Rotary Has Program On Holy Bible

Eagle Lake Rotarians and guests enjoyed an interesting program on the "World Book of Books - the Holy Bible" at their meeting on Wed., Nov. 24th.

Presenting the program were Mrs. Jay (Fay) Anderson, her daughter, Mrs. Cynthia DeLaughter, and Randa Wegenhoft. They are associated with the Upper Room Books & Gifts of Eagle Lake. Jay Anderson was the program chairman for the day.

In addition to bringing a wealth of information about the various versions of the Bible and various bindings available, they also had on display many of the versions of the Bible.

Mrs. Anderson discussed the origin and growth of the English Bible from the Most Ancient Copies through the American Standard Version noting that each is based on foundations provided by earlier editions.

She also told the Rotarians of the Ancient Versions, the Septaugint Version, the translation of the Old Testament Hebrew Scripture into Greek about 285 B.C.; the Samaritan Pentateuch, a version in which the Hebrew text is perpetuated into Samaritan characters; the Peshito or Syriac version, apparently a translation into the common language of certain portions of Syria; and the Vulgate, in which the entire Bible was translated into the Latin language about 400 A.D.

She also talked about the English versions and those who had a part in translating the Bible into its various forms popular in the English language.

Mrs. Wegenhoft read similar passages from three versions so that a comparison might be made of the respective versions.

Mrs. DeLaughter told the group that there are a great variety of bindings, "you generally get what you pay for, but inside, the Word of God is the same." She illustrated the various bindings and covers available and the purposes for which they were intended.

The program was one of the most outstanding presented before the club and on a subject in which all are greatly interested.

President Jim Stansel reminded members of the approaching Christmas party which will be held on Tues., Dec. 14th in the Community Center. An outstanding program in the form of a musical book review will be presented by a group of singers from Wharton County Junior College. The banquet will begin at 7:30 p.m. A short social will be held prior to the meeting beginning at 7 p.m. in the conference room.

RICE DISTRICT SCHOOL MENUS

Mon., Dec. 6: Beef Stroganoff, Pickled Beets, Green Lima Beans, Apricot Crisp, Corn Bread;

Tues., Dec. 7: Pizza, Fiesta Corn, Pickles, Carrots, Almond Butter Cream Cake;

Wed., Dec. 8: Chili Dogs, French Fries/Catsup, Tossed Salad, Orange Juice, Cinnamon Rolls;

Thurs., Dec. 9: Smothered Steak, Rice and Gravy, Frozen Green Beans, Mixed Fruit, Hot Rolls;

Fri., Dec. 10: Smoked Sausage, Macaroni and Cheese, Sauerkraut, Fresh Apples, Lunchroom Bread.

Rice Bag Party Compliments Terry L. Kohleffel

Miss Terry Lynn Kohleffel, bride-elect of Fred H. Knebel, Jr., was honored with a rice bag party on Saturday, Nov. 27 at 2:30 p.m. by Mrs. Raymond Lee Kohleffel and Miss Dina Marie Kohleffel of Austin in the Kohleffel home.

Upon arrival Miss Kohleffel was presented a burgandy rose and baby's breath corsage for the occasion.

As the guests arrived they registered in the bride's book and were seated around the dining room table to fill champagne cups, that were tied with pink ribbon in keeping with the bride's colors, with rice.

The round refreshment table in the den was covered with a white cloth and red coverlet. A Christmas centerpiece with red candles centered the table.

Silver and crystal appointments were used to serve fresh apple cake, tea sandwiches, assorted cookies, nuts, mints, punch and coffee.

Arrangements of Christmas decoration added decor throughout the home.

Special guests were the bride's mother, Mrs. Alvin Kohleffel; the bride's aunts, Mrs. Carl Mattern, Mrs. John Mattern and Miss Elsie Mattern from Columbus; and members of the wedding and house party.

The hostesses' gift to the bride was a Christmas arrangement for her new home.

Gas Tax Low, Property Tax High, Says Bullock

Comptroller Bob Bullock said last week that an analysis by his office of Texas highway financing shows that while Texans pay less at the gas pump for highways than do residents of other states, more of their highway costs show up in local taxes or assessments.

