

# Stanton Grabs Governor's Award Wednesday

BY TERRY NEILL  
Staff Special

AUSTIN — Stanton finally won the big one here Wednesday morning, as Governor Dolph Briscoe presented his Texas Community Achievement Award to Stanton at a luncheon culminating the Beautify Texas Council's Annual Meeting.

It has to be one of, if not the biggest things to happen to Stanton and Martin County Chamber of Commerce, which worked diligently in entering Stanton in the state contest.

Briscoe made the presen-

tation to Stanton Mayor Cecil Bridges, Mrs. Edna Linder, who put the winning scrapbook together, and State Representative E. L. Short. Bridges and Mrs. Linder were accompanied to Austin by 19 other local residents aboard a chartered bus.

Briscoe presented the beautiful cast aluminum plaque to Bridges for Stanton's win in category one of the community achievement awards program, for towns with a population of 2,500 or less. Other winners were Eastland, 2,500-5,000 population; Jacksonville and Athens

in a tie, 5,001-10,000; New Braunfels, 10,001-20,000; Lufkin, 20,001-60,000; and San Antonio, over 60,000.

Each of the cities were recognized for having done the most toward community beautification and improving environmental quality of any city in its population category during 1973.

Each city submitted scrapbooks, which were judged, and the winners picked. Mrs. Linder and other chamber workers compiled the winning scrapbook. This competition is sponsored by the Beautify Texas Council with cooperation of the governor's office, the Department of Community Affairs and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The chartered bus left Stanton at 1 p.m. Tuesday, arriving in Austin that evening in time for supper and a little visiting. Wednesday

morning three chamber representatives from Stanton gave a presentation on "How To Win."

Last year's chamber president Ed Lawson opened the program by telling the more than 100 Texans on hand, on how the local chamber used the contest as a key.

Mrs. Linder then told the group how she put together the scrapbook, and Don Tollison presented a slide presentation on Stanton, highlighting Stanton's growth, prosperity and clean-up work.

Attending from Stanton were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Corky Blocker, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Neill, David Pinkerton, Roger Burch, Tom Ed Angel, Mr. and Mrs. Don Tollison, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Mathis, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Linder, Mr. and Mrs. Paige Eiland,

and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hanson.

With the "Governor's Community Achievement Awards Program" as a tool of competition, the Martin County Chamber of Commerce promoted united citizen pride in a new and more beautiful Stanton.

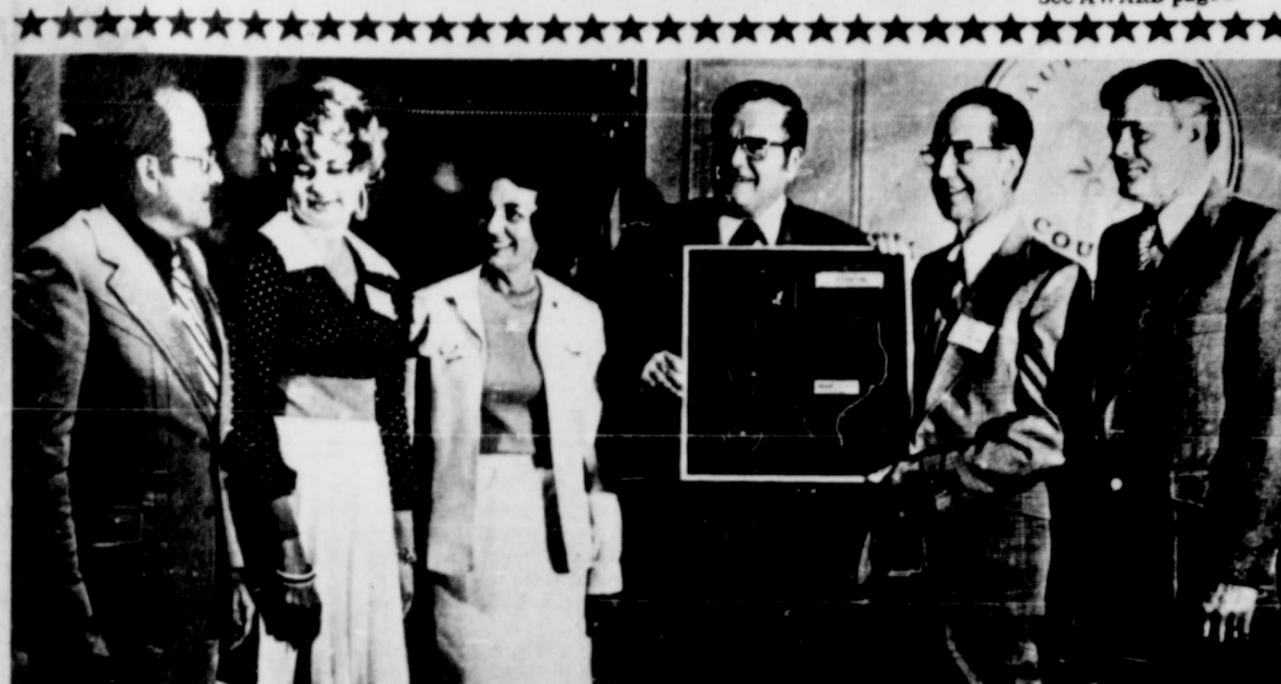
The Chamber of Commerce, Industrial Development Foundation, city of Stanton, Martin County

Commissioners Court, Jaycees, Beta Sigma Phi Sororities, Boy Scouts, school board, Stanton High School classes, Lions Club, Neighborhood Center, all churches and many individuals be-

came involved with the traditional "Texas" interest, in the beautification of the community.

