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Rain Dampens County Farms

Scattered showers dotted the Lamb County area early Wednesday morning, bringing varied amounts of rain.

Age Gin in Amherst reported farmers in the Amherst area reporting anything from .07 to an inch.

Farmers in the Fieldton area reported .09 and Spade reported just a half an inch.

Littlefield's official weather station reported .41 in its gauge. Station reported .70 and Hart residents reported 1.40.

Charter Banquet Lions Tonight

District Governor of Lions International 2-72 will present the charter to the Early Risers Lions Club at a ladies' night charter banquet at 7:30 in the Littlefield Junior School Cafeteria.

Man of the banquet, Cliff Smith, the TexAnn from South Plains in Levelland will present the memento. Ed Flood, past district governor of 2-71 will speak. Don Avery the Littlefield Noon Lions will be master of ceremonies.

Numerous 2-72 cabinet members and district governors are expected to present for the presentation of the charter.

Officers for the new club are David A. president; Bill Weige, first vice president; Larry Sanderson, second vice president; Cliff Smith, third vice president; Robert Richards, secretary-treasurer; Jimmy Drake, lion tamer; Clayton, tail twister; and R. M. (Ner) Nicholas and James Blackwell, lions.

Chicken friend steak, baked potatoes, beans, tossed salad, hot rolls and cobbler are on the menu.

Benny Saenz Wins Contest

Benny Saenz is the winner of the News-Football Contest for the week.

Saenz correctly predicted the outcome of 16 games, and then beat McLelland on the tie-breakers. Saenz will receive \$5, while McLelland will receive \$3.

Andy Hall won third place and \$2 by predicting the outcome of 13 games. He picked 13 winners and was tied at number with Elaine Turner, the Swan, Lewis Willey and Roy.

The easiest game to predict was the Field-Silverton clash. Not a single contestant missed picking Littlefield. Dimmitt-Muleshoe and Amherst games were the most often missed. Dimmitt dropped Muleshoe and Amherst bettered Sudan.

The top 98 contestants for the first week.

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Railroad Crossing To Undergo Change

Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad crossing at US 385 in Littlefield will undergo a change in the type of crossing project that have been planned for the Lubbock District, according to the Texas Highway Commission.

Part of a program authorized by the Legislature, the six projects will cost an estimated \$116,000.

The Littlefield project is to cost an estimated \$24,000.

According to spokesmen for the Highway Department in Littlefield, they have not received any specifics as to when the job will be done.

Bradley, supervising resident engineer for Littlefield, has stated that the new crossing could either be a diver signal light overhanging the intersection, or a gate that swings down to stop traffic prior to arrival of trains.

The final decision on the type of signal to be installed will be made after the high-

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Local Option Petitions 'Uncertified To Date' Due To Current State Of Voters' Registration



★ THE GOLDEN TRAP, symbol of football superiority between Littlefield and Levelland, rests securely in the grasp of Randy Cook (left) and Kenny Owens, Wildcat captains this year who helped win it last year. Levelland comes to Littlefield tomorrow at 8 p.m. to try to win the Trap back. (Staff Photo) ★

Commissioners' Court Grants Raises To Elected Officials, County Help

Lamb County Judge G. T. Sides and commissioners Jack Peel, A. J. Spain, Buddy Free and Hubert Dykes authorized an increase in salaries for themselves, other elective officials and county employees in a budget setting session Monday.

Salary increases for county employees were set at a maximum of \$600 increase, leaving the exact amount up to each individual official. The raises are to be effective Oct. 1 of this year.

After authorizing elective officials' salary increases from \$300 to \$900 per year, effective Nov. 1 of this year, the commissioners' court set a public hearing on the matter for 10 a. m. Oct. 8.

The following scale of increases is set for elected officials:

- County Judge from \$7,500 to \$8,400
- County Clerk from \$6,450 to \$7,350
- County Sheriff from \$7,200 to \$8,000
- County Attorney from \$6,450 to \$7,200
- County Treasurer from \$5,880 to \$6,780
- District Clerk from \$5,880 to \$6,780
- Assessor-Collector from \$6,900 to \$7,400
- Commissioner prec. 1 from \$6,900 to \$7,500

- Commissioner prec. 2 from \$6,600 to \$7,500
- Commissioner prec. 3 from \$6,600 to \$7,500
- Commissioner prec. 4 from \$6,600 to \$7,500
- J. P. precinct 4 from \$6,250 to \$6,780
- J. P. precinct 5 from \$2,100 to \$2,400

In addition to the above salaries, the county judge gets \$900 travel expenses, the county clerk gets \$900 travel expenses and the tax assessor-collector gets \$1,500 travel expenses.

Other salary increases include: \$600 annual to the county judge's secretary, the sheriff's five field deputies, the secretary to the county attorney and J. P. precinct 4, two deputies in the tax assessor collector's office and a part time deputy, the county clerk's chief deputy and four other deputies, the district clerk's deputy, county precinct employees.

Raises of \$300 annually to other precinct employees, \$400 to the sheriff's office deputy, \$200 in travel expenses for the associate county agent and home demonstration agent, \$600 to secretary for the extension office, \$300 to veterans' service officer, \$450 to county librarian, \$450 to assistant county librarian, \$850 for maintenance foreman and increase of monthly salary from \$80 a month to \$87.50 for custodian of city dump.

In other action commissioners approved the list of delinquent tax rolls for 1974, approved the supplemental tax roll, approved the delinquent taxes and real property rolls, and approved the errors in assessments.

A change of voting places from the Claude Cook home to the Farmers Coop Gin in Sudan was approved. J. J. Coker was named election judge and Hollis Cain named alternate for voting precinct 13.



LION JACK YORK looks on while Mayor J. E. Chisholm signs a paper proclaiming Saturday, Sept. 15, as "Lions Club Broom Sale Day" in Littlefield. York, who is in charge of the sale this year, said that the Caravan for the Blind will again be stationed in front of the First National Bank this Saturday, and Lions will canvass the residential area with numerous items for sale. (Staff Photo)

The question of whether or not enough names were obtained on petitions to call another local option election is still up in the air after a lengthy meeting of the commissioners' court Monday and Tuesday.

County Clerk Mary Beth Willey told the court Monday that she had certified 710 of the necessary 743, and that at that time she found that she was unable to certify the petitions due to the existing state of the official copy of the current list of registered voters.

In the Monday meeting the court voted that no further action could be taken until a new and updated list of certified voters was supplied to the county clerk. Upon receipt of a new list, Mrs. Willey was to attempt to certify from the total of 933 names on the petition.

Due to some misunderstandings between commissioners and parties interested in both sides of the question, the commissioners called another meeting for Tuesday "to discuss the current state of the voter registration list."

After a lengthy meeting Tuesday afternoon, the commissioners' court instructed Herbert Dunn, tax assessor-collector, and Mary Beth Willey, county clerk, to keep working on the petitions and certify what names could be certified "as fast and efficiently" as possible.

If the necessary number of names are certified, commissioners said they will probably set the local option election at the next regular meeting which will be Oct. 8.

The delay is due to numerous errors on the current voter registration list which is done through a computer print out service in Waxahachie.

The errors include numerous names and numbers and addresses on voter

registration cards with no record of the persons ever having applied for registration on file in the tax office. A sample list of 24 voter registration certificates of persons who signed the petitions were presented to the court, yet no record of the registrations could be found on file.

In trying to certify the petitions, Mrs. Willey said she found more than 70 duplications. Many of the persons signing the petitions had two numbers, some three, one had four numbers and one had five.

In several instances, petitions signers' numbers listed on their cards belonged to another registered voter in some other part of the county.

"I don't see how I can certify one way or the other, since the voter list is not up to date," Mrs. Willey said.

Herbert Dunn said he thought it would be possible to get an accurate list to check the petitions against. If necessary, he said the registration certificates could be checked against his duplicate cards or the application list.

Commissioners said the discrepancies in the voter list has been felt all the way to Austin. "How is anyone going to be able to certify or not certify?" one commissioner questioned.

Those seeking the election threatened to contest the certification citing several examples of persons' losing their constitutional right to petition and vote due to the inaccuracy of the present voters' list.

"We're not saying the petition isn't any good," Judge G. T. Sides said. "The petition is as good 60 days from now as it is today. There is no division in the court. We'll certify that there are or that there are not enough names to bring the issue to a vote at a future date."

Civil Appeals Court Denies Hearing Motion

The Court of Civil Appeals for the Seventh District in Amarillo last week turned down General Telephone Company's request for a re-hearing in the company's case against the cities of Littlefield, Amherst and Anton. The Amarillo Court had previously ruled against the company in its request for increased rates and the latest action of the court Tuesday, Sept. 4, reaffirmed that decision.

The company is seeking to increase service rates from \$5.45 to \$9.15 for one-party lines in the city; and from \$8.25 to \$18.30 for rural four-party lines.

The cities were granted an injunction against the company earlier this year, preventing the increase. The company countered with a petition for a temporary injunction against the cities' present rates.

Rad Richardson of Littlefield, district manager for General Telephone, stated that the company could not invest additional capital into the three-city exchange without an adequate rate return.

General Telephone executives have not indicated what their next step will be.

According to City Attorney Ted Sansom, the company could file a brief for consideration by the Texas Supreme Court, and the city would file a brief in response to that.

The State Supreme Court would either (1) approve the Amarillo Court's decision without hearing the case (2) hear the case and affirm the Amarillo Court's decision, or (3) hear the case and reverse the Amarillo Court's decision.

Wildcats Seek To Keep Trap

The Littlefield Wildcats popped Silverton 62-0 Friday night, but they won't have much time to enjoy their victory. The Levelland Lobos come to Wildcat Stadium tomorrow and will have all engines operating at full speed. Revenge should be a factor. The Cats swamped Levelland a year ago 34-6, and won the coveted Golden Trap. Each year, the Trap goes to the winning school, and symbolizes the rivalry

between the teams. The Lobos can be counted onto their best effort to win it back.

