sale or lease outside of the county.

Chamber Banquet Slated Saturday

REAP Program Is Announced

Bob Hill, chairman of the Martin County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) Committee, said the program announcement of REAP had been made in Washington by Secretary of Agriculture Clifford M. Hardin.

"Farmers have known REAP as ACP — The Agricultural Conservation Program," Hill said. "The cost-sharing principle will be the same — that is, farmers and the federal government will share in paying for beneficial conservation practices. The restructuring program will be in line with modern-day needs for a better environment, both on and off the farm."

The Washington announcement by Secretary Hardin stated that major considerations in authorizing cost-sharing of any conservation practice will be the resulting public benefits such as pollution abatement, enduring soil and

water conservation, recreation, wildlife, and open space as well as the degree of permanency achieved.

A major thrust will be to reduce water pollution. Water retaining and retarding measures on farms—such as dams and ponds, permanent grass cover, waterways, buffer strips, and tree plantings — will be encouraged. These will be directed toward reducing silt in streams, rivers, lakes, and other bodies of water, and toward reducing pollution from animal wastes, fertilizers, and pesticides.

"Martin County farmers should be made aware that this announcement means we will be able to continue cost-sharing on anti-pollution measures which were approved last year under ACU and also such long-standing conservation practices as those just named," the ACS committee chairman said.

As in prior years, applications for conservation cost-sharing will be made at the county ASCS office, and must be approved by the county ASC committee before work begins. The farmer-elected committeemen will continue to select practices best suited for meeting local needs, will determine which farm lands need treatment, and will fix the amount of cost-sharing to be provided each approved applicant.

An allocation of REAP funds for the Martin County area is expected to be made soon.

Cost-sharing applications by farmers cannot be accepted at their county ASCS office until the 1974 county program and the 1971 REAP funds allocation for the county is announced, Hill said. Counties will be advised of the sign-up dates when the announcement is received. Meanwhile, farmers should determine the practices most needed and estimate total costs so they will be ready when the time comes."



REPORTER EDITOR — Ed Piel, a longtime newspaper native of Oregon, has been named General Manager-Editor of The Stanton Reporter, replacing Neal Estes who died three weeks ago at work. Piel comes to Stanton from Slaton where he worked for The Slatonite. He attended Portland State College in Portland, Ore., and the University of Southern California. He served in the U. S. Marine Corp. He is 39, and he and his wife, Audrey have five sons. Melvin and Marty are employed, and Edward, Jim, and Scott will be attending school in Stanton. Piel has been in the newspaper business most of his life, after his graduation from USC. He has operated weeklies and has been employed on dailies in both Kansas and Oregon before moving to Texas. He is a member of the American Legion, Elks Lodge and Lions Club.

Mothers' March Is Big Success

The Stanton Mothers' March for the March of Dimes was held this Monday, January 18, and was termed a huge success by chairman Irene Long. The participants collected over \$400.00 in donations from local residents.

The National Foundation—March of Dimes was founded by President Franklin D. Roosevelt, January 3, 1938, "to lead, direct, and unify" the fight against polio. Dedicated, determined, resourceful National Foundation volunteers won the fight against polio. The Salk and Sabin vaccines — whose development was totally financed through the March of Dimes — have eliminated epidemic polio in the United States.

SHS Honor Roll Announced By J. R. Dillard

J. R. Dillard, Stanton High School principal, announced the second nine weeks, and first semester honor rolls. Making the honor roll for the second nine weeks were: Cindy Avery, Tommy Deavenport, Dale Henson, Lyn Herzog, Roy Kelly, Charlotte Morris, Diana Payne, and Gary Posey. Students making the first semester honor roll were: Cindy Avery, Marc Briggs, Jackie Cook, Dale Henson, Lyn Herzog, Mark Hursh, Lyn Herdiane Payne, Gary Posey, and Susan Vest.

Since polio has virtually been eliminated, the March of Dimes is now working on the fight against birth defects. Birth defects represent a group of conditions which have their greatest apparent impacts before birth and during the first years of life. They can affect every body organ, and can result in every conceivable disability (visible or hidden), including disfigurement, malfunction, deformity, or mental handicap.

Martin County retains 37.5 per cent of the donations contributed, while the remainder will go for basic research, clinical research, medical care, professional and public education.

At a recent meeting of the Martin County March of Dimes Chapter, Irene Long was appointed chairman of the organization, Don Tollison was selected as treasurer, and the board of directors included: Kathleen Lewis, Carroll Yater, Dr. Thomas Miller, A. J. Smith, and Stanton High School coach Bill Young, and his Christian Fellowship Athletes of the school.

The March of Dimes Committee send their appreciation to the volunteers, and the contributors who made the drive a success. If any Martin County missed the volunteers during the drive, they may make their contributions to any member of the March of Dimes Committee.

Supt. L. R. Dunn Announces Grady Honor Roll

Superintendent L. R. Dunn of Grady Independent School District, has announced the honor roll for the third six weeks. The students are as follows:

First Grade: Norma Caballero, Linda Cantu, Hilda Chavez, Lou Anna Dunn, Vincent Ellyson, Albert Overby, Ken Welch, Billy Joe Perez, and Manuel Ramirez.

Second Grade: Larry Key, and Randall Graham.

Third Grade: Glenda Douglas, Michelle Mitchell, Judith Yates, and Freddie Rangel.

Fourth Grade: Joanna Graham, Patricia Hewitt, Shirilla Sawyer, Leland Key, Jimmy Mitchell, and Wallace Overby.

Fifth Grade: Lesa Britt, Donna Sue Hale, Belinda Martin, and Mark Tate.

Sixth Grade: Kathryn Springer.

Seventh Grade: Tahita Blake, and Benny Butler.

Eighth Grade: Bill Howard, Mary Hene Rivas, and Jackie Haggard.

Semester Honor Roll

First Grade: Lee Anna Dunn, Norma Caballero, Linda Cantu, Nilda Chavez, Vincent Ellyson, Glen Douglas, Albert Overby, and Ken Welch.

Second Grade: Larry Key, and Randall Graham.

Third Grade: Glenad Douglas, Michelle Mitchell, and Judith Yates.

Fourth Grade: Joanna Graham, Patricia Hewitt, Shirilla Sawyer, Jimmy Mitchell, and Wallace Overby.

Fifth Grade: Lesa Britt, Donna Sue Hale, Belinda Martin, and Mark Tate.

Sixth Grade: Kathryn Springer.

Seventh Grade: Tahita Blake, and Benny Butler.

Eighth Grade: Bill Howard, Jackie Haggard, and Mary Helen Rivas.

Bob Deavenport Will Be Named 1971 President

Bob Deavenport, a longtime Stanton businessman and sports fan, was elected Martin County Chamber of Commerce president this week at a board of directors meeting at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Deavenport will be installed for 1971 at Saturday night's Chamber of Commerce banquet to be held in the Cap Rock Electric Cooperative auditorium at 7:30 p.m.

Other officers elected to serve with Deavenport include Don Tollison, vice-president, and Glenn Brown, secretary-treasurer.

Outgoing officers include Charles Elmore, president; Deavenport, vice-president; Jack Ireton, secretary. Glenn Brown had served previously as treasurer.

Incoming directors are Don Tollison, Henry Watson, and Charles Blocker. Directors who will be going out include: Ed Hall, Bruce Key, Owen Kelly, Kenneth Holcombe, and Paige Eiland.

The new Chamber president moved to Martin County from Oklahoma when he was a youngster, and graduated from Courtney High School. He attended Texas Tech University for two years, before entering the Air Force in 1945. He served with the Air Force in the Philippines.

Deavenport, 42, is owner and operator of Deavenport's Stanton clothing store. He and his wife, Dorothy, have two children — Pam, their eldest, is 19, and a student at McMurry College. Tommy, 15, is a sophomore at Stanton High School.

Deavenport said he plans to continue Chamber of Commerce support of area 4-H Club activities, as well as initiating a five-year-goals plan for the county.

Tom Craddick, State Representative for the 70th District, of Midland, will be the speaker for the banquet Saturday night.

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.

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

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

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

Local Youths Entered In Fort Worth Stock Show

Eight Martin County youngsters will have entries in the Junior Steer classes competing in the Diamond Anniversary Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, January 29 through February 7, at Fort Worth.

Stock show president-manager, W. R. Watt said, "Indications are that our 75th anniversary show will be one of the best yet, with high-caliber entries in every category." Special entertainment guests at the show will be The Judy Lynn Show from Las Vegas, which includes Miss Lynn, and her seven-piece western band. Other entertainment will be Clark Schultz' Clown Spectacular, and the daring Wild Horse Race.

Top pro cowboys and challengers will compete in the stock show rodeo's action events, where more than \$80,000 in prize money and entry fees will be divided.

Those entered from Stanton in the Junior Steer Show will be Morgan Cox, with three Herefords; Robert Cox, with one Hereford; Vicki Graves, two Herefords, and Brenda and Jerry Holloway, with one Hereford each.

Also entered is J. C. Tunnell with one Hereford and one Charolais; Lawenda Tunnell, with one Hereford, and one Charolais; and Jody Yates, with one Charolais, and one polled Hereford.



CHAMBER PRESIDENT—Bob Deavenport of Stanton will be installed as president of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce Saturday at the 1971 Chamber banquet to be held at the Cap Rock Electric Cooperative auditorium beginning at 7:30 p.m. Tom Craddick, State Representative for the 70th District, from Midland, will be speaker. Deavenport has been active in sports and civic occupations for many years in the county.

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



OUR SOIL ★ OUR STRENGTH MARTIN-HOWARD-MIDLAND SOIL CONSERVATION

The Great Plains Conservation Program has paid big dividends in Martin County. Reports the Soil Conservation Service. Martin County had seven Great Plains contracts to expire in December. These seven contracts had completed all of the practices needed to carry out a complete conservation program, and provide conservation treatment for each acre. Some of the practices completed that were cost-shared by the Soil Conservation Service included: 61 miles of parallel terraces, root plowing, and range seeding 80 acres, diversion terraces, 5,846 cubic yards, 45 acres of vegetated waterways, and field strip cropping on 248 acres. Total cost-share payments made under these expiring contracts was over \$24,000.

These contracts were completed and provided all of the conservation treatment needed to protect each acre. The conservation carried out under the Great Plains Conservation Program not only controls erosion, but also reduces pollution. These practices will benefit everyone living in Martin County.