The citizens of Stanton joined together to paint store

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**FINE MOMENT FOR STANTON** — Governor Dolph Briscoe presents Stanton Mayor Cecil Bridges with his Texas Community Achievement Award at a luncheon in Austin Wednesday afternoon, while other locals look on. They are (l-r) Ed Lawson, president of the Martin County Chamber of commerce for 1973; Mrs. Edna Linder, who designed the winning scrapbook; Mrs. Briscoe; and State Representative E. L. Short. (Staff Photo)

## Cave-Bowlin Plans New 10-Acre Complex

"We are making this move so that we may extend our service to our customers, including a larger parts inventory," Bowlin stated.

The building is expected to be completed in November.

Cave-Bowlin Inc. of Stanton, John Deere dealer in Martin County, Wednesday announced plans for a new building and added inventory lines, with construction costs expected to exceed \$225,000.

Fred Bowlin, co-owner of the firm with O. B. Cave, told the Stanton Reporter that the new facility, which will take up a 10-acre site, will be constructed one mile north of Interstate 20 on State Hwy. 137.

The new building will contain 23,000 square feet, and will include facilities for parts, warehousing, service area and an expanded area for display.

The new display area will be utilized for expansion of John Deere's lawn and leisure products, Bowlin reported. Paul Shaffer of Chaparral Contractors of Big Spring is handling construction on the project.



**POSSE QUEEN** — Terri Graves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Granville Graves of Stanton, was re-elected Martin County Sheriffs Posse Queen last Thursday night. Miss Graves will represent the posse at many functions during the year, including the Big Spring rodeo this week. (Staff Photo)

## Sheriffs Posse Names Queen; Honors Veteran

The much-heralded Martin County Sheriffs Posse held its organizational meeting last Thursday night, electing officers and naming Terri Graves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Granville Graves of Stanton as its queen for another year.

Miss Graves was sheriffs posse queen in 1973 and is an active member of the posse, West Texas Trail Riders, Martin County 4-H Club,

Stanton High School Band, Future Homemakers of America and the First Baptist Church.

Martin County Sheriff Dan Saunders was named president of the posse, with Palmer Evans as vice-president and Omer Kelly as secretary-treasurer. Directors are Roscoe Hazlewood, Claude Treadway and Lloyd Henson. All were re-elected from 1973.

At the meeting, posse members paid a special tribute to Kelly, for his "25 years of faithful service to the posse." Kelly was cited as one of the best "good will ambassadors" for Martin County.

The veteran posse member supplied the local group with a covered wagon, pulled by two large Clydesdale mules, which has become one of the

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**FIGHTING PESTS** — Mike Slate, Stanton city employee, keeps a watchful eye on the new fogging machine Monday night, as the city tried out the machine for the first time. (Staff Photo)

## City Battling Flying Pests

The city of Stanton has begun its war on mosquitoes and flies in the alleys, yards and streets of Stanton this week, as city employees plugged in the new thermal-fogging machine for its first test.

The machine, which was purchased through Federal Revenue Sharing funds recently, emits a white blanket of fog which contains a Mixture composed of 90 per cent malathion.

City Manager Jimmy Mathis has asked that anyone who is allergic to malathion or who has respiratory problems which the spray could irritate, call the city hall.

"If these people will contact city hall we can call them before we spray their area and they can make other arrangements," Mathis stated.

The city council purchased the machine in an attempt to alleviate the city's mosquito and fly problem, and the new machine will be pressed into service as often as needed to accomplish the sizeable task.

The machine is mounted on one of the city's older pickup trucks. As the truck goes through streets and alleys it emits the malathion-bearing fog, certain death to flying pests.

Mathis said the city would be spraying mostly after 9 p.m. when it is cooler. "We will not be spraying on any certain night each week or month because the wind must be light," Mathis continued.

"People with junk laying around should clean it out, trash can lids should be kept on, and anything that mosquitoes and flies could use to reproduce in should be done away with. People living near the city limits with horses

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**BIG WINNERS** — These Martin County young people dominated the Dawson County 4-H Horse Show in Lamesa last weekend, winning the team title and most of the individual trophies. They are (l-r) Kevin Newman, Susan Holcomb, Tana Yates, Clay Holcomb and Kendall Newman. (Staff Photo)

## 4-Hers Sweep Show

Martin County 4-H Horse Club members dominated the Dawson County 4-H Horse Show in Lamesa last Saturday, winning the team trophy with 91 points and grabbing 17 individual awards.

Tana Yates led the way for the local group in the senior division, taking first in reining, first in halter, second in pole bending, third in showmanship, third in barrel racing and third in flag racing for high point honors with 53 markers.

Miss Yates received a handsome \$100 trophy buckle for her efforts, and will advance to competition on the district level at Fort Stockton on June 28 and 29.

Kendall Newman claimed first places in halter and western pleasure competition in the pee wee division, while Kevin Newman claimed a second in reining, third in halter and fourth in showmanship in the junior division.

Clay Holcomb had a sixth in halter, seventh in reining and eighth in showmanship, while Susan Holcomb had a second in halter and a sixth in western pleasure. Both competed in the junior division.