"Levelland is very much improved," said Cat Head Coach Jerry Blakely at the Littlefield Quarterback Club meeting Tuesday. "Their defense is especially tough. Last week, they limited Andrews to eight points, and Andrews is supposed to be a good AAA

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Trustees Hear Reports

A three and a half page report by Choir Director Koma Sue Donworth on the "sequence of events leading to the deterioration of the choral music program in the Littlefield Public High School for Fall Semester 1973" highlighted the Monday meeting of the Littlefield School Trustees.

The overflow crowd that packed into the tiny meeting room consisted of an almost equal number of dissatisfied

choir parents and an equal number of teachers and administrators.

The problem as presented to the board by Mrs. Donworth revolved around the fact that there are now two periods of choir in high school as opposed to the one class in past years. The two periods of choir, according to Mrs. Donworth, "makes it impossible to establish group rapport, present a competitive choir for

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Spade P-TA Begins Year

Spade P-TA met for its first meeting of the year Thursday night, Sept. 6.

The meeting opened with the "Pledge of Allegiance" being led by Willie Martin, president, and students from the second and third grades. Invocation was by Mrs. Kenneth Wood.

Mrs. Pat Moberley led the group in a singing of songs from yester year, closing with the song "School Days". Kelly Moberley accompanied on the piano.

Introduction of teachers was made by Joe Bailey. The in-

roduction of P-TA officers and chairman was made by Willie Martin.

Mintues of last meeting were read and approved, and the treasurer's report was given and filed for audit.

The Association voted to pay for assemblies for school.

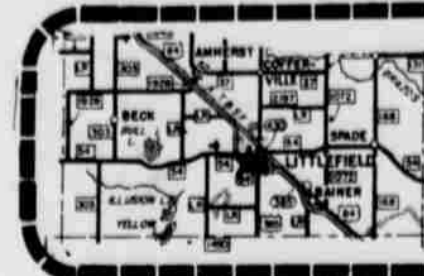
The budget for the year was given by Jeanine Thompson.

The program for the year was presented by Ruth Ivins, program Chairman.

Sept. 6-Introduction of Teachers and officers
Oct. 4-Mental Health
Nov. 1-Film on Venereal Disease

Dec. 6-Question and answer session with County Clerk
Feb. 7-Patriotic program
March-Drug Abuse
April-Style Show
May-Installation of Officers
Jeanette Offield was elected secretary to replace Susie Sotelo who moved during the summer.

Members discussed the Halloween Carnival and garage sale, and after the meeting was adjourned, watermelon was served in luncheon room by Senior Class Mothers.



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MRS. JOHN A. PRICE 385-4957

REV. AND MRS. Roy Shahan of San Angelo were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pryor Hammons. Rev. Shahan is a former pastor of First Baptist Church here from 1938 to 1943. He has also served here as

interim pastor on two occasions. The church held a fellowship following services Sunday night, when the Shahans were honored.

MR. AND MRS. Roger Kendall were called to Dublin over the weekend where they attended funeral services for his grandmother.

had as her guests, Mrs. Lola Simpson daughter, Frances of Worth. While they were there they visited with Mrs. Moberley, Ruidoso, N.M., for a few days and then on to Austin where they visited another Mrs. N. J. Dillard husband, Mrs. Moberley accompanied them home last week, and then went to Dallas and visited with daughter, Mrs. G. Throckmorton and family.

MR. AND MRS. Moberley returned home last week from a trip to Mexico.

Census Survey Set Next Week

The Bureau of the Census will survey a sample of households in this area the week of Sept. 17-21 asking about immunization against selected diseases.

The immunization survey, conducted nationally every year, provides data on immunization against influenza, smallpox, polio, diphtheria, whooping cough, tetanus, measles, and mumps. The survey this year will also gather information about chickenpox, diabetes, and certain chronic lung and heart conditions. Results of the survey provide information needed for administration of health programs geared to disease prevention.

MRS. MARJORIE COOK of New Braunfels is visiting in the home of Mrs. John A. Price.

MR. AND MRS. Ewing Thaxton were in Hereford Saturday where they spent the day visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Billy Bankston and family.

MRS. W. E. BASS has as her house guests, her sister, Mrs. Rudine Gallian of Modesto, Calif. She arrived last Saturday and plans to be here several weeks.

MRS. KATIE GREEN joined her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Lloyd of Borger Saturday, on a trip to Tucson, Ariz. They are visiting in the home of the Lloyd's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Bassette. Bassette is a professor in the University there and she is a teacher in Tucson Public Schools.

MRS. ORA MARTIN spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs. W. G. Perry who is a patient in a convalescent home. She also visited her sister, Mrs. Ruth Tims.

MRS. WILSON COX had as her guest over the weekend, her father, L. B. Stevenson Sr. of Monahans. Her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Steven Cox of Lubbock came over Sunday for the day.

MR. AND MRS. Dale McLaugh of Clarendon, former residents, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fitzgerald last Thursday and Friday.

MRS. ROBBIE PASS is expected to return home today from Truth or Consequences, N.M., where she attended the funeral services for a sister-in-law, Mrs. Paul Sparkman, who died Sunday night. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Fern Roberts and son of Comanche, Okla.

MRS. DOSS MANER has

Information supplied by individuals taking part in the survey is held confidential by law and is used only to compile statistical totals.

Results of the monthly employment survey provide data on conditions in the labor force, prime indicators of the economic health of the country. For example, the Bureau of Labor Statistics reported that the July survey showed the unemployment rate to be 4.7 percent, essentially the same as in June (4.8 percent), when it fell below 5 percent for the first time in a little more than 3 years. Total employment was unchanged in July at 84.6 million, which was an increase of 2.9 million over July a year earlier.

Allen Williams 'Distinguished' At Texas A&M

Lon Allen Williams of Littlefield has been named a Distinguished Student in veterinary medicine at Texas A&M University, according to Dean George C. Shelton.

Williams is a second-year student in the College of Veterinary Medicine professional program leading to a doctor of veterinary medicine degree.

Distinguished student status is awarded to students who earn a 3.25 or better grade point ration out of a possible 4.0 during the summer trimester period, Dean Shelton explained.

Williams is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Aaron J. Williams of Littlefield.

Delta County Reunion Set

The annual Delta County Reunion will be held Sunday, Sept. 16 in the District I Club House, 5012 50th Street in Lubbock.

All persons who are former Delta County residents are invited.

Activities begin at 10 a.m. Cash prizes will be given to the person traveling the farthest distance, to the largest family present and the oldest person attending.

Those who attend are asked to bring their lunch for a mass picnic lunch at 12:30.



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Chi Chapter of Beta Phi held its first of the calendar year Sept. 4.

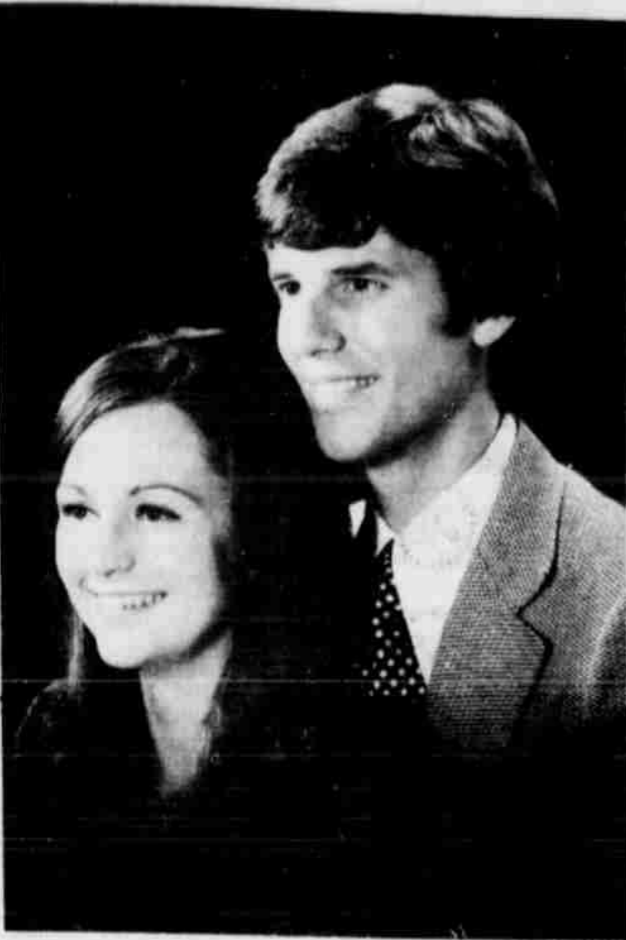
Kendall, president, led for the meeting.

new committee members discussed plans for 1973-74 year and gave reports.

members celebrated Day with a food supper and afterwards.

Dot presented each sister with a gift from National Park she worked this past year.

members present were Kendall, Lynn Winkler, Stephens, Gayle Mills, Vaughn, Dot Simmons and Kay Roper.



TONYA BINGHAM AND BARRY CURREY

Bingham-Currey Wedding Planned

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Dave Bingham of Littlefield announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Mary Tonya Bingham, to Barry Joe Currey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keith Currey of Abilene.

The couple plans to wed Dec. 29, in the First United Methodist Church in Littlefield.

An announcement tea honoring Miss Bingham was given Saturday afternoon, Sept. 8 by her mother, Mrs. Elton Dave Bingham and her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Stanley Alexander Doss of Littlefield.

Receiving hours were from 3 p.m. until 5 p.m. in the Doss home. Receiving guests with Mrs. Doss and Mrs. Bingham were the honoree, Tonya; Mrs. Jack Keith Currey of Abilene, the prospective groom's mother; Miss Vilas Thriess Bingham, the bride-elect's sister; and Mrs. James Wesley Emfinger of Littlefield, maternal great-grandmother of the bride-elect.

Guests were registered by Mrs. David Goen of Littlefield, cousin of the bride-elect.

The tea table was laid with a white imported linen cloth with appointments of silver and crystal. Centering the table was an arrangement of pink asters and garnett sweetheart roses mixed with babies' breath.

Members of the house party included Mrs. Norman Emfinger, great-aunt of the bride-elect; Mrs. Frank Anzeline, Jack Farr, James Gowdy, Hugo Kinkler, Paul McCormick, Flannery Newton, Gene Pratt, Frank Rogers,

News about our Lamb County Neighbors in

OLTON

MRS. W. B. SMITH, JR. 285-2385

MR. AND MRS. HALL is back at home following tests and treatment in Littlefield Hospital.

