

Parker Kidd In Greenbelt Bowl

Jayton High School will be represented in the annual Greenbelt Bowl football classic in Childress August 11th, by Parker Kidd, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Pierce.

Parker is a spring graduate of Jayton High School named to the all district football team. Parker is the fifth Jayton graduate to be invited to play in the game the past four years. Competing in the Greenbelt queen's contest will be J. H. S. senior Emma Land, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Land.



PARKER KIDD ...In Greenbelt Game

Turbeville Rites Held Thursday

Lester "Tubby" Turbeville, 66, a former South Plains resident, died at 10 p. m. Monday in M. D. Anderson Hospital in Houston.

Services were held at 10 a. m. Thursday in Johnson's Funeral Home Chapel in San Angelo. Officiating was the Rev. Bobby Palmos, pastor of the Trinity Methodist Church. Graveside services were at 3 p. m. Thursday in Roaring Springs Cemetery.

Born in Yoakum, Turbeville had been a San Angelo resident 10 years. He was married to Pearl M. Cook November 16, 1936, in Morton. He was a member of the Trinity

Methodist Church. Turbeville was a retired teacher and had taught at Lakeview-Lincoln Junior High School.

A graduate of Texas A & M University, he taught in Dickens County schools from 1947 to 1960. He also lived in Jayton in the late forties.

Survivors are his wife; three daughters, Mrs. Laura Beth Arnold of Jayton, Mrs. Barbara Campbell of Ballinger and Mrs. Lester P. Hooper of Houston; two brothers, Boyd F. of Las Cruces, N. M., and Arthur R. of San Antonio; a sister, Mrs. Gus Baumbush Jr. of Houston; and nine grandchildren.

City Of Jayton Sewer System Loan Approved

Senator John Tower of Washington, has informed Jayton Mayor that the Jayton Home Administration has approved a loan for the City of Jayton in the amount of \$100,000.00 for the construction of a sewer system, and a sewage treating system for

Jayton. The Chronicle is informed by Mayor Lewis, that the availability of this loan is contingent on a grant from the Federal Environmental Protection Agency for the City of Jayton.

Don Richards Is Now Editor Of The Hereford Brand

Don Richards, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Richards of Ralls, began work June 1st on a new job, as editor of the twice weekly newspaper in Hereford, the Brand.

Hereford is one of the best towns in the Panhandle, and the Brand issues papers with from 24 to 36 pages each Thursday and Sunday.

Richards is in charge of all the news and editorial production of the paper.

He was on the staff of the Texas Tech University Daily for three years while a student, and was Editor in chief his final year.

He is also a journeyman printer, and worked as a linotype operator at the Lubbock Avalanche Journal while attending Tech.

His wife Melba, also works in the production department of the Brand.

Actions Of The Commissioners Court

Pierce Serving On Special Committee

R. N. Pierce, superintendent of Jayton-Girard schools, is serving as a member of the legislative committee of the Texas State Teachers Association.

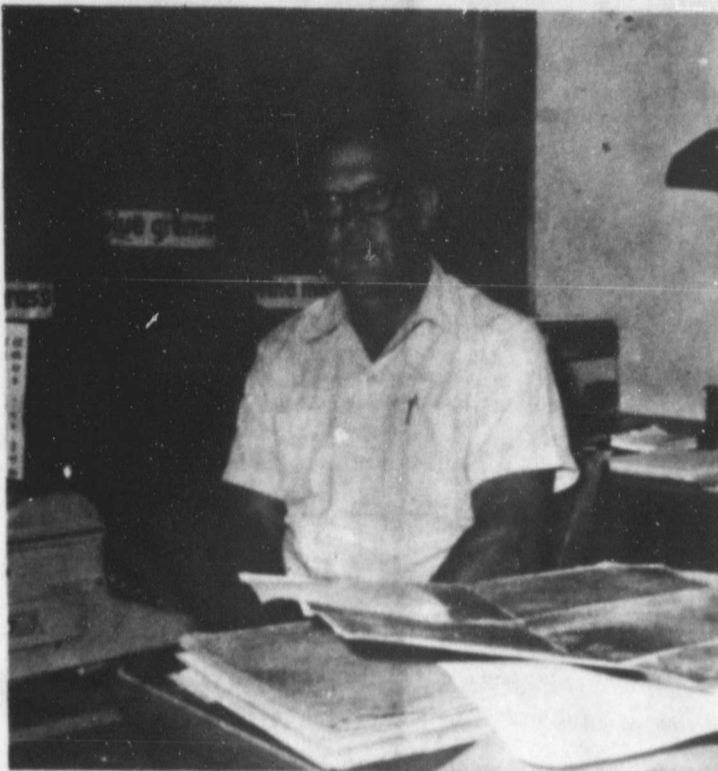
Pierce was appointed to the committee by the state president of TSTA.

The legislative committee represents TSTA in all matters involving state and federal legislation.

Dan Dibrell Is Appointed

Dan Dibrell of El Paso has been appointed district inspector for the new Weights and Measure Office of the Texas Department of Agriculture.

The 26-year-old inspector formerly attended West Texas State University in Canyon and has been employed with the State Agriculture Department for three years. He is married to the former Ann Cumbie of Aspermont. She teaches in the El Paso School System.



CARROLL JOHNSON, Soil Conservation Technician, has served 20 years as a Federal Employee. Recently he received the traditional certificate from the Secretary of Agriculture and a twenty year pen.

Carroll Johnson Is Honored By SCS

Carroll W. Johnson, Soil Conservation Technician with the Soil Conservation Service, has been recognized for "Completion of Twenty years of service as a Federal Employee." He received the traditional 20 year pen and certificate signed by the Secretary of Agriculture, Earl L. Butz.

