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Congressional Battle May Be Looming Over Farm Crop Export Controls

Representative George Mahon reports that a battle is looming in Congress and in the Administration over the issue of export controls on farm crops. He expressed firm opposition to the imposition of such controls. Mahon advises that a number of Members of Congress from non-farm areas are advocating export controls, pointing out that last week there was a vote in the House on an amendment to the Export Administration Act which would have tended to encourage the imposition of export controls on farm commodities. The amendment was defeated; but Mahon predicts that the proposal is just the beginning of what promises to be a continuing struggle over this issue.

Mahon stated that the imposition of export controls on farm crops would be a serious blow to farmers already severely pinched by the cost-price squeeze. He said, "The clamor for export controls is the result of the August 12 estimate by the USDA that the production of corn for 1974 will be 12 percent less than last year and that milo production will be 34 percent below last year's figure. I think that tampering with export controls is not the answer to the problem. The emphasis must be on

more and more production to meet domestic and world needs. If a drastic situation develops at a later date, that would be the time to consider limited action to protect specific domestic needs."

Mahon emphasized that the imposition of export controls on farm crops would not only be a serious setback to farmers, sharply reducing income, but would tend to reduce the incentive to produce and make it more difficult for farmers to finance farming operations. He agreed that the feeders of poultry and livestock would have to take into account increased feed costs in pricing their production. "However, in the long run," he said, "the imposition of export controls would mean less production by farmers and higher costs to the consumer." Mahon believes that the encouragement of greater production is the proper policy for the government to follow.

The Congressman made reference to the vital role of agriculture in supporting stability of the dollar at home and abroad, pointing out that last year would have been a disastrous year for the United States in international trade had it not been for the export of \$19 billion worth of farm commodities.

Area Farmers May Qualify for Crop Disaster Payments Following '74 Drought

Texas farmers who lost all or part of their 1974 crops may begin qualifying for crop disaster payments.

Agriculture Commissioner John C. White reported that farmers who had crop damage due to drought—or other natural disaster—can apply for payments through their county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Office (ASCS).

"It is important, however, that farmers make application before they plow up or destroy the field stubble of existing crops," White reminded.

Farmers can qualify for payments one of two ways. If crops have been totally destroyed, a farmer can file for relief depending upon his crop allotment. White said that an inspector trained by the Federal Crop Insurance Program checks the fields and appraises the damage. Payments are made on his appraisal.

If, however, a farmer can salvage something from his field, he harvests what he can, and the disaster payment becomes the difference between the projected and actual yields.

"This only applies to cotton and feed grains," White noted. "Rice and peanut farmers are not eligible for direct payments. They must

apply for loans through the county ASCS office."

Emergency relief loans have also been made available to some farmers and ranchers through the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA). The rural service agency has surveyed 53 Texas counties and is making loans available to farmers and ranchers in approved counties to cover drought losses.

White said that as of August 20, farmers in Coleman, Erath, Stonewall, Swisher and Taylor counties have been approved by the Secretary of Agriculture for loans repayable at five per cent interest.

Ropes Students Make Dean's List At Texas Tech

A total of 4 Texas Tech University students from Ropesville were recognized for academic achievement during the spring semester and were listed on the deans' honor rolls.

To qualify for the recognition, students must achieve a grade average of 3.0 on a 4 point scale. Included on the honor rolls were Boyce C. Borland, Kirk A. Lewis, John W. Synatschek and James A. Synatschek.

Eagles Kick Off New Season Last Thursday Night

The Eagles started their season off Thursday night with a scrimmage against Frenship. Although Dicki Arrant and Randy Smith were unable to play due to injuries, the rest of the Eagle squad did an excellent job.

These boys really impressed a lot of fans. The turnout to this scrimmage was a good sight to the boys. I am really glad to see all these fans coming out to see our boys. The boys really gave the fans something to yell for. They did a tremendous job both defensively and offensively. Randy Melton made the only score, although we came close early in the game. Defensively Monte Moore and Craig Turner did an outstanding job holding Frenship's line.

The Eagles are going to show everyone their skills again this Friday night, August 30, when they play Petersburg here, in another scrimmage game at 6:30 p.m. Let's all go out and show them that we are backing them all the way. Both the coaches and players have really been working hard this season, so let's show them we appreciate all their hard work. Don't let them down and they won't let us down.

Mrs. Charles Streets and family of Montclair, Calif. They all went to Amarillo to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Dowdy and family, and from there they all went to Greenbelt Lake camping and fishing last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stowe and Keith, formerly of Wilson, moved to Ropesville Saturday. We

Mop and Broom Sale Set by Ropes Lions Club

The Ropes Lions Club will sponsor a mop and broom sale on Wednesday, September 4, 1974 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on the main street. The proceeds from this sale goes to the Lighthouse for the Blind and is conducted in various towns by Lions of Texas. Items featured are: brooms, mops, street brooms, ironing board covers, dishcloths, hot pads, door mats, and many other items.

All this merchandise is made by the blind people and is sold at a reasonable price. Local Lions will be with the truck to serve all customers during the day of the sale. If you need items, but cannot be at Ropes on the day of the sale, contact W.J. Shockley, phone 562-4081, or any other member of the Ropes Lions Club. Your order will be filled and the merchandise saved for you.

You are invited to come out and support this worthwhile cause to aid the blind of Texas, who are working to support themselves.

Fall Fertilizer Picture Bleak

Texas Agricultural producers will likely take a "wait and see" attitude as far as fall application of fertilizer for next year's crop is concerned.

According to Dr. Charles Welch, soil chemist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, "The fertilizer picture is considerably different now compared to a year ago. Last year fertilizer supplies were available and prices were still down. But there has been a complete turnabout in the fertilizer cost situation and in a number of fertilizer materials."

Welch points out that last year conditions were generally favorable for fall application of fertilizer. A good crop year had been completed and farmers had received high prices for their

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DPS Estimates 34 Lives to Be Lost in Texas Labor Day

Colonel Wilson E. Speir, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, today estimated that traffic accidents in Texas over the Labor Day Weekend will claim 34 lives.