THERE IS TO BE A housewarming for Mr. and Mrs. Don Cursbourn Sunday, Sept. 16, following the worship

Homemakers Organized

OLTON—Young Homemakers chapter was organized in Olton Monday night with officers elected and tentative plans made for the coming year's activities.

Mrs. Gary Turner was named president of the newly founded organization.

Other officers are Mrs. Alan Brown, first vice-president and program chairman; Mrs. Dennis Mandrell, second vice-president (refreshments); Mrs. Eugene Griffin, third vice-president (projects); Mrs. Dewey Hukill, fourth vice-president (music); Mrs. Larry Digby, secretary; Mrs. Tommy Hancock, treasurer; Mrs. John Paul Jones, parliamentarian and Mrs. Robert Struve, reporter.

Several interesting, worthwhile and fun programs have been planned and anyone interested in becoming a member is invited to contact Mrs. Turner or one of the sponsors, Mrs. H. B. Maxey Jr. or Jodie Seaborn.

Approximately 25 persons attended the initial meeting. The next meeting is slated for Oct. 1

service at Main Street Church of Christ. Friends and relatives are invited.

C. M. OWEN has returned to the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Granbery, following treatment at Central Plains General Hospital.

MRS. RICHARD ROBERSON has returned home from Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview.

MRS. I. B. HOLT has returned home from Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview, where she underwent major surgery.

TOM WITTEN has reentered Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview for more treatments.

MR. AND MRS. W. B. Smith Jr. returned home Friday from Albuquerque, N.M., where they were guests in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bonner and Sean. Labor Day they attended the Fiesta in Santa Fe, N.M.

CONGRATULATIONS to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Williams on the birth of a baby girl, Melinda Diane, Aug. 14. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Givens and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams.

CONGRATULATIONS to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Struve on

the birth of their new grandson, Dennis Wayne Stiles, born Aug. 24 at Hi-Plains Hospital in Hale Center. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. John Stiles.

MRS. PATSY FRANKLIN has returned home after spending ten days in the Littlefield Hospital.

MRS. ALLAN ANDREW will be complimented Saturday, Sept. 15, with a bridal coffee in the home of Mrs. Owen Jones from 9:30 to 11:30.

RECENT GUESTS of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dickenson Sr. were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Brownie Dickenson, Gail and Karen of Midland.

MISS MARY AIGAKI of Galveston visited recently in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Aigaki.

MR. AND MRS. J. C. Roberson have returned home after receiving treatment several days in Central Plains Hospital in Plainview.

JIM KEY and Kenny Spain visited recently with Steve Stockdale in Colorado Springs, Colo.

RECENT HOUSE guests of Mrs. George Bohner were here nephews and families Mr. and Mrs. Jack Webb of Pasadena and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Patterson of Memphis, Tenn.

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MRS. LESTER LA GRANGE

246-3336

AS A. J. MOTE and wife were in Hugo, Colo. for wedding of their son and daughter, Ronnie (Butch) Mote and Miss Louisa Toss. Others for the Saturday party were Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Mote, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Mote and Mrs. S. L. Mote.

MRS. A. O. DICKSON spent a week with her sister, Mrs. Ruth Land in Oklahoma City. She is ill.

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GUEST of her sister, Mrs. W. M. Tomes was Mrs. J. J. Frost of Vernon. She and Mrs. Bessie McAlister of Vernon

cousins, Miss Chloe Harris and Mrs. Homer Harper. Mr. and Mrs. Harper met her in Seymour when she arrived early last week.

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accompanied Mrs. Ethel Bell. They attended the Reynolds family reunion held at the community center Sunday, Forty-six attended.

THE RESIDENTS of Fieldton community enjoyed a barbecue Saturday evening on the Dickey Hopping farm, under the trees on Blackwater Draw. For the barbecue, two deer, two hogs and four goats were barbecued and served with all the trimmings to approximately 200 attending.

GUESTS of her sister, Mrs. Effie Veach at Amherst Manor Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Sumner of Carlsbad, N.M.

MRS. ETHEL BELL of Vernon is visiting her sister, Mrs. Pearl Blanchard.

RECENT GUESTS of their mother, Mrs. B. O. Shavor at Amherst Manor were Mrs. Betty Fay Thacker of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dickinson of Tatum, N.M.

VISITING her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Willson Saturday, were their daughter Sheryl and Hoyt Wauhob, students at Wayland College in Plainview.

THE REVIVAL meeting at the First Baptist Church will be held Sept. 16-23rd. The Rev. Hugh Jack Norwood, evangelist of Tahoka will deliver the sermons. Jerry Hoover of Muleshoe will lead the music. The Sunday services will be held at the regular hours and the weekday services 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Cottage prayer meetings are being held this week.

LAST WEEK the Season of Prayer for state missions was observed Tuesday and Wednesday nights and Thursday morning at the First Baptist Church.

Fieldton News

MR. AND MRS. Monroe Sosebee, their son Leslie and a granddaughter from Weatherford spent last weekend with her brother Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan.

MR. AND MRS. Ray Muller, Roger and Michael spent the weekend at Big Springs with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hayse and family.

MRS. GLENN BLACKMON has visited several times in the past week with her mother Mrs. Katie Brown of Shallowater who is a patient in the Highland hospital in Lubbock.

MRS. ARCHIE HOWARD was released Thursday from the South Plains Hospital in Amherst after spending several days there.

MRS. RICK McCOWN and Mrs. Minnie Ball of Floydada visited Wednesday with Mrs. R. O. McCown.

MR. AND MRS. W. T. Mitchell of Weatherford are visiting with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan.

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SUNDAY, AUG. 16
LAMB COUNTY Sheriff's Posse will hold its monthly playday, beginning at 1 p.m. in the Playday arena near the County Livestock Show Barns. Spectators may view the show free of charge, but participants will be charged an entry fee per event.

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OBITUARIES

RAY BANKS

Funeral services for Ray Banks, 71, of Springlake, who died Sunday morning in Littlefield Hospital following an apparent heart attack at his home, were conducted Tuesday afternoon at the Springlake Church of Christ.

Officiating was Morgan Sturgess, minister from Tulsa, and Rev. Glenn Smith, pastor of the Springlake Baptist Church.

Burial was in the Springlake Cemetery with Parsons-Elliott-Singleton Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Banks was born in Missouri and was a retired farmer. He had lived in the Springlake area 40 years. He was a member of the Springlake Church of Christ.

Surviving are his wife, Maggie; two sons, Jimmy Ray Banks of Springlake and Leroy Banks of Channing; two sisters, Mrs. Pansy Dent of Earth and Mrs. Edith Woods of Carrollton; four brothers, Arnold Banks of Lubbock, Kenneth Banks of Anaheim, Calif., Joe Banks of Plano and Dwight Banks of Hereford; and seven grandchildren.

EUGENE ENLOE

Services for Eugene M. Enloe, 69, longtime Amherst resident who died about 1:30 a. m. Saturday in South Plains Hospital in Amherst, following a long illness, were conducted Monday afternoon in the First Baptist Church of Amherst.

Rev. Glenn Willson, pastor, and Rev. Benny Goss of Littlefield officiated.

Burial was in Littlefield Memorial Park with Payne Funeral Home of Amherst in charge of arrangements.

Enloe was born in McKinney and had lived in Amherst since 1945, except for two years when he had lived in Archer City to teach music. He owned a service station in Amherst, but had taught singing schools throughout West Texas.

Surviving are his wife, Jewel, of the home; a son, M. Sgt. J. E. Enloe of Wichita, Kan.; a daughter, Mrs. Lennie Ray Sanderson of Littlefield; four sisters, Mrs. Myrtle Walker of Archer City, Mrs. Ethel Burdett of Lamesa, Mrs. Martha High of Olney and Mrs. Vivian Sizemore of Fort Worth; two brothers, J. R. Enloe of Vernon and John Enloe of Amherst; seven granddaughters; and several nieces and nephews. Nephews served as pallbearers.

MARTIN VAN EXUM

Services for longtime Littlefield resident, Martin Van Exum, 83, who died Sunday morning, Sept. 9, at Medical Arts Hospital, were conducted Monday afternoon in the Missionary Baptist Church of Littlefield.

Rev. Ronnie Williams, pastor, officiated.

Burial was in Littlefield Cemetery with Hammons Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Exum was born Aug. 1, 1891 in Texas and had lived in Littlefield 35 years. He was a retired water well driller, and a veteran of World War I.

Surviving are his wife, Lela; two daughters, including Evelyn Ray Collins of Littlefield; a son Martin Exum of Snow Mesa, Colo.; three sisters; two brothers; and five grandchildren.

JOHN HUTCHINS HAYHURST

Funeral services for John Hutchins Hayhurst, 77, a longtime Littlefield resident who died Sunday morning, Sept. 9, in Medical Arts Hospital, were conducted Tuesday afternoon in Hammons Funeral Home Chapel.

Officiating was Rev. Dennis Heard of Wellington.

Graveside services were conducted Wednesday morning in Wellington Cemetery with Kelso Funeral Home in charge of final arrangements.

Hayhurst was born in Wellington, and had lived in Lamb County 31 years. He was a retired farmer.

Surviving are a son, W. M. Hayhurst of Amarillo; two daughters, Mrs. Dora Lou Madison of Edinburg, Ind., and Mrs. Mary Helen Feagley of Littlefield; a brother, Ken Hayhurst of Fresno, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Julia Jones of Modesto, Calif., and Mrs. Louiseale Strentz of Conway, Ark.; 10 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

VERA FREE

Funeral services for Mrs. Vera Free, 71, of Littlefield, who died at 2 a. m. in the Littlefield Hospitality House following a lengthy illness, were conducted Friday morning at the Elliott Funeral Home.

Rev. H. E. Terry of Temple Baptist Church officiated, and burial was in the Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Free was born Mar. 3, 1902 in O'Brien, and married W. Henry Free in 1947. She had been a long time employe of the Abilene State School, and had lived in Littlefield since 1969.