Drivers in this state pay the lowest motor fuel taxes in the country, Bullock noted. However, he added, the percentage of highway money coming from the local property tax in Texas "is more than twice the national average."

The analysis contained in the Comptroller's monthly financial statement includes a look at the McKinsey and Co., Inc. study of the Texas Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

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Miss Deborah Jean Williams, Don M. McGehee To Wed Jan. 1

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh G. Williams, Sr., of Rio Hondo, Texas, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Deborah Jean, to Don M. McGehee. Mr. McGehee is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester M. McGehee.

Miss Williams attended Texas A&I University in Kingsville, Texas and is presently employed by First Financial Advisors Inc. of Houston. Mr. McGehee is currently residing in London, England where he is financial manager of Eastern Hemisphere Operations for King Wilkenson Offshore, Inc.

The couple has chosen January 1, 1977, as their wedding date at the First Baptist Church of Rio Hondo, Texas.

Holiday Events Listed In The Comm. Center

The following are listings in the Eagle Lake Community Center and others for the holiday activities in this community:

Eagle Lake Volunteer Firemen will hold their 13th Ladies Night Banquet and Ball in the Community Center beginning at 7:00 p.m. this Saturday, Dec. 4th.

The Eagle Lake Study Club will hold its annual Christmas meeting at 2:00 p.m. on Wed., Dec. 8th when Mrs. Laurina Matthews will present the program on "Christmas." Hostesses for the meeting will be Mrs. G. D. Reading and Mrs. Joe Lee McCreary.

The Rice High School Raider Band will be honored at a banquet to be held on Thurs., Dec. 9th.

Eagle Lake Rotary Club will hold its annual Ladies' Night Christmas Party on the evening of Tuesday, Dec. 14th when an outstanding program is being planned.

The Eagle Lake Noon Lions Club will hold its Ladies Night Christmas Party on the evening of Thursday, Dec. 16th.

A party for Hospital personnel is scheduled for Friday, Dec. 17th; a private party is booked Sat., Dec. 18th.

During Christmas week, the Square D Dance Club will have a party in the center on Wed., Dec. 22; Gifford-Hill Co. has booked a party Thurs., Dec. 23; a private party is slated Fri., Dec. 24th; and a private party on Sun., Dec. 26th.

The annual New Year's Eve Dance sponsored by Club Montezuma will be an event on New Year's Eve Fri., Dec. 31st.

Other Holiday Activities

Other holiday activities listed with the Headlight include:

Eagle Lake Garden Club will have its Christmas Party at Frank's Place in Schulenburg on Wed., Dec. 8th. Those needing a ride should contact Mrs. Tommie Neiswender.

The Eagle Lake Chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons will have a covered dish luncheon on Wed., Dec. 1st, at noon, as its Christmas activity.

List Activities

Groups desiring to list other holiday activities in the Headlight are asked to call 234-2783.

Keep up with all activities of the Rice School District by reading the Headlight.

Important Flag Days Scheduled In December

The ladies of the Rice Memorial VFW Auxiliary wish to extend to one and all the happiest holiday season ever, and trusting this Bicentennial year has been interesting, informative, and meaningful, and that our renewal of patriotism and flying of our flag will continue in the new year.

Suggested December holidays to display the flag are the following two:

Dec. 7th, 1941 - "Day of Infamy". The unprovoked act of aggression by the Japanese bombing of Pearl Harbor, inlet on the island of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, thereby causing the U.S. to declare war on Japan on Dec. 8, 1941. As it has been said, "Vigilance is the better part of valor."

Dec. 25th - The Birth of Christ. The greatest historical event the world will ever know. Reminding us - For God so loved the world, he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life. John 3:16.

Students and others interested in historical events may want to recall the following dates: Dec. 2nd, 1942 - First Nuclear Reaction; Dec. 15th, Bill of Rights Day; Dec. 17th, 1903 - Wright Bros. First Flight; Dec. 21st, 1620 - Landing of the Pilgrims.