Speir noted that traffic deaths in Texas, which earlier were running up to 30% under the 1973 toll, have been rising throughout the summer months. He said the upward trend is related to heavier traffic and an alarming disregard for the 55 mile speed limit.

The DPS director said every effort would be made to prevent accidents and deaths by placing all available DPS troopers on duty during the holiday period which extends from 6 p.m. Friday, August 30, through midnight Monday, September 2.

Speir noted that many local law enforcement agencies will be cooperating in the all out effort to

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NEWS BRIEFS
Dedication of the Tahoka historical marker will be Monday, Sept. 2 at 6 p.m. in front of the local municipal building.

The marker is being financed by the Lions Club and the city of Tahoka.

The 1974 Lynn County Crop Demonstration Tour will be held Tuesday, Sept. 3 at 1:30 p.m. The bus will be on the North side of the Courthouse in Tahoka and will leave at 1:30 p.m. Cotton variety demonstration, verticillium wilt control demonstrations and glandless cotton demonstrations will be visited.

Cindy Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Mitchell of Seagraves, is competing in the national finals of the Miss National Teen-Ager pageant in Atlanta, Ga., Saturday, August 31.

Tickets are now on sale for stage attractions at the 57th annual Panhandle South Plains Fair, slated for Sept. 21-28 in Lubbock.

Tickets are available at Dunlap's in Caprock Center, Luskey's Western Wear, Sears' downtown store and TG&Y Family Center on the Brownfield Highway.

The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station in Lubbock will hold a Field Day on Tuesday, September 10. The special occasion is the 65th for TAES at Lubbock. Founded in 1909, the Experiment Station is two miles north of the Lubbock Regional Airport just off Highway 87.

Ropesville Area News

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Morris of Colorado City recently visited with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carter visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David Redwine and children, of Forsan last week.

Mrs. Vera Bridwell visited in Littlefield last week in the home of her brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bridwell, and also a sister-in-law, Ruth Bridwell. She visited with her children in Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bridwell and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Stamples and Rhonda.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall visited in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hall and family of Littlefield, Saturday. The occasion was to help one of their grandson's celebrate his 13th birthday.

Mrs. Violet Wright, Erma and Steve, visited her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith and baby of Anton Sunday. Then they went to Seagraves to see Mrs. Wright's new granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Moore returned last week from Glen Rose where they attended the Nazarene Camp meeting at Camp Arrowhead. They reported there were over 1,000 in attendance the first night. They also visited Mrs. Moore's brother at De Leon while they were gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Davis of Muleshoe visited his sister, Mrs. Ada Kimberlin, one night last week and they all attended services at the Church of Christ.

Mrs. Emory Hobbs and son Darwin Hobbs of Seagraves attended the Primitive Baptist Association at Cone, Texas, last Saturday. There were 33 preachers there and close to 1,000 in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harris visited recently in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Harris and baby, of Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bridwell spent Monday night in the home of Mrs. Vera Bridwell.

Mrs. Estell Arant and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Mitchell of King City, Calif., and brothers Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tapp and Cleburne Tapp of Lubbock, visited a sister, Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Green of Brownwood, last weekend. All of the brothers and sisters were there except one brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Mitchell of King City, Calif., have been visiting her sister, Estell Arant and his mother, Mrs. Mitchell of Abernathy, and are returning to their home today.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Suter of Lubbock visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Suter, Monday.

Mrs. Ardis Pace of O'Donnell, visited in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Young, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Allen and family, and Sherrie Van Story, went to Littlefield and joined Mrs. Allen's parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. A.R. Streety and Mr. and

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Party Line

with Caran
Eddie McCollum left Monday for Plainview where he will be attending Wayland Baptist College.

Visitors in the home of the L.L. Lindsey's the past two weeks were the Larry Lindsey's of Corpus Christi, Jerry Lindsey of Roll, Arizona, C.A. Baucums of Anson, Floyd Moore of Anson, Kenneth Lindsey of Lubbock, Clark Lindsey of Lubbock, Don Joyner of Fieldton, Son Lindsey of Shallowater, and Linda Lindsey of Vail, Colorado.

King Potter is now in Methodist Hospital. Also Bill Davidson and Kermit Giles are in Methodist. Shirley Teague was rushed to Methodist Hospital Monday and is still there.

Mr. and Mrs. Downey and Mr. and Mrs. E.B. Reed visited in Red Oak last weekend visiting with Geneva Ballew and others. The Reeds remained.

Guests in the W.F. Williamson home were Mrs. Wayne Moore, Tim, and Kristi.

Saturday night guests in the home of W.F. Williamson was Mrs. Ronnie Williams.

Marion Reed from Vega visited the E.B. Reeds last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Surovic of Lubbock were guests of Mrs. Varina Putman Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomas of Lubbock visited Mrs. Putman and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Boozer and family, Mrs. Vleta Raper and daughter of Dimmitt, visited Mrs. Varina Putnam and family, and Mrs. Opal Vaughn Sunday. They attended the birthday dinner honoring Mr. F.L. Evans on his 90th birthday earlier.

Mrs. Judy Sims and daughter, Sunnye Lyn of Goldthwaite, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Vaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Vaughan are visiting the Jimmy Clarks of Dumas.

"Over 50" Club Meets Last Tuesday



"OVER 50" Club members at the last meeting; Henry Mahoney, along with Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Lambert.

The "Over 50" Club met Tuesday, August 27 at 11:30 a.m. in the Shallowater Clubhouse. They had a covered dish luncheon and afterwards enjoyed playing forty-two and other recreations. Some members stay until 3:00 p.m., but you can come and go as you please.

Those present were: Mrs. Karen Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. George Blackmon, Mr. and Mrs. O.A. Lambert, Mrs. Sue Corley, Mrs.