Parallel terraces are being constructed on several farms at the present time. The terraces will be completed for spring planting. The terraces are built from one side only, and are parallel which practically eliminates point rows. They are designed to hold and spread the water evenly over the entire field.

Anyone interested in planning a conservation program on their farm or ranch should contact the Soil Conservation Service office in Stanton.

Bob Hill Announces Competitive Prices For Shorn Wool For 1971

The incentive price for shorn wool has been set at 72 cents a pound for the 1971 marketing year, according to Bob Hill, Chairman of the Martin County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

The support price for mohair will be 802 cents per pound, he said. Both figures are unchanged from the 1970 levels. The price of pulled wool will be supported at a level comparable to the incentive

price for shorn wool through payments on unshorn lambs. Hill said the Agricultural Act of 1970 extended authority for the wool and mohair price-support program through Dec. 31, 1973. The new legislation amends the National Wool Act by requiring that support prices shall be at the announced levels for each of the three marketing years through the end of 1973.

The chairman reminded producers that shorn wool

payments will be based on each producer's returns from sales. The percentage will be that required to raise the national average price received by all producers from shorn wool up to the announced incentive price of 72 cents a pound. Mohair payments will be calculated in a manner similar to wool.

Hill said payments to producers on 1971 calendar year marketings will be made beginning in April 1972.

Hill said the set-aside idea seems to fit with trends that have been building in farming over the years. These include the trend in which American farms have grown fewer in number and larger in size, and the trend for producers to become more efficient and more productive. The efficient, competitive producer will be in the best position to take advantage of growing world demands for farm products, Hill said.



The 1970 cotton crop from the Texas High Plains was the strongest ever recorded, had micronaire readings equal to the best since 1964, graded better than any since 1965 — but had the shortest average staple length since 1966.

These facts came last week from the final report on cotton quality for the season, released by Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. The report, issued periodically during the harvest season each year since 1957, is used by PCG as a tool for the promotion of High Plains cotton sales to textile mills both in the U. S. and abroad. It is supplied without charge to textile mills around the world, to the cotton trade, and others as a "catalogue" of the qualities and quantities of cotton available from the Plains area.

Strength of the High Plains fiber, as measured on the zero gauge Pressley, in 1970 averaged 84,900 pounds per square inch, 2,900 psi above the 82,000 psi record established in 1968, and equalled again in 1969.

The 1970 micronaire average of 3.7 was the same as the average of 1969, and equal to the same high established in 1964. The percentage of the 1970 crop falling in the premium 3.5 to 4.9 micronaire range came to 68.3, also about the same as 1969.

While the 41.2 percent of the crop grading "White" in 1970 was considerably better than the 24 percent in 1969, it still fell well short of the 1965 crop when 61 percent was in the White category. Light Spotted cotton for 1970 total almost 45 percent of the crop, as compared to 48 percent the previous year, and only 36 percent in 1965.

Staple average for 1970, according to the PCG report, was only 31.1 thirty-seconds of an inch, the shortest crop since 1966 when area production

had an average staple length of only 30.4 thirty-seconds. This was the second consecutive year of declining staple on the Plains. Staple averages for 1967, 1968, and 1969 were 31.6 thirty-seconds, 32.3 thirty-seconds, and 31.5 thirty-seconds.

The rise (from 1966 to 1968) and fall (from 1968 to 1970) of staple length on the High Plains is an exact reflection of marketing conditions for the different staples during the period. In 1966 and 1967, when High Plains farmers were growing predominantly short staples, long staples were the darlings of the textile world. They sold for substantial premiums over government loan values while short staple sold barely above, or were committed to, the loan. Mill people at the time were telling farmers that the longer cottons were definitely the cottons of the future.

Cotton producers on the Plains took them at their word and in 1968 produced almost 68 percent of their crops in staples of an inch or longer. But the market premiums they expected were not forthcoming. Since 1968 the longer cottons have sold at loan price or barely above, and short staples have brought the premiums above loan values.

Physical prices for the high grade, longer staples are still higher than physical prices for low grade, short staples. But these latter cottons have been in greatest demand and have sold significantly above loan values. And it appears that farmers, when selecting varieties, have given more weight to "premiums over the loan" than to physical prices.

If they continue to do so, and if the shorter staples continue in demand, no increase in staple length on the High Plains can be expected in the near future.

Farm And Ranch Review

1970 Record Best — The Southwest Screwworm Eradication Program reported that lowest number of cases in its history for 1970. Program officials credit the successful year — "Getting sterile flies to target areas faster as cases were confirmed; careful analysis of the screwworm spread and planning of sterile fly drops; cooperation of livestock owners in reporting cases, and a generally bad year for many species of flies. But no let up on the part of stockmen in submitting samples of worms taken from animal wounds is advised by program officials."

Texas Vegetables — The value of commercial vegetables (fresh marketing and processing) produced in Texas during 1970 totaled \$141,422,000 reports the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, up 16 percent from 1969. Leading crops in value of production were onions, carrots, potatoes, cabbage, and watermelons. Nationally, Texas ranked third in harvested acreages, production, and value of freshmarket vegetables behind California and Florida.

Farm Prices At Mid-December — Prices received by Texas farmers on Dec. 15 were 3 points or 1 percent less than in Nov., and 10 points or 4 percent below a year ago, said the Texas Crops and Livestock Reporting Service. Livestock and livestock products were 1 percent below last month, and 10 percent below a year ago. Hog prices continued their downward trend. Nationally, farm prices dropped 2 percent during the month ending on Dec. 15.

A&M Announces Banker's School — The 19th annual Texas Farm and Ranch Credit School for Commercial Bankers will be held Feb. 15-17 at Texas A&M's Memorial Student Center. Theme for the school is "Financing Agriculture."

The Stanton Reporter has the best coverage of oil news in the area.

Philosopher Takes Up For Man Who Breaks World's Record For Riding Ferris Wheel

(Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw apparently is not much for traveling, his letter this week indicates).

Dear editor: A neighbor of mine came over yesterday and handed me a newspaper and said, "Here, read this item. Silliest thing I ever heard of."

The item reported a man had just won the world's record for riding a ferris wheel non-stop. He rode the thing for 20 days, 16 hours, and 30 minutes, beating a man who had ridden one for 16 days.

I got to thinking about this and at first I agreed, it does sound ridiculous. Puts me in mind of the man who was proud of the fact he had breakfast in New York, flew to Los Angeles for lunch, caught an other plane and was back in New York for supper.

That seems to me like going a long way to eat three meals, when I can get three any day without going more than 50

yards, and not even that far if I don't feel like it.

I understand the airlines are now using planes that hold 350 people and will fly you from New York to London in four hours and show you two movies on the way over. If you don't want to sit still you can walk around, go up to the upper lounge, etc., and I suppose it won't be long till they'll be equipped with a swimming pool, and possibly a bowling alley, and a putting green.

In fact, what they seem to be working on is a mode of travel that's fully as good as staying home.

This guy on the ferris wheel, he may be ahead of his time. If the only difference between traveling and staying at home is the motion, a ferris wheel in their backyard would sure help a lot of people from cluttering up the airports of the world.

Understand I'm not opposed to travel by other people, but I've noticed that a person on a round-the-world trip, if he hasn't got much sense before he starts out, isn't likely to have any more when he gets back.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.



Former Resident On Tour With Tulsa Concert Choir

Five students from Texas have been selected for membership in the Concert Choir of the American Christian College, Tulsa, Oklahoma, and will be a part of the six-state tour featuring the choir, January 22-29. This tour is the first of a number of tours, designed to reach every section of the nation, as a part of a recruiting program for the college. The students are: Ray Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Allen, Abilene; Billie Engle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Engle, Amarillo; Sally Grant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grant, San Antonio; William Kemper, son of Dr. and Mrs. R. F. Kemper, Coleman; and Susan Peden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbern Peden, Novice, and Stanton.

The choir performance, entitled, "An Evening With Billy James Hargis and His Kids," James Hargis and His Kids," features gospel and patriotic music, specialty numbers, and dramatizations by the students, as well as a brief address by Dr. Hargis, producer of the show and president of American Christian College.

"There are many young people like us at the American Hargis, who love God and love America and long for the opportunity to stand up and be counted for God and country. We feel this self-expression through music gives them this opportunity."

American Christian College, located in Tulsa, Oklahoma, is sponsored by the Church of the Christian Crusade, and is in its first full year of operation. The college and church are both housed in the Christian Crusade international headquarters in Tulsa.

There are 24 choir members, representing 14 states, making the tour. They will travel in chartered bus and plane on this particular tour which includes: St. Louis, Missouri; Indianapolis, Indiana; Louisville, Kentucky; Atlanta, Georgia; Birmingham, Alabama; and Tampa and Miami, Florida.

One of the basic ideas behind the set-aside features, according to Hill, is that producers in all of these areas can be better off because they will be producing the crop they grow best at a lower cost. He added that some farmers for years have been locked into certain patterns of producing their crops because of the acreage control features of past programs. A farmer who had allotments or bases for several crops was encouraged to grow them, and this discouraged specialization which could lead to power production costs, Hill said.

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Jupiter, with an equatorial diameter of 89,329 miles, is the largest of the planets of the solar system.

California's Napa Valley is about 50 miles long, extending north from San Pablo Bay to the foot of 4,343-foot Mt. St. Helena.

The choir is under the direction of Robert W. Goodwin, Director of the Department of Music of the college.

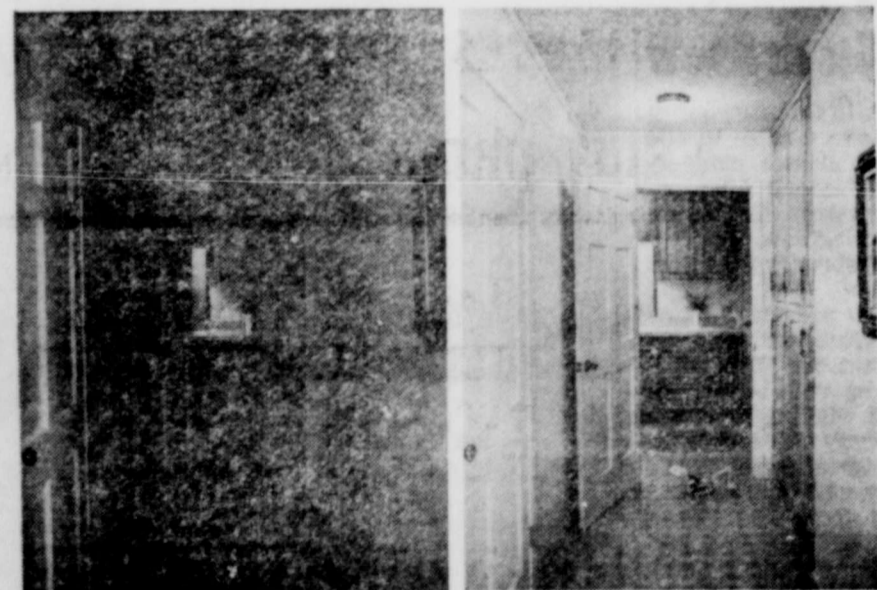
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Music Club Was Entertained By Their Children

The Stanton Music Club met January 13, at the home of Mrs. Paige Eiland for a program on "Music of Today."