May our hearts abound with thanksgiving to God for our spiritual heritage and this great country of ours.

Fly your flag in appreciation! Courtesy of Mrs. R. J. Armstrong, VFW Auxiliary Patriotic Instructor.

Holiday Guests

Thanksgiving weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Frnka were their children, Lt. Don Frnka, stationed at Ellyson Field, Pensacola, Florida, and Mr. and Mrs. John J. Grigar III of Lockhart.

Dromgooles Host Holiday Get-Together

Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Dromgoole were hosts to an annual Thanksgiving gathering for family and close friends Thursday, November 25.

Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Burns and O. C. Baker from Tyler; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Burns and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Mormon, Leslie and Jason of Buffalo; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams, Matthew, Michele, Mitchel and Monte, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Williams and son Michael, Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Williams, all of Clute; Rev. and Mrs. Bill Grissom, Cullen, Michael, Mary Theresa and Ann Maria, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wilson and son Matthew of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Dromgoole, Jr., the Rev. George Welsch, Mrs. Alice Fogg and Mrs. Weldon Shackleti, all of Eagle Lake.

Holiday Guests

Thanksgiving weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. John Beseda were Mr. and Mrs. John Beseda, Jr., Scott, Todd, Renee and Brett of Killeen; Mr. and Mrs. Stan Huffman, Shawn and Kevin of Stafford; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Huffman of Sugar Land; and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Piwetz and son Mike of Houston.

Study Club Christmas Meet Wed.

Eagle Lake Study Club will have its annual Christmas meeting beginning at 2:00 p.m. next Wed., Dec. 8th in the Community Center.

Mrs. Laurina Matthews will bring a program on "Christmas." Hostesses for the meeting will be Mrs. G. D. Reading and Mrs. Joe Lee McCreary.

Mrs. Dan Thornton, president, will preside.

All members and other interested citizens are invited to attend the meeting.

Thanksgiving Guests

Holiday guests Thursday, November 25 with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Causey were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Halvorsen and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Causey, Jr. of Houston; Mrs. Tom Laughlin and Wade of Denton; Steve Halvorsen of Victoria; Mrs. Halvor Halvorsen of Lexington; Kentucky; Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Williams of McAllen; Mark Causey and a friend of Texas A&M; Mrs. Jean Hunt and Ivan Banfield of Dennison; Mr. and Mrs. George Causey, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Causey, Stacy and Stephanie, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Causey and Mrs. Lucille Reel, all of Eagle Lake.

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Disabled Vets Compensation To Increase

Some 2.2 million veterans receiving compensation for service-connected disabilities from the Veterans Administration will receive an 8 percent increase in their monthly payments as a result of legislation signed into law Sept. 30 by President Ford, according to Ted W. Myatt, VA Regional Director.

The 8 percent increase in monthly rates also was extended to nearly 320,000 surviving spouses and children receiving dependency and indemnity compensation from the VA. These payments go to eligible survivors of veterans who died on active duty or from service-connected causes. Rates range from $250 to $664, based on the veteran's military grade at the time of his death.

The increases are effective Oct. 1 and were reflected for the first time in checks received Nov. 1, Myatt said.

Here For Holiday

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Vana of Waco were Thanksgiving weekend guests of her mother, Mrs. Glen Sunderman.

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GARWOOD AND NADA COMMUNITY NEWS

MRS. J. F. STRUSKA — 758-3352

Post Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Cristynik and sons, Alan and Ricky, hosted a dinner last Sunday. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kana, Sr. of La Grange; Mr. and Mrs. James Brossman, Sheila, Scott and Roxana, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kana, Jr., Pamela, Stephen and Bridget of Schulenburg; Mr. and Mrs. Alex Dugie, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Pawelek, Sharon and Darrell of Panna Maria; Mr. and Mrs. Alex Dugie, Jr., Duane, Gayle, Keith, Ross and Ronald, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Dugie, Deann, Dana and Doran, and Clarence Dugie of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Thames of Houston; Edwin Buxkamper of Columbus; Walter Pawelek of Garwood; Mrs. Frank Cernoch, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bittner and Jeffery Dugie, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Prihoda, Anthony, Janice and Barbara, all of Nada.