Alberta McMillen, Mrs. Mary E. Casey, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mahoney, Mrs. Esther Lusk, Mrs. Ola Mae Thomas, Mrs. Gladys Emerick, Mrs. Artie Caraway, Mrs. Bee Woodruff, Mrs. Nancy Barbee, Mrs. Bess Wright, Mr. and Mrs. John Shipp, Mrs. Edith Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson, Bro. and Mrs. Allen Cartrite, Mrs. Vivian Lamb, Larry Shields, and a visitor, Mrs. W.G. Gooding from Pampa.

covered with a lovely white cloth centered with a beautiful arrangement of gold mums, topped with 50th anniversary in gold.

Serving in the house party was their grandchildren assisted by Mrs. J.D. Young, Kim Young, and Mrs. Kinsey Young.

There were 125 guests from Dallas, Abilene, Pampa, Olton, Robert Lee, O'Donnell, Fieldton, Anson, Knox City, Brownfield, Ropesville, Corpus Christi, Roll, Arizona, Lubbock, Shallowater and Vail, Colorado.

Services Held in Roby for Father of Local Resident

J.C. "Charlie" Smallwood, 80, of Roby, died Sunday morning at Fisher County Hospital in Rotan, after a lengthy illness.

Services were held in the First Baptist Church in Roby. Burial was in Roby Cemetery under direction of Weatherbee Funeral Home there.

Smallwood was born in Dougsville, Ga., and moved to Roby in 1916 from Mount Vernon, and was married June 12, 1917 to Clara Schindler of Roby.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Jack of Rotan and Harold of Dallas; his daughter, Mrs. Noble Watson of Shallowater; three brothers and three sisters; three grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Cooper School News

The Cooper football scrimmage will be Friday night at 5:30 p.m. The freshmen will play first and the other games will follow. Games will be played at the football field west of the gym. We invite everyone to come and see how great the football teams for this year are going to be.

The Cooper news reporters for this year will be Martha Sport,



Mrs. Christine Robison is the 7th and 8th grade math teacher. She is married and has two children, Tommy age 21 and Shireen age 19. She has never taught Jr. High math before, but thinks Cooper is a great school. She lives in Lubbock at 1920 44th Street.

Darlann Haley, second grade teacher, went to Texas Tech and began her teaching at Cooper in January of last year. She was a substitute in junior high and elementary before being hired.

Debby Haren is a new teacher at Cooper. She grew up in Lubbock

and went to North Texas State University in Denton where she taught last year. She is 22 years old and was married this summer. She really enjoys Cooper and thinks the faculty is very friendly and the students have a nice attitude.

Mr. Kenneth McCabe is the 7th and 8th grade science teacher. This is his first year to teach, and thinks Cooper is a very good school. He is a graduate of Texas Tech, is married, and has no children.

Mrs. McCamey is the special education teacher. She loves to work with children, and the children love her very much. She plans to teach at Cooper all her life. She was impressed by the way we are. She is not married. She find people very friendly at Cooper, and is impressed with the program.

Karen Woodmon is from Huntsville, Texas. This is her second year to teach. She taught the 2nd grade in Houston. She is married and has 2 little girls, Karrie age 5 and shelly age 6.

Kathy Talley is a graduate of Cooper High School (1967). She and her husband Terry have two children, Blake age 5 and Wynde age 3. She graduated from Tech last May with a degree in Elem. Education and PE specialization. This is her first teaching assignment.

Jim Carlin Heads All American Scout Roundup

Texas Tech University's Head Football Coach will head up the All American Roundup for the South Plains Council, Boy Scouts of America, reports Jack Baker, Council President.

Approximately 4500 boys will join the All American Team during the last four months of 1974 in the 22 counties of the South Plains Council.

Boys 8 years of age or in the 3rd grade can join the Cub program. Boys 11 years of age to their 18th birthday may join the Scout program. Young men and young ladies 15 to 20 may join the exciting Explorer program today.

School rallies, camporees as well as many other opportunities for boys to join Scouting will be offered this fall, stated Mr. Baker.

Football is in the air and so is the All American Roundup for Scouting. Join today! Visit a Scout group! If you are not aware of a unit in your neighborhood contact your school principal or call the Council Service Center, 747-2631.

Celebrates Golden Anniversary Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. L.L. Lindsey were honored Sunday afternoon, August 18 in observance of their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

Hosting the reception in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lindsey in Lubbock at 5317 20th St. Those helping were Larry Lindsey of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lindsey of Roll, Arizona, and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lindsey of Lubbock.

The colors were white and gold and carried out all through the decorations. The serving table was

Frenship School Lunch Menu

Monday, September 2
Labor Day Holiday

Tuesday, September 3

Beef Stew
Blushing Pear Half
Biscuits, Butter
Butterscotch Brownies, Milk

Wednesday, September 4

Sliced Pork Roast
Creamed Corn, Spinach
Fruit Cocktail Cup
Hot Rolls, Butter
Oatmeal Cookies, Milk

Thursday, September 5

Burritos
Chopped Lettuce-Celery Salad
Buttered Broccoli
Peach Marshmallow Jello
Raisin-Applesauce Cake, Milk

Friday, September 6

Lemon Buttered Baked Chicken
Mashed Potatoes
French Cut Green Beans
Grapefruit Sections, Apple Cubes
Hot Rolls, Butter
Chocolate Chip Cookies, Milk

Sewing With Today's Thread

For today's homesewers, "sewing a fine seam" with polyester and cotton covered polyester threads sometimes creates problems.

Beverly Rhoades, clothing specialist, Texas Ag Extension Service, has some suggestions to make sewing with them easier.

Since fabric texture, weight and finish affects the stitch appearance, always make a test seam when using the sewing machine.

Each time a different fabric is used, the machine setting will probably have to be changed.

To make a test seam, she advises stitching two eight-inch strips of fabric together. The stitching should look the same on both sides

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First Application Relieves Itchy Skin Rash

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Medicated Zemo quickly relieves itching, irritated skin. Then Zemo helps nature heal and clear red, scaly skin rashes externally caused. For fast relief, get Zemo Ointment or Liquid.