Carroll started his 20 years of Federal Service in 1943 with the Air Force. He served in the Air Force until 1956. During 1947 and 1948, Carroll served with the Bureau of Reclamation in Wyoming as an Engineering Technician. In 1956 he returned to Federal Service with the Air Force as an Air Craft Maintenance Technician at Goodfellow Air Force base in San Angelo, Texas. He served in this capacity until 1958. He was then transferred to Davis Field in Muskogee, Oklahoma as Maintenance Supply Officer and Production Control Technician, serving in this capacity until 1965. While serving in this capacity, Carroll received a "Letter of Commendation"

for organizing and putting into operation a new maintenance supply system for Davis Field. He then accepted the position of Management Technician in the Industrial Engineering Division at Dyess Air Force Base in Abilene, Texas, where he served until March of 1967. At this time, Carroll and his family moved to Jayton, where he has served as Soil Conservation Technician with the Soil Conservation Service for six and one half years.

Carroll was reared on a farm near Nocona, Texas, where he developed an interest in farming and ranching, and the conservation of our natural resources. Carroll states, "It is because of this interest in the conservation of our natural resources that I transferred from the Air Force to the Soil Conservation Service, where I could work closely with farmers and ranchers in their conservation work." It is with this attitude that Carroll has developed into the leading Soil Conservation technicians in the Lubbock area and state.

At a meeting of the Kent County Commissioners Court here Monday, William L. (Bill) Williams was employed as court house custodian at a salary of \$540.00 per month. Sarah Byrd made the motion, seconded by Donnie Carriker, and all members voted for it.

W. H. Parks made the motion to pay all bills presented before the court, and Carlos Dickerson made the second, and his order passed.

On motion by Dickerson, seconded by Byrd, an order was passed to renew the contract with Pritchard and Abbott, evaluation engineers and to pay the \$13,000.00 for this service.

A motion was made by Byrd, seconded by Dickerson to advertise for bids to put a new roof on the courthouse.

An order passed to approve application and agreement for USDA commodities, on motion by Parks seconded by Byrd.

On motion by Carriker, seconded by Dickerson, an order was passed to accept the low bid of \$355.30 from Cecil's Draperies of Lubbock to renovate the drapes in the court house, and the library office, and to install the Nike Pattern of Krent Fabrics of 460 yards with full roc-lowlining complete with four inch hems including new rods and pulleys, to be installed complete by Oct. 1.

Fire Destroys Mobil Home

Fire destroyed a trailer house belonging to W. A. Reeder of Plainview, Monday night. The fire was discovered and an alarm was turned in, early Tuesday morning by Mrs. W. D. Cave of Clairemont. Cause of the blaze was unknown.

Mrs. Cave said the trailer had burned to the ground but that she was afraid the pasture would burn, so she turned in an alarm.

Mr. Reeder has Mrs. Cave's farm leased and his trailer was parked near a stock tank in the pasture.

GRAVESIDE SERVICES Graveside services were held Saturday at 2 p. m. in Tahoka Cemetery for Simeon R. Kemp, officiated by Rev. Bill Perkins of Jayton. Mr. Kemp was the uncle of Mrs. Bill Perkins.

Area Youth Visit National Capitol



Area young people pause before Capitol in Washington, D. C. during the June 11-16 visit there on rural electric Government - in - Action Youth Tour. The tour took left, Sharon Kay Fox of McAdoo and right, Thomas Alan Hanke of Jayton, through a number of government buildings and cultural and historic sites, including the Washington and Lincoln memorials, the Senate

chambers, and the White House.

Dickens County Electric Cooperative of Spur sponsored the local participants, part of 41 youth who with their chaperones comprised the Texas group. Tour members got a chance to chat with their Congressional representatives, including Senators Tower and Bentsen, at an afternoon reception.

George Funeral Held Wednesday

Mrs. Jett George, 69, of Rotan died at 6 p. m. Monday in a Rotan nursing home after an extended illness. Funeral was held at 4 p. m. Wednesday in the Rotan Church of Christ.

Officiating were Jerry Berry, minister, with burial followed in Rotan Cemetery, directed by the Weathersbee Funeral Home of Rotan.

Born January 18, 1904, in Fisher County, she was the former Ova Myrtle Shreve and married Mr. George December 18, 1921, in Abilene. He died in 1967.

Her younger children attended school in Jayton and she was well known around here.

Mrs. George was a member of the Church

of Christ.

Survivors are two sons, Flint of Hobbs, N. M., and Forrest of Sante Fe, N. M.; three daughters, Mrs. Bill (Belva) Smith of Weatherford, Mrs. Jack (June) Smith of Chula Vista, Calif., and Mrs. Marvin (Evelyn) Whitmire of Lubbock; a brother, Dudley Shreve of Mineral Wells; two sisters, Mrs. Joe Davis of San Antonio and Mrs. M. J. Stacy of Brownfield; two half brothers, J. B. Shreve of Los Angeles, Calif., and Franklin Shreve of Huntington Beach, Calif.; one half sister, Mrs. Aubrey Headstream of Haskell; 14 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Grandsons were pallbearers.

New Hours For The Pool

New swimming pool hours are:
Sun. 2 p. m. - 6 p. m.
Mon. - close
Tues. 3 p. m. - 9 p. m.
Wed. 3 p. m. - 7 p. m.
Thurs. 6 p. m. - 10 p. m.
Fri. 3 p. m. - 7 p. m.
Sat. 3 p. m. - 7 p. m.

On July 4, the pool will be open from 2 to 10.