Mrs. Arthur Wilson, president of the club, presided for a short business meeting, followed by musical selections from children of the music club members.

Craig Eiland presented to the members "Bear Dance," and "Woodpecker Song," "Indian Dance" was presented by Dirk Perry, Rena Koonce presented a piano selection, and Lesa Zuck presented "Flamenco."

Suzanne Brown presented a vocal selection entitled, "Raindrops Keep Falling On My Head," "Johnny Has a Girl Friend," was presented by Paiga Lou Eiland, while Baxter Brown presented a vocal number, "Somewhere My Love," and Betty Anderson presented, "Bridge Over Troubled Water."

Mrs. Glenn Brown discussed "folk, jazz, and soul music," and demonstrated each type with a recorded selection.

Mrs. Carl Leonard discussed the "hymn of the month," and led the group in singing it. The meeting was closed, and refreshments were served to Mrs. W. C. Houston, Mrs. Doyle Hughes, Mrs. Guy Eiland, Mrs. Carl Leonard, Mrs. Roy Koonce, Mrs. Arthur Wilson, Mrs. Glenn Brown, Helen Dawson, Mrs. Charles Welch, Mrs. Granville Graves, and Mrs. Anderson.

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.

CARROL YATER,
County Judge,
Ex-Officio School Supt.
Martin County, Texas
1-14-4tc

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 precleaner, 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.

By Order of the Commissioners' Court, Martin County, Texas.

CARROL YATER,
County Judge of
Martin County, Texas.
1-14-2tc

Shandal Lander Honored With Birthday Party

Shandal Lander was honored on his ninth birthday with a party in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lander, Jr.

Favors of parachutes, peg games, and balloons were given, and games were enjoyed by the guests.

Refreshments of a violet guitar shaped cake, and ice cream was served to: Denley Snell, Mrs. Ronnie Deatherage, Ron, Sonya, and Terry, Mrs. Charles Pinkerton and Johnny, Mrs. Kay Pinkerton, Sue and Steve, Mrs. Henry Pinkerton, Mrs. Lander, Shandal, and Kresi.

Thirty-five countries adopted nickel and various nickel alloys for 70 new coins during 1969.

Scale Steppers Met January 19

The Stanton Scale Steppers met Tuesday, January 19, in the Martin County library, and a salad supper was held.

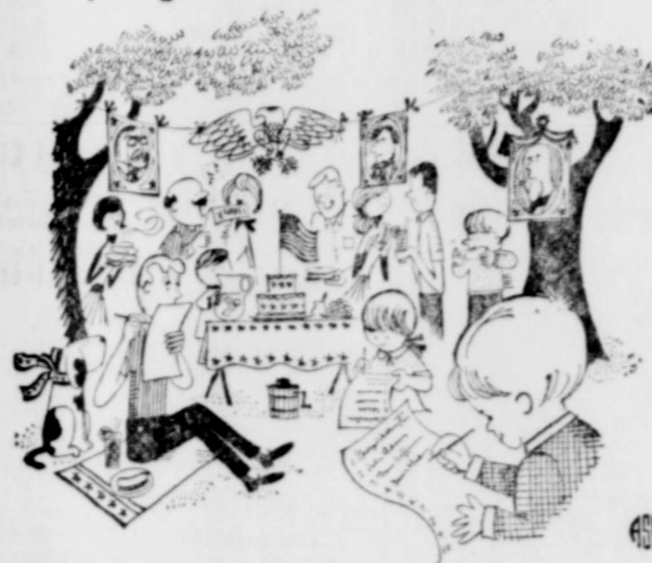
Mrs. Calvin McKenzie presided, and Mrs. Verbin Graves led the pledge.

It was announced that at the valentine party, the group

would have a contest with the member losing the most weight being crowned the valentine sweetheart, and presented with a gift.

Mrs. James Eiland will present the program at the next meeting on "Low Calorie Cooking and Dieting Tips." The meeting will be held Tuesday, January 26, in the Martin County Library, and everyone is invited to attend the meeting.

Fly High With A Patriotic Party



It's "in" to fly high on the 4th of July or anytime this summer—high on patriotism, high on the red, white and blue.

Have an old-fashioned picnic anytime during vacation days complete with all-American hot dogs, hamburgers and cool lemonade. Make it new-fashioned with patriotic fun, games and prizes. And picture the festivities with your camera. A picnic with flair serves as an eventful patriotic party.

Fly the flag—a large one or even a small picnic table model. Then make red, white and blue place mats for the picnic table with white shelf paper as a background and stars and stripes colored in red and blue. A Flair porous point pen, in our country's colors, can make fine stars and bold stripes, depending upon the amount of pressure exerted upon the point. With the Flairs, make small flags for each party guest to pin proudly on his summer outfit.

After the picnic meal, served at the picnic ground or in your own back yard, singing all-American songs relaxes happy picnickers and puts them in a frame of mind for fun and games.

With a time limit set, start the games by asking guests to list the 50 states in alphabetical order. Appointed "judges" later determine who had the longest list with fewest errors. A second game might be a contest for the longest list of historical monuments in a given time limit.

You might even plan a treasure hunt based on the 13 original colonies. A jar of nutmeg, for example, might be the Connecticut find, representing the Nutmeg State. A miniature Statue of Liberty could be the New York treasure.

Prizes should be awarded to those who know their history and geography best. Keeping a red, white and blue theme, prizes could range from a small book about our presidents to a pad of red, white and blue stationery to "refillable" pens in red and blue such as those used in making the flags.

Fly high on the Fourth of July, Fourth of August, Fourth of September and anytime in-between with a memorable picnic. It's "in" to be patriotic and it's fun to stage an old-fashioned American birthday party a new-fashioned way.

Stanton Study Club News

Jake Hodges, district manager of the local Soil Conservation Service, presented a program on ecology in Martin County, when the Stanton Study Club met in the Martin County Library, Monday, January 18.

Slides were shown by Hodges, and he discussed the growth of grass in the Martin County area. He was introduced to the members by Mrs. James Eiland, program chairman.

Mrs. Bob Cox, president, presided and conducted a short business meeting.

Mrs. J. O. Stuard and Mrs. Joe Stewart served as hostesses to the eight members and guests present.

Kresi Lander Honored On Her Birthday

Kresi Lander was honored on her seventh birthday, with a slumber party in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lander, Jr.

Favors of fans, jacks and ball, and balloons were given. The theme of Raggedy Ann was carried out in the decorations. Games were played by the guests.

Guests attending were: Son-

Stanton School Lunch Menu

Jan. 25 Through Jan. 29th:
Monday — Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, onion, pickles, French fries, banana pudding, and milk.

Tuesday — Corn dogs, black-eyed peas, buttered corn, sweet potatoes, hot rolls, butter, milk, mustard, and honey butter.

Wednesday — Turkey pot pie, green beans, Harvard beets, fruit gelatin, butter, milk, and hot sliced bread.

Thursday — Ground beef and spaghetti, cabbage slaw, creamed new potatoes, pineapple upside down cake, hot rolls, butter, and milk.

Friday — Tacos, tamales, beans, taco sauce, lettuce, tomatoes, peach halves, corn bread, butter, and milk.

ya Deatherage, Leah Johnson, Cheryl Fleckenstein, Dana Pinkerton, D'Ann Kelly, and Georjann Herzog.



The Hamilton Optometric Clinic of Big Spring announces new office hours as follows:

Mon., Tues., Wed. and Fri.

9 to 5

Thurs. and Sat.

9 to 12

A-SAVING WE WILL GO...

MUFFIN MIX	GLADIOLA BLUEBERRY	39¢
BUTTER BEANS	SEASIDE No. 303	2 for 25¢
BLACKEYE PEAS	DIAMOND No. 300	10¢
BLEACH	KALEX	gallon 39¢
JELLO	ALL FLAVORS	3 oz. 4 for 47¢
PEACHES	KIMBELL No. 2 1/2	3 for \$1.00

meats

AT HARD TO BEAT PRICES

BACON	TALL KORN	1 lb.	59¢
BEEF LIVER		lb.	49¢
PORK CHOPS	END CUTS	lb.	65¢
PORK CHOPS	CENTER CUTS	lb.	89¢
SAUSAGE	GERMAN, GOOCH	12 oz.	69¢

SUGAR	HOLLY	5 lb. bag	45¢
SHORTENING	DIAMOND	3 lb. can	59¢
FLOUR	GLADIOLA	5 lb. bag	43¢
COFFEE	FOLGER'S	1 lb. can	79¢

Toilet Tissue	SILK	4 rolls	39¢
Detergent	AJAX	Giant	59¢
NAPKINS	NORTHERN	100 count	29¢

FRENCH FRIES	KIETH	2 lbs.	29¢
TV DINNERS	BANQUET		35¢

CORN	OUR DARLING	No. 303	4 for 89¢
DR PEPPER		6 bottle ctn.	39¢
RC COLA		6 bottle ctn.	39¢
BABY FOOD	GERBER STRAINED	6 for	69¢
TOMATOES	DIAMOND	No. 303	23¢
FRUIT DRINK	WAGNER	qt.	3 for 89¢

Treat the Family to FRESH VEGETABLES

BANANAS		lb.	10¢
ORANGES		lb.	19¢
LETTUCE		head	29¢
POTATOES		8 lb. bag	39¢

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Martin County Junior Livestock Called Most Successful Yet Held



YOUNG SHOWMAN—A young Martin County stock raiser gets the judge's eye during the swine show Saturday at the Martin County Junior Livestock Show. The young man was not identified.