Kathy Black

Kathy Black and Norma Williamson. All are 9th graders and everyone is to turn their news into them on Tuesday.

Helps Shrink Swelling Of Hemorrhoidal Tissues

caused by inflammation

Doctors have found a medication that in many cases gives prompt, temporary relief from pain and burning itch in hemorrhoidal tissues. Then it actually helps shrink swelling of these tissues caused by inflammation. The answer is Preparation H. No prescription is needed for Preparation H. Ointment or suppositories.

Arthritis Sufferers:

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SURPRISE—Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p.m. fifteen people were ready to spring out on Danny Caddell as he walked through the door of the Clifford Conner home. This was the setting of a going away party for Danny because he left Monday morning for Canyon to attend West Texas State College. Guests who were present included Theresa Davis, Mike Beckham, Francis Lamp, Laura Walker, Jay Truelock, Larry Shields, Tony Billings, Cindy Cowart, Jean Shipp, Jana Dopson, and the Clifford Conner family. They were served cake and cold drinks.

Home Highlights

by Jewel P. Robinson
Hockley County Extension Agent
Healthy Personality
The Adolescent

Healthy personality for an adolescent means he is beginning to recognize reality and cope with the practical problems of life.

To nurture a healthy personality in adolescents, adults must understand several basic aspects of man.

Groundbreaking Set For Boys Ranch

After months of planning, committee meetings, and fund raising events, Mr. David Anderson, President of Texas Boys Ranch of Lubbock announced today that construction would commence on the first cottage in early September.

Groundbreaking ceremonies are scheduled for September 14, 1974, at 10:00 a.m. at the ranch site.

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make the streets and highways safe.

In addition, he said the DPS would be working with the news media in a special public education program called "Operation Motorcide." A concerted effort will be made to focus public attention on where and why fatal accidents are occurring during the holiday.

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—Attitude toward self

An adolescent with a healthy personality can recognize more and more how experiences in his past influence his present behavior and reactions.

—Using potentialities

As he matures, a teenager can take himself more and more for granted, and devote his energies to areas and problems beyond his own security and interests. He can go beyond himself to create warm and deep relationships with others.

—Wholeness of personality

His personality takes on a wholeness as the adolescent successfully, but gradually, develops a unifying philosophy of life, to serve as a meaningful, responsible frame for the main activities of his life.

This development is more likely to succeed when others are patient and provide understanding sounding boards for the many problems of values and behavior that adolescents struggle to sort out.

—Achieving responsibility

People with healthy personali-

ties develop a will and ability to choose their own behavior in responsibilities, rather than feeling so compelled to please others that they become slaves to others' desires.

—Perceiving reality

A healthy personality sees reality accurately, distinguishing between phony and real, honest and dishonest. He accepts himself without feeling ashamed of what he is or being shocked at his own shortcomings.

—Mastering environment

Adolescents developing healthy personalities begin taking charge of surroundings by acquiring knowledge, skills, attitudes and abilities to cope with the practical problems of life.

Adults can help fortify healthy personalities in adolescents by setting an example.

Without being phony or hypocritical, be a VIP in a adolescent's life.

The picture an adult gives of his struggle toward a healthy personality is worth much more than anything he says.

Sewing Today . . .

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and be free from puckers.

Reduce thread tension if the fabric puckers. Today's fabrics require rather loose tension, she said.

If the stitch locks or lays on top, reduce the top tension. If it locks on the bottom, increase the top tension to make a balanced stitch.

If the machine and needle are clean and free from defects, the thread is less likely to fray or break.

For easy threading, cut the thread at an angle, never bite or break it. Also, the needle eye should be large enough to accommodate the thread easily.

For a balanced stitch, use the same thread in the top and bottom of the machine, except silk twist which may be used in the needly only.

Homemaker of The Week

The Homemaker for this week is Mrs. Jack (Peggy) Cowart. Both Jack and Peggy were born and raised in Paducah, Texas, and moved to Lubbock in 1953. They moved to Shallowater on May 30, 1968, to 1308 7th St.

The Cowarts have a son, Ron, living in Lubbock, who is married to the former Susan Korchenko of Shallowater. Cindy, 17, is a senior at SHS, and Greg is a second grader.

Jack is a salesman for Ben E. Keith Co., and has been for the past twenty-two years. He also is a substitute school bus driver.

Peggy works where the action is. She is Bookkeeper-Receptionist at the school. The Cowarts are members of the First Baptist Church and Youth Committee. Peggy also serves as Director of Youth II in Sunday School. Peggy and Jack were chosen as senior class sponsors.

Peggy enjoys bowling and reading and when time permits, sewing for the family. She is looking forward to the Shallowater Mustang football season and the Mustang and Fillies basketball season. She enjoys being around young people and thinks we have one of the finest schools in the state. "Shallowater can certainly be proud of our elementary, Jr. High and High School principals for their high moral standards and their dedication to the students. I also believe the students should be commended for their behavior at school and social functions", states Peggy.

Peggy comments, "I enjoy living in Shallowater and appreciate all the benefits of a small town. It's a great feeling to go to the grocery store, bank, coffee shop, or post office and always meet friends who have time to visit a few minutes or at least say a friendly 'hello' and offer a smile."

Peggy uses this illustration about what kind of cook she is:

I didn't have potatoes
So I substituted rice,



I didn't have paprika
So I used another spice.
I didn't have tomato sauce
So I used tomato paste,
A whole can, not half a can,
I don't believe in waste.
A friend gave me the recipe,
She said you couldn't beat it.
There must be something wrong
with her.

I couldn't even eat it.
Peggy would like to share some of her favorite recipes with you.

Toasted Cinnamon Sticks
Cut thick sliced bread into strips, dip in undiluted evaporated milk, then in melted butter. Roll sticks in a mixture of sugar and cinnamon and bake in a hot 425 degree oven for about 20 minutes. For the sugar mixture, use a half cup of sugar and a tablespoon of cinnamon. Bread cuts easier if frozen. Great for after school snacks.