What The Seniors Have Planned

MARILYN BENNETT Marilyn Bennett participated in basketball, spelling, and band. Also, she was a twirler. Marilyn plans to attend Angelo State University, and her goal is to get a degree in business.

JANE BREWER Jane Brewer's primary interests were track, basketball, and band. She was drum major two years. She represented JHS at state in the discus. Jane will go to nursing school.

KEITH CAVE Keith Cave participated in track and football. He went to regional in track two years. As a senior, he placed sixth in the long jump at state. Keith will attend Cisco Junior College. He plans to be a track coach.

BRAD DIBRELL Brad Dibrell's main interest has been athletics, and his goal is to become a coach. During his senior year, he placed first in the regional golf meet and third in the state meet. Brad plans to attend Henderson County Junior College in Athens.

JUDITH DUBOISE Judith Duboise participated in band each year in high school. F.H.A. has been one of her main interests. Judith is co-editor of the 1973 yearbook. She plans to study business at Angelo State University.

BRAD ENGLISH Brad English's interests were athletics, math and woodwork. He plans to attend Southwest Texas State University. Brad plans to become a chiropractor.

TOMMY JOHNSON Tommy Johnson has been interested in athletics and U.L.L. speaking events. He represented Jayton in the pole vault at regional two years. He was a regional qualifier in informative speaking. He plans to study business at West Texas State University.

PAM KELLEY Pam Kelley represented JHS in regional poetry interpretation two years. Pam led cheers for the Jaybirds and participated in band and basketball. Pam will attend Angelo State University.

PARKER KIDD Parker Kidd was interested in athletics and the U.L.L. speaking events. He plans to study radio and television communication at Abilene Christian College.

STEPHANIE OWENS Stephanie Owens was interested in cheerleading, basketball, and band during her years in JHS. After graduation, she plans to attend Texas Tech University.

ROBBIE PANTER Robbie Panter has been interested in football and

basketball. He is co-editor for the 1973 yearbook. Robbie plans to attend Western Texas College before enrolling in a four year college. He plans to enter some field in business administration.

TOMMY PARKER Tommy Parker has been interested in athletics, math, and science. He represented JHS three years in regional competition. As a senior he placed first in regional number sense, and fourth in science. At state he placed sixth in number sense. Tentative plans are to enroll in North Texas State University.

W. H. PARKS, JR. W. H. Parks, Jr. has been primarily interested in athletics in high school. After graduation, he plans to enroll in Angelo State University and to study accounting.

MAX MARTINEZ Max Martinez has been interested in football and automotive mechanics. His plans are to join the Air Force or to enroll in Angelo State University.

BENNY SCOTT Benny Scott has been enrolled in Jayton Public Schools seven years. Math has been his favorite subject. He hopes to travel after graduation.

BILL WALLACE Bill Wallace's primary inter-

est has been math and science, and he completed three years at state. As a sophomore, he won the science contest; as a senior, he won number sense and placed third in science. Bill plans to study science at Rice University. He was school photographer during his senior year.

LARRY WILLIAMS Larry Williams has been interested in football and track. After graduation he plans to attend West Texas State University. Larry will study computer technology.

GUESTS OF GUY ARNEY'S Paul Shelton of Longview has been a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Arney this past week.

ATTENDS TRAINING SESSION

NaRae Gallagher, drum major for 1973-74, attended a training session Friday at West Texas State College at Canyon. Her instructor was Gary Laramore, who was drum major for four years at W.T.S. college.

LUBBOCK VISITORS Mr. and Mrs. Laster Williams and family of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Moreland last Friday.

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THIS WEEK IN JAYTON

Right now, we see history repeating itself-- in reverse.

Back in the Hoover depression days, cattle, and hogs were killed because there was no feed for them. Now, people are drowning their baby chicks, and sending their broods sows to market, not because of lack of feed, but because feed is so high, and prices have been frozen, to where the producers can not feed out their meat animals and make money, they say.

President Nixon may know what he is doing, he is president and I am a small country weekly newspaper editor, which is quite a difference, but when he freezes part of the industry, and not all of it, he sets up this sort of a situation.

Even within the sixty day period it is very likely we will either see a shortage of many items-- taken off the market because of financial inequities -- or else they may be sold under black market conditions. And either one spells trouble for the general public.

When you go into Lubbock on U. S. 82 or 62, take the overpass, and go on south to go into downtown Lubbock, or if you take the 4th Street road, you have noticed, I am sure the huge lake there, made by the dirt having been excavated in the process of building the traffic interchange there.

I notice this lake nearly every time I pass through this area. And I have wondered how long it would be before there was a drowning in this lake? Not too far away is a large resident area, populated by people with large families. This lake would almost, if not for sure, classify as what is legally termed an "obstructive nuisance."

Sure enough, this past week, some small children were playing in the man-made lake, and one of them was drowned.

Another thing about this intersection, that seems very dangerous to me; As you travel the overpass and then pull off to the right to enter the 19th Street and downtown Lubbock road, as you are on top of the second overpass, you make a slight curve. Always, there is the tendency for the car to skid on the concrete of the overpass. I am wondering how long it will be before someone hits this overpass a little too fast, when it is wet or slick, and hurdles the barrier rail, and ends up down on the Fourth Street road?

If you have been watching the Watergate hearings, perhaps you have noted that all of the wit-

nesses are smart looking, if not brilliant young attorneys -- young men who have perhaps reached their political ambitions by becoming associated with the immediate staff of the highest political figure in the nation. And then watch them humble themselves, and admit they let their political ambitions and loyalty overcome good judgement, and even honesty, and they even admit having committed felony, "to cover up for the president."

Politics do strange things to people. These brilliant young men, right down the line, committed crimes without a second thought, just because it seemed the thing to do to help the president, and to help overcome the political enemy.