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## No Injuries Could Mean Buffalo District Grid Title

**BY TERRY NEILL**  
EDITORS NOTE — This article was researched and written during the final week of school and the Buffalo off-season program, and was held until this issue as a special summer football preview.

The end of school signaled the beginning of summer and the last off-season football workouts at Stanton High School. Head Coach Bill Young hopes the program has laid the groundwork for a district title next season.

Young will have 10 veterans back from last year's team which carved out a 5-5 mark against tough AA competition. This season the Buffalos will be dropping down to District 5-A, and have a good shot at the loop title, Young feels.

That good shot, however, will rest solely on the injury situation. "To win the district title this year we will have to go through the entire campaign with no major injuries, we do not have the depth for any injuries," Young predicted.

Contrary to what some people think, high school football players do not forget football after the final game of the season each year until the opening of training camp in August.

At Stanton High School and other schools throughout the nation, the high school gridder goes through a tough off-season program designed to keep him in top shape and improve his physical stamina for another year of football.

Young worked his athletes hard in the off-season on weights, and sending them out to the training course. There the footballers climbed ropes, ran, took agility drills and many other exercises designed to strengthen them and cut down injuries.

This year's edition of the Buffalos will line up in a slot-1 on offense and a split four on defense. The team's main asset according to Young will be experience, with depth the main problem.

"Our line should be especially strong this year. H. A. Schulke (all-district offensive and defense last year), Ronny Dickenson, and Bruce Stanley will be back from last year's team," Young reported.

The football mentor is also expecting some help on the line from Tim Glynn, Max McGeary and Robert Oglesby, who will be moving up from the junior varsity, and Tim Hall, another varsity holdover.

Also returning for another year of Buffalo football will be Vernon Brown at tailback, Elvin Brown (all-district fullback), Gordon Eiland at quarterback and Bill Howard at slot back. Joe Luis Her-

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## FB Queen's Contest Set July 11

The Martin County Farm Bureau Queen's contest has been set for July 11 at 7:30 p.m. at the Grady School. The event is held to give recognition to the farm and ranch girls of Texas and Martin County.

To be eligible for the contest, girls must be the daughter of a Martin County Farm Bureau member that is engaged in farming or ranching. Entrants must also be single, and between the ages of 16-22 on September 1, 1974.



## ideas, editorials, & so forth

### UP AND AWAY

For nearly 40 years, the Gallup Poll has run a survey which periodically checks on the progress of inflation. The question asked is, "What is the smallest amount of money a family of four (husband, wife, and two children) needs each week to get along in this community?" The latest survey showed the median dollar income suggested by those responding to the question to be \$152 per week. In 1937, the figure was \$30. To fill out the picture, the amount in 1947 was \$43, in 1957 it was \$72 and in 1967 it reached \$101.

If this trend continues, the public's estimate of the minimum monthly salary required for a family of four should hit \$800 or more in the next few years. If the government decides to guarantee this level of income, a lot more of us can quit work and go fishing!

### MEDICINE SHORTAGE NEXT!

Political investigators are now having a field day probing — and condemning — the marketing methods of the prescription drug industry. As usual, the faults of the industry are dramatized while its many virtues and its many benefits to the cause of good health receive no mention. Nothing is said about the millions of lives that have been saved over the years by the timely use of one of the "miracle" drugs developed by U. S. pharmaceutical companies. As the barrage of adverse publicity sweeps across the country, it is accompanied by proposals for more restrictive laws and more policing of an American industry. It will be up to the public and to individuals and families throughout the land, who have learned at firsthand the importance of certain healing drugs in time of need, to pass judgment on the record of the drug industry.

One point of criticism has been the promotion and marketing of prescription drugs through so-called "detail men" who call on physicians to familiarize them with the use of company products. Concerning this, the head of the Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association, Mr. C. Joseph Stetler, points out that these representatives of major prescription drug firms perform a vital service in the nation's open competitive drug information system. He notes, "The strength of the medical communications system rests on its competitive pluralism."

The detail man is an integral part of that pluralism, since he contributes company expertise — that exists nowhere else — to the medical information mix. Without his services, the flow of information, the dialogue with health personnel, would be inhibited, thereby damaging the now effective partnership of industry, government, medicine, pharmacy and academia in advancing knowledge of drug therapy. He observed that while "workable alternatives to proper company advocacy of its products have yet to be proposed," the pharmaceutical industry was willing to work with the medical profession, the Food and Drug Administration and the Congress to develop any approaches that would be better.

No system is perfect — including the marketing of drugs. But in the present critical adversary atmosphere, the danger is that the system itself and the scientific leadership of the U. S. prescription drug industry in the development of sophisticated medicines will fall prey to that age-old debilitating disease — bureaucracy. The only cure for this disease in the case of the drug industry is a clear public understanding of the high stakes involved in terms of health and longevity of life.

### SCHOOL'S OUT

You know school is out when half-eaten peanut butter sandwiches appear in the most unlikely places at all hours of the day, when baseball gloves replace textbooks and cries of "What do we do NOW, Mom?" fill the air. For with the golden days of summer comes the traditional outpouring of youngsters from school buildings across the nation.