Lobpries Dies

Friends extend sympathy to the family and relatives of Mrs. Joe Lobpries who passed away Wednesday evening. Funeral services were held Friday, Nov. 26 at Nada.

A speedy recovery to W. A. Heiner who had surgery in the Eagle Lake hospital last week.

Son Born For Joe Ardis'

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ardis of Odessa announce the arrival of a baby boy, born November 7. He received the name Bryan Joseph.

His grandparents are Mrs. Rosemary Smith and the late Carl Smith of Garwood and Mrs. Ruth Ardis and the late Mr. Ardis of Odessa.

Mrs. R. A. Shoop, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Koenig of Canado, returned Saturday from a visit to her sisters, Miss Flora Hahn and Mrs. Gene Choate in Lovington, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bolog of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Rees last weekend.

Mrs. R. A. Shoop attended a birthday dinner honoring her daughter, Mrs. George Koenig, in the Daniel Kudelka home in Canado last Sunday.

Tony Richter of Houston visited Mrs. Laura Littleton last Friday.

Bridge Club

Mrs. Butch Martin entertained the Monday night bridge club. Invited guests were Mrs. B. F. Turner, Mrs. Clarence Martin and Mrs. Anthony Kallina. Mrs. Clarence Martin won the high score. The hostess served a dessert course preceding the games.

Alexis, Loris Yvette and Lada Lee Bunge of Houston visited their father, Les Bunge, and other relatives during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Lobpries attended the birthday and Thanksgiving Day dinner at the Didner Hall in Eagle Lake honoring Mrs. Lobpries' brother, Oscar Herman. Other relatives and friends also attended the celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Baumgarten were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Green in El Campo.

A speedy recovery to Leo Buxkamper, who is in the Columbus hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vesely and children of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Coale of San Antonio spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Schoellmann.

Attend Baptism

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Tony Pinchback attended the baptism of Jay Cullen at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Brenham. Godparents were Mr. and Mrs. Tony Paul Pinchback of El Campo and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Schroeder of Brenham.

Mrs. Schroeder will be remembered here as Bonnie Pinchback.

Louie Labay Dies

I extend sympathy to the family and relatives of Louie Labay who passed away in Schulenburg last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Muniza of Hungerford were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Swoboda this past Sunday.

Breaks Hip

Get well wishes to Mrs. Meyers who fell and broke her hip and is in a Houston hospital. She is a teacher in the Herrod Elementary School in Houston and Dana Struska is one of her students.

Mrs. Ella Struska spent Thanksgiving Day in Eagle Lake with Mrs. Viola Schilling. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wally Ernst of Huntsville, Mrs. Sarah Pate, and Tommy Pate of Eagle Lake, Diane Watkins of Houston and Clara Bell Grewe.

Mrs. Emma Hawkins and Barbara Hawkins of Houston spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cernoch at Nada.

Glen Schroeders Welcome Son

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Alan Schroeder of Brenham announce the arrival of a baby boy, born at St. Joseph's Hospital in Bryan November 10th. He weighed eight pounds and fourteen ounces and received the name Jay Cullen.

Grandparents are Mrs. Roy Schroeder and the late Roy Schroeder of Brenham and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Pinchback of Garwood. Mrs. Pinchback spent a week with the Schroeders after the baby arrived.

Msgr. Ben Popp and Sister Adelaide of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Swoboda spent Thanksgiving Day in El Campo as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Swoboda and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Staff and son Gary of Ganado were Garwood visitors last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rek and son Kinny of Pasadena and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rek and children of El Campo were Saturday dinner guests of their mother, Mrs. Annie Rek.

Thanksgiving weekend guests of Mrs. J. A. Meismer and Norbert were Mr. and Mrs. Lgon Meismer and sons, Pat and Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Seratte and baby, all of Baytown; Vicky Sullivan and Jeannie Sheffield of Dayton; Mark and Neil Haynes and Sandra Kinkaid of Houston.