Maybe the hearing will teach a lot of people a good lesson. I am a life long Democrat, but I am not sure the Republican Fund raisers are the only ones that have acted unwisely or have strayed from the letter of the law.

It is hoped the Republican members of the Senate Committee will open up the laundry, and see if the Democrats can come out clean.

Some dealer, or someone trying to promote the sale of the new version of the Bible "Good News For Modern Man" tells a story of people in biblical times coming up to the Water Gate and mourning, and confessing their sins, and asking for mercy.

This is true. But also, the good old time-honored King James version told this same message, hundreds of years before anyone ever thought of the modern account. Read Nehemiah, the eighth chapter.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB MEETS

Mrs. Earl Hahn hosted the Jayton Home Demonstration Club Thursday, June 21 in her home.

Extension agent, Mrs. Roberta Stanaland presented the program on tailoring techniques.

Eight members and one visitor attended the meeting.

WEEKEND AT HOME

Billy Parker of Snyder spent the weekend visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jarri Parker.

VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McKnight and Missy have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur DuBoise.

MATADOR VISITORS

Mrs. Kenneth Thompson and son, Roy, of Matador visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Check Thomas last week.

BIBLE VERSE

"This is the confidence that we have in him: that, if we ask anything according to his will, he heareth us."

1. Of whom is the writer speaking?
2. Who is the author of the above statement?
3. By what term was he known?
4. Where may this statement be found?

VISITS THE THOMAS'S Mrs. Donnie Jenkins of Matador visited Mr. and Mrs. Check Thomas last week.

Men of principle are always bold, but those who are bold are not always men of principle.

-Confucius.

The principle is more than half of the whole question.

-Aristotle.

Every honest man will suppose honest acts to flow from honest principles.

-Thomas Jefferson.

ONE MINUTE SPORTS QUIZ

1. Name the horse that won the Triple Crown of racing in 1973.
2. Who won the Philadelphia Golf Classic?
3. The Ladies PGA Golf Championship was won by whom?
4. Who won the women's singles Italian Open Tennis Tournament?
5. Pete Rose plays baseball for what team?

Answers to Who Knows

1. Nucleus, coma, and tail.
2. The President's counselor for domestic affairs.
3. The study of handwriting -- in relation to character, etc.
4. John Cook.
5. Francis of Assisi.
6. Reportedly, Africa.
7. The Germans began the invasion of U.S.S.R. on June 28, 1914.
8. A seasonal wind blowing from one direction during the rainy season.
9. Wait Whitman.

Answers to Sports Quiz

1. Secretariat -- Kentucky Derby, Preakness, Belmont Stakes.
2. Tom Weiskopf.
3. Mary Willis.
4. Evonne Goolagong of Australia.
5. Cincinnati Reds.

In The Neck

Two men went duck hunting. They crouched in a small punt waiting for the birds to appear.

"Duck!" said the first. "Where?" said the second, as he stood up in time to be shot in the neck.

Pick-Your-Own Produce Proves Profitable To All

If you're all thumbs when it comes to do-it-yourself home repair jobs, you might try your hand at picking your own fruits and vegetables.

Pick-your-own operations are growing in popularity with farmers and homemakers all across the country. And with good reason -- everyone saves money.

The farmer saves on labor costs, and the homemaker reaps the benefit of paying a lower price directly to the grower for fruits and vegetables.

This type of operation is proving successful even in areas some distance away from urban centers. City dwellers have been known to drive as far as 50 miles to pick their own produce. They find the day in the country is enjoyable as well as profitable.



This handsome specimen of Calendula, called Pacific Beauty, shows the clear, called petals and fully-double flower head borne on a long, strong stem ideal for cutting.

TREMENDOUS TRIFLES

THE SNUB THAT COST THE PRESIDENCY

Politicians are notoriously accomplished as handshakers. Yet the failure to extend a hand of friendship once cost a presidential election, thereby changing the history of the United States and the rest of the world.

This fateful omission of a politician's first requirement occurred during the presidential campaign of 1916. Charles Evans Hughes, the Republican nominee, had resigned his post in the Supreme Court to run against Woodrow Wilson. There was considerable dissatisfaction in the country at the time both with Wilson's domestic and foreign policies, and Hughes was conceded a good chance to win.

The Republican candidate stumped the country, participating in the usual round of speeches and appearing at political meetings. In August, 1916, Hughes' tour of candidacy brought him to the state of California. From Los Angeles he proceeded to Long Beach, the next stop on his schedule. It was here that the fatal handshake was omitted, a handshake that would have placated a man of unusual political power.

A reception for Hughes was held at a Long Beach hotel. He was surrounded by throngs of admirers and well-wishers. He shook hands countless times. Yet the one hand that could have brought him the presidency he did not shake.

In the same hotel at the time was Hiram Johnson, a national figure and a power in California. He had bolted the Republican party to help organize the Progressive party and run for vice-president with Theodore Roosevelt in 1912. When he failed, he was willing to support the Republican candidate in 1916. In the hotel, he remained in his quarters, hoping that Hughes would offer him the hand of full reconciliation with the party.

This Hughes did not do, and thereby lost the election. Johnson never forgot nor forgave the "snub." With Johnson on his side, Hughes would have won California. Instead, the state went for Wilson by less than 4,000 votes. California meant the election. Hughes had lost by that unoffered handshake.