FINE WOOL CHAMPIONS—Winners in the lamb judging at last Saturday's Martin County Livestock Show held in the county barn here in Stanton show some of the trophies they won. Pictured are those who placed first or second in competition. They are Deana Holcomb, Lesa Beth Angel, Marty Douglas, and Faye Welch.



BLUE RIBBON SWINE—Windy Tunnell, 10, shows the heavyweight swine which won the blue ribbon as grand champion Saturday in the annual Martin County Junior Livestock Show which saw more than 100 young 4-H Club and Future Farmers of America members enter their animals for judging.

Officials and spectators in the 1971 Martin County Junior Livestock Show and auction have already praised it as the finest on record here, last Friday and Saturday in the Martin County barn.

More than 150 4-H Club and Future Farmers of America members participated in the show, called by Martin County Farm Agent Billy Reagor "the finest ever."

Grand Champion steer in the show was entered by Cyndie Mullins of Flower Grove. The steer sold for \$200 to Holcomb Supply at the stock auction Saturday afternoon.

Grand champion barrow in the show was shown by Windy Tunnell, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Tunnell of Lenora. Her barrow was auctioned for \$180 to the Lenora Gin Company.

Deana Holcomb, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Holcomb of Flower Grove, showed the grand champion fine wool lamb. The lamb was auctioned off for \$125 to Shook Tire Co., Cattlemen's Commission Co., Tate Livestock, and R. L. Tate, all of Lamesa, and B. L. Eggleston Trucking Co. of Big Spring.

"It was the finest show we have ever had here," Reagor said. "Everyone took part in the show, and the quality of the entrants was the best yet."

Judges of the show were Oliver Werst, Glascock County Agent, judging lambs; Larry Osbourn, hog buyer, Gooch Packing Plant, swine judge; and Randy Lehmborg, FFA teacher at Midland High School, steer judge.

Show superintendents were Bobby Kelly for the swine show, Owen Kelly over the steer show, and Craig Beckmeyer over the lamb show.

Eddie Owens of Big Spring, was auctioneer for the animal sale which followed regular judging.

Results of the show were, in the steer division, in the order they finished:

Class 1, heavy Hereford — Angus — Jackie Jones, Tana Yates, Morgan Cox, Janie Roper, Morgan Cox, Jerry Holloway, Morgan Cox, and J. C. Tunnell.

Class 2, light Hereford — Angus — Brenda Holloway, Vicki Graves, Robert Cox, Robert Cox, Emelda Gamara, Dan Hightower, Charlie Hightower, and Sharalyn Holcomb.

Class 3, heavy cross-bred — Cyndie Mullins, Jody Yates, J. C. Tunnell, Mike Holcomb, and Morgan Cox.

Class 4, light cross-bred — Sharalyn Holcomb, Elonna Airhart, Sharalyn Holcomb, and J. C. Tunnell.

Cyndie Mullins showed the grand champion steer, and Brenda Holloway showed the reserve grand champion. Brenda Holloway was honored for best showmanship in the steer division.

Fine wool lambs division — Deana Holcomb, Lesa B. Angel, Marty Douglas, Robert Cox, Deana Holcomb, Morgan Cox, Faye Welch, Robert Cox, Vickie Graves, Sharalyn Holcomb, Morgan Cox, Mike Douglas, Vickie Graves, Amy Hazlewood, and Tere Hazlewood.

The Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association presented a silver medallion to Deana Holcomb as grand champion in the division.

Cross-bred lamb division — Sharalyn Holcomb, Lesa B. Angel, Faye Welch, Joni Latty, Leslie Welch, Lanier Beckmeyer, Liz Flanagan, Tere Hazlewood, Amy Hazlewood, Marty Douglas, Deana Holcomb, Vickie Graves, and Elonna Airhart.

Hampshire lamb division — Deana Holcomb, Faye Welch, Elonna Airhart, Mike Douglas, Lesa Angel, Lanier Beckmeyer, Leslie Welch, Liz Flanagan,

and Joni Latty. Deana Holcomb received the showmanship award in the division.

In the heavy barrow division — Windy Tunnell, J. C. Tunnell, Gary Webb, J. C. Tunnell, Mike Cook, Darrell Bradshaw, Mike Holcomb, Mark Greenhall, George Prado, Steve Church, Randy Henson, George Franks, Jackie Rudd, and Wesley Cockrell.

In the medium weight division — Gary Hanson, Darrell Wells, Willie Wells, Clint Creech, Steve Fryar, Steve Fryar, Steve Church, Mitch Elmore,

Russell Mims, Roy Kelly, Diana Wells, Sharalyn Holcomb, and Darrell Wells.

Light weight — Windy Tunnell, Steve Fryar, Lanny Hanson, Steve Cook, Ricky Mims, Gary Hanson, Jackie Rudd, Tana Yates, Lanny Hanson, Theodore Wells, and Lynn Romine.

Gary Hanson received the showmanship award in the swine division.

Gilts division — Elonna Airhart, Wayne Atchison, Mitch Elmore, J. C. Tunnell, Brad Tunnell, Willie Wells, Willie Wells, George Franks, Russell Mims, and Randy Henson.

South Side Scale Steppers Met January 12

Mrs. Gladys Jackson was crowned the queen for December, when the South Side Scale Steppers met Tuesday, January 12, at the Martin-Glascock Day Care Center. Mrs. David Young, president of the organization, crowned the new queen. She also presided at the meeting, and led the pledge.

The program was presented by Mrs. Jimmy Sawyer, public education chairman of the Martin County Unit of the American Cancer Society, and Tom Ed Angel, District II Assistant Field Representative for the cancer society.

Twelve members were present, and recorded a weight loss of 16 pounds. One new member was welcomed to the club, Sandra Menefield. The members also said goodbye to one of the group who is moving to Alaska, Mrs. Leslie Mapp.

M. Hall Receives Living Expenses May Be Tax Free

Mike Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hall, this city, recently received a Bachelor of Business Administration degree from Texas Tech University at Lubbock. He received the degree upon completion of degree requirements during the fall semester.

Hall is presently with the National Guard Unit in Odessa, and will leave in February for four months of duty with the guard in Kentucky and Oklahoma.

ing to Alaska, Mrs. Leslie Mapp.

The members planned a bowling night to be held soon. The South Side Scale Steppers meet each Tuesday night at 7:00 p.m., at the Martin-Glascock Day Care Center, and urge anyone interested in joining to contact any member of the group.

Insurance payments covering living expenses incurred by the taxpayer when his home is damaged by fire, storm, or other casualty may be tax free, Ellis Campbell, Jr., IRS District Director for North Texas, said today. The exclusion is available when the taxpayer must find temporary living quarters while his home is being repaired.

People who have been denied access to their homes by governmental authority because of a threat of such a casualty are also entitled to the exclusion, Mr. Campbell said.

The exclusion is limited to the excess of actual living expenses for the taxpayer and members of his household over normal living expenses.

Patronize your hometown merchants and save!

The Agricultural Committee wishes to thank the following buyers who made the Junior Livestock Show a great success. January 15, and 16, 1971:

- JACK CAVE — Ackerly
- HOLCOMB SUPPLY COMPANY
- SHOOK TIRE COMPANY — Lamesa
- CATTLEMEN'S COMMISSION COMPANY — Lubbock
- TATE LIVESTOCK AUCTION — Lamesa
- R. L. TATE
- B. L. EGGLESTON TRUCKING COMPANY — Big Spring
- LENORAH GIN COMPANY
- LAMESA DELINTING COMPANY
- A. G. WAUGH — Lamesa
- JACK'S AUTO — Lamesa
- NIX IMPLEMENT — Lamesa
- FLOWER GROVE CO-OP GIN
- NEWCOMER BUTANE — Ackerly
- BRAY IMPLEMENT — Lamesa
- MCCALL DRUG — Lamesa
- ADOBE OIL COMPANY — Midland
- TOM BROWN DRILLING COMPANY
- SALE INVESTMENT — Midland
- WESTERN PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIATION
- FIRST NATIONAL BANK — Stanton
- KING IMPLEMENT — Lamesa
- EZELL-KEY GRAIN COMPANY — Snyder
- DAVIS FURNITURE — Lamesa
- A AND G FARM STORE — Lamesa
- KEN'S PLUMBING — Lamesa
- HELENA CHEMICAL — Lamesa
- BRITT TRUCKING COMPANY — Lamesa
- MARTIN COUNTY FARM BUREAU
- WHITE MOTOR COMPANY
- PLAINS MACHINE — Odessa
- DOWELL CORPORATION — Midland
- FIRST NATIONAL BANK — Midland
- O. B. CAVE IMPLEMENT
- PORTER LUMBER COMPANY — Lamesa
- K. H. MCGIBBON OIL — Big Spring
- HENRY E. THOMPSON, DVM — Big Spring
- MARTIN COUNTY FARMERS UNION
- COLEMAN GRAIN COMPANY — Ackerly
- MOORMAN MANUFACTURING COMPANY and HARVEY STEPHENS — Lamesa
- ALSUP CHEVROLET COMPANY
- MEDICAL ARTS CLINIC-HOSPITAL — Big Spring
- GUITAR GIN — Stanton

- FARMERS CO-OP STORE
- GENERAL WELDING — Big Spring
- PINKIES LIQUOR — Big Spring
- THE WESTERN COMPANY — Midland
- PATRICIA GIN COMPANY — Lamesa
- PATRICIA GRAIN COMPANY — Lamesa
- JOHN MASSENGALE — Lamesa
- COX IMPLEMENT — Lamesa
- EVERHART And PAGE — Lamesa
- WESTERN STATES PRODUCING — Midland
- THE PERMIAN CORPORATION — Midland
- JOURET OIL CORPORATION — Midland
- PLANTERS GIN COMPANY — Tarzan
- HENRY NORRIS INSURANCE — Lamesa
- W. W. ATCHISON
- PAYMASTER GIN — Ackerly
- AMERICAN CYNAMID — Lamesa
- TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY
- STANTON DRUG COMPANY
- STANTON CHEMICAL And SEED COMPANY
- CRAWFORD INSURANCE — Midland
- SAM STEVENS — Lamesa
- ELDON WELCH
- BLOCKER OIL COMPANY
- STATE NATIONAL BANK — Big Spring
- BIG SPRING TRACTOR
- SPARENBERG GIN
- LAMESA TRACTOR COMPANY
- GULF OIL — FRED FLANAGAN, Distributor — Lamesa
- STANTON ELECTRIC COMPANY
- KEATON McCRARY COTTON COMPANY — Big Spring
- SMITH And COLEMAN OIL COMPANY — Big Spring
- COWPER CLINIC — Big Spring
- WALKER AUTO — Big Spring
- BIG SPRING LIVESTOCK AUCTION
- LOMAX GIN COMPANY
- HIGGINBOTHAM-BARTLETT COMPANY
- FIRST NATIONAL BANK — Lamesa
- LAMESA MEAT COMPANY
- HOLCOMBE CATTLE COMPANY
- JOHN C. CLARK FEED COMPANY — Lamesa
- MALONE And HOGAN CLINIC — Big Spring
- WHEELER MOTOR COMPANY
- WEST TEXAS COMPRESS COMPANY

Also a special thanks to just a few of those who helped build the addition to the county barn last week.

