

Littlefield commemorates our Nation's 200th birthday



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"We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their creator with certain unalienable rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness" American freedom was born July 4, 1776 with the adoption of the Declaration of Independence. To the 56 Founding Fathers who signed that historic document, their pronouncement was truly an affirmation of values . . . to which they solemnly pledged their lives, their fortunes and their sacred honor. Now ... as we celebrate the 200th anniversary of the birth of our nation . . . let us renew that pledge: that the rights they proclaimed so fearlessly, won so dearly, defended so bravely, shall be forever cherished and given room to grow. The men who established this country knew that pious talk isn't enough . . . that the job takes vigilance, commitment and plain hard work. Let's get on with it. The promise is still unfolding . . .

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City to buy truck; appoints chief

In their brief meeting Thursday night, Littlefield's City Council awarded the low bid for a 1976 truck cab and chassis with a flatbed dump body to Armes Chevrolet and appointed Charles Powell as fire chief. Armes Chevrolet's low bid was \$9,888.91 with a promise of immediate delivery. Garland Motor Company submitted a bid of \$10,599, with a

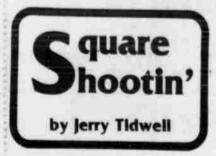
promise of immediate delivery.

The new truck will replace a 1960 International, and will be purchased with Revenue Sharing money which is already available.

The request for the use of Crescent Park for a children's dog show was withdrawn, therefore the councilmen didn't consider the request.

Rad Richardson promoted in Gen Tel shuffle

Rad Richardson has accepted a promotion to division manager with General Telephone Company and is taking his new position at Sulpher Springs, effective July 7.



Thomas Wolfe said it best, "It is a fabulous country the only only fabulous country; it is the only place where miracles not only happen, but where they happen all the time."

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The past several weeks have been a memorable period for us here at the Leader-News. Many, many long hours have gone into this Bicentennial Souvenir Edition.

The last sections have been put together and the job has been halted. But it's not finished, and probably never could be.

We are indebted to many area residents who contributed so much to this special issue. Special thanks go to Willard Street, Ellen Massengill, Mrs. Edith Williams, and Mrs. Johnnie Miller.

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Additional copies of the Bicentennial edition are available at the Leader-News office for 50 cents each while they last.

They will be mailed for a few cents extra.

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Littlefield's future has never been brighter. A host of new businesses have opened recently— many more have already expanded or are in the Richardson moves up to division manager after serving GT here as district manager for the past several years.

No one has been named to replace Richardson.

Temporarily the district office here in Littlefield will be closed. All phone bills and service calls will be handled by the Brownfield office. Richardson said he did not expect

roblems since the office is already operating its billing, dispatch and radio service through Brownfield.

Any question or problem usually referred to the Littlefield district office can be taken care of by phoning 637-7571. Richardson said that is automatically a collect call, and customers will not be billed for a long distance call. Brownfield division manager Frank

Morris will take up the slack left by Richardson's leave.

The Littlefield office building where Richardson has his office has sold, and the Littlefield office was contemplating going into rented space.

Littlefield, the 15 towns surrounding towns, and all of the area cooperative exchanges are going into direct distance dialing (DDD) here in October. Littlefield will be cut in to DDD Oct. 13. Seven area town and the cooperatives will be cut in Oct. 20, and the last eight towns will go on DDD on Oct. 27th.

To make the switch-over, Sudan has a new office and all the Sudan telephone numbers have been changed. Whitharral has a new electronic office, and all Whitharral numbers will be changed July 28. Some Littlefield numbers are being changed. All these will be included in the new telephone directories distributed in September.

Richardson said the change to DDD will affect some of the GT people in the Littlefield traffic department and there would be some reduction in the force. He said a temporary lag is expected, but not much because of increased toll traffic.

Rad. his wife Rita, their 12-year-old son Tommy, and 4-year-old daughter Terri will be moving their household furnishings to Sulpher Springs about July 20.

Richardson said he has enjoyed working with the people of Littlefield and surrounding towns. 'I like Littlefield and hate to leave," he said. 'But when you've been with a company 17 years you look forward to promotions and must take opportunities to advance.

Local hearing set

on mental health

A meeting has been set to discuss a study of the mental health needs of Lamb County.

The study was done by the Central Plains Mental Health/Mental Retardation Center in Plainview, and will be presented in Littlefield at the XIT

Room of Security State Bank Tuesday.

The public is invited to attend and

July 13, at 7:30 p.m.



MICHELE SEEMAN, 15-year-old Littlefield High School junior, will be competing for the Earth Rodeo Queen's title when judging gets underway at Earth Tuesday, July 6. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Seeman of Littlefield, and is sponsored in the contest by the Dairy Queen. Monday. July 5. coice S will be treated to a Coke per wer Bee Hive Mall, and a special roed will be served July 6 in the bila Cottage. The parade will get sers, at 5 p.m. Thursday, follower nnin barbecue at the Showbarn spoor arena. [Staff Photo]

Postal Department rescin plan to curtail service

Littlefield postmaster George Thompson has announced that a planned reduction of Sunday postal services has been cancelled.