Girard H D Club Meets

The Girard H. D. Club met at the Community Center, June 20th. The thought for the day was titled "God is Everywhere," read by Mrs. Turner. Mrs. Swaringen gave a quiz game. The 1973-74 recommendations were read, discussed and approved. Mmes. Darden Clark and Turner will be finance leaders, Mrs. Swaringen will be recreation leader. 4-H leader will be Mrs. Turner. Health and Safety leader will be Mrs. Swaringen. The E. E. E. Leaders will be Mmes. Turner and Simpson. Mrs. Sandlin and Simpson will have the Family Life program and Mrs. Wyatt will be the Citizenship leader.

The following dates are: June 30, Project tours for the Jayton and Girard Clubs; July 2nd will be a furniture tour to Lubbock. Mrs. Bobby Stanaland will have charge of these tours; July 3rd is the 4-H Dress Review at the Jayton Community Center, time 8 p. m.; You are welcome to visit the tours and dress review. The 4-H girls have worked very hard on this project. Mrs. Bobby Stanaland brought the program "New Tips on Tailoring" showing the new peltion interfacing, band rolls

material for waistbands, materials for pockets, scissors for polyesters, quick-clip scissors stems iron cleaner and "tack it pattern marker". Also samples of new materials. Nine members and one visitor answered roll call with a "Tailoring Tip" each member has used in sewing. The next meeting will be July 18, with Mrs. Alton Clark hostess. Come, meet with the clubs. Reporter

Congress urges to split major oil companies.



WHO KNOWS?

1. Name the three parts of a comet.
2. To what position has Melvin Laird been named?
3. What is graphology?
4. Who discovered the Hawaiian Islands?
5. Who founded the Franciscan order of monks?
6. Where was the first watermelon grown?
7. What historical event occurred on June 22, 1941?
8. When did World War I begin?
9. What is a monsoon?
10. Who wrote "I Hear America Singing"?

Answers to Bible Verse

1. Of Jesus Christ.
2. John the Apostle.
3. The "disciple Jesus loved."
4. I John 5:14.

The Surest "Professor: 'What is the most potent poison?' Student: 'An air drop and you're dead.'"

Preference A girl, filling out a before going to college came to the question: "is your denominational preference?" She wrote: "to be called Betty."

ATTEND CHURCH SUNDAY

- CATHOLIC CHURCH of the EPIPHANY Mass 7:30 Saturday Eve. Rev. Larry Hemp
- FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Jayton, Texas. Rev. Bill Perkins, Pastor Church School, 10:00 a. m. Morning Worship, 10:50 a. m. Evening Worship, 7:00 p. m. Wednesday Bible Study, 8:00 p. m. Youth and Children Bible Study, 8:00 p. m.
- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Jayton, Texas Truett Kuentler, Pastor Sunday School, 10 a. m. Morning Worship, 11 a. m. Training Union, 6 p. m. Evening Worship, 7 p. m. Wed. Prayer Meeting, 8:15 Choir Practice, 7:30 p. m. FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Jayton, Texas Rev. A. D. Stewart, Pastor Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship, 11 a. m. Youth Meeting, 6 p. m. Evening Worship, 7 p. m. Wed. Prayer Meeting 8 p. m.
- CHURCH OF CHRIST Jayton, Texas Virgil Yoachim, Minister Sunday School, 10 a. m. Morning Service, 11 a. m. Evening Service, 6 p. m. Wed. Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p. m.
- CHURCH OF CHRIST Girard, Texas Abe Martin, Minister Morning Service, 10 a. m. Evening Service, 6 p. m. Wednesday Evening Bible Classes, 7 p. m.



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Psalms 1:1-6	Genesis 25:24-34	Genesis 37:1-11	Exodus 5:10-17	Judges 16:6-20	I Samuel 18:5-12	Jonah 3:10-4:11

- Caprock Telephone Co.
- Thos. Fowler Ins. Agency
- Kent Co. Lumber & Supply
- Bill Williams Service & Supply
- Lula's Beauty Shop
- Jayton Co-op Gin
- Goodall Ford Sales
- Cheyne Welding Shop

- H & M Dept. Store
- Robert Hall Chevrolet
- Kent Co. State Bank
- Jackson's Garage
- The Teen Scene
- Spot Grocery

Defensive Driving Will Save Lives

It's vacation time, the time of the year when Americans take to the highways.

It's the time of the year when people spend a lot of their time in automobiles. As a result traffic accidents are more frequent.

On an annual average, someone dies in a traffic accident every ten minutes—150 every day—and thousands more are injured.

Many of these accidents are avoidable, say traffic safety officials at the Texas State Department of Health, and many serious accidents could be reduced to minor collisions if drivers learned and practiced "defensive driving." Here are a few tips taken from the National Safety Council's Defensive Driving Course.

In order to improve your driving ability you must first evaluate your driving skills, using "perfect" driving as a standard.

Perfect driving simply means that you complete every trip without accidents, without traffic violations, without vehicle abuse, and without discourtesy.

Perfect driving means always avoiding "preventable" accidents. Most accidents are preventable by one or both of the drivers involved, even though this sometimes involves letting the driver in the wrong have the right-of-way. To do this you must learn to give a little, to drive defensively and not as if you were on the offense. You must tailor your driving behavior to the expected actions of others and to other unpredictable factors such as light, weather and road conditions.

To do this, you'll need to know and apply the standard accident prevention formula, which involves three interrelated steps:

(1) See the Hazard: Think about what is going to happen as far ahead of encountering the situation as possible. Never assume everything will be "all right."

(2) Understand the Defense: Learn the appropriate defensive reaction so you can apply it when the need arises.

(3) Act in time: Never take a "wait and see" attitude. Included in these steps are other ways of preventing an accident: Stay Alert: Watch for signs from other drivers as to what they intend to do. Is his turn signal on? Are his brake lights lit? Has he been gradually drifting to the right or the left as if to prepare for a turn?