MilkyWay Ice Cream
Makes 5 quarts
Cut 5 Milky-Way candy bars into small pieces and add 10 oz. miniature marshmallows in a heavy saucepan. Melt together an cool. Add 3/4 cup sugar and 1 can Eagle Brand milk. Mix with candy mixture and pour into ice cream freezer. Fill can to "fill line" with homogenized milk.

Wisdom is the art of proportion.

FOOD MARKETING ALERT

USDA
Agricultural Marketing Service

As of mid-August, the food supply situation in September is expected to look like this . . .

RED MEATS —

Beef supplies will be moderately above September 1973. But all of the gain will come from grass-fed cattle, which will move to market in larger volume. Supplies of grain-fed beef will approximate the low level of September 1973.

Pork production should exceed year-earlier rates, but run below the 1970-72 average. Hog slaughter rates should be starting the seasonal increase.

POULTRY & EGGS —

Egg output should be slightly below September 1973 and about 4% under the 1971-73 average.

Broiler-fryers should be down 2% to 4% from last September and 4% to 6% below the 1971-73 average.

Turkey new-crop marketings should be about 2% below September 1973 and about 9% under the 1971-73 average. Cold storage holdings remain at record levels — one-third more than the most recent 3-year average.

MILK & DAIRY PRODUCTS —

Fluid milk, butter, cheese, and nonfat dry milk supplies should be adequate. Although milk production continues to decline seasonally, commercial stocks of the three manufactured items remain above levels of a year ago and the 1971-73 average.

FRUITS, VEGETABLES, NUTS

Bartlett pear supplies will be ample, with output from

California, Oregon, and Washington nearly equal to the 1971-73 average but 6% under 1973.

Prune and plum production in Michigan, Idaho, Washington, and Oregon should be about 10% less than last year and 5% below the 1971-73 average.

California grape supplies will be ample. Production is slightly less than a year ago, but 17% more than the 1971-73 average.

Apples will be ample as the late summer-fall harvest gets underway. The 1974 crop will be slightly under last year's, but about equal to the 1971-73 average.

Canned non-citrus fruits will continue tight, but citrus juices will be plentiful. At the end of July, Florida concentrated orange juice stocks were 20% larger than 1973's abundant supply.

Dried prunes remain ample. This year's production is expected to run 24% less than last year, but be greater than the latest 3-year average.

Raisin supplies will be moderate, due mainly to 1973-crop inventories. That crop was 32% above the 1970-72 average.

Fresh vegetables will be ample and canned vegetables generally adequate. Stocks of most processed tomato products may be heavy.

Frozen vegetables will be in good supply. July 1 stocks were 34% above 1973 and

22% ahead of the 1971-73 average.

Potato supplies are increasing seasonally. The 1974 summer crop is 11% above 1973, and more fall-crop acreage — 7% over 1973 — should boost fall production. July 1 frozen potato stocks were 5% above 1973, but 14% below the 1971-73 average.

Walnuts will be abundant. Production in 1974 should be about 19% less than the large 1973 crop but about equal to the 1971-73 average.

Almond supplies will be more than adequate, since 1974 production is expected to be much larger than both the 1973 and the 1971-73 averages.

Peanuts remain ample. Production in 1974 is expected to be slightly under last year's record crop but larger than the 1971-73 average.

GRAINS & LEGUMES —

Dry bean supplies should be ample, with expected record output 24% above last year and the 1971-73 average. **Dry peas and lentils** should be ample, with dry peas nearly doubling last year's crop and totaling 28% more than the most recent 3-year average. A larger than average lentil crop is expected.

Rice supplies are expected to be fully adequate. A record crop is forecast — 15% above a year ago and 22% above the latest 3-year average.

Wheat will be tight but adequate for U.S. needs. The new crop, mostly harvested, is pegged at a record — 8% above 1973 and 13% over the 1971-73 average.

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SPORTS

by Joe Kelly

Friends, it may be that I'm belaboring a dead cat with an equally dead worm, but any resemblance to pro football by the new WFL is in the imagination of the announcers.

I'm sorry. Maybe it's because age is beginning to take its toll on these tired old orbs, or perhaps it's because I've seen too much football. At any rate, I've seen two games a week for going on a month now and it doesn't seem to get that much better.

Unfortunately for the new league, the veterans of the NFL decided to report back to camp. In little more than a week, they were ready for combat. And it soon became apparent that these gentlemen knew what the game was all about.

In fact, after watching the Miami-Minnesota clash, it was painfully evident that either team would have beaten the best in the WFL a la Bobby Riggs, that is, one hand tied, anchored by a 50-pound cement block and blindfolded to boot.

I would hate to be considered a snob, especially after carefully culturing the other aspect for so many years as a sports writer. And it smacks of snobbery to play down the WFL.

The new league is manfully trying, and the loop gets an A for effort and an A plus for enthusiasm. Unfortunately, experience and execution is lacking. Until the more capable, experienced NFL stars get to the WFL, it will remain a far step behind the NFL.

I didn't get out to see Texas Tech Saturday, finding that rain and sun left too much work to do, but the reports received did indicate that the Red Raiders are alive, well and enthusiastic.

For the coaches, the first three days were painful. They had to work the squad in shorts and helmets, sans pads. Aside from the condition of players and obviously natural talents, it's a teeth-biting period before the players scrimmage.

Unfortunately, it appears to be wasted effort this year, for Denne Freeman, the extremely capable successor to Harold V. Ratliff as AP sports editor, has awarded the title to Texas.

I don't know that a blood transfusion would dilute the Orange in Denne's veins. I'm not sure that I'd want the operation. After all, difference of opinion is what makes horse races. And the Southwest Conference title goes to the team with the most horses.

It's logical that Denne would pick the Horns. I might do the same, were I in his shoes. Still, I question the line of logic he uses. And he had quite a line in Sunday mornings editions.