Post Office on Sundays and a just as in the past. Post office officials say the schedule of services will be tained as long as Congress on legislation to increase the sub-

Mail will be put into boxes at the

Bula residents burying time capsule Monday

Bula residents will gather at 8:30 Monday morning for a patriotic observance and the burying of a time pl capsule for future generations.

The capsule is a three-foot 10-inch plastic pipe. A lid placed over the pipe and after the capsule will be placed prepared concreted receptack in with additional cement concrete maker will be placed



process of expanding, plus rumors about more new businesses opening soon.

Home building continues to boom. -SS-

The Leader-News was happy and proud to present Savings Bonds to three Lamb County youngsters for their Bicentennial essays. The contest was judged by two local teachers. Be sure and read all the essays. These youths have captured the Bicentennial spirit.

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At San Antonio last week, we met former Leader-News Publisher Bill Turner. We were impressed with him during this first meeting, and we've always been impressed with the quality of his newspapers, both here and at Atlanta.

Bill asked us to say hello to all his friends.

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They've done it again.

One of your well-paid government agencies has completed a booklet at the cost of almost \$500,000. The pamphlets, written by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, are designed to help farmers and farm workers understand new federal safety rules.

Sounds innocent enough. But the books are causing a controversy because of the stilted language and because the content reveals the writer probably had never visited a farm.

In language with a tone of talking down to the reader, the farmer can learn that fresh cow manure is slippery and can result in a bad fall. Now, try to remember that.

The beef cattle booklet gives this important advice: "Hazards are one of the main causes of accidents and you can make your work area safe by finding hazards and removing them." The book continues, "When floors are wet and slippery with manure, you can have a bad fall. You could also trip over junk or trash."

Another piece of advice is for farmers to "Speak softly to cows..."

Being printed are 155,000 pamphlets on 28 different safety subjects at the cost of \$347,220 plus another \$119,500 for government paid experts at the University of Purdue who developed the "vital" material.

At least you farmers will have some reading material on those cold winter nights... DESTREY ROEBER, 12, of 1305 S. Westside, smiles as he watches his fireworks purchase being sacked. Texas is among the 27 states which allow legal sales of fireworks twice a

year. Destrey plans to celebrate the nation's 200th birthday with as many bangs as his allowance makes possible.

remains in jail charged with revocation

of probation. Two aliens were arrested

Friday and held for the Border Patrol.

and an Olton juvenile was arrested on

an assault charge involving a 12-year-

City police officers arrested one on a

drunk in public charge, one for

disorderly conduct and two were

The theft of oil filters, a truck windshield, and vandalism on a farm

house north west of Littlefield was

Adolph Sierra reported vandalism at

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the Amherst Drive In. A concession

stand window was broken out and a

American Cotton Growers, Textile

Plant has announced a 40 cent per

hour wage increase to it's hourly

reported by Charles Carpenter.

Textile Plant

raises wages

picked up on warrants.

screen door kicked in.

employees

Arrests, theft investigations keep officers busy

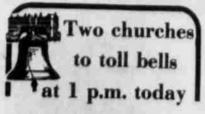
old girl.

Seven were arrested by county, city and DPS officers this week, and several thefts are under investigation. At the county jail, an Amherst man

Dollar Days three days this week

Dollar Days in Littlefield this month will be Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, due to the Bicentennial July 4 celebration.

Businesses to be open Monday include most eating places, most grocery stores, Perry's, Gibson's, TG&Y, The Fair and Roden Drug.



Two Littlefield churches will be joining churches from most communities across the country in a simultaneous bell-ringing commemoration of our 200th anniversary today.

Bells at Emmanuel Lutheran Church and First Baptist Church will ring in unison with the tolling of the bell in Independence Hall in Philadelphia at 2 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time— which will be at 1 p.m. here today.

Most churches will be conducting special services today.

ans to celebrate the rthday with as many lowance makes pos-[Staff Photo] Comment on the findings. Copies of the study can be obtained by contacting the Planning and Evaluation Section of the Central Plains MH/MR Center, phone (806) 296-2726.

> The meeting will provide area planners with local citizen views concerning the allocation of tax money to treat the mentally ill, developmentally disabled, alcoholic and drug addict.

Much thought and information is going into the time capsule which is to be removed and inspected in 50 years.

Articles include history of the different organizations over the years at Bula. Prices of gas, food, cotton, cattle, grain and other farm-related information is included. Clothing styles for men and women, and stories of today's arts and crafts are included. Bula residents are signing proclamations declaring how long they've lived at Bula and bits of family history.