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Social Security Wage Base To Increase Jan. 1

The wage base for Social Security will be raised from the current $15,300 to $16,500 beginning January 1, 1977. The tax rate next year remains at 5.85 percent for both employee and employer.

The increase in the wage base will cost both employees and employers $70.20 in taxes for each employee making more than $16,500. The maximum amount to be paid to Social Security taxes next year will be $965.25, up 7.8 percent from this year's maximum of $895.05. Employees making less than $16,500, about five-sixths of all workers, will be unaffected by the increase.

Here For Thanksgiving

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Tate for the Thanksgiving Day holiday were their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Marshall and Cliff, Jeff, Susan and Steven of Brenham; and Mr. and Mrs. Jim R. Harris of Navasota. The Marshalls also visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Marshall, during the holiday.

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HOSPITAL NEWS NOTES

Patients this week (Nov. 29)

Mrs. Hallie Brasher, city
Mrs. Grace Towell, city
Christopher Burrow, city
McKinley Martindale, city
Mrs. Virginia Snelling, city
Miss Lisetta Walker, Altair
Gerald Means, Freeport
Oscar Botard, Sheridan
Mrs. Dottie Lehrer, Garwood
Adolphus Dornon, Garwood

Dismissals:

Morris Milligan, city
Bill Chavis, city
Edward Walker, city
Mrs. Ethel Ward, city
Mrs. Willie Gussmon, city
Mike Flores, city
Mrs. Diana Dowdy, city
Miss Rhonda Satsky, city
Mrs. Jesse Ramirez, city
Jessie Juarez, city
Mrs. Tanya Johnson, city
Willie Gonzales, city
Mrs. Maggie Rhodes, Columbus
Miss Carolyn Giles, Columbus
Mrs. Leontine Zubicek, Cat Spring
Herbert Kiel, Carmine
Mrs. Eva Green, Richmond
Mrs. Lucille Sims, Hallettsville
John Ashley, Sheridan
W. A. Hefner, Garwood
George Picha, Yoakum
Mrs. Jo Ann Culberth, Houston
Dennis Faldyn, Sealy
Mrs. Bess Riblet, Porter

ROCK ISLAND NEWS

MRS. M. I. NICEWANDER

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin McDowell of Loveland, Colorado were visitors here last week and also with relatives in Sheridan. Mrs. McDowell was the former Roine Hanna who left Rock Island in 1921.

Jimmy Smith, a student at T.C.U., and Brian Smith of the U.S. Navy en route to New London, Conn., were guests here last week with their grandmother, Mrs. Helen Ball. She joined them for a Thanksgiving visit in Gladewater with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Smith.

Miss Lavonne Johnson of Austin visited her mother, Mrs. H. A. Johnson, here last week. They joined other family members, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Spann and son of Victoria and Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Goft of Louise for a Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Spann and family in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Larsen's recent guests here have been Miss Karen Larsen of Houston who was here for Thanksgiving and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Campbell and children of Houston.

Mrs. M. I. Nicewander returned home Saturday after a holiday visit in Naples, Texas with the Dan Nicewander family. Other family members there were Mrs. Wm. Dale and two daughters of Cherry Point, North Carolina and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Nicewander and two daughters of Dallas.

Guests here Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Moss were Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Mesecke of Richmond, Mrs. Betty Langston of Houston and Mrs. Susie Spann and son of Victoria.

Son For Roy Lee Girndts

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Girndt of Houston proudly announce the arrival of their first child, a boy, on Thanksgiving Day. Chad Thomas weighed in at six pounds and seven ounces and measured 19 inches long.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hugenroth of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Girndt are the proud grandparents.

Former Rock Is. Supt., Moody Galbreath, Dies

Moody H. Galbreath, 66 years of age, a former school administrator at a number of schools in Southwest Texas, died recently in Anson, Texas.

A native of Rockdale, Galbreath was a former superintendent of the Rock Island School District; a military instructor at San Marcos Military Academy in 1942-1943; and head football coach at Refugio. He had also been principal of Edcouch-Elsa Public Schools and superintendent at Girard from 1950 to 1969.

Mr. and Mrs. Galbreath had many friends in the Rock Island area.