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| JAKE HODGES | GEORGE DAVIS | RUFUS TOM | BOB KELLY |
| ELDON WELCH, Commissioner | County Employees (Road Hands) | | GERALD HANSON |
| HOLCOMBE SUPPLY (Vernon and E. D.) | | QUINTON AIRHART | DON HOLCOMB |
| BENNY FOSTER | JOE MULLINS | JIMMY ROBERTSON | C. T. BLOCKER |

Classified Ads

FARM & RANCH

Farm & Ranch Supplies J-2

For Sale: Two used Tri-Matic systems. Taken on trade. Good condition. Call Midland, 682-0839. 12-24-tnc

MERCHANDISE

Household Goods K-3

For Sale: Seven month old registered German shepherd, female. Also human hair wig, brown, \$20. Call after 5:30, 756-2265. 1-4-1tc

MERCHANDISE

Miscellaneous K-8

Have your GITS and PARTY FAVORS personalized with monogramming. We do it in all COLORS, NAPKINS, BILL FOLDS, STATIONERY and MATCHES. STANTON DRUG STORE

REAL ESTATE

Houses For Sale M-4

Two bedroom house, one and one-half bath, living room, kitchen, and den. Close to school. See Paige Eiland or call 756-3481. 11-19-tnc

Two bedroom house, one bath, corner lot. Will sell furnished or unfurnished. See Paige Eiland or call 756-3481. 10-1-1tnc

Charter No. 8094 National Bank Region No. 11

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION,

INCLUDING DOMESTIC SUBSIDIARIES OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF STANTON

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on December 31, 1970, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Title 12, United States Code, Section 161.

ASSETS

Cash and due from banks (including \$38,787.99 unposted debits) 2,995,261.01

U. S. Treasury securities 1,508,460.00

Securities of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations 660,000.00

Obligations of States and political subdivisions 477,849.91

Other securities (including \$12,000.00 corporate stock) 12,000.00

Loans 2,811,724.20

Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises 37,645.00

Real estate owned other than bank premises 1.00

TOTAL ASSETS 8,502,941.12

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations 4,881,523.65

Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations 1,989,379.28

Deposits of United States Government 53,611.01

Deposits of States and political subdivisions 440,142.70

Deposits of commercial banks 251,145.53

Certified and officers' checks, etc. 22,655.34

TOTAL DEPOSITS \$7,638,457.51

(a) Total demand deposits \$5,572,578.23

(b) Total time and savings deposits \$2,065,879.28

TOTAL LIABILITIES 7,638,457.51

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings) 50,000.00

TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES 50,000.00

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Common stock—total par value 200,000.00

No. shares authorized 20,000

No. shares outstanding 20,000

Surplus 200,000.00

Undivided profits 200,000.00

Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves 214,483.61

TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 814,483.61

TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 8,502,941.12

MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date 7,302,365.12

Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with the call date 2,713,266.91

Interest collected not earned on loans included in total capital accounts 22,160.29

I, Ed Lawson, Vice-President and Cashier of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ED LAWSON,
Vice-President and Cashier.

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

Directors

W. C. HOUSTON, JR.

GUY A. EILAND

R. O. ANDERSON

Beta Sigma Phi News

Postscripts

By PEGGYE SORLEY

Xi Theta Nu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Monday, January 18, in the home of Robbie Tollison. Ruth Holcombe presided, and members repeated the opening ritual.

The Ritual of Jewels was held for Robbie Tollison, Pat Hull, and Carlynn Harris, the new fall rushees.

Jo Jon Cox presented an interesting program on "Sense of Hearing and the Sense of Sight." The program was followed by a group discussion.

Refreshments were served to members Kay Simpson, Ruth Holcombe, Jo Jon Cox, Marilyn Glaspie, Pat Hull, Carlynn Harris, and the hostess.

BSP

Mu Lambda Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Monday, January 18, in the Texas Electric Reddy Room. Gene Nowlin presided over the meeting.

The Beta Sigma Phi Convention to be held in June, was discussed, and literature and an audit statement on the convention were passed out to the members.

The chapter planned to hold a family social for the Valentine party to be held February 15, at the Cap Rock Auditorium. At this time, the Valentine sweetheart, Bonnie Faye Sorley, will be crowned and presented a gift.

Crystal Webb presented the program, "Music Into Drama and Dance." She explained that drama was a form of theatre performance with four main types: tragedy, comedy, farce, and satire. Drama means "to do or to act," and it started on the bank of the Nile in ancient Egypt. The ancient Egyptians used drama to entertain and instruct.

She also explained that religion and the little theatre movement were the two main categories that inspired the beginning of drama. Shakespeare was the greatest of the dramatists, and became so with the creation of Hamlet and Lear.

Concluding the program, Mrs. Webb read the play, "Fallstaff," to the members. "Fallstaff" is a drama play that she actually saw in Milan, Italy, when she and two other members of Beta Sigma Phi toured Europe this past summer.

Closing ritual was said, and refreshments were served by Vettie Byrd to members, Maxine Kelly, Polly Atchison, Crystal Webb, Gene Nowlin, Peggye Sorley, Billie Pinkerton, and Dorothy Smith.

Tax Man Sam Sez:

Come January 1 each year the Government or Internal Revenue Service owes about two-thirds of our Nation's taxpayers a refund. On the day after Christmas there are probably more than two-thirds of our taxpayers who owe more Christmas bills than they thought they did. The Internal Revenue Service is perfectly happy to get tax returns right after New Years and to start processing refund checks. Of course, some taxpayers have trouble in getting their "V-2's" from their employers before the end of January, but there are a lot of folks who sweat over Christmas bills bankruptcy that have a nice refund but haven't filed. Don't expect IRS to provide instant cash to help you kick the wolf from the door, but you may find the solution to at least part of your problem by filing or that refund as early as possible. Internal Revenue requires an average of six weeks to process refunds, but early filers usually get their checks sooner.

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SHS News

By GLORIA BRYAND

The Stanton Buffs tried, but they just could not do it this past week. Thursday night the Stanton A girls lost to Coahoma 48-26. Jana Hall was hurt in the second period of play. She received pulled ligaments in her left foot, but will be able to play Thursday night. The B girls lost 41-27.

The A boys lost by one point in a three minute overtime game to Coahoma 55-54. The A boys also lost to Crane 56-55 Tuesday, January 12. The B team won defeating Coahoma 62-53. The A and B girls and boys host McCamey here Thursday and Friday night in the High School gym. The A and B girls play Crane here Monday, January 25. The A and B boys play Ozona here, Tuesday, January 26.

—SHS—
Freshman Day was held

THE STANTON REPORTER, THURSDAY, JAN. 21, 1971—5

Washington Irving used the pseudonyms Jonathan Oldstyle, Diedrich Knickerbocker, and Geoffrey Crayon in his writings.

Biological warfare is the spreading of germs to sicken and kill the enemy's troops, civilians and livestock, behind the firing line.

Trucks are called lorries in Great Britain.



SPECIALS GOOD THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY, AND WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 25th, 26th, and 27th.

SHORTENING, Snowdrift	42 oz. can	79c
SUGAR, Imperial	5 lb. bag	49c
COFFEE, Folger's	1 lb. can	85c
CORN, Our Darling	No. 303 Can, 4 for	89c
TAMALES, Jumbo, Gebhardt's	No. 2 1/2 Can, 3 for	\$1.00
CATSUP, Hunt's	14 oz. bottle, 4 for	\$1.00
Dish Washing Liquid, Ivory	22 oz.	49c
Tomatoes, Solid Pack, Hunt's	No. 303 Can, 4 for	89c
FLOUR, Gladiola	25 lb. bag	\$2.10
FLOUR, Gladiola	5 lb. bag	49c
SLICED BEETS, Stokley	No. 303 Can, 3 for	59c
Pineapple, Sliced or Crushed, Del Monte	No. 303 Can	35c
PEACHES, Free-Stone, Del Monte	No. 303 Can, 3 for	89c
COTTAGE CHEESE, Borden	12 oz. ctn.	35c
ICE CREAM, Borden	1/2 gal.	79c
DR PEPPER, King Size	6 bottle carton	45c

VEGETABLES FOR EASY TO DO SALADS

MEATS

GRAPEFRUIT RUBY RED, TEXAS	Ea.	5c	BACON DECKER QUALITY	1 Lb. Pkg.	57c
APPLES RED YORK	Lb.	19c	SPARE RIBS MEATY	Lb.	49c
TANGERINES MEXICO	Lb.	19c	FRANKS GOOCH	12 Oz. Pkg.	49c
CELERY LARGE STALK	Ea.	15c	FRYERS FRESH DRESSED, WHOLE	Lb.	29c
JUICE ORANGE, CYPRESS GARDEN	6 Oz. Can, 5 For	\$1.00	PORK CHOPS FIRST CUTS	Lb.	59c
TATER TOTS ORE., IDA.	1 Lb. Pkg.	25c	SLAB BACON SLICED	Lb.	59c
			MEAT SPICED LUNCHEON	Lb.	69c

Stanton Food Market

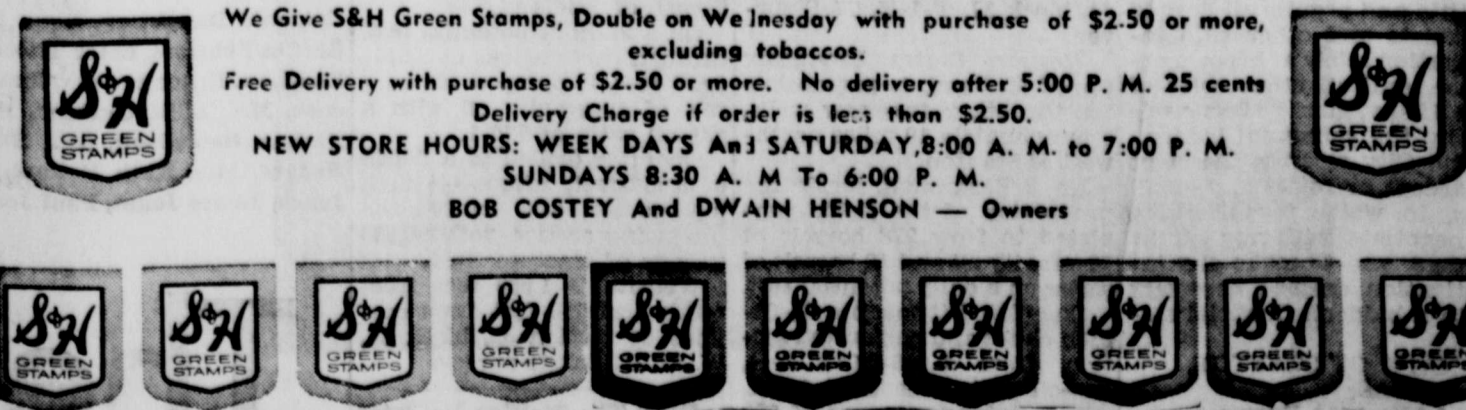
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NEW STORE HOURS: WEEK DAYS AND SATURDAY, 8:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.
SUNDAYS 8:30 A. M. To 6:00 P. M.