Surviving are a brother, Elzie Boil; two step-daughters, Mrs. J. L. Elmore of Midland and Mrs. Jack Fulwiler of Abilene; and several nieces and nephews.

J.F. HOWARD

Funeral services for J. F. Howard, 67, of Olton, who died at 10:34 p. m. Saturday, Sept. 8, in High Plains Hospital in Hale Center, were conducted Tuesday afternoon in the First Assembly of God Church in Plainview.

Rev. R. A. Tomlin, pastor of the Plainview Church of God and Rev. Jerry Roberts, pastor of the First Assembly of God Church, officiated.

Burial was in the Olton Cemetery with Wood-Dunning Funeral Home of Plainview in charge of arrangements.

Howard was a native of Sayre, Okla., and went to Olton in 1920. He was a farmer and a member of the Church of God in Plainview.

Surviving are his wife, Ruthie Marie; a son, Melvin Howard of Fort Sumner, N.M.; a daughter, Mrs. Anthony Henegar of Clovis, N.M.; three sisters, Ruby Crosby of Olton, Mrs. Tom Lunday of Steamboat Springs, Colo. and Mrs. Joe B. Schinbaugh of Pharr; a brother, Lester Howard of Olton; and three grandchildren.

BILLY CHARLES KING

Funeral services for Billy Charles King, 19, of Dimmitt, who was killed about 10 p. m. Friday, Sept. 7, in an automobile accident one mile east of Amherst, were conducted Monday afternoon at the First Baptist Church of Dimmitt.

Rev. Don Murray of Denver, Colo., and Rev. John Street, pastor of the Dimmitt First Baptist Church, officiated.

Burial was in the Muleshoe Cemetery with Dennis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

King was employed by Joe Fry Electric Company in Lubbock.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles King of Dimmitt; two sisters, Mrs. Delinea Alsop of Muleshoe and Mrs. Cynthia Simpson of Dimmitt; and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Lane of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. King of Muleshoe.

BESSIE MOBLEY

Services for Mrs. Bessie Dale Mobley, 82, of Lubbock, who died at 3:30 a. m. Saturday in West Texas Hospital, were conducted Monday afternoon in the Primitive Baptist Church in Lubbock.

Mrs. Mobley had been a resident of Lubbock several years, going there from Tucumcari, N.M., where she had operated a motel about 13 years.

Her husband, Robert Mobley, died in 1946.

Officiating were Elder Bernard Gowens and Elder Jimmy Bass, both of the Primitive Baptist Church in Muleshoe.

Burial was in the Littlefield Cemetery with Rix Funeral Directors of Lubbock in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Mobley was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church of Tucumcari.

Surviving are three sons, Otis R. Mobley and Lester S. Mobley both of Tucumcari, and Cecil A. Mobley of Denver City; two daughters, Mrs. Iona N. Walker of Lubbock and Mrs. Wanda Hunter of Slaton; three sisters, Mrs. Ina Mae Coats and Mrs. Mae Hamilton, both of Rockport and Mrs. Annie Harvey of Dickens; 18 grandchildren; and 22 great-grandchildren.

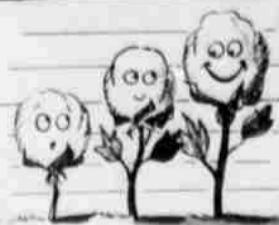
GEORGE F. PARKER

Funeral services for George Franklin Parker, 84, of Olton, who died at about 4:30 p. m. Monday afternoon, Sept. 10, in the E. O. Nichols Hospital in Plainview,

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DEAR EDITOR

What Our Readers Think

Dear Editor,

I am sure that the people that signed the new petitions to legalize the sale of liquor in Precinct 4 would like to know what is going on. I thought I would try and explain it to them in this letter.

We got 913 names on the petitions, but the County Clerk couldn't certify them due to the fact that the voters registration is in such a mess. It seems that either our tax assessor or data processing, one or the other, or both have got things in one big mess. Some people that are registered are not on the current list and some are under someone else's number. It is almost impossible to tell if anyone is a voter.

I met with the County Commissioners today and they decided not to certify the petitions until our tax assessor can get a new up-to-date voters' registration list, which could take a very long time. There is no excuse for our tax assessor's office to be in this kind of shape. I am sure that in a Court of Law that we could certify, and if it should come to this, we just may very well do it.

To have a voters registration in this kind of shape could very well take your right to vote and petition away from you. The only reason I can think of for this to happen is because we, as citizens, have not done our job. Any elected official is working for the people that pay taxes. It is our job to see that these people do their job as well as an employee that works for us.

We have elections after elections that the people that govern our town and county have run unopposed. We should get interested in our town and county and see that we have the right people to run it. Be sure that they run it in the way that it should be run as we the taxpayers, are paying the bills.

If we ever hope to do anything with our state and federal government we will have to start at home. So why not see if our tax office is run right and if our

were pending at presstime with Parsons Funeral Home in Olton.

Parker was a native of Raleigh, N.C. and had been an Olton resident 29 years. He was a retired farmer.

Surviving are his wife, Vernie; two sons, Howard Parker of California; three daughters, Mrs. Nerine Bagwell of Casper, Wyo., Mrs. Mary Billingham of Jemez Springs, N.M., and Mrs. Luci Cornell of Claremore, Okla.; a brother, Leonard Parker of Albuquerque, N.M.; 11 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

JEFF SMITH

Jeff Smith, 85, of Spur, died Sunday afternoon, Sept. 9, following a brief illness at his home in Spur.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon in the First Baptist Church. Officiating were Rev. Norris Taylor, pastor, and Rev. Billy Smith of Lubbock.

Burial was in the Spur Cemetery with Campbell Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Smith was a native of Franklin and had been a resident of Dickens County since 1899. He was married to Mollie McBroom Dec. 15, 1912 in Dickens County.

He was a farmer and a charter member of the Dry Lake Baptist Church near Spur.

Surviving are his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Fred Delisle of Lubbock and Mrs. Forrest Martin of Littlefield; a son, Bernard Smith of Lubbock; a brother, M. V. Smith of Lamesa; seven grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren and a great-great-grandchild.

commissioners are doing the things the way we want them. This is your county and town, your are paying the bills so why let a few people run it their way.

I have hopes that our commissioners and county judge will see the shape that the voters registration list is in and try to do what 913 people in Precinct 4 want done. If they should decide to make it hard on us, we will petition from now on or win. When I believe in something, I stay after it until I win. A winner never quits and a quitter never wins.

I am a strong believer in legalized liquor sales in that it helps everyone in our town in one way or another. People that drink have always drunk, even if they have to make it. In our town and county people have always sold beer, wine and liquor. We have never had any kind of tax money from it.

We sure could use some taxes in our school system as it is in a bad way. If we don't teach our children what life and government is all about, who will run our county tomorrow.

The whole county and all our businessmen should be for this issue. I am sure that if they understand what it is all about we would already have legalized liquor. We would not have the illegal sales that we have now. We would have a lot more tax dollars to use in places that we need them. So don't give up just because of the few obstacles that we have run up against. Because we can win in the long run.

Thanks
Yours very truly,
s/Charles Ary
Charles Ary
Box 542
Littlefield, Texas

September 7, 1973

Miss Joella Lovvorn
News Editor
The Lamb County Leader-News
Box 72
Littlefield, Texas 79339

Dear Miss Lovvorn:

The 29th Boys Ranch Rodeo is now history, but before the dust settles in the arena, many thanks to you and your staff for the fine help you gave the boys with the advance publicity.

At the first performance, Sunday, so many people turned out that the boys hawking popcorn and soft drinks had a little trouble finding aisles to walk through. The crowd was slightly smaller at the second performance but it was still an excellent attendance for a Monday show. We estimated over 9,000 people during both days and certainly a lot of the credit for this fine turnout must go to you folks for the announcements that were made in The Lamb County Leader-News.

I don't suppose any of our boys ever tried harder to put on a good show for so many people, and in their behalf thanks again for helping them this year. I do hope you and your family will go to the Ranch whenever you can.

Sincerely,
CAL FARLEY'S BOYS RANCH
s/Louie Hendricks
Louie Hendricks

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THE ABUNDANT LIFE

No False Hope



HOPE IS ONE of the most helpful and necessary life ingredients. Of course, this must be a real or justified hope; or the end may be worse than the beginning. Pretending that there is hope, when there is none, can be, and often is disastrous.

It is just as hurtful to assume an attitude of despair. In fact, as long as there is any chance to be made, we must let our attitude be hopeful; but there must be no "false hope". The eventual damage is too great.

WE CAN BE HONESTLY mistaken, and will be in some instances. This, however, is quite different from the deliberate "false hope" which we may be inclined to assume for temporary sustaining power.

When we are honestly mistaken, the disappointment hurts; and it may be very difficult to handle.

The wise action is to condition ourselves for these possibilities by facing the reality that such disappointment is possible. We can, and we must do this; because it will help, and takes nothing away from the value of justified hope. A "false hope" which may be pretense, or a complete lack of understanding is not helpful to us.

ADMITTEDLY, HOPE IS one of our greatest blessings; but it inevitably ends in the very deepest despair when it is not justified hope; nor properly supported with truth and knowledgeable action.

Some people say that hope is "only a more gentle name for fear". Others say that it is "a delusion", and some say that it is a "flatterer".

These observations must have come from "false hope", because they do not

apply to a sound and wisely established and supported hope.

HOPE IS VERY HELPFUL, but it is an available life quality; but not exactly the way many may wish it to be. It is not a magical happening, as has been stated, it is not an assumption. It must exist within the structure of personal integrity, knowledge of the acceptance of reality, and without pretense.

The hope we establish and maintain can be "real" hope, and not "false" hope; but it must be hope that is understandably related to reality.

THERE ARE GOOD PEOPLE who are always saying that everything "comes out" or "turns out" all right, for their reasons for saying this are clearly seen, but you and I know this is an unrealistic view.

Some things do not "turn out" right, and if we assume that that will, we set up "false hope".

AN OPTIMISTIC ATTITUDE essential to effective living, but it is not to be confused with hope.