For instance, A&M can't beat Texas in Austin, except for the time that Bear Bryant did it. And Arkansas is a perennial second because James Street and Company apparently put a jinx on the Razorbacks that has lasted.

As for Tech, the Raiders can't do it because they must play Texas in September and, last year, didn't get over the shock of playing the Longhorns until the second half.

My, my, the Longhorns were so "confident" of winning that they dug out a formation they hadn't used in 10 years. And it wasn't until Rosy Leaks personally took charge late in the game that the Orange felt even a vestige of confidence.

Okay, Denne, have your fun. I'm glad you're going to be in Lubbock Sept. 28. I think that you're going to see just how much of a psychological factor the Horns have going.

I hope Leaks plays in that game, that he starts and goes all the way. I'd hate to have to write that "of course, Texas was without Leaks in the lineup."

Let's not kid ourselves, folks. Tech must play both Iowa State and New Mexico, but these are preliminaries to THE game.

According to the TV news Sunday night, the NCAA was going to slap a two-year probation on SMU in football and one in basketball for violations. The violations, of course, are old knowledge.

SMU admitted, late last year, it's guilty in paying players for tackles, etc. It hoped, naturally, to get off lightly and the ruse succeeded within the conference, which slapped wrists and nothing more than that. The NCAA didn't take as charitable a view, apparently. You hate to see penalties to good friends, but you hate to see the cause for them, too.

When I came home from a week in Sweetwater and points southeast, I found the Texas Tech "media guide" for football. It's an outstanding publication and Ralph Carpenter deserves tremendous credit for another magnificent job.

From cover to cover, the book is attractive, informative and interesting. The Tech football fan ought to buy a book if he wants to be really informed. I'm glad the brochure came to our house.

In an earlier mail was another magazine, the L.L. Bean Fall Catalog. Like spring, when the fall issue arrives, you know that the season is here.

Although the prices stop me on some items, it's a thing of beauty and the articles described are great. Admittedly, much of the material is for folks living in much colder areas, but there's a lot that folks in the Southwest can use. And the company stands behind its products, which means a lot, especially in these days.

Had a letter from old buddy Jim Whitelaw of Saranac Lake, N.Y., this week and the first thing that tumbled out of his letter was a picture of a 2 lb. 4 oz., 12 1/2 inch Rainbow trout.

No, he didn't catch it, but it was taken from a nearby lake and Jim says that he hopes the weather holds so that he can do some fall fishing. Some of the best fishing of the year in that area comes after the tourists have left, as well as before.

Jim writes that "I had my sister out fishing on Miller Pond a few weeks ago and she hooked into two very large pike, both of which snapped her 10-pound test mono as if it were two pounds.

"We never saw either of them but they took off with the power and speed of a drag racer. I'll never forget the expressions on her face! I'm sure that both of these were in the 12-15 pound class and wished that I had been able to get one on myself."

Okay, you good-looking bum, tantalize me! You know I can't do a thing about it until next year—and besides, my wife probably will be like your sister and all I'll get is sunburned, sweaty and bug bitten. But, boy, even to read about it makes you excited.

Well, I've got you in one place. I can watch Texas Tech football and that's pretty doggone enjoyable. And I'll write you about the fun at the Cotton Bowl! Go ahead and write about your fish!

CROSSWORD - - - By A. L. Gordon

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 - 3 - Entertainment media
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 - 13 - Unit
 - 14 - Crystallized vapor
 - 16 - Thing, in law
 - 17 - Freezers
 - 18 - Take legal action
 - 20 - Time period
 - 21 - By way of
 - 23 - Tweakle
 - 26 - Miscues
 - 29 - Have being
 - 30 - Regret
 - 31 - Position
 - 34 - Make harmless
 - 37 - Proverb
 - 38 - Quarrel
 - 39 - Adept athlete
 - 42 - Coin
 - 44 - Fasten
 - 46 - Musical eighth note
 - 48 - To abrade
 - 49 - Devices used in popular sport
- DOWN**
- 1 - Social events
 - 2 - Building extension
 - 3 - Compass point
 - 4 - Baseball team
 - 5 - Senator's yes
 - 6 - Boxing (nis plural)
 - 7 - Taverns
 - 8 - ... the mark!
 - 9 - Oral
 - 10 - Attend
 - 11 - Former French coin
 - 12 - A grating
 - 15 - Moistens
 - 17 - Anger
 - 18 - Title of respect
 - 20 - Levels
 - 22 - Dart
 - 24 - Rodent
 - 25 - Man's name
 - 27 - External
 - 28 - Beginning of recreation
 - 31 - Noisy impact
 - 32 - To surpass
 - 33 - Mrs. Sheep
 - 34 - Standing Room Negative (abb.)
 - 35 - Modest
 - 36 - One's style of writing
 - 40 - Mr. Swan
 - 41 - Time periods
 - 43 - Profit
 - 44 - Comrades
 - 45 - Incumbents
 - 47 - Serpent
 - 48 - Roguish
 - 50 - Ancient Egyptian spirit
 - 51 - Erbium (chem.)
 - 52 - Base on Balls (abb.)
 - 53 - Agricultural Organization (abb.)

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Card of Thanks
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The Ray Levens Family

this verse, we must understand the meaning of the word soul.
Gen. 2:7 tells us that man is a spirit and has a soul.

1 Cor. 15:45 states that Adam was made a living soul.
Heb. 4:12 tells us that the spirit can be separated from the soul.

1 Thess. 5:23 says that our whole spirit, soul, and body should be sanctified and kept blameless until the Lord Jesus comes again.

I believe that our soul contains the mind, will, and emotions. With this in view, in order for our souls to bless the Lord, our soul must experience a spiritual renewal. We have to let the Spirit of God deal with our mind, our wills, and our emotions. So many believers do not realize that the area of the soul gives them more trouble than any other area. And until this area is brought under the control of the Holy Spirit, man will continue walking in despair and confusion.

Is your mind free from fear, worry, and confusion? If not, then you can not totally bless the Lord. Have you given your will to God? Have you allowed your emotions to be touched and healed by God's love?