Stay ahead of the situation: Look beyond the driver ahead to see situations that may force him to act quickly and thereby become a threat to you.

Stay back: Allow one car length for every ten miles of speed—even more in adverse road conditions. Apply the "two-second rule" to insure a safe distance. As the car ahead of you passes a highway sign or some other marker, count off two full seconds before your car passes the same marker. This applies for in-town driving also.

Start stopping sooner: Apply your brakes the instant you see a hazard developing, but apply them gradually so you don't throw your car in a spin or come to a stop so quickly that you risk a rear-end collision with the car following you.

Do not drive with the attitude that any driver who hits you from the rear is in the wrong. That attitude can literally break your neck.

Keep clear of "tailgaters." Slow down. This will encourage the "tailgater" to pass you, it also increases the distance between you and the car ahead so you won't have to brake suddenly. Forcing the tailgater to slow down also makes it

easier for him to stop safely, when you stop. Of course, always drive with your seat belts and shoulder harness fastened, even for in-town driving. Insist that all passengers do the same particularly small children.

These are only a few of the safe driving tips you can implement. State health officials hope these will make you aware that you can prevent accidents.

Defensive Driving Courses are offered in most areas of the state at a very low cost. For the location of these courses contact the Texas State Department of Health in Austin, or the Texas Safety Association also in Austin. Successful completion of a defensive driving course not only can save you money on your car premium, it may give you a "safe driving awareness" that could save your life.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Kent County, Texas, will receive bids for the repair or the replacing of the Kent County Courthouse Roof. Bids will be received until 10:00 A.M., Monday, the 9th of July, this being the regular July term 1973 of said Court, at which time all bids will be opened and read aloud at the Kent County Courthouse in Jayton, Texas. For more information, contact the Judge's office.

All bids will be sealed when presented or filed and will be opened at the above time and place.
The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Witness my hand this 25th day of June, 1973.
/s/ Norman Hahn
Norman Hahn
Kent County Judge

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Kent County, Texas, will receive bids for drapes for the Kent County Courthouse. Interested parties submit samples and bids to County Judge's Office. The successful bidder will furnish all labor and materials. Bids will be received until 10:00 A.M., June 25, 1973.
All bids will be sealed when presented or filed and will be opened at the above time and place.
The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
/s/ Norman Hahn
Norman Hahn
County Judge
Kent County, Texas
(6-14-73c)

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given as required by law by Norman Hahn, Kent County Judge of a sale at 10:00 A.M. on July 9, 1973 in the Kent County Courthouse to sell and dispose of real estate being the abandoned right-of-way to Old Highway #76 between the Y and the Fisher County line. Said properties will be sold with the following priorities:
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All bids will be sealed when presented or filed and will be opened at the above time and place.
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tion, in 1969," Thomas said. "In spite of the fact that seed are expensive and scarce, 132,000 acres have already been established."

And even though much of this land has not been grazed as yet, increased beef production from this one grass amounted to 11 million pounds last year.

In addition to the increased beef production, the survey revealed that the new grasses have increased mutton production by more than 1.1 million pounds. Smaller increases were noted for milk, mohair, wool, and goats.

Increased beef production is only one benefit from improved grasses. Others include erosion control, reduced sediment damage to lakes and streams, fewer dust storms, and more abundant wildlife.

Thomas said several other factors also contribute to increased beef production from Texas grasslands, such as better livestock, improved grassland management, irrigation, and increased use of fertilizer.

"Yet it's hard to grow more beef without having more blades of better grass," Thomas said.

The goal of SCS plant materials work is to find new strains of plants that will solve specific conservation problems. Since livestock and wildlife co-exist on the same land, the search extends to grasses, legumes, forbs, and shrubs which have dual values for both wildlife and livestock. Such plants are needed for use in range seeding mixtures, travel lanes, or wildlife border plantings.

Strains of plants thought to have value for solving a conservation problem are grown and evaluated at the SCS plant materials center near Knox City. After careful selection, promising strains are field tested on farms of soil and water conservation district cooperators under a wide variety of conditions. Selections that prove superior to other plants available commercially are then released to seed growers. These producers then grow seed and sell it to the public.

Some of the groups who cooperate with SCS in this work include Agricultural Research Service, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Texas A&M University, Texas Tech University, Prairie View A&M, Abilene Christian College, U.S. Air Force, U.S. Corps of Engineers, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, and the state's 193 soil and water conservation districts.

Nest time you go grocery shopping, think how bare the shelves would be without that extra 335 million pounds of beef.

VISIT PARENTS
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reynolds from Midland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Davis, Saturday. Heather returned home with them.



Best county ranchers have planted 38,050 acres of grasses were developed and released by the Soil Conservation Service Plant Material Center. The seedlings have increased the beef production of the county by 731,850 pounds annually. Texas wide, 5.9 million acres have been planted of the SCS released grasses, for an increased production of 335 million pounds of beef annually.

Shown here is a planting of SCS released grasses on the Mrs. E. E. York and Bill Parks Ranch.

Better Grass Means More Beef For Table

There's a lot more beef in your favorite grocery store because of improved grasses planted by Texas conservation workers and ranchers.

In fact, an extra 335 million pounds of beef is produced in Texas every year from grasses released by the USDA Soil Conservation Service.

Edward E. Thomas of Temple, state conservationist with SCS, said the figures came from a recent study conducted by his office.

"Our survey revealed that in the last 20 years, 5.9 million acres of land has been planted to new grasses released by SCS," Thomas said. "State-wide, increased beef production is averaging 56 pounds per acre per year from these grasses. And the average grows every year."