The last day of school heralds several months of "freedom," to be savored at the beach, campgrounds or maybe just the neighborhood park. For many, it means summer jobs. Whatever the seasonal school closure signifies, it is to be hoped that the youth of the USA will find time to pause and reflect upon the many blessings they enjoy simply because they are Americans. Not the least of these blessings is the right to an education.

If these young people can appreciate all this is America and build upon it constructively — taking care to blend freedom with responsibility — we will be able to entrust with confidence the future of the United States to those following behind us.

### SIGN OF COMPETITION

The central key to the functioning and prosperity of the entire country, when you get right down to it, is retail distribution — developed to its highest and most efficient form in the United States. After all, if it cannot be sold, there is no point in making it.

Retailing is the biggest business in the nation. It is a hard and competitive field with one out of three new retailing outlets failing within the first year of operation. Still, more stores have become huge enterprises in the U. S. than in any other country. Advertising and promotion, bright and attractive stores, innovative packaging, air conditioning, self-service, credit, parking lots are just a few among the inducements used by retailers to meet competition and attract customers.

One of the most successful promotional tools employed by retailers have been trading stamps. They have helped stimulate competition and added a little something extra for the customer with each purchase made. Trading stamps are one sign of competition and a merchant attentive to his customers' wishes. With the gasoline shortage, for example, many service stations previously offering trading stamps discontinued them. Some also dropped many other amenities, including windshield washing, oil, battery and tire checking and, in many cases, just plain courtesy.

Surveys have shown more shoppers want to save trading stamps than can get them. This may be a reflection both of the consumer's growing awareness of the importance of competition to his own satisfaction in the marketplace, as well as of the value of stamps as a means of acquiring a few of the little extras of life.

Fortunately for consumers, most of the retail marketplace remains highly competitive and devoted to moving the wealth of America's production to the greatest number of people in the most attractive way possible at the lowest possible prices. If customers want something, the successful retailer will give it to them whether it is trading stamps, parking lots, wider aisles or a mini-skirted girl at the foot of the escalator to say, "Thank you for your business." That is the way the free market works, and it is good news for all of us.

Select carpeting with an eye to adjacent outside areas — dark carpeting for living area next to white sand outside would be unwise, Patricia Bradshaw, housing and home furnishings specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, advises. A white carpet would be less practical than a colored one for children's rooms or kitchens, she added.

**A NECESSITY**  
Due to the high cost of getting a crop in the ground, crop insurance may soon become a necessity, believes an economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. No commercial companies write "all risk" crop insurance in Texas, but such type of insurance is available in 84 counties from the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

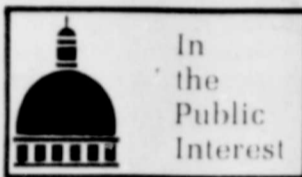
Some people believe that "hot cross buns" will keep for a year without becoming moldy, and hang them up for good luck!

### Incredible Waste

And if we're going to have a strong defense, we've got to somehow develop ways in



WORKING TOGETHER, WE CAN DO A SUPER-JOB



by CONGRESSMAN LES ASPIN  
Member, House Armed Services Committee

Why does peace cost more than war? I think it's basically because we're not buying very intelligent weapons and we're not making very intelligent use of the money that we have.

The weapons are costing just unbelievable amounts of money because of cost overruns and because of gold-plating fancy weapons.

One Plane:  
\$14-20 Million

If you plot the cost of weapons systems and then how much it costs for the replacement, and then how much it costs for the next replacement, they just go up geometrically. For example, we're now replacing the F-4 plane which costs roughly four million dollars apiece with the F-15 and the F-14 which will cost anywhere from 14 to 20 million dollars apiece.

Now there's no reason for that increase in cost. One F-15, or one F-14 is not 4 to 5 times better than one F-4. It's just gold-plating, excessive costs, excessive equipment, excessive fanciness on these weapons systems.

which we can develop a weapons system which is simple and reliable and not the kinds of things that we are buying now. It's just incredibly wasteful. That's just one area.

There are other areas of manpower and other kinds of waste which are the same. We've just got to be much more careful how we spend our money.

The F-14 mentioned above is being developed by the Navy.

The F-15 is being developed by the Air Force.

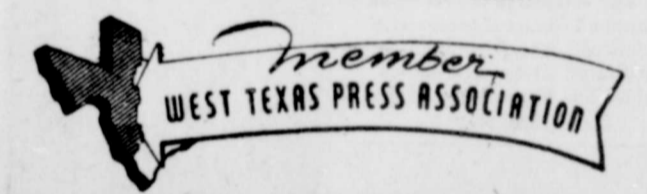
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## the hitching post

BY TERRY NEILL

Has Stanton gone to the dogs? Many people are asking themselves that as the stray dog problem continues on the increase locally.

Of course this problem is one shared by almost every city of any size today. People enjoy having dogs, but some could care less about their effect on their neighbors or town.

The dog situation in Stanton is undoubtedly serious, and as the city council reviews ideas for easing the situation, the average resident can do several things to help out.

Locals should keep their dogs either tied up or behind a fence. A canine pet can get just as much exercise on a leash or running around a backyard as he can by running all over town, making

life miserable for other folks.

People with female dogs should have them spade, or be ready, willing and able to find a good home for the several litters of puppies which they will produce in a lifetime. Stray dogs, reproducing each year, are the major factors contributing to our local problem.

Last week's meeting with Sabine Valley Builders of Fort Worth was a success, with more than 30 turning out for the meeting.