God is concerned about the whole of man. He wants us to be concerned about our spirit, soul, and body.

We need to join with David, the anointed of God, and tell our souls to bless the Lord.

Ray Levens Services Held Last Saturday

Services for Ray Levens, 58, of Shallowater, were held at 4 p.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church of Shallowater with J.E. Robertson of the Primitive Baptist Church of Abilene, officiating. Assisting was the Rev. Allen Cartrite, pastor.

Burial was in Anton Cemetery under direction of Sanders Funeral Home.

Levens died at 3 a.m. Friday in Methodist Hospital. He had been ill

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Wolfforth Area News

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henry of Wolfforth have been visited by their son, Frank A. Henry III. He has been stationed at Fort Hood and is now going to be stationed in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Simons had a visit this weekend from his brother and wife. They are Mr. and Mrs. O.D. Simons from Houston.

Mrs. W.A. Martin had her son and his wife, Donald and Peggy Martin, from Shallowater here Sunday. They also came for the dedication of the First United Methodist Church building.

Mrs. E.R. Haskins was visited Sunday by two of her children. They are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Haskins and their son, and Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Williams. Both families are from Midland. They were here for the Methodist Church dedication.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Foy and

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Charles and their daughter, spent the weekend in Anson with Mrs. Foy's mother, Mrs. E.P. Parker. While there they visited Mrs. Foy's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Crumpler and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy DeBusk and their daughter Emily were also there. The DeBusk family took the Foy's and the Charles' on a tour to Abilene, to a nearby lake, and to old Fort Phantom Hill. That is where the Indians had war in 1851 during the Civil War when the frontier was patrolled by rangers. Some units of the Frontier Battalion of the Confederacy, led by Col. J.B. Buck Barry, used Fort Phantom Hill as a base for field operations. The buildings are built entirely of stone. The old magazine and some chimneys still remain in tact in the complex.

After that historical visit, the Foy's and Charles' visited Mr. Foy's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Johnson.

Rays of Hope

by Pat Stanton

Are we as Christian believers blessing the Lord with all of our soul?

The Psalmist David, told his soul to bless the Lord, and in fact, he said that he wanted everything within his life to bless the Lord.

Psalm 103:1 "Bless the Lord, O My Soul; and all that is within me, bless his holy name."

If we are to receive the impact of

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welcome them to our town. Mrs. Stowe is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Fry.

Mrs. Ray Martin was taken to Methodist Hospital last Thursday morning. She returned home Monday.

Clyde Loveless was taken back to Methodist Hospital last Friday, at the last report he was doing very well.

Mrs. Loveta Ream has been in the hospital but we understand she went home Tuesday.

Mrs. Ollie Grace of Denver City is in the hospital. She had a stroke last Wednesday and her left side is completely paralyzed. She is a sister of Mrs. Mabel Hobbs.

Congratulations

Mr. and Mrs. H. Joe Schwartz Jr. of Stillwater, Okla., are the parents of a daughter born Wednesday, August 21, at 3:09 p.m. She weighed 7 lbs. 11 oz. and was named Aimee Necole.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. Joe Schwartz Sr. of Ropes, Mrs. Joyce Shannon of Lubbock and Charles Shannon of Ropes.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wright of Seagraves are the parents of a daughter born Sunday, August 25. She weighed 8 lbs. and was named Kristi.

Grandparents are Mrs. Violet Wright of Ropesville and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark of Loop.

Mr. and Mrs. Refugio Guzman of Ropesville are the parents of a daughter born Friday, August 23 in St. Mary's Hospital. She weighed 6 lbs. 5 1/2 oz.

Fall Fertilizer

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commodities. In addition there was growing concern that fertilizer would be scarce in 1974.

"This year producers are faced with a different situation. Fertilizer supplies are limited and what is available is at a high price. Special formulations of fertilizer are almost nonexistent. Producers must often buy a complete fertilizer (one with nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium) regardless of whether or not they need all three nutrients.

"And the percentage of active ingredients is also being reduced in many instances so that it takes a larger volume of fertilizer to provide the necessary nutrients.

This means increased transportation and handling costs."

What all this amounts to, according to Welch, is that producers will have to take a close look at their particular situations to determine their fertilizer needs and time of application. "Soil testing will be especially important in determining profitable fertilization practices for each field and each crop."

Although U.S. fertilizer production was up 6 per cent during the year ending June 30, the amount sold was up 15 to 20 per cent. This means that inventories are now low at the retail level as well as at the manufacturing point.

"Fall fertilization will be a difficult decision for producers to make, so many will probably shy away and wait to see what the spring season brings," points out Welch.

Officers Elected at Ropes High School

Ropes High School has been a very busy place this week. There has been election of class officers and student council officers. Cheerleaders have also been announced. They are:

Cheerleaders: Kelli Lewis,

Head, Senior; Theresa Fry, Senior; Suzann Lowrie, Junior; Debbie Johnson, Junior; Sherri Collins, Junior; Sue Tonn, Alternate.

Student Council: Charles Chambers, President; Dennis Perkins, V-President; Suzann Lowrie, Secretary; Patricia Miller, Treas.

Freshman—Steve Sims, President; Alan Miller, V-President; Erma Montes, Secretary; Kim Lemon and Gracie Flores, Student Council.

Sophomores—Randy Melton, President; Tandy Martin, V-Pres.; Patricia Miller, Secretary; Gay Stephenson, Treas.; Ronnie Kimberlin and Lawana Smith, Student Council.

Juniors—Wes Cox, President; Monte Moore, V-Pres.; Frances Martin, Secretary; Cindy Allen, Treas.; Damico Deleon, Reporter; Debbie Johnson and Tony Thetford, Student Council.

Seniors—Dennis Perkins, Pres.; Charles Chambers, V-Pres.; Cliffla Pettiet, Secretary; Theresa Fry, Treas.; Kayla Odom, Reporter; Sue Tonn and David Redman, Student Council.