Thomas admitted that he didn't know how much this affected the price of beef for the housewife.

"But take away that 335 million pounds of beef every year and prices would have only one way to go — up," he stressed.

"In the past 25 years, annual beef consumption has jumped from about 64 pounds per person to 113 pounds. Meanwhile, our state's population has increased by more than 50

per cent. That adds to a gigantic increase in the demand for beef."

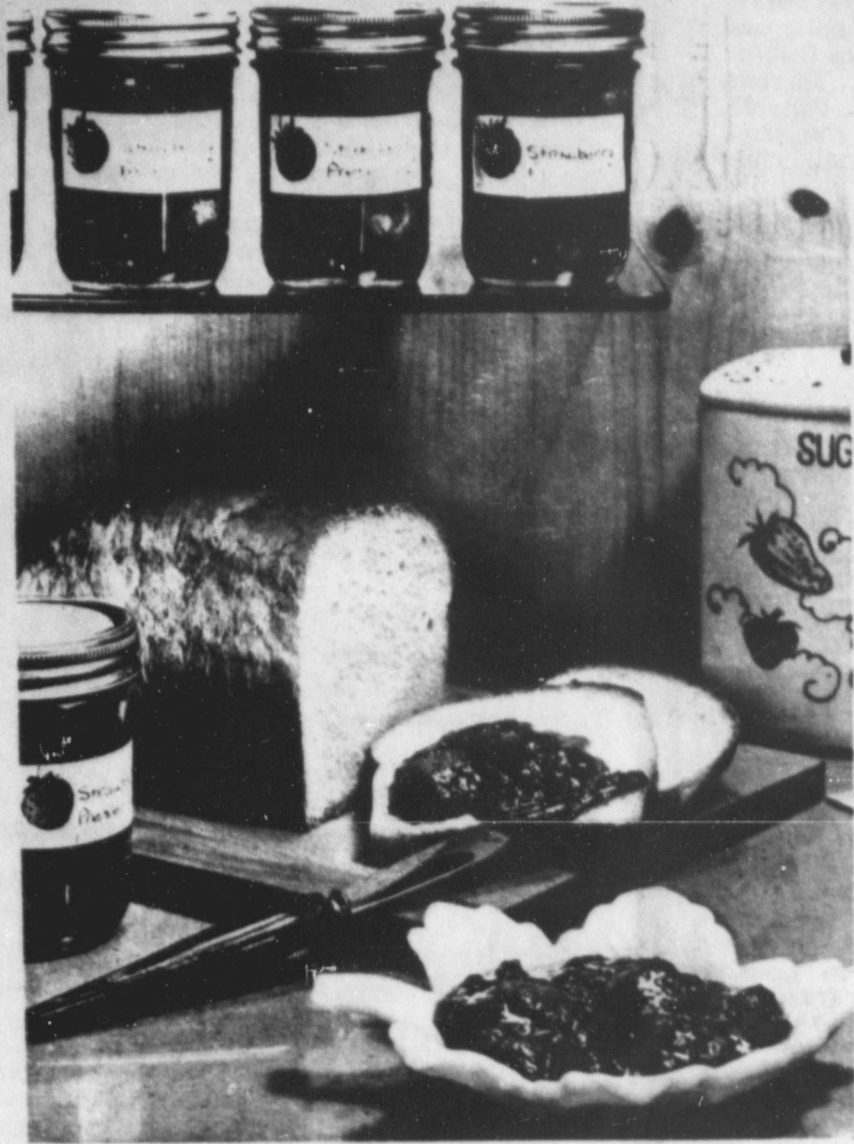
Without improved grasses and better conservation treatment of grassland, this demand would outstrip available supplies.

Thomas said 23 grasses released by SCS are being grown in Texas. Each has its own area of adaptability and is used to fill a specific conservation need.

Two grasses account for a major share of the acreage planted. Buffalograss, released by SCS in 1949, has been planted on 1.8 million acres of land in Texas; increased beef production from this grass averages 74 million pounds annually.

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Strawberry Preserves

1 heaping quart strawberries
1 cup water
4 cups sugar
WASH and hull strawberries before measuring. Put water into large preserving kettle, and bring to boil. Add sugar gradually, stirring until a heavy syrup is formed. Add the strawberries. Boil 9 minutes (rolling boil). Do not stir but shake kettle. Pour into flat pans or trays and skim. Shake occasionally until cold. The shaking is the secret of success. It causes the berries to absorb the syrup and remain plump and whole. Pour into sterilized jars when cold and seal with paraffin. Never cook more than two pints at a time. Beat to shake all the time while cooking and cooling.



CHERRY PRESERVES

1 quart pitted sour cherries
4 cups sugar
1/2 cup light corn syrup
PLACE the cherries in saucepan and cover with the sugar. Mix well. Thoroughly mix in the corn syrup and bring fruit to a boil. Boil 15 minutes shaking the pan occasionally. Pour into flat pan or tray and let stand 24 hours, stirring occasionally. Pour into sterilized jars without further heating and seal with paraffin or adjust cap and process.

PEACH BUTTER

4 cups sliced peaches (about 2 lbs.)
6 cups sugar (2 lbs., 10 oz.)
1/4 cup lemon juice (2 lemons)
1/2 bottle liquid fruit pectin

Peel and pit peaches, slice thin, measure two cups. Place alternate layers of peaches and sugar in a large saucepan. Let stand at room temperature 2 to 4 hours. Squeeze juice from 2 lemons and add 1/4 cup to fruit. Place over high heat and bring to rolling boil. Boil hard 3 minutes, stirring carefully. Remove from heat and at once stir in fruit

pectin. Skim off foam with metal spoon. Then stir and skim for 8 to 10 minutes to cool slightly and prevent floating fruit. Ladle quickly into jar or glasses. One-eighth inch of paraffin can be used.