We must maintain "an inclination" put the most favorable construction upon actions and happenings, and anticipate the "best possible outcome". This, however, is not hope.

WE MUST REMEMBER that "hope" for the future that is not based on knowledge and right effort is a present is a "false hope".

NOTHING HURTS MORE than that is "Not" hope.

P.S. We miss everybody, and send best wishes. -bw



HOMINY GRITS

By CORNBALL BLEVINS

SURE HOPE OUR football team recovers from last week's game in time to be able to play ball this coming Friday night. Believe me it's going to be different!

I'm told that last week's mis-match came about as a result of a last-minute cancellation last year. Silverton was substituted, and the contract had to be for two years. As I understand it, this year's game fulfilled said contract.

WE HAVE TO HAND it to the coaches! They tried to keep the score down (played everyone but the pep squad) but it was no contest from the beginning.

As it happened, our first team hardly got any practice. (About 12 offensive plays, I think.) That's bad, considering this week's opponent!

WE HAD TO ADMIRE the Silverton group, though. They've got spunk. They even came back on the field, after the half. They're certainly NOT quitters.

Guess we'll have to wait 'til this Friday night to find out what kind of team WE have. If I know our southern neighbor, they'll be comin' this way with blood in their eyes.

HOW WELL I remember '35. They beat us like a drum! It was small con-

solation that we took the game by

feit. (Ineligible men)

Anyway, I betcha the 'Cats had be ready!

SEEMS SOME OF the Little people are uptight about some of the rated films being confiscated, from the tone of the letters, you'd think the dissenters were too old to be in of sex education. Guess some never learn?

FROM WHAT I HEAR, the program in our high school has been crippled. Seems to have run into conflict with English, band, and sports. Guess this is unimportant, seeing as it affects a couple dozen kids. The unless one of the kids happens to yours?

Perhaps we need to combine some of these subjects. We could do Shakespeare to music, let the band march to it, and the choir could sing for the "fight" song at pep rallies.

AFTER ALL, FROM what I remember about "Mid-Summer Night Dream" and "Hamlet", that ought to make ANYBODY want to fight!

Turn Row COMMENTS

By EMIL MACHO

COTTON IS STILL going up according to this week's report from the Agricultural Marketing Service. Cotton in our area has now gone up to \$55.95 per hundred on Strict Low Middling Light Spotted (42) with 32 or an inch staple and premium mike (3.5 to 4.9).

We are having 50 cents per pound hog round contracts being offered for cotton produced in this area.

Looks like the Japanese merchants are trying to get a corner on the American cotton market like the Soviet Union did on the wheat.

Growers on the Texas Plains and around Harlingen showed an increased interest in contracting the 1974 crop, but the volume contracted was light. In general, the prices offered for 1974 cotton crop were a bit lower than last week.

In the central Texas area, yield in some locations will be cut to less than half expected because of root rot. Many farmers have had many acres of cotton die before the cotton had a chance to mature.

MILO PRICE ON local markets seem to be on the upswing again.

HEARD A CAN-You-Top-This story the other day. It seemed that this couple came from another city, namely Dallas, to attend a wedding. They had gone into the church of a particular denomination and beginning to take note that the faces around them were not familiar, so the gentleman asked the usher if there was another church of the same faith in the community. He was informed that there was not, then he asked if a certain couple was getting married. The usher informed him that they were not and that they had gotten married a week before.

DON'T FORGET the field day at the Halfway Research Center between Olton and Plainview.

THE AVERAGE TAXPAYER probably finds it difficult to compare the size of the 1974 budget of \$1.5 billion. But broken down to what spending costs each family in the U.S., more than \$3,800, the budget is viewed in a more personal perspective.

The average American household's share of the 1974 budget is \$3,811, which is more than 76 percent higher than federal spending per household 30 years ago. Even the cost of spending this money keeps going up. The household would have to cough up \$100 this year just to cover the cost of operating the government, an increase of 130 percent over the 1964 cost of \$34.

FOR WHAT IT IS WORTH, preference for the clog or platform shoe has resulted in a dramatic increase in the number of women injured in Foot specialists warn that the girl in high platform fashion runs a high increased risk of a twisted ankle. The platform shoe is supremely dangerous according to the Podiatry Association of the State of New York. Designer Tosato agrees.

With the speed of life what if the clogs are dangerous because they hang on.

WE HAVE BEEN told that the government is going to put a lot of money into a new rocket and... has it that it will be named the "Servant"... you can't fire it... work... and it'll cost the taxpayer's fortune.

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FIRST pep-rally is at 1. The seventh, and ninth grade will be competing for a stick. We want a lot backing up the Mighty for '73-74.

Week the LjH Band has practicing for the Pep Way To Go Band!!!

WEEK we asked the question, "What is meaning of Spirit?" Ogerly-Where a kids show the Mighty're behind em all the

The Hazards of Science
By Mr. Dusek
A green little chemist
On a green little day mixed some green little chemicals
In a green little way. The green little grasses
Now tenderly wave O'er the green little chemist's Green little grave???

Second period Freshman Science-Water Faucets?!!
Coach Hooper and Carter-Watermelons???

Happy Birthday-Marilyn Cowen and Pat Moreno!!!
Go CATS, BEAT TAHOKA!!!
Have a good week and...Go Mighty Wildcats!!!

Amherst News

THE TEXAS TOPS Club 102—formerly the Be Little Club of Littlefield was well represented when they were guests of the Earth Tops Club for a salad supper held at the City Hall Tuesday night last week. Those attending were Rose Zybura, Mildred Smiley, Norma Holtcamp, Hazel Davis, Virginia Nichols, Oleta Lott, Audrey Long, Lola Watson, Marce Demel, Lil Pollard, Jenice Pollard and Zoye Risinger. Games were played and partners were chosen in a weight challenge to be reported at an area meeting to be held in Plainview Oct. 13.

MRS. GEORGE BUTLER and Anna B. left by plane from Lubbock Monday morning for a visit with relatives in Minnesota and Michigan.

MRS. HARVIE MESSAMORE and Mrs. W. P. Holland attended the opening of the Mall in Earth Tuesday evening of last week.

WEEKEND GUESTS of Mrs. E. F. Nuttall were here son Leroy of Friona and grandchildren Shonda and Kevin of Clovis.

Prison Rodeo, A Unique Event

The rodeo at Huntsville each Sunday in October is unique in a lot of ways.

First of all, it's a prison rodeo, which makes it one of a kind in Texas.

Convict women competing in featured events adds yet another dimension, while the presence of a group called the "redshirts" ties it all up in a neat bow.

These three groups—the cowboys, cowgirls and redshirts comprise the featured main attractions in the rodeo arena.

Well, not quite. The Texas Prison Rodeo—in its 42nd year—is unique in another way, too. Free-worlders heading to Huntsville in October can make it an all-day affair by visiting a midway complex in front of the main prison unit located adjacent to the rodeo stadium starting at 9 a.m. each Sunday.

If your musical taste runs in the country western vein, you're in luck—three c&w inmate groups alternate every 30 minutes in the real crowd-pleaser on the midway.

"Behind The Walls", a stereo album featuring original songs written, composed and orchestrated by Texas Department of Corrections inmates, will be sold at the midway for \$4—a first for the prison rodeo.

Other midway attractions include:

—A weightlifting exhibition featuring TDC's best lifters.

—A precision drill team from the prison system's Retrieve Unit—named the High Rollers—will return for the second year in a row on the midway entertainment card.

—A photo booth that features a "prison cell" as a background for rodeo patrons to purchase polaroid pictures. This booth is operated by the Inmate Welfare Club, an inmate supported and oriented organization.

—An art booth. Inmate art—oils, watercolors, pastels, etc.—will be on display and for sale for the first time in rodeo history.

—Adding to all of this will be several carnival type game activities open to the public.

The midway will be open all day long, but a pre-rodeo arena show will get underway at 12:30 p.m. that will feature country western inmate groups.

Refreshment stands will be located throughout the midway area.

The riding events get underway at 2 p.m. with the traditional grand entry parade.

Ticket information may be received by writing to the Rodeo Ticket Office, Box 99, Huntsville, Texas 77340.

Bill Nelson Enlists In Air Force

William Earl (Bill) Nelson, 23, of Ozark, Ark., Littlefield High High School graduate, enlisted in the Air Force 180-day Delayed Enlistment Program Aug. 28th, according to MSgt. Bob Newbold of Fort Smith, Air Force recruiter.

A 1972 graduate of Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Nelson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nelson of Route 2, Ozark.

He will enter active duty Nov. 16 and will be commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Air Force upon completion of 90 days of Officers Training School at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio. He will then enter 52 weeks of pilot training to earn his pilot's wings.

Nelson and his wife, the former Cheryl Lasiter of Littlefield, reside at 314 North Fourth in Ozark.

BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

The High Plains Bookmobile will be in this area next week.

Wednesday, Sept. 19:
Whiteface #1, 9:30-10:30;
Whiteface #2, 10:30-11:30;
Lehman, 11:05-11:30; Bledsoe, 12-1:30; and Maple, 2:15-3:15.

Thursday, Sept. 20:
West Camp, 9:15-10:15; Lariat, 10:30-11:30; and Bovina, 12-3:30.

Friday, Sept. 21:
Lums Chapel, 10-10:45; Spade, 12-1:30; Hart Camp, 1:45-2:30; and Fieldton, 2:45-3:30.

Saturday Sept. 22:
Olton, 9:30-11:45 and Amherst, 1:15-3:30.

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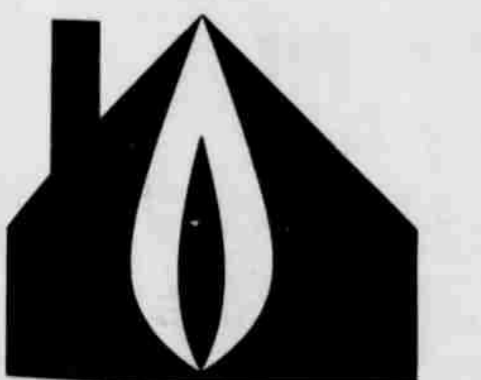
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 University Interscholastic League Competition and impossible to teach because there is not a balance of voices in either class." Mrs. Donworth also stated that the reason "The choir parents and I are here tonight is because for two years I have fought to maintain the quality that you make me do when you say please go to UIL, but this is impossible now."