Locals should remember the housing survey currently underway in Stanton. If enough need is shown by the survey, then new housing for Stanton will be just over the horizon.

## What's Wrong With Profits?

There is nothing wrong with making a profit! This statement would have been a basic self-evident truth a few years ago, but today it has become highly questionable in far too many people's mind.

Certainly, there wasn't anything wrong with it then, there isn't now, and there never has been... in the United States of America.

This nation grew into greatness under the free enterprise system.

This is why it seems incredible that the profit system should come under attack from those who have reaped its blessings and benefits.

Yet, there is today a calculated campaign among certain groups to persuade the American public that business shouldn't make a profit.

The American free enterprise system is headed for new and serious attacks from those persons, institutions and organizations who would like to bring about the nationalization of American business.

The American business community has never faced a situation just like the one that confronts it today. It must begin to fight for its existence. It must begin at once to head off this concerted drive against the American free enterprise system.

There is clear evidence today that American business will be increasingly accused on every side of reaping windfall profits at the expense of consumers and taxpayers and Congress will, before long, be considering a barrage of bills to nationalize business or to impose even greater controls and taxes on earnings of American business.

The hour is very late and growing later every minute for business to speak up and tell the basic truth that there is nothing wrong with making a profit... in fact, it is essential if all people are to enjoy prosperity.

Creating understanding for the role of profits is an objective that the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has addressed itself to. There is a growing urgency to communicate the necessity of profits — profits which create economic growth and jobs, profits that improve our standard of living, profits that provide necessary taxes, profits that make possible contributions to charities, schools, hospitals and churches, profits that provide money for training the disadvantaged and for solutions to environmental problems.

This profit story needs to be told and understood — for the sake not only of all business, but for the entire nation as well.

## COW POKES By Ace Reid



"I jist lost everything on a cow deal, now I'm streakin' to the bank!"



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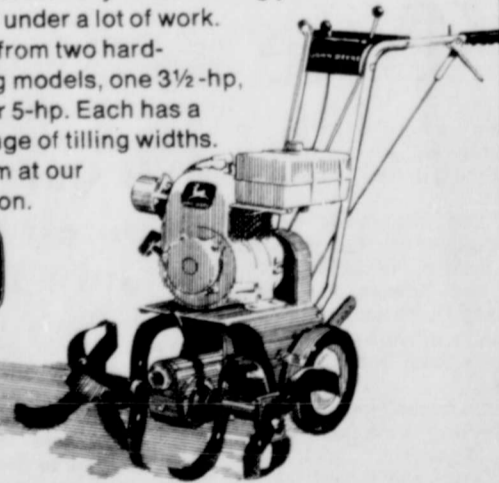
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## The power to use energy efficiently this summer is in your hands.

When it comes to home air conditioning, one of the best things to do for efficiency and economy is to set your thermostat at 78-80 degrees.

For each degree above 75 degrees, the energy used for cooling is reduced by approximately 5%.

If you are going to be away from home for several hours or longer, either raise your air conditioning thermostat several degrees to a warmer setting or turn it off. Here are some other things you can do:

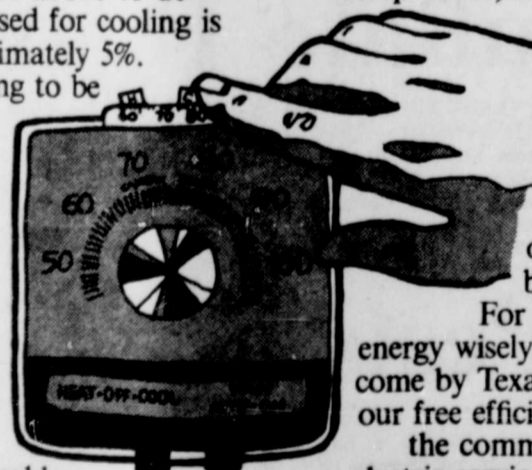
Replace disposable

filters or clean permanent type filters as required. Clogged filters make the air conditioning unit work harder and use more electricity.

Keep doors, windows and fireplace dampers closed to keep cooled air in and hot air out.

Keep direct sunlight out as much as possible. Use awnings over windows, or close draperies and blinds, or pull shades.

For more ideas on using energy wisely around your home, come by Texas Electric Service or request our free efficiency tips booklet on the comment portion of your electric service bill.



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AUSTIN, Tex. — Constitutional Convention delegates are entering the make-or-break last laps of their work.

Delegates last week completed first-draft approval of the proposed new state charter after final agreement on the delayed judicial article.

President Price Daniel Jr. said he hopes all articles will be pushed through the third-reading stage by the end of June.

After that, the document will go to the convention's "Submission and Transition Committee," which will wrap up all proposals in package form and return them to delegates.

At this stage, the document and related separate-submission items (like right-to-work) must be approved by a two-thirds majority (121 votes) to be submitted to voters.

The Submission and Transition Committee will serve as a kind of conference committee, seeking compromises which can rally approval of the necessary majority of delegates.

After months of stormy debate and close votes, the convention began to receive praise from many quarters for its efforts to improve the 1876 constitution.

Kind words were still being withheld by the governor, however. Aides to Gov. Dolph Briscoe said he would "find it very difficult" to support the revision in its present form, because recommended changes infringe on gubernatorial powers in areas of veto and calling special legislative sessions.

## STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights



by Lyndell Williams

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

**TRADING STAMP LIMIT?** — The State Finance Commission may ban use of trading stamps and other inducements by savings and loan associations to help attract deposits.

The panel's savings and loan section is scheduled to rule on the long-standing issue June 22.

Opponents argue the regulation would curtail advertising by savings and loan associations, would not benefit consumers and would be meaningless to federally-chartered institutions.

An earlier version of the proposed regulation included an exemption for associations competing with other financial institutions which offer stamps and other premiums.

Savings and loan associations are divided on the issue. Several consumer groups have indicated they will offer testimony in opposition to the proposal.

**WASTE HEARINGS SET** — Texas Water Quality Board has scheduled 12 public hearings over the state to explore problems concerning disposal of industrial solid wastes, a controversial issue.

The first hearing will be held July 11 in Fort Worth

with the final one in Austin October 24.

Other hearings are slated for Dallas July 12, Port Arthur July 25, Beaumont July 26, Houston August 6-7, Corpus Christi August 22-23, Brownsville August 30, El Paso September 20, Midland September 26, Amarillo September 27 and Longview October 2.

Legislative committee probes of TWQB, with special attention to its procedures in processing applications for waste disposal sites are scheduled to begin after the Constitutional Convention adjourns.

**COURTS SPEAK** — A man who entered a Fort Worth hospital with a cut thumb, fainted, felloff the operating table and suffered a brain concussion and loss of two teeth is entitled to \$7,211 damages, the State Supreme Court ruled.

The high court held a Houston ironworker should get workmen's compensation benefits due to inhalation of lead and zinc fumes.

The Court of Criminal Appeals held that a policeman who sees a driver making a movement before stopping is not justified in

searching the traffic offender's car.

The Court of Criminal Appeals ruled a common law husband is entitled to have a jury pass on whether he was justified in killing his wife's lover though he did not catch them in embrace.

**AG OPINIONS** — Atty. Gen. John Hill found the State Democratic Convention date is fixed at September 17 by state law, but said it could be recessed until a later date to avoid a conflict with the Jewish holy day, Rosh Hashana.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

• The state's tuition equalization grant program is available to graduate and professional students who meet requirements.

• A real estate broker being investigated by Texas Real Estate Commission has a right to see the file on his case.

• Designation as the juvenile court under the Family Code is limited to courts possessing jurisdiction over juvenile matters from a source other than the Family Code.

• A district court lacks jurisdiction to appoint a county attorney or attorney pro tem to work with a grand jury if the district attorney is present and not otherwise disqualified.

• A taxpayer is entitled to a refund of gas production taxes if the Federal Power Commission establishes a rate lower than the contract price and requires him to make a refund of the amount overcharged, even though he is permitted to satisfy his obligation through a gas exploration agreement with or without discount provision.

**MEAT IMPORT CUT URGED** — Agriculture Commissioner John C. White called for restrictions on beef imports into the U.S. immediately.

If the restriction is delayed until after the November election, White claimed beef prices will rise next spring and summer, and the domestic livestock industry will be damaged.

**SHORT SNORTS** — Texas wheat production is expected to drop 35.6 million bushels from 1973

totals due to failure of dryland wheat on the Texas High Plains.

Greater South Texas Cultural Basin Commission will meet in El Paso June 20.

State Board of Education paid tribute to outgoing Texas Education Commissioner Dr. J.W. Edgar at a special meeting this week. Dr. Marlin L. Brockette takes over the job July 1.

Proposed new textbook materials will be placed on display at 20 regional centers

July 1. A grant of \$1,060,518 went to Foster Grandparent programs at Abilene, Austin, Corpus Christi, Denton, Lubbock and Mexia state schools.

A Walt Disney movie "The Pond" is being filmed at Caddo Lake and other East Texas locations.

Texas business is standing upright in the inflationary winds, Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas, Austin, reports.

**VISITORS IN STANTON**

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Morgan of Phoenix, Arizona, parents of Wes Morgan of Stanton, visited in Stanton with the Morgan family last week.

Judy and Bill Reed of Barstow, California, Mrs. Morgan's aunt and uncle, are visiting here this week, and Tanya Ellis, Morgan's niece from Peoria, Arizona is spending the summer in Stanton.