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Adobe Completes County Projects

Adobe Oil Co., Midland, has completed three new projects in the Spraberry Trend Area of Martin County, all approximately 11 miles northwest of Stanton townsite.

No. 1 Leonard, located one mile north and east of production, completed to flow 236 barrels of 39.7-gravity oil and 14 barrels of water per day, through a 16-64-inch choke and perforated interval from 8,037-9,041 feet, which had been fractured with 80,000 gallons and acidized with 2,000 gallons.

Drilled to a depth of 9,125 feet, operator cemented 5 1/2-inch casing on bottom.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF INTENTION OF THE CITY OF STANTON, TEXAS, TO RECEIVE BIDS FROM THE GENERAL PUBLIC FOR THE SALE OF 8.02 ACRES OUT OF THE N 2 OF SECTION 17, BLOCK 35, T-1-S, T&P RR CO. SURVEY, MARTIN COUNTY, TEXAS.

Pursuant to Article 5421c-12, V.A.T.S., sealed bids, addressed to the Mayor and City Council of the City of Stanton, Texas, for the purchase of 8.02 acres of land, more or less, out of the N 2 of Section 17, Block 35, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey, Martin County, Texas, will be received by the City Secretary in her office in the City Hall, Stanton, Texas, until 9 a.m., February 12, 1971, and then publicly opened and read aloud in said office by said Secretary.

Said land is more fully described as follows:

That certain tract of land, containing 8.02 acres, situated in the N 2 of sec. 17, Block 35, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Sur., Martin County, Texas, located about 3 miles N 600 E from Stanton, the county seat of Martin County, Texas, and described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at a 3/4" iron rod in the South line of Sec. 8, the NE corner of Sec. 18, and the NW corner of Sec. 17, all in Block 35, T-1-S, for the NW corner of this tract; **THENCE** N 75° 50' E with the South line of Sec. 8, Block 35, T-1-S, 5222' to a point in a North-South fence, from whence a 3/4" iron pipe, the SE corner of Sec. 8, and the NE corner of Sec. 17, bears N 75° 50' E, 566', for the NE corner of this tract; **THENCE** S 14° 23' 50" E with said North-South fence, 432' to a fence corner for the SE corner of this tract; **THENCE** S 75° 26' W with an East-West fence, 2584' to a point in the South line of this tract;

THENCE S 75° 07' W with said East-West fence, 2637.8' to a point in the East line of Sec. 18, Block 35, T-1-S, and the SW corner of this tract; **THENCE** N 14° 23' 50" W with the East line of said Sec. 18, 665' to the Place of Beginning, and containing 8.02 acres of land, more or less, and being the same land described in Quitclaim Deed from S. M. Wilkinson to the City of Stanton recorded in Vol. 95, page 397, of the Deed Records of Martin County, Texas.

The City of Stanton will issue a Quitclaim Deed and the bidder must satisfy himself as to title and acquire all desired abstracts and other title information solely at his own expense, and all other costs of sale, if any, must be borne solely by the successful bidder.

The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, to waive technicalities, to negotiate with any of the bidders, and to make any investigation deemed necessary as to a bidder's financial status.

CITY OF STANTON, TEXAS
Addie Mae Burgess,
City Secretary.
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Wellsite is 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 29, block 36, T-2-N, T&P survey.

No. 2-E Sale Ranch, flowed 24 hours on a potential test through shot holes between 8,153-9,138 feet, and a 16-64-inch choke, to produce 234 barrels of 39.8-gravity oil and 10 barrels of water, with a gas volume of 191,000 cubic feet per day. Production interval had been acidized with 2,000 gallons and fractured with 80,000 gallons and 240,000 pounds of sand.

Operator ran 5 1/2-inch pipe at 9,230 feet, total depth.

Located 3/4 mile east of production, it spots 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 8, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey.

Completed as a 1 1/2-mile west extension, No. 1-C Williams, pumped 219 barrels of 39.6-gravity oil and 14 barrels of water on a 24-hour potential test, with a gas rate of 186,000 cubic feet per day.

Production was through perforations at 8,178-9,063 feet, which had been acidized with 5,500 gallons and fractured with 80,000 gallons.

Five and one-half inch pipe is set at a total depth of 9,270 feet.

Wellsite is 1,320 feet from north and west lines of section 15, block 38, T-1-N, T&P survey.

John L. Cox of Midland, three extensions in Martin County's Spraberry Trend Area.

No. 1 Howard, 1/2 mile north, finished on the pump for 161 barrels of 39-gravity oil, with gas-oil ratio of 670-1, through perforations at 8,401-9,195 feet, which had been fractured with 80,000 gallons.

Drilled to 9,250 feet, it has 4 1/2-inch pipe set at that depth.

Wellsite, two miles south of Tarzan, is 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 27, block 37, T-2-N, T&P survey.

No. 1 Malcolm Stewart, 1/2-mile south and east extension, finished to flow 322 barrels of 39-gravity oil daily, with gas-oil ratio of 685-1.

Production was through a 12-64-inch choke and perforations at 8,291-9,077 feet, which had been treated with 80,000 gallons of fracture fluid. It has 4 1/2-inch pipe set at 9,125 feet, total depth.

Location is 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 29, block 37, T-2-N, T&P survey, 12 miles northwest of Stanton.

No. 2 Woody Brothers, four miles southwest of Tarzan, completed to pump 219 barrels of 40-gravity oil daily, with gas-oil ratio of 585-1.

Production was through perforations at 8,390-9,169 feet, which had been fractured with 80,000 gallons.

Location is 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 5, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey.

Operators completed three more new development wells in the Martin County portion of the Trend Area, and staked sites to drill five new projects.

Samedan Oil Corp., Midland, completed No. 1A (formerly No. 2) Samedan - Glasscock as a 1/2-mile southwest extension to the area, nine miles west of Stanton.

On a 24-hour potential test, it flowed 120 barrels of 30.7-gravity oil plus 30 barrels of water through a 1/2-inch choke and perforations at 8,154-8,975 feet. Gas-oil ratio measured 958-1, with a tubing pressure of 250 pounds.

Producing interval had been treated with 2,000 gallons of acid and 90,000 gallons of fracture fluid.

Operator set 4 1/2-inch casing at total depth of 9,025 feet, and plugged back to 9,004 feet.

Wellsite is 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 44, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey.

Western States Producing Co. of Midland, is responsible for the other two new wells, approximately 10 miles northwest of Stanton.

No. 2 Yarbrough, inside the production of the field, completed to flow 278 barrels of 39-gravity oil and 10 barrels of water on a daily potential test.

Completed through a 24-64-inch choke and perforated section from 8,048-8,943 feet, gas-oil ratio measured 920-1, with a tubing pressure of 250 pounds and casing pressure of 450 pounds. Producing section

had been acidized with 3,000 gallons and fractured with 80,000 gallons and 180,000 pounds.

Total depth is 9,100 feet, with 4 1/2-inch casing cemented on bottom, and it was plugged back to 9,061 feet.

It is located 1,320 feet from south and 1,470 feet from west (amended from 1,320 feet) lines of section 45, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey.

No. 2-D Sale Ranch, completed to flow 235 barrels of 38.7-gravity oil and 45 barrels of water daily, through a 28-64-inch choke and perforations at 8,004-9,010 feet. The section had been fractured with 80,000 gallons and 180,000 pounds and acidized with 3,000 gallons.

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

John L. Cox of Midland, filed application to drill three of the new projects.

No. 1 Johncal Woody, 1/2-mile north offset to production in an extension area, scheduled for 9,500 feet, is 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 36, block 37, T-2-N, T&P survey, about 3 1/2 miles south of Tarzan.

No. 1 Lynn Henson, scheduled for 9,300 feet, 1/2 mile west, spots 1,320 feet from north and east lines of section 18, block 37, T-2-N, T&P survey, one mile east of Tarzan.

No. 1 Matthews, a 3/4-mile northeast and 1 1/2-mile west extension, is located 1,320 feet from north and east lines of section 29, block 36, T-2-N, T&P survey, two miles northwest of Lenora townsite. It is also scheduled for 9,300 feet.

Tom Brown Drilling Co., Inc. of Midland, staked site for No. 1-19 Nance as a one-mile north outpost to a long south extension to the Sulphur Draw (8,790 Dean) field of Martin County and 2 3/4 miles south of the main part of the field.

Drillsite for the 9,200 - foot project, is 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 19, block 36, T-3-N, T&P survey.

RK Petroleum Corp., Mt. Carmel, Ill., staked No. 1 Stewart-Allar Community to 9,200 feet in the Trend Area of Martin County, 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 17, block 37, T-2-N, T&P survey, two miles east of Tarzan. It is a 3/4-mile southeast and 1 1/2-mile west offset to production in the field.

Ralph Lowe, of Midland, completed No. 1-19 Dickenson as a 1 1/2-mile north extension to Strawn gas production in the Azalea multipay field of Midland County, 6 1/2 miles east of Midland.