After Mrs. Donworth read her paper to the board and interested audience, High School Principal Jack York explained why there are two choir periods this year. York stated, "my main concern in two choir periods was to get as many people into choir as I possibly could. My whole sole purpose of splitting the choir was to get more students into the choir than we have had. If we kill one period of choir, we'll lose students and if we kill the other period, we'll also lose students. I hate to kill a class when some of those kids in choir can't make the switch from one class period to another due to conflicts in solid subjects."

Ken Largent, assistant high school principal, said that "Mrs. Roycroft (high school counselor) and I were involved in going through and scheduling these kids in the first place, and we tried to put as many of them in choir as possible, but when their

schedules would not work out, then the academics came first."

"When I told those 6th period kids on the first day of school that they would have to go into different English or Biology classes, it was possible at that time to do it," added Mrs. Donworth. There were two girls who would have to drop another elective to stay in choir, and at that time, they indicated that they would stay in choir. But a week later, they said "no," we want to keep our schedule the way it is."

"The point I'm making here is that those (sixth period) kids at one point could have all gone into the fourth period with the possible exception of those two. I'm just trying to protect those kids up there."

"Koma Sue," added York, "that's what my interest is too—kids. The only priority we have is the academic courses. We work the electives in where we can, but we won't put 24 or 25 kids in one English class and only 9 in another. We'll try to balance them out."

After much discussion on what to do concerning the two choir periods, Glen Batson made a motion, "to leave it as it is, or leave it up to the discretion of the administration to change it." The motion passed unanimously.

Daryl Rountree, Wildlife Band Director, also appeared before the

board to present an update on the status of the high school band program.

In other matters before the board, Mrs. Lena Lewis was unanimously approved as part time instructor at the high school; Supt. Paul I. Jones informed the board that he would be attending the Texas Association of School Administrators meeting in San Antonio Sept. 30-Oct. 1; the financial statement was approved; and a resolution was passed to borrow money from a bank to meet the September payroll.

A motion was approved to hold further school board meetings in the high school study hall. A motion was approved to allow teachers three days of professional leave (with the teacher paying the substitute) each year with no penalty to sick leave time, and all principals who are now in the final year of their contract were awarded a one year extension. They are Jim Settles, Tommy Brawley, Forrest Martin and Jack Christian.

All board members were present except Werner Birkelbach. Also attending the meeting were York, Mrs. Donworth, Byron Ford, Tommy Brawley, Raymond Roycroft, Ima Roycroft, Warren Donworth, Bruce Peel, Benny Zahn, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Sisson, Rountree, Leon Burch, Troy Gardner, Mrs. Toby Walker, Paul I. Jones and Sid Hopping.



MR. AND MRS. Ray Decker and family of Pep, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Albus and Mr. and Mrs. William Albus of Lubbock and Fred Albus Jr. enjoyed a fish fry at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Albus Sept. 2.

MR. AND MRS. Clarence Albus Jr. and son of Lubbock visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Albus over the Labor day weekend.

MR. AND MRS. Franklin Green and Mrs. Valeria Shannon attended the Golden Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hertel of Rhinelead Sept. 2.

DAVE SHANNON, Johnny and Fayette Demel, Larry and Roger Vick fished at Possum Kingdom Lake over the Labor Day Weekend.

MR. AND MRS. Conrad Demel and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lupton of Hereford. Other guests for the day were: Pam Lupton and Tony Lupton of Lubbock, Mrs. E. J. Meyer of Buffalo, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Jim Meyer and son of Joplin, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maddox and daughter of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Alley of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Demel of Littlefield and Billy Earl of Tulsa Sept. 2.

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MRS. CONRAD DEMEL and Mrs. E. J. Meyer visited with Ed Meyer who is a patient at Cook Memorial Hospital on Sept. 10.

Living Plants Breathe Life Into Home

Living plants often breathe "house life" into home life.

They are that "something lacking" in the otherwise well-furnished home, according to Patricia A. Bradshaw, housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

"Plants add an immediate sense of intimacy and individuality to even carefully furnished rooms that lack warmth and personality," the specialist observed.

In selecting plants, decor factors to consider include placement, size and container style, she said.

"Placement of plants can soften sharp lines or fill 'vacancies' in a room.

"A floor plant set in a corner will soften the sharp line where two walls meet—if it's large enough and tall enough to do the job.

"Perhaps a stand will lift it to a suitable height.

"The cocktail table requires a plant kept in scale with the table and other accessories on it, and the plant on a side table just below a picture on the wall shouldn't be so tall it hides the picture.

"Placing the plant on a base or pedestal adds to its importance, as well as protecting delicate furniture finished," the specialist noted.

"It's a 'no-no' to set a potted plant directly on a piece of furniture."

"Turning to containers, she cited simple design as the keynote to beauty.

"Its container shouldn't compete with the plant for interest.

"Avoid ornate or elaborate containers except for a very special effect.

"Container material, design and color should harmonize with furnishings background."

Miss Bradshaw advised home decorators to consult the florist or nurseryman for proper care of plants, adding, "Most green foliage plants need plenty of light. They require proper watering techniques and well-drained soil."

LOSS SYMPTOMS

A person who frequently turns his head to one side when trying to hear a person speaking to him may be exhibiting the symptoms of a hearing loss.

Tahoka Evangelist Sets Crusade

Evangelist Hugh Jack Norwood of Tahoka, will lead First Baptist Church of Amherst in an evangelistic crusade Sept. 16-23, according to Pastor Glenn Willson. Services are scheduled daily at 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., and a nursery will be provided during each service.

At 27, Norwood has been involved in evangelistic crusades throughout the world. These campaigns have involved and ranged from local church meetings to Crusades on university campuses, and area wide endeavors. He recently participated in a major nation-wide evangelistic missionary crusade in Uganda, East Africa.

Norwood is a native of West Texas, and a graduate of Wayland Baptist College in Plainview. Prior to entering the evangelistic ministry, he served two pastoral ministries in West Texas.

Married and the father of two boys, Norwood often extends his evangelistic ministry to include Bible conferences, adult, and youth retreats, personal evangelism clinics, and banquets. Norwood and his oldest son Daron,

7 years, have been used widely as entertainers for the past several years. This has yielded a popularity, not only with student groups but with adults as well.

Recently in an evangelistic crusade, the evangelistic stated: "The world cries for

"peace", the nation cries "hope", the youth cry "truth"; there is one hope, and one truth found by those seeking answer is found by genuine faith in Jesus Christ "The Way, the Truth, and Life".

Missionary Baptist Church In Conference

The Missionary Baptist Church is conducting its First Annual Missions Conference Wednesday through Sunday of this week.

The conference will promote the church's home and foreign mission projects with rallies Wednesday through Friday evenings at 7:30 p.m. and in all the regular services of the church this Sunday.

Featured speaker for the conference will be Rev. Young Houston, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church of Lewisville.

Rev. Houston is a member of the Missions Committee of the World Baptist Fellowship and is the chairman of the Baptist Fellowship of Texas.

He will be speaking in services.

Also highlighting meetings will be missions presentations concerning their respective fields. Rev. C. L. Jones-McCoy, Philip Gagnon-Holmes, Rev. Lanny Wood-Brant, Rev. Shelby Mayo-Indra.

All members and friends of the church as well as interested in world evangelism are invited to attend meetings. Transportation will be provided to and from church where needed.

JET AGE SEWING

MRS. FRANCES JONES

Question: I have some white and some light colored pant tops through which undergarments show unattractively. This bothers me. What can I do? I do not want to line my pant tops and tunic blouses.

A friend told me that she solved just such a problem in this manner. She had a white slip in her lingerie drawer that was not a favorite—it was "past its prime"—and she used it to make a sort of mini-slip for her tops and blouses that looked too thin.

Measure the tops and find a length that suits most of them. Cut the slip off accordingly to make it come just to the top of the hems of the blouses. Make a tiny hem in the mini-slip, such as a rolled hem. You do not want the slip to show. Leave a slit in the sides if any of your blouses have such a slit. (1)

Question: Can you give me a simple method of lowering a bust dart?

More often the bust dart must be lowered than raised because the pattern designer

models on a very erect dress form. Most of us do not stand so straight. If the "braless trend" continues a lot of darts may be put lower and lower.

You probably do not like to slash the pattern so I will give you a method that does not involve slashing.

First, measure down from the center of the shoulder seam to the crest of the bustline. This is a body measurement and should be transferred to the pattern.

Place a dot this distance down on the pattern. The point of the dart should end about 1" back toward the side seam from this dot and in line with it. (2)

Place a piece of tissue over the pattern and trace the dart. Cut it out and place the cone shaped piece of paper correctly on the pattern. Attach it with tape or trace around it. (3)

Notice that the base of the dart has a pointed extension and this should be retained in the new dart, but eliminated from the old dart.

17th Annual Field Day Set At Halfway Today

Field crops and research plots looking the best they ever have will greet visitors to the High Plains Research Foundation's 17th Annual Field Day Thursday, (today) Sept. 13.

Due to growing conditions of this summer, crops have had minimal weather and moisture stress and are a picture of crops all over the High Plains.

Visitors to the Foundation farm at Halfway will be given guided tours of fields and research plots beginning at 1:30 p.m. Foundation scientists will accompany each tour to explain various research projects underway and point out some of the benefits of past research.

Jim Valliant, research director and agricultural engineer in charge of the Foundation's soil and water conservation management programs, will discuss the role of increased agricultural production on the High Plains and proper utilization of the area's dwindling irrigation water supply.

Valliant's will be the only stop on the field tours. In the past, four field stops have been made. "We have reduced the number of field stops to one for the convenience of our guests," Dr. Tom Longnecker, Foundation director, noted.

"This year, Foundation personnel will accompany each of the tour trucks and visitors may direct questions on our research projects to these specialists," he added.

As in the past, savings bonds will be awarded during field day drawings, but under a plan initiated last year, the drawings will be after each field tour. A savings bond will be awarded to two people on each tour, Longnecker said.