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Tuna	Chicken of the Sea 6 1/2 oz. can	55c
Corn	Kounty Kist 12 oz. can	4/89
Vienna Sausage	Hormel 5 oz. can	3/\$1
Sliced Beets	Gold Tip No. 303 can	2/49
Fruit Cocktail	Stokely No. 303 can	39c
Asparagus	Dew Drop No. 300 can	49c
Spinach	Del Monte No. 303	3/79
Cake Mix	Betty Crocker layer each	49c
Flour	Gladiola 5 lb. bag	79c
Freezing Mix	Junket 4 oz. pkg.	2/35
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Flour	Dandi Bake 25 lb. bag	3.29
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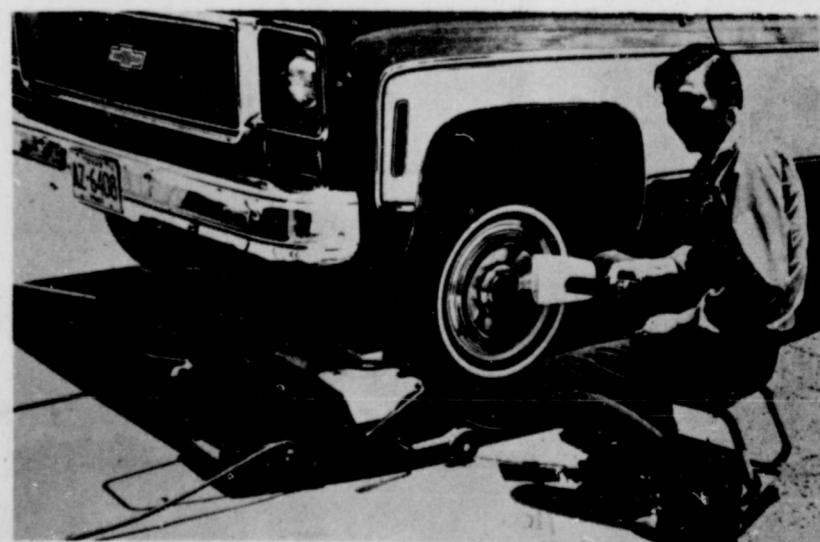
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Ruben Sanchez — 15 — service station. Phone 756-2569.

Louis Barrera — 15 — pipemoving, service station. Phone 756-2569.

## SHOW

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Miss Yates also won the senior division individual award at the Brownfield 4-H Horse Show June 8. She claimed a first in halter and reining and a second in pole bending and fourth in western pleasure.

Kevin Newman had a first place in western pleasure and a second in halter, while Kendall Newman was second in halter and fifth in western pleasure.

Susal Holcomb took second in halter and third in western pleasure, while Clay Holcomb had a fourth in halter and western pleasure.

Several members of the team will compete at the Gaines County 4-H Horse Show in Seminole June 28.

## AWARD

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fronts, residences, remove junk cars, paint street signs, pave streets, buy Christmas street decorations, mow vacant lots, clean up alleys, secure new industry and provide more jobs for the community, remove many overhead utility lines and draw everyone closer with the common bond of pride in making Stanton a more beautiful place to live.

## POSSE

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most popular drawing cards of the posse.

In other action, the posse decided to make their first appearance of the summer at the Big Spring rodeo and Cowboy Reunion Parade Wednesday.

## PESTS

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should make sure their pens are kept clean," Mathis requested.

So, if you hear a small horsepower diesel motor popping away, and notice a cloud of white fog enveloping your backyard, do not panic. It may be the last of those flying pests for a while.

## ECOLOGO CONFAB

Texas 4-H's will be learning all about man and his relationships with the various natural resources at the eighth annual State 4-H Ecology Conference at the Texas Tech Center at Junction June 18-21. Some 78 teenage 4-H boys and girls and 13 4-H adult leaders are expected to attend. Participants will engage in in-depth studies

## Rites Held For Mrs. Ida Mae Eckert

Funeral services were held at Johnson's Funeral Home in San Angelo Wednesday for Ida Mae Eckert, 83, wife of a former Stanton and Martin County businessman. Burial followed in the Miles Cemetery.

Mrs. Eckert died at 8:30 p.m. Monday at the Baptist Memorial Geriatric Hospital. She was born December 8, 1891 in Mason.

Mrs. Eckert is survived by three daughters, Mrs. R. L. Davis of Houston, Mrs. J. F. Sims of Midland and Mrs. Milton Heinze of Miles; two sons, Martin Eckert of Houston and Clarence Eckert of Odessa; four sisters, Mrs. Allie Eastman of Midland, Mrs. Eva Amarine of Ballenger, Mrs. Mabel Straach of Coleman and Mrs. Lorene Byxby of Del Mar, California; one brother, Alton Watkins of Odessa, Calif.; 13 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

## C.L. Eckert Services Held Wednesday

Funeral services were held June 12 in Johnson's Funeral Home in San Angelo for Charles Eckert, 87, a former Stanton and Martin County merchant. Burial followed in Miles Cemetery.

Eckert died June 11 in Baptist Memorial Geriatric Hospital.

He was born Dec. 22, 1886 in Mason and was married to Ida Mae Watkins on December 19, 1917 in Katemey. Mrs. Eckert passed away June 17.

Eckert moved his family to the Courtney Community in 1924 and to Miles in 1940. He operated a grocery and dry goods store there until he moved his dry goods store to Stanton in 1952. He retired in 1954.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. R. L. Davis of Houston, Mrs. J. F. Sims of Midland and Mrs. Milton Heinze of Miles; two sons, Martin Eckert of Houston and Clarence Eckert of Odessa; 13 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

## Shower Held For Jackie Pierce

Miss Jackie Pierce, bride-elect of Mike Smith, was honored with a lingerie shower Friday afternoon June 14 at the Texas Electric Reddy Room.

The serving table was covered with a white lace cloth and featured a lavender accented centerpiece.

The honoree was presented with a lavender corsage by the hostess: Mrs. W. T. Wells, Mrs. Malcolm Tunnell, Mrs. Bob Hazelwood, Mrs. Eldon Hopkins and Mrs. Granville Graves.



**TOP STUDENT** — Kim McMorries of Amarillo, grandson of Mrs. Nellie McMorries of Tarzan, recently recorded the highest grade point average at Abilene Christian College. McMorries is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. McMorries of Amarillo. He was not a valedictorian, however, since he finished at ACC in three years and advanced to medical school.