WEDDING PLANNED

Rebecca Moore, and Gary Lynn Williams plan to be married Saturday July 7th at 3 p. m. in the Central Christian Church at 720 North Main in San Antonio. Friends are invited, and to the reception following in the church parlor.

PEACH PRESERVES

4 1/2 cups prepared fruit (about 3 and 3/4 lbs. peaches)
5 1/2 cups sugar (2 lbs. 6 oz.)
1/4 cup firmly packed brown sugar
2 Tbsp. lemon juice
1/4 tsp. grated lemon rind
1/2 tsp. ginger
1/4 tsp. cinnamon
1/2 tsp. clove
1 box powdered fruit pectin

Peel and pit about 3 3/4 lbs. peaches. Chop very fine or grind. Bring to a boil and simmer, uncovered, 10 minutes. Put fruit pulp through sieve. Measure 4 1/2 cups into very large saucepan. Measure the sugars and set aside. Add lemon juice and rind, ginger, cinnamon and clove to fruit in saucepan. Mix in fruit pectin. Place over high heat and stir until mixture comes to a hard boil. Immediately add sugars and stir. Bring to a full rolling boil and boil hard 1 minute, stirring constantly. Remove from heat and skim off foam with metal spoon. Put quickly into glasses and jars. One-eighth inch of paraffin can be used. This butter sets slowly sometimes.

CORPUS CHRISTI VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewis, Kim and Lana of Corpus Christi spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Check Thomas.

VISIT DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Ford of Sayre, Oklahoma visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hamilton, Jr. last week end.

VISIT IN SNYDER

Rhonda Williams visited Kim Davis in Snyder Thursday through Saturday.

VISITS IN MIDLAND

Nellie Fuller left Friday to visit a few days in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Fuller and family.

HALL VISITORS

Cap and Noble Herman of Sulphur Springs and Mrs. Addie Weir of Ft. Worth visited with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hall, Thursday and Friday.

MIDLAND VISITOR

Brigitte Hamilton visited Med Montgomery in Midland last week.

As It Looks From Here
By Rep. Omar Burleson
Member of Congress, Texas

Washington, D. C. -- On June 18, the U. S. Supreme Court rendered a decision in the case contesting the State Legislature's action in reshaping Congressional Districts.

A three-judge Federal Court in Dallas threw out the Legislature's action and adopted a plan of its own, which was appealed to the U. S. Supreme Court. The judgment of the lower court in Dallas was reversed and instructions issued for the Court to adopt what is known as Plan B, which is neither the apportionment decided by the Texas Legislature nor the Federal Trial Court. Plan B was an alternate arrangement to that adopted by the Dallas Court and varies from the legislative plan.

The 17th Congressional District, composed of 31 counties and represented by Congressman Omar Burleson, was altered by placing San Saba, McCul-

loch and Brown Counties in the Congressional District represented by W. R. (Bob) Poage of Waco. To partially make up the loss of population, Knox, Baylor and Lynn Counties were added on the north and west to District 17.

In addition, portions of Coleman, Comanche and Erath Counties were also placed in the 11th District. The main portions of these three Counties will continue to be in the 17th District, represented by Omar Burleson.

In the case of Parker County, Weatherford and north is placed in the 17th District and the remainder in the 6th District, represented by Olin E. Teague of College Station.

Cooke County is divided between the 4th District, represented by Congressman Ray Roberts of McKinney, and Congressman Omar Burleson of the 17th District.

A small part of Dawson County is placed in Congressman Burleson's 17th District. Dawson County, with this arrangement, is shared between Burleson and Congressman George Mahon.

It is still possible the three - judge Federal Court in Dallas, which retains jurisdiction, could yet make some changes on its own, but it is not likely. The Supreme Court has, in effect, directed that Plan B be approved.

Following the U. S. Supreme Court's decision the Texas Delegation in Congress, meeting with Senator Lloyd Bentsen, was of the mind to not ask for a re-hearing, under a good assumption that something worse could happen.

Commenting further, Burleson said that it is painful to lose people whom he has represented for so long and with whose area and problems he is familiar.

"In this arrangement, with more than 30,000 square miles making up our Congressional District, it is difficult to see people and know them, which I think is funda-

mental and essential to the best representation in the Congress. Naturally one regrets to lose the relationship with friends and constituents in the areas lost to other Congressional Districts. I should add that in all cases where my present constituents are represented by these other Members of Congress, they will have able and dedicated men."

In the new areas added to the 17th District, Burleson said that he welcomed these additions and in the arrangement a community of interest is maintained which is all for the good. The Congressman said that at the earliest opportunity he would be making visits to Baylor, Knox, Lynn, Dawson and Parker Counties, where he looks forward to making new friends and contacts.

Prior to the U. S. Supreme Court's decision, the 17th Congressional District, as drawn by the State Legislature, had a population of 467,912. The ideal number, based on the 1970 Census, is 466,530. Under Plan "B" favored by the Court, the 33 Counties involved in the 17th District will have 466,432.

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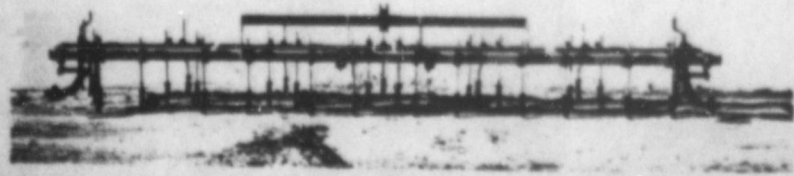
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