Calculated, absolute open flow was for 2,150 million cubic feet of dry gas per day, through perforations at 10,328-10,359 feet, which had been washed with 250 gallons of mud acid and acidized with 20,000 gallons.

It is located 660 feet from south and 1,320 feet from east lines of section 19, block 37, T-1-S, T&P survey.

The Midland County part of the Spraberry Trend Area was extended 1/2 mile north with completion of Connally Oil Co., Inc., Abilene, No. 1 Olton Dickenson, to pump 83 barrels of 39.1-gravity oil and 25 barrels of water daily.

Production was through perforations at 8,321-9,243 feet which had been treated with 3,000 gallons of acid and 147,000 gallons and 280,000 pounds of fracture material.

Wellsite is 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 19, block 37, T-1-S, T&P survey, 11 miles northeast of Midland.

John L. Cox of Midland, completed No. 2-C Buchanan as a one-mile northwest and southwest extension to the Spraberry Trend Area of Midland County, eight miles southeast of Midland.

On a 24-hour potential test, through perforations at 8,045-8,883 feet, it pumped 104 barrels of 40-gravity oil with a gas-oil ratio of 770-1.

Operator drilled to a depth of 8,950-feet, where 4 1/2-inch pipe is set, and treated the producing section with 90,000 gallons of fracture fluid.

Wellsite is 1,660 feet from south and 990 feet from east lines of section 33, block 37, W. M. Baldrige survey.

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Social Calendar

- BETA SIGMA PHI CITY COUNCIL — First Monday of each month.
- ORDER OF EASTERN STAR — First Tuesday night of each month.
- RHO XI CHAPTER — First and third Thursdays.
- XI THETA NU — First and third Monday.
- REBEKAH LODGE — Each Monday night.
- ODDFELLOW LODGE — Each Thursday night.
- 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.
- 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.
- JA'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

County Agents Column

By BILLY REAGOR
County Agent

A few days spent giving the farm shop a good first class cleaning will pay top dividends. And, says County Agent Billy Reagor, there are a few periods during the year when more is available for doing the job than now.

A cluttered workshop not only slows down the job being done but can cause accidents. In the well kept shop there is a place for every tool, and it should be kept there. Substituting tools when the right one cannot be easily found, may cause an accident, reminds the county agent.

Don't invite fire in the shop by letting flammable material pile up. Burn oily rags or store them in a tightly closed metal container. Keep flammable liquids in a safe place. Store them in a spot where they are out of traffic lanes and in a cool place. Since power cords on soldering irons, drills, and other electrical equipment are sometimes mistreated, see that the insulation is in good shape, and that plugs aren't cracked, advises Reagor.

If the safety gears have been removed from the electrical grinder, better put them back before it is used again. Goggles should always be worn when the grinder is being used. And remember, goggles can be replaced but not an eye. Keep a fire extinguisher, one that's been recently checked, in a convenient location in the shop. Extinguishers are cheap fire insurance.

If there is welding equipment in the shop, make sure it is located away from flammable materials. When it is in use, make sure ventilation is adequate and that the welder is wearing gloves and a protective face shield.

The few hours or days spent cleaning up the farm shop can make the repair jobs go faster and safer during the months ahead, concludes the county agent.

Belvue Church Of Christ News

Ladies of the Belvue Church of Christ met recently for their monthly "work-day." They mended, pressed, and packaged clothes and delivered them to the Martin-Glasscock Neighborhood Center.

After a covered dish luncheon, the ladies and children visited the hospital, the elderly, and the Martin-Glasscock Neighborhood and Day Care Center.

Those attending included: Mrs. H. P. Morrison, Lela Quaid, Mrs. Fred Bowlin, Mrs. Seth Morrison, Mrs. E. L. Polson, Mrs. Floyd Huckaby, Mrs. Judy Harrison, Mrs. Earl Douglas, Mrs. Wayne Zuck, and Mrs. George Dowden, Jinjer and Derek.

The 17 buildings of New York City's Rockefeller Center occupies a 12-acre plot.

Our word "Bible" is connected with Phoenician history from the Greek word "byblos," meaning book.

The Noble Peace Prize is generally recognized as the highest of these honors.

The world's highest chimney rises 1,250 feet, and is located in the Sudbury district of Ontario.

Stantonites Place 1,263 Dec. Calls

In December, Stanton had 1,263 telephones in service, an increase of 2.4 per cent during 1970, Harry Sawyer, manager for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, said today.

Reviewing telephone plans and progress, Sawyer said that for the decade just ended, Stanton's telephone system grew by 437 telephones — a 52.9 per cent increase over the 826 phones in use here at the end of 1960.

"Stanton people talk more, too," Sawyer said. "In November of 1970 a total of 4,245 calls were dialed here on an average business day. This is a 4.4 per cent increase over November of 1969."

The manager said it appears growth and expansion will continue to be a way of life for Stanton's communications system. "Our engineers are predicting that the city will have 1,470 telephones in service by the end of 1974," Sawyer said.

Sawyer said a \$114.1 million construction budget has been for the company's San Antonio Area, of which Stanton is a part. The area covers the western half of Texas, extending from Amarillo to Brownsville, and from Waco to the Big Bend.

"The construction program includes land, buildings, central office equipment for local and long distances, new telephone growth, and outside plant construction, such as cable and conduit installation," Sawyer added.

5 New Members Join Lions Club

Five new members were initiated into the Stanton Lions Club when they met Tuesday, January 12. Initiation ceremonies were conducted by past district governor, Cecil Bridges.

Bill Young, sponsored by president J. R. Dillard; Jerry Hanson, by Jesse Nevarez; Terry Franklin, by Paige Ellard; Joe Neel, by Jimmy Conner, and Don Tollison, by Bridges, are the new members. Dillard presided, and discussed how to make Lionism more meaningful to the new members.

The members voted to sponsor a mop and broom sale in early May, and F. O. Rhodes, is chairman of the committee. Proceeds will go to the blind. John Wood, Cecil Bridges, Joe Neel, Jimmy Conner, Homer Schwaibe, Nolan Simpson, and J. R. Dillard announced they would attend the mid-winter conference.

A naturalized citizen of the United States has the same rights as a native-born citizen, with the one exception that he may not become president.

Four states of the Union are known as commonwealths — Massachusetts, Kentucky, Virginia, and Pennsylvania.

The Boston Latin School established in Boston, Mass., on Feb. 13, 1635, was the first public school in America.



The current money pinch is prompting economy-minded motorists to take a long look at retread auto tires—both for winter and warm weather driving.

The Tire Retreading Institute of Washington, D.C., says sports and conventional car drivers alike are discovering that the "new breed" of quality-certified retreaded tires available today give the same smart look, high safety performance and road mileage as comparable new tires—at half the cost.

The "new breed" of retreads has been made possible by vastly improved retreading equipment, materials and techniques, and quality control, the Institute explains, adding that: "About 70% of the cost of a new tire goes into its casing. It makes good sense for motorists, from the standpoint of safety and economy, to have their tires retreaded by reputable quality retreaders. Tire Retreading Institute members guarantee their 'new breed' of retreads from coast-to-coast."



Here's a skier's checklist that will save you and your family the trouble, time and expense of getting to the mountain and realizing you left clothing or equipment at home.

— Prepare individual lists of clothes and equipment for each member of the family. This precaution makes each person responsible for his belongings and helps you make a quick last-minute account of everything that will be needed.

— Check condition of ski clothing and equipment before heading for the hills. Everything going to the mountain should be in usable condition before leaving home. I ski on Fischer Imperators which feature a tough, hard base of P.Tex 2000. But chips and gouges are a problem with the bottom of many skis. Just remember that minor ski repairs and adjustments, such as edge sharpening and bottom patching, consume valuable ski time while at the mountain and can be done by your local ski shop or at home.

— Even binding release adjustments — once made by a combination of intuition and luck — can be done at home with the aid of the Lips Skier's Release Check. It's a home version of the machine used by professional ski shops, which determines the correct setting for all release bindings by considering the skier's age, weight and ability.

— Take all accessories with you. Quick weather changes can mean a change of goggles, lenses or wax. Extra socks, gloves, hats, safety straps—even a complete change of clothes—fit conveniently into a small carrying bag, like the Aliso Carry-All, specially designed to carry boots, too.

— Be sure the ski rack is in good condition. Replace cracked suction cups or broken straps. Secure all safety straps, binding cables and pole straps, or they will chip your car's paint and cause irritating noises when you drive. And be sure to close the rack before you leave!

— Know weather and snow conditions before leaving home. This will help you pick the best area and will prepare you for an enjoyable day on the slopes.

— Have a supply of quick energy foods on hand. Foods like chocolate, raisins, and gum, give skiers quick energy when they need it. They also make good snacks for the family en route to the area.

— Once at the area, keep all equipment in a central place convenient for all members of the family. This helps prevent misplaced and lost equipment.



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uzzer was no good. Keith Pherigo put Coahoma head in the overtime with a 5-footer for a 53-51 lead. Jackie Swanson made one of two free throws to cut the margin to one point, but Rickey Stone came right back for short shot and Coahoma led 52-51. Gary Kitchens' basket cut the gap to 55-54, and Stanton began to press, forcing a turnover, but a Buff eager missed layup. Stanton forced another turnover with six seconds to play, but another Buff shot was missed and the buzzer sounded to end the contest. Jackie Wolf was the leading scorer for Coahoma with 18 points, and Donnie Buchanan tossed in 12. Dennis Jones led Stanton with 19, and Jackie Swanson had 10. Stanton's next contest will be Friday in Stanton against McCamey, the team which upset Coahoma Tuesday night.



CLEAN STEAL — Roy Kelly (22) of Stanton High school steals the ball from a Coahoma High School dribbler here Friday night in a close contest which was won by highly favored Coahoma 55-54 in overtime. Dennis Jones (12) of Stanton watches in the background.

STANTON, FLUVANA PLAY AT 4:15—

Grady Jr. High Tourney Began Today; Ends Sat

GRADY — The 1971 Grady Invitational Junior High School Basketball Tournament was to have begun today for girls and boys. The tournament will run through Saturday.

Opening round games today put the Flower Grove boys against Greenwood Junior High School, at 11:00; the Klondike girls basketball team against Coahoma, at 12:30 p.m.; the Klondike boys against Coahoma at 1:45 p.m., the Union Junior High girls against Greenwood at 3 p.m., and the Stanton boys against the Fluvana boys at 4:15 p.m.