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**UP AND OVER!** — Coach Bob Richardson looks on here as two SHS athletes scale the wall during an off-season workout.

(Staff Photo)

**Linda Holder Engaged**

MIDLAND — Mrs. Fred Holder of Midland announces the engagement of her daughter, Linda, to Jackie Lee Dillard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wren J. Dillard of Plainview. The bride-elect is the daughter of the late Fred Holder.

The wedding has been planned for 4 p.m. July 20 in the Fannin Terrace Baptist Church in Midland with the Rev. Bill Cathey officiating. The bride-elect is a 1969 graduate of Stanton High

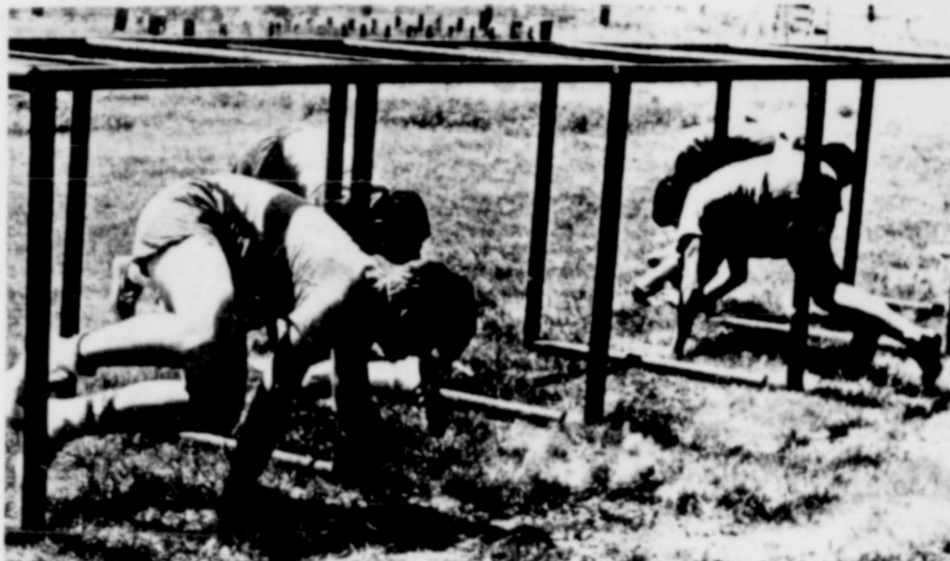
School and a 1973 graduate of West Texas State University at Canyon with a Bachelor of Science degree in English education. The prospective groom is a 1968 graduate of Plainview High School, and served four years in the U. S. Navy aboard the U. S. S. Hancock CVA-19. He is currently employed by the Texaco Sales Department in Midland.

SHOP IN STANTON



**WEIGHTS AND WORK** — It's all work and no play for prospective Buffalos after entering the SHS weight room. Here Coach Bill Young looks over the action.

(Staff Photo)



**AGILITY DRILLS** — Members of the Buffalo grid team for 1974 go through the paces here.

(Staff Photo)



**HANGING AROUND** — These Buffalo athletes are actually doing more than just "hanging around", as they complete the ladder walk.

(Staff Photo)



**UP, UP AND AWAY** — Members of the Buff football team on the ropes.

(Staff Photo)

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nandez figures to be a valuable backup running back and tight end, according to Young.

More help is also expected from Bobby Richardson, Gary Hanson, Kevy Allred and Alan Douglas, all moving up from the junior varsity. Hanson is a quarterback, while Allred will split time as a tailback and wingback. Douglas is a fullback.

"Inexperience in our backup people will hurt us. They are all fine ballplayers, but lack experience," Young continued.

The Buffalo mentor expects Plains and Seagraves to be the toughest district competition for the locals next year. "Plains will be real tough. They have won district for two seasons in a row and didn't lose any seniors last year," Young revealed.

So, as other young people spend a carefree summer, somewhere in the minds of some 20 young men football will be lurking. If it lurks there long and hard enough in most Buff athletes, Stanton could chalk up that district title next season.

People communicate ideas and feelings by the tone of their voices, facial expressions, and body language — in addition to verbal messages. Ilene Carrington, family life education specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, explains.

**Shower Honors Trica Shoemaker**

The home of Mrs. Michael Adams of Tarzan was the setting for a lingerie shower and rice bag party honoring Trica Shoemaker last Thursday.

Refreshments were served from a white lace-covered table centered with a large silver and white wedding bell.

The honoree was presented with a negligee and matching gown.

Hostesses were: Mrs. Michael Adams, Nancy Glynn, Cheryl Bradshaw, Jackie Jones, and Darlynn Stewart.

Home gardeners can follow certain practices to "stretch" available moisture, points out a landscape horticulturist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

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Home septic tanks can handle sewage properly if they are installed correctly and receive regular maintenance, says an agricultural engineer for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. It's important that the tile drain field is long enough to allow complete absorption of effluent by the soil. A grease trap between the kitchen sink and septic tank helps the

overall system. A grease trap needs cleaning at least twice yearly. Sludge should not be allowed to accumulate higher than within 12 inches of the discharge pipe. Septic tanks need a yearly inspection although cleaning may be necessary only every two or three years. Avoid using harsh cleansers as they will destroy the bacteria



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