One of the most popular features of past Field Day activities, the agricultural products and machinery

exhibits will be larger than ever. Area manufacturers and distributors will have their latest equipment and products on display on the grassed exhibit area.

In addition to Foundation facilities being open for inspection, a special triticate food products will be set up.

Also Joe Wright, associate agronomist, will conduct short programs on small grains crops, including triticate. Other displays and exhibits of interest to High Plains residents will be on display.

The High Plains Research Foundation Field Day has become an annual agricultural event on the High Plains. Everyone who is interested in agricultural and agricultural research is invited to attend.

Area Servicemen

DOUGLAS B. ALLEN
 Army Private Douglas B. Allen, 17, son of Mrs. Bobbie N. Ratliff, of Littlefield, completed eight weeks of basic training at the U.S. Army Training Center, Infantry, Ft. Polk, La. He received instruction in

drill and ceremonial weapons, map reading, combat tactics, military courtesy, military first aid, and Army traditions. Pvt. Allen served Company C, 1st Battalion, the 1st Brigade.

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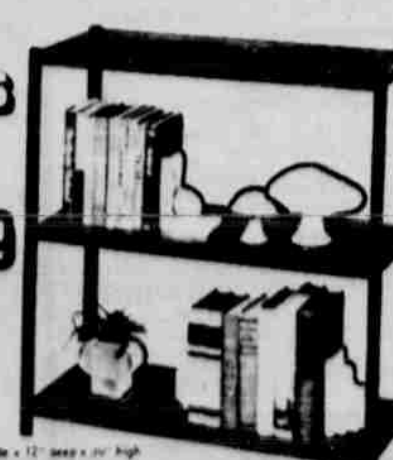
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2 bedroom house, newly refinished inside and out. Located West 5th Street. \$2,500.00. Very small down payment. Balance payable at \$48.00 per month. This includes taxes. Onstead's Real Estate Phone 385-4888.

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Juveniles Must Be Supervised While Hunting

Hunters under 17 years of age who wish to hunt on Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's wild management areas must be supervised by adults 21 years of age or older on a case-by-case basis, according to new Department policy. The Department policy on juveniles hunters as young as 12 years old to participate in the hunt for which drawing held and for open hunting as those for quail, squirrel and waterfowl certain management areas. Department officials there were several understandings of this policy year when applications arrived at department headquarters in Austin and two juveniles. According to department officials, failure of the Department to supervise the minor on the hunt will be considered cause for forfeiting rights for both the sponsor and the minor. ANIMATED CARTOON "Snow White and the Dwarfs," made in the first full-length cartoon.

WANTED

WANTED combination secretary, typist, bookkeeper. 40 hrs. week, age 20 to 40. Good appearance. Call 385-5952, ask for Mr. Jewel. Equal opportunity employment. 9-16-J

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COTTON TALKS

Expressing a firm belief in the value of forward contracting as a cotton marketing tool "despite its shortcomings," Donald Johnson, executive vice president of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock, told a beltwide meeting of industry representatives in Dallas Sept. 10 that "no avenue to improving the utility of forward contracting should be neglected."

The subject of advanced cotton sales came in for full discussion by mills, shippers and producers at a day-long meeting of the Producer Steering Committee of the National Cotton Council.

Expressing doubt that forward contracting will be in conjunction with the coming government program can provide stable supplies and needed in the industry, Johnson said it never could be a useful market device in reaching that goal.

But he said the usefulness of forward contracting "greatly enhanced" by ways or means to assure producers and buyers contract provisions will meet regardless of price after contracts are signed.

He explained that by knowing from the beginning a producer has the ability to meet the terms of a contract.

WINNERS

- Benny Saenz 14
- Arthur McLelland
- Elaine Turner 13
- Charlie Swan
- Roy Turner
- Randy Hall
- Lewis Willey
- Dennis Jackson
- Roy Blessing
- Walter Liles
- Bub Clayton
- Lee Roy Nuttall
- Brad Walden
- Steve Pollard
- Orville Bassett
- Jill Yarbrough
- Shauna Clayton
- Kyle Jones
- Greg Payne
- Sharrise Cowen
- Richard Rogers
- Gilbert D. Strigley
- Stan Eller
- Glen Morre
- Jay Lee
- Bruce Nicholson
- Ed McCanlies
- Carl Robison
- Ernest Mills
- Richard Hopping
- Dean Walden
- Warren Dayton
- Elton Graham
- Doroteo Garcia
- Mark Yarbrough
- John Tucker
- Jimmy Clayton
- Phelps Blume
- Craig Pickett
- Kennedy Veach
- Richard Newman
- Scott Yarbrough
- T. W. Bryson
- Bob Clayton
- Kim Hill
- Floyce Pierce
- N. C. Horn
- Sue Bowman
- Leon Burch
- William Holland
- Mark Kelly
- Jimmy Randolph
- Tommy Cloninger
- Kenny Carter
- Loyd Hood
- Brad Banner
- Jake Moreland
- Ernest Ammons
- Bill Mott
- Mrs. Elbert Hooper
- Glenn Branscum
- Roy Jackson
- David Neisast
- Randy Dayton
- Jeff Lust
- Pat Donnelly
- Douglas McNeese
- Teddy Jackson
- Mozelle Hutson
- Elvor Weaver
- Jim Francis
- Gaylene Rogers
- Harold Ray Bowman
- James Melton
- Douglas Walden
- Jeff Birkelbach
- Ronnie Fisher
- Lynn Duffey
- Larry Price
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- Linda Horn
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- Lee Neisast
- Stanley Patterson
- Raymond Duvall
- Shirley Tucker
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... WILDCATS

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... have very good size, and they have good quickness in the back. One of their backs, Sam Smith, played well against us last year. We made All-District for them. We return 10 offensive starters, and we have a pretty good quarterback, Smith, Jr., throwing to some receivers. They have a good all-around offensive attack, so we won't be hanging up on any one thing. We pointed out that the game will be a challenge to the Cat offensive line. "They have a couple of tackles worth about 200 to 210," he said. Overall, their people like to punish the carrier. In our offense will have to be able to do a lot of things. We'll have to be sound on the line, and contain their running both inside and out. The kicking

game should be important, and we're counting on it to come through. We feel like we have a chance to win if we work hard to prepare ourselves, if we make few mental mistakes and if our kicking game holds up."

Although Blakely was pleased with the outcome of the Silverton game, he was disappointed that the first team saw such limited action. "Our first team only got to run eight offensive plays, and our first defense was only in for about 20," he said. "So for all practical purposes, Levelland will be the first game for our first team."

"Looking at it from the plus side, we were tickled to death to get to play all of our boys. They all worked hard during two-a-days, and it was good for them to play. Also, later on in the season if we do need them, they will all have had some game experience."

Tex-Anns Entertain For Lions Tonight

The South Plains College Tex-Anns will kick off their 14th season of precision routines tonight in Littlefield.

Nine of the Tex-Anns will perform for the charter night banquet of the Early Risers Lions Club at 7:30 p.m. in the Littlefield Junior High School cafeteria.

The Tex-Anns, accompanied by their director, Mrs. Mary Shea, will be guests of the Littlefield Lions for dinner.

Seven sophomore students on the trip will perform the first number, a novelty hat routine to the music of "Downtown." They will be joined by two freshman steppers for the second number, a military drill performed to the tune of "Yankee Doodle".

The Tex-Anns making the

trip will include sophomore students, Regina Aubrey and Melanie Myers, both of Sundown, Pam Peterson of Plains, Cecilia Hardin of Hale Center, and Theresa Mitchell, Jenny Ryan, and Olga Tarrez, all of Levelland; and Sandra Smith and Tena Wells, both of Littlefield, freshmen.

The Tex-Anns, which number 25 coeds this year, will make about five out-of-town performances this year and will perform during half-time of the SPC's basketball games. The high-stepping team will appear at various civic functions and events in Levelland and the area.

The Tex-Anns were organized in 1959 as a spirit organization to help support SPC's basketball team, Mrs. Shea said. They wear orange,

white and blue uniforms, the school colors and use capes, hoops, tambourines and other instruments in their routines. Mrs. Shea, also acting

chairman of the women's physical education department at SPC, has served as director of the Tex-Anns for six years.

LION RESTRICTED

Mountain lions, although quite numerous in Central and South America are now restricted to the western one-third of the United States and Florida.

**KEEP THAT TRAP
LEVELLAND AT LITTLEFIELD
8:00 P.M. Friday**

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the City of Littlefield, Texas, recognizes the great value of participation in sports, and

WHEREAS, this participation requires great leadership, unselfish devotion of time and talent on the part of those who assume the duties and responsibilities, and

WHEREAS, we realize sports leadership brings recognition to a city and its people,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS:

That the week of September 10, 1973, through September 14, 1973, is officially declared to be

"KEEP THE TRAP-BEAT LEVELLAND WEEK".

Adopted this the 11th day of September, 1973.

s/J. E. Chisholm
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Mayor

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Area Coaches Discuss Past, Future Games

By ANDY ROGERS

Going into the second week of the season, three area football teams will take winning records with them. Littlefield was a 62-0 winner over Silverton, Anton beat Sundown 21-6 and Amherst surprised Sudan 15-8.

On the loser's side, Whitharral dropped one to Dawson 26-6, Olton lost to Tulla 22-8 and Springlake-Earth was beat by Morton 18-6.

Anton Coach Donnie Leonard said, "We were real happy with our people, naturally, beating Sundown. We had a few mistakes, but because of our open date this week, we feel like we'll have the time to work some of them out."

"I was real pleased with the effort of our young men, especially on defense," Leonard continued. "We feel like our defense won the game for us."

Anton has a week off before they take on Sudan Sept. 21 at home. "Sudan had a bunch of tough breaks against Amherst," Leonard said.

"We're expecting them to be a lot tougher than that game indicated."

Meanwhile, at Amherst, Coach Truitt Reed said, "We're still so high over the Sudan game that it's hard to think about this week. We feel like we just ran it right at them and sometimes by them. I guess part of it you'd call luck, but it was just the kind of job we did that helped some of the breaks come our way. The kids made up their minds that they were going to win, and worked for it. I think we controlled the ball 65 percent of the time, which was the main reason we won."