Later games today will pit Crane Junior High School girls

against Stanton at 5:30, Grady against Fluvana in a girls' basketball game at 6:45, and the Grady boys will meet the Union Junior High boys at 8 p.m., in the final game of the first round of action.

Beginning at 12:30 p.m. Friday action begins in the losers' bracket, with games scheduled to start in the winners' bracket at 5:30 p.m.

The final tournament game is scheduled for Saturday at 8 p.m., when the championship game will be played in the boys' division. The championship game in the girls' division will be played at 6:45 p.m. Saturday.

All games will be played in

the Grady Junior High School gymnasium. Competition will be held only in the eighth grade division.

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 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 scheduled to start for Stanton include, Vernon Brown, Ray

ed the Owls 22 to 12 in the final period of play for the win. Junior center Glen Ray sparked Stanton's offense.

7th Grade High Grabs 51-19 Coahoma Win

Coach Richard Granado's Stanton Junior High School seventh grade squad made easy work out of a visiting Coahoma quintet here Monday in winning 51-19.

Stanton was led by the scoring of Elvin Brown, who scored 13 points. Randy Conner had 12 for Stanton, and Terry Kelly hit for 11.

"It was a good team effort," coach Granado said following the win.

Stanton's seventh grade boys take on Forsan today at 5 p.m. in Stanton.

Conner, Jerry Brunley, Gordon Elland, and Paul Evans.

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

Possible boys starters for Grady will be J. C. Tunnett, J. T. Springer, Jerry Holloway, Junior Rangel, Billy Howard, Tony Sawyer, Santos Buerro, Benny Butler, and Tony Douglas.

Officials for the tournament include Herb Sorley, Bill Bennett, Tom Eastland, and Jim Barrenger.

Admission to the tournament will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for juniors.

SPORTS

Junior High Drops Pair To McCamey

The McCamey Junior High School A girls team defeated the Stanton Junior High girls in Monday night, despite what Jill Graves had taught them. Susie Hopkins was high scorer for Stanton with six points, and Jeanne Ramos had four points. Gail Valentine was top point getter for the visiting McCamey girls with 18 points.

McCamey also defeated the Stanton Junior High girls in the B team game, 24-10. High point girls for Stanton in that contest was Carolyn Hopkins with six points, and Diana Wells had four.

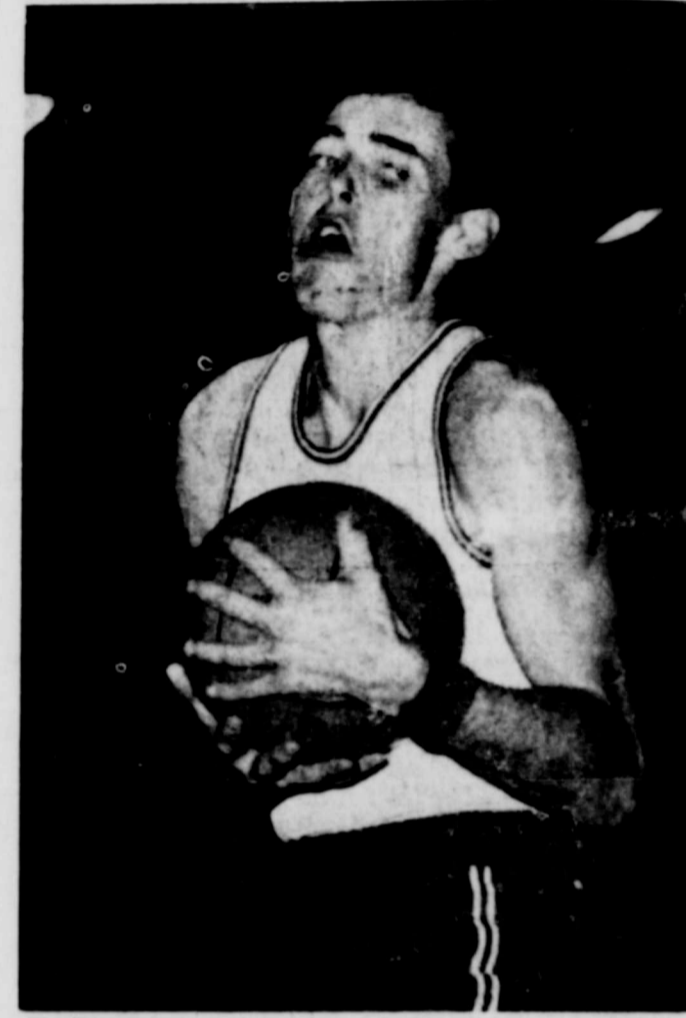
Pam Kilgore and Joanne Riddle led the winner with eight points each.



BLOCKS THAT ONE — Ricky Mims (20) of Stanton High School blocks a shot by a would-be scorer from Coahoma here Friday night. Coahoma won the contest 55-54 in overtime.

Stanton High School Basketball Schedule 1970-71

Date	Place	Team	Boys	Girls	Time
Thursday 21	— Here	McCamey*	A&B	A&B	6:00
Friday 22	— Here	McCamey*	A&B	A&B	6:00
Monday 25	— Here	Crane*	A&B	A&B	6:00
Tuesday 26	— Here	Ozona*	A&B	A&B	6:00
Thursday 28	— There	Ozona*	A&B	A&B	6:00
Friday 29	— Here	Crane*	A&B	A&B	6:00
February					
Monday 1	— There	Coahoma*	A&B	A&B	6:00
Tuesday 2	— There	Coahoma*	A&B	A&B	6:00
Thursday 4	— Open				
Friday 5	— Here	Reagan Co.*	A&B	A&B	6:00
Tuesday 9	— There	McCamey*	A&B	A&B	6:00
Friday 12	— There	Ozona*	A&B	A&B	6:00
* — Denotes District Game.					



UGH!—Glen Ray, a Stanton High School Buffalo cage star, shows a little surprise when he finds himself on the receiving end of a pass which he apparently didn't expect during a contest Friday night against Coahoma. Coahoma won 55-54 in overtime.

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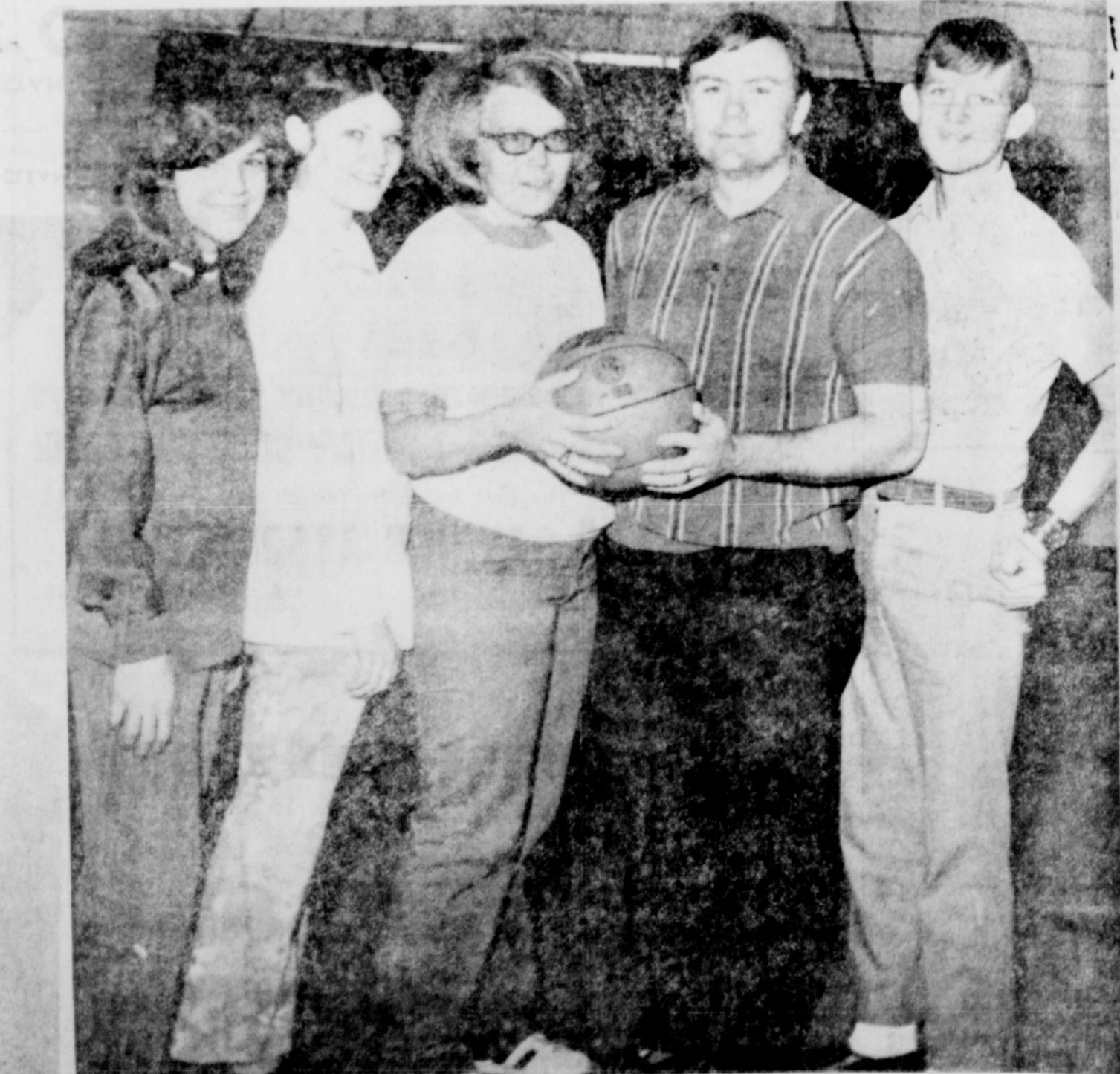
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READY FOR TOURNAMENT — Coaches and players from Stanton Junior High School prepared this week for the Grady Invitational Junior High School basketball tournament which got under way at noon today for girls and boys. Boys coach Jerry Bethel, and girls coach Jill Graves, center, talk tournament plans over with several of their standout players. At right is Ray Conner who has averaged 14 points per game this season for the junior high school and at left are Gloria Simonek, a guard, and Susy Hopkins, a forward, on the girls basketball team. Both teams see action today.