COUNTY AGENT'S NOTEBOOK

By P. JOHNNIE COOPER
Colorado County Agricultural Agent

Prussic Acid Poisoning In Livestock

Frost has occurred in most parts of Colorado County, and this could lead to prussic acid poisoning in livestock grazing certain pasture grasses and forages.

Although many plants contain the toxic material that causes poisoning, those causing the highest mortality in livestock when grazed after they have been frozen and wilted are Johnson and Sudan grasses and sorghum or hybrids of these.

The most dangerous time as far as the grazing of these plants is concerned is following frost when the plant material begins to wilt. Livestock should not be allowed access to the wilted material until it has dried completely. This usually takes three or four days of good sunlight. New plant growth usually becomes nontoxic and can be grazed within 10 days to two weeks following a rain.

As far as prussic acid poisoning is concerned, the poison acts rapidly and can kill animals within minutes. In most acute cases, animals become affected within 10-15 minutes after eating toxic material and can die in two to three minutes. Symptoms may include a brief period of stimulation followed by depression and paralysis. Signs of colic may be present. Stupor (loss of sensibility), difficult breathing and frequent convulsions may result. Death is caused by suffocation since oxygen remains in the blood and is not exchanged to the tissues. This also causes the blood to appear bright red.

To prevent prussic acid poisoning in livestock:

1. Allow plant material affected by frost to dry thoroughly before grazing. This may require a week or more of good sunlight.
2. Feed animals hay or a supplement before turning them in on plants that may contain prussic acid. Animals that are not hungry will not be affected as seriously by toxic material since their intake will be limited.
3. Remove all animals from the pasture if one in the herd shows any signs of poisoning.
4. Call a veterinarian immediately if an animal appears to be poisoned. An antidote to treat affected animals is highly efficient if given early. This product is available from veterinarians.
5. Have suspect plant material checked by the Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratories at College Station or Amarillo. Local veterinarians will be happy to submit samples for you.

The overall key to preventing prussic acid poisoning in livestock is to be aware of plant materials that may cause poisoning and then to keep cattle from grazing such plants until a safe period has passed.

Winterize Your Cows For Profit

With winter approaching, stockmen can take certain steps to "winterize" their cow herd for a more efficient operation.

Efficiency is increased mainly by culling unproductive cows that would otherwise consume costly supplemental feed.

Here are a few steps as part of a cow herd "winterizing" check list:

1. Sell all cows found open in a pregnancy test.
2. Treat eyes for injury, blindness and tumors.
3. Check teeth for excessive wear and decay—both cause problems in eating and loss of weight.
4. Inspect ears for ticks and treat as needed.
5. Treat any cow showing signs of stress from internal parasites.
6. Remove all cows in poor condition since they probably will not conceive next year.
7. Watch for lameness and any other problem in structural soundness that might limit the cow's ability to forage.
8. Check udders and teats for injuries that may limit the milk when the calf does arrive.
9. Search last year's records for health problems that may limit a cow's future usefulness, such as retained placenta, calving difficulty or prolapsed uteri.

"Winterizing" the cow herd is just good, sound management. This saves on supplemental feed and also reduces the competition for range grasses.

Pearl Harbor Fly-In

Famous fighters, bombers and trainers of several nations in World War II will be featured Dec. 5 at a Pearl Harbor Memorial Fly-in at San Marcos Municipal Airport adjoining the Gary Job Corps Center.

The San Marcos Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the fly-in, which is expected to attract warbirds and other private aircraft from a wide area.

Work-Study Program

Veterans who need financial help to continue full time schooling under the GI Bill may be eligible for increased benefit payments under the Veterans Administration's "work-study" program, Ted W. Myatt, VA Regional Director, says.

In reporting this, Myatt pointed out that eligible veterans may earn as much as $625 per semester by working a maximum of 250 hours for the VA under this program.

Home From Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cassady returned recently from a two and one-half weeks trip through numerous western states. They reported that the most interesting places that they visited were Casper, Wyoming, Salt Lake City, Utah, and Colorado Springs, Colorado.

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