FHA Officers—Sue Tonn, Pres.; Kelli Lewis, V-Pres.; Theresa Fry, Secretary; Karen Arp, Treas.; Alisa Sims, Song Leader; Lisa

Reeves, Piano Player; Cliffla Pettiet, Historian; Kayla Odom, Student Council.

Ropes School

Lunch Menu

Monday, September 2
Mexican Rice, Pinto Beans
Lettuce, Tomato, green onion salad, Buttered Spinach
Corn Bread, Butter
Cobbler Pie, Milk

Tuesday, September 3
Chicken Fried Steak and Gravy
Buttered Corn, English Peas
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Rolls, Butter, Milk

Wednesday, September 4
Beef Tips and Brown Gravy
Football Potatoes
Blackeyed Peas, Jello Salad
Rolls, Butter
Coconut Cake, Milk

Thursday, September 5
Fried Chicken and Gravy
Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans
Lettuce Wedge, French Dressing
Rolls, Butter
Rice Krispie Cookies, Milk

Friday, September 6
Barbecued Hot Links
Pinto Beans
Cabbage and Carrot Salad
Corn Bread, Butter
Fruit Cup, Milk

ROPES HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

September 6	Shallowater	There	8:00
September 13	Lorenzo	Here	8:00
September 20	Nazareth	There	8:00
September 27	Wilson	Here	8:00
October 4	Whiteface	There	8:00
October 11	New Home	Here	7:30
October 18	Sundown	There	7:30
October 25	O'Donnell	Here	7:30
November 1	Anton	Here	7:30
November 8	Meadow	There	7:30

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

September 12	Lorenzo	There
September 19	Meadow	There
September 26	Whiteface	There
October 3	Sudan	Here
October 10	New Home	There
October 17	Sundown	Here
October 24	Whiteface	Here
October 31	Anton	There
November 7	Meadow	Here



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OPENINGS FOR 10 POSITIONS

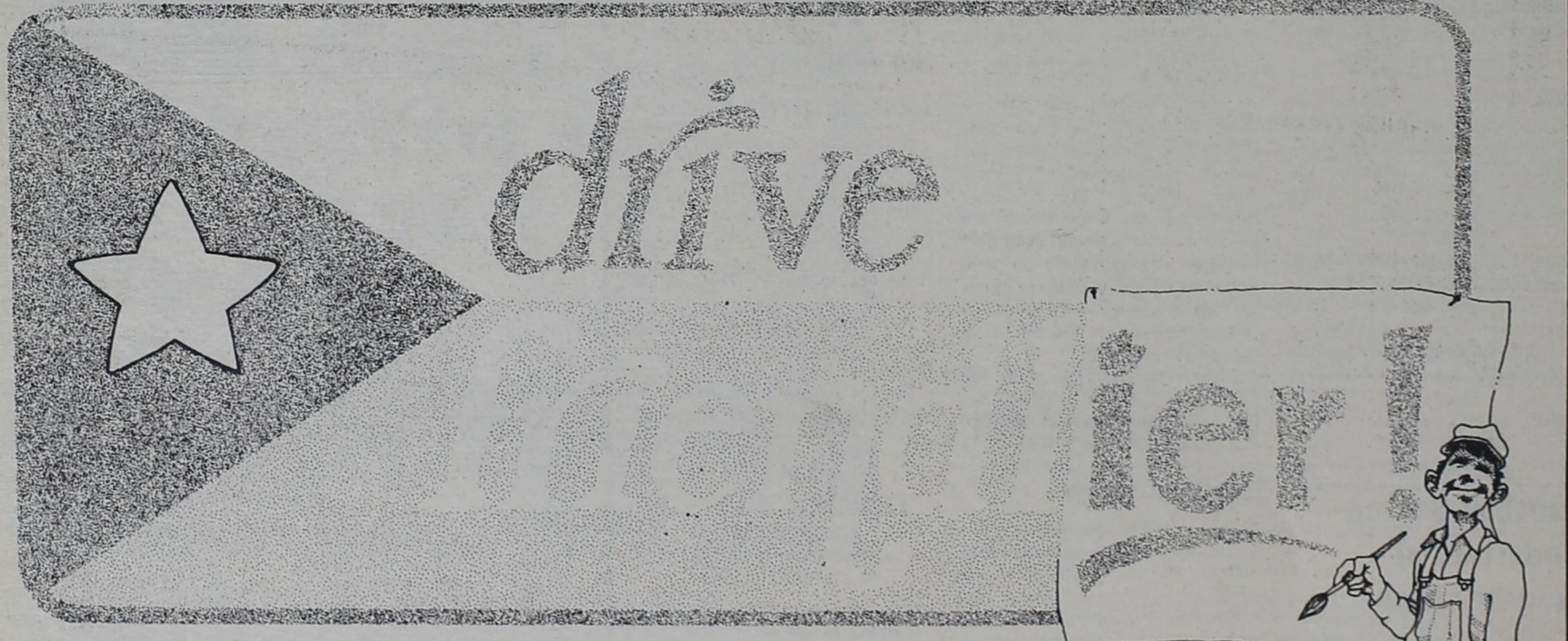
FLEXIBLE HOURS

- COOKS
- HOST
- CASHIERS
- WAITRESSES
- HOSTESSES
- HORSE RIDERS
- DOOR MAN
- DISCOTEQUE MANAGER
- COCKTAIL WAITRESSES
- DISHROOM HELP

INTERVIEWING DAILY
HOURS 9 AM - 4 PM

ASK FOR DOYLE WOODS

MONTEREY SHOPPING CENTER



Last year, traffic accidents on Texas highways during Labor Day Weekend claimed the lives of 31 people. Hundreds more suffered injuries.

Help reduce these numbers this Labor Day Weekend.

It takes extra care. Use your lap and shoulder belts. Observe all rules, and look out for the driver who doesn't.

You might say that, this year, we're asking you to drive friendlier.

Governor's Office of Traffic Safety