"Also, our two backs did just a real fine job. Sandy Moore carried the ball 25 times for 125 yards, and Butch Sutton carried 13 times for 84 yards. Sutton also punted one 76 yards, kicked one out of bounds on the five, and averaged 42 yards a punt. That was also a major factor."

The Bulldogs launch into the district battle Friday, as they take on Wilson. "They are a real tough outfit," Reed

warned. "They've got two All-district performers returning in David Sevell and Chris Coleman, who played end last year and is now a real fine runner. A kid named Clyde Wilke is now playing end, and they've got Phil Kitten at fullback. Both are real fine athletes. O'Donnell barely beat them last week (20-14), and O'Donnell has a state ranked team."

"But our kids are just playing them one at a time, and they've got plans to win district. I believe they can do it, but we have some real tough teams coming up, and Wilson is one of the toughest."

Whitharral Coach Jerry Miller found some hope in the Panthers loss to Dawson. "Our defense looked good," he said. "Allowing 26 points may not look too impressive, but Dawson scored twice due to mistakes in our punting, and they're probably the second best team in our district. They blocked two of our punts, and once our snap from center went over the punter's head, those three plays probably cost us the game."

Miller pointed to the play of Bud Reding (Sr., halfback), Benito Lopez (Sr., quarterback), Mike Grant (Jr., end) and Dale Crank (Fr., guard) as other bright spots.

Whitharral plays Smyer tomorrow. "Dawson was the second toughest team we'll play, and Smyer is the toughest," Miller said. "They are the fastest team I've ever seen in eight-man football, and they've got good size as well. But I think if we can contain them, we'll be able to stay in the game."

Ed Miller of Olton blamed turnovers for the Mustangs' loss. "We turned the ball over three times on fumbles and twice on interceptions. We had two defensive breakdowns where they got long yardage, and we just didn't play well enough to win. We knew we couldn't make any mistakes if we hoped to win, and our mistakes cost us."

"One definite bright spot was the play of Monte Chitwood, our senior end. We threw to him 13 times, and he caught 10 for 139 yards. He's

missed most of our fall workouts, and was in the hospital practically up to the day of the game. We were fortunate to have him with us, or the game might have been a real rout."

"We started seven sophomores, and generally they all played well," Miller continued. "Our sophomore quarterback, Jimmy Parker, completed 12 for 22, and played very well, and defensively, Clarence Johnson (Jr., noseguard) and J. D. Caudle (Soph., end) played well."

Looking ahead to the Muleshoe game tomorrow, Miller said, "They're a better ball team than they showed

against Dimmitt (Muleshoe was beaten 16-0).

We feel like we may be able to throw the ball against them, but we're going to have to control their defensive line. Their line averages about 210 to about 180 for our offensive line. It will be hard to contain them offensively, but we're going to try."

"It was terrible," said Springlake-Earth Coach Duane Locke of the Hornets' loss to Morton. "We just didn't play good ball, and they did. They did a real good job throwing the ball, and our defensive secondary just didn't do what they were supposed to do. All of their touchdowns were set up by

passes, and we've worked a lot on our secondary this week. Our defensive line pretty well shut up their running game, but we need to do some work on rushing the passer."

The Hornets face Lubbock-Cooper Friday, who lost 3-0 to Plains last week. "Cooper is a strong throwing team" Miller said. "And they can also run the ball. Hopefully, our secondary will have improved enough to contain their passing attack."

Sudan Coach Jim Warren was disappointed in the Hornets' loss to Amherst. "We didn't play anywhere near our capabilities," Warren said. "I'm not taking anything away from Amherst, but we

just weren't doing the takes to win a ball game. Sudan will have our work cut out for them. Plains has the semi-finalists and fullback (left) that is an outstanding player. They beat Cooper 3-0 last week. Defense is by far the strongest asset. They can just execute and get after it like we will do all right."

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Quarterback Club Hears Report

The Littlefield Quarterback Club met Tuesday and heard a wrap-up of the Silverton game by Head Coach Jerry Blakely and a scouting report of the Levelland squad by Coach Rod Hench.

The entire varsity squad attended the meeting and was introduced to the club members. Dean Elms was selected as Booster of the Week, and will be on the sidelines with the Cats Friday night.

Blakely showed the film of the Silverton game and said he admired the Owls' courage, since they were so outmanned. He reported that the squad was in good physical shape and ready for Levelland.

Hench said that Levelland is a much better team than last year, especially defensively. He expects a real good game to be played by both teams.

The Quarterback Club meets every Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. in the High School Cafeteria.

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SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 6, 1973

NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 8)

Article III, Sections 5, 24 and 49a and Article VIII, Section 6 of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

Provide for regular annual sessions of the Legislature. The regular session in each odd-numbered year would be for a period not to exceed 180 days. The regular session in each even numbered year would be for a period not to exceed 60 days and would be limited to consideration of fiscal matters and any emergency matters submitted by the Governor. The 60 day session could be extended by the Governor for a period not to exceed 30 days.

Provide an annual salary for members of the Legislature not exceeding \$15,000 per year and a per diem not exceeding \$18 per day for each day of each regular session or special session.

Provide that no appropriation of money shall be made for a longer term than one year and direct the Comptroller to make annual estimates of anticipated revenue rather than biennial estimates.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for annual regular sessions of the legislature and to provide an annual salary of \$15,000 and per diem for the members of the legislature, effective in January, 1975."

NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 13)

Article VIII, Sections 1-a and 1-b of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

Extend the \$3,000 ad valorem tax exemption to the residential homesteads of unmarried adults.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to extend the \$3,000 ad valorem tax exemption to the homesteads of unmarried adults."

NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 1)

Article XVI, Section 59, of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new Subsection (e) which:

Provides that no law creating a conservation and reclamation district shall be passed unless a copy of the proposed law is delivered to the commissioners court of each county and to the governing body of each incorporated city or town in whose jurisdiction said district or any part thereof is or will be located. Each such governing body or court and governing body may file its written consent or opposition to the proposed law with the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the House of Representatives. Each special law creating such a district must comply with general laws then in effect relating to consent by political subdivisions to the creation of such districts.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment establishing certain requirements relative to the enactment of laws creating certain conservation and reclamation districts."

NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 12)

Article XI, Section 7 of the Texas Constitution is amended to:

Provide that all counties and cities bordering on the coast of the Gulf of Mexico are authorized to levy a tax to pay for bonds issued for the construction of sea walls and breakwaters up to a majority vote of the resident property tax-payers. Counties and cities are presently authorized to levy such taxes and this amendment only changes the required vote from a two-thirds majority to a simple majority.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to include within the scope of homestead protection the real property of a single adult person which meets the other requirements of homestead property, and to provide that a family homestead may not be abandoned except with the consent of both spouses."

NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. 7)

Article XVI, Sections 50 and 51 of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

Include within the scope of homestead protection the real property of a single adult person which meets the other requirements of homestead property, and to provide that a family homestead may not be abandoned except with the consent of both spouses.

Presently a single adult person is not entitled to claim a homestead exemption and a married man can abandon a family homestead without the consent of his wife.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to include within the scope of homestead protection the real property of a single adult person which meets the other requirements of homestead property, and to provide that a family homestead may not be abandoned except with the consent of both spouses."

NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 26)

Article V, Section 8 of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new paragraph which:

Provides that the district court, concurrently with the county court, shall have the general jurisdiction of a probate court and in a probate proceeding shall also have the jurisdiction otherwise conferred on it by law. It also provides that the legislature may increase, diminish, or eliminate the jurisdiction of the district court or county court in probate matters, and may adopt rules governing the filing, distribution, or transfer of cases and proceedings as between the courts having jurisdiction of probate matters, and may provide that all appeals in probate matters shall be to the courts of civil appeals.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment stating that the district court concurrently with the county court shall have the general jurisdiction of a probate court, and providing the jurisdiction thereof, and further providing that in any probate proceeding the district court shall also have jurisdiction otherwise conferred upon it by law, and further providing that the legislature may increase, diminish, or eliminate the jurisdiction of the district court or county court in probate matters, and further providing that the legislature shall have power to adopt rules governing the filing, distribution and transfer of all such cases and proceedings as between district courts, county courts, and other courts having jurisdiction thereof, and further providing that the legislature may provide that all appeals in such matters shall be to the courts of (civil) appeals."

NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. 6)

Article III, Section 49-b of the Texas Constitution is amended to:

Provide for an additional \$100 million in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the Veterans' Land Fund. This amendment increases the present \$400 million authorization to \$500 million.

Remove the present provision which permits buying of land only by those veterans who served between September 16, 1940 and the date of formal withdrawal of United States troops from the armed conflict in Viet Nam. This amendment would allow all veterans who served after September 16, 1940 to buy land from the Veterans' Land Fund, provided they are otherwise qualified.

Provide that, in the event of the death of an eligible

NUMBER EIGHT ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 29)

Article XI, of the Texas Constitution is amended adding a new Section which:

Authorizes and incorporates cities, towns, and villages, regarding population and notwithstanding the constitutional limitations on total rates, to levy such annual ad valorem taxes on the taxable property in the town or village as are necessary to pay the principal and interest on, when the general obligations are in effect, issued by the town, or village. The legislature is empowered to issue general or special local principal obligations, which may be issued, but until the legislature do so, the limitations established by statute with respect to the total principal amount of bonds which may be issued by independent school districts may apply as the rate limitations on cities, towns, and villages.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it appears on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize cities, towns, and villages to levy such ad valorem taxes as are sufficient to pay the principal and interest on the general obligations heretofore issued by the districts, subject to the restrictions provided by law."

NUMBER NINE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 25)

Article VIII of the Texas Constitution is amended adding a new Section which:

Allows the Legislature by general law, to exempt all real and personal property used by non-profit water supply corporations or cooperatives from property taxes. The exemption would apply only to such property as is necessary to conduct the business of a non-profit water supply corporation or cooperative.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from property taxes all real and personal property used by non-profit water supply corporations or cooperatives."