The burying site is a short distance in front of the Bula cemetery gate located one mile west and one-half mile north of Bula. A short program will nat occasion. Bailey County Judg Williams will make a few p remarks. The colors will be preand the flag pledged.

A representative from the Mi library will be present to accept promising to open the capsuing years and display its content future generations.

Everyone in the Bula commuurged to attend the Bicen commemoration, and visitors a come.



THREE AREA SCHOOLERS were awarded \$25 U.S. Savings Bonds for winning their age divisions in the Leader-News Bicentennial essay contest. Jerry Tidwell, publisher of the

Leader-News, presents the Bonds to [from left] Lynn Ann Jaquess of Littlefield, the fifth and six grade winner; Martha Withrow of Sudan, the junior high age winner; and Angie

Carson of Sudan, the element winner. Their essays are replinside.

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Bob Hale, plant manager, feels the employes have exhibited outstanding effort under the very adverse conditions created by construction and

production taking place side by side. The wage increase will be for hours worked after 7 p.m., Saturday, July 3rd.

The hiring in rate at the plant was also raised to \$2.75 per hour. There are still several jobs available at the plant.

"With the continued positive attitude of the community and dedicated effort of the ACG employees, the maximum potential of the denim plant is well within reach," stated Pat D. Bradley, personnel director.

OOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

read in Capp City High Plains Bookmobile in this area next week. day, July 6: (will not

Double-ring wedding vows diamon were pledged between Kathy band. Renee Walker of Seven Points inesday, July 7: Circle-9-10; Bula #1, 10:15and formerly of Littlefield and and Enochs, 11:45-1. **Richard Mack Nobles of Red** Oak, Friday night, July 2, in raday, July 8: Spring-1, 10:30-12; Earth, 1:15-Calvary Baptist Church of Capp City.

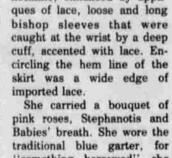
day, July 9: Pleasant y, 11-12; Sudan #2,

Nu Nu hosts ad supper

lew Friends at the Rainwas the theme of the get ainted salad supper held day, June 29 at 8 o'clock. lu Nu chapter of Beta a Phi hosted event in the e Room of the Pioneer ral Gas Company.

sch table was decorated a tiny rainbow and colorplace mats. The serving was set with salads and a ical fruit ensemble surded by tiny colored shells picks. After the meal yone enjoyed a game of azy bridge."

uests present were Cindy iker, D. Ann Reed, and ice Sebring. Members pre-t were Judy Vaughn, Paula rooder, Peggy Johnson, ila Hanlin, Jane Ann rs. Marilyn Parker, Ann nning, Mary Knox, Doris apson, and Edith Birkel-



to her by her mother with a



diamond from her wedding made of blue dotted swiss and carried a single pink rose. The bride's sister, Mrs.

Eddy Nobles was best man, and the groomsmen were Donny Nobles and Ronny Nobles, brothers of the groom.

Candlelighters were Perry Mooney and Eddie Walker of Dallas. Ushers were Randy Walker, brother of the bride, Mike Mooney and Darrell Walker.

Registering guests at the church was Susie Walker, cousin of the bride.

Mrs. Marvin Mooney of Dallas sang "The Wedding Song". While being accompanied by Joe Hubbard on the organ.

Following the wedding, a reception was served in the Steven Points City Hall. Assisting with the serving of the bride's table, Mindy Warren, Cindy Edmonds, and Karen Walker. Evana Massey served at the groom's table.

For their wedding trip to San Antonio, the bride wore a light blue Jersy street-length dress enchanted with dainty sterling chains.

The bride is a 1975 graduate of Mabank High School. She will be employed with an insurance firm in Dallas. The groom is a 1974 graduate of Red Oak, and is employed with Texas Instruments. They will make their home in Dallas.

Ruby Mouser

Elaine is a 1976 Sudan High School graduate and is presently employed at the Sudan

tives are invited.

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Arts and crafts festival planned

The Running Water Draw Arts and Crafts Festival Committee is making plans for the Second Annul Running Water Draw Arts and Crafts Festival to be held in the Hale County Agricultural Center, Plainview, Oct. 15-17.

The festival is limited to handcrafted items by artists and craftsmen in Texas, Oklahoma, and New Mexico.

Over 50 talented artists from this tri-state area have already applied for booth space. Since the number of booths available is limited to 100, interested artists and craftsmen should apply as soon as possible. The festival this year is

again co-sponsored by the Llano Estacado Museum and the Plainview Rotary Club. For information, contact: Dr. C. Gwin Morris, Box 20,

Wayland College, Plainview, Texas 79072.

> David Keithley earns BA degree

The University of Terms College of Fine Arts awarded 155 bachelor's degrees at the close of the spring semester.

Among the graduates, an nounced by Dean Peter Gauvie, included David Arvin Keithley of Littlefield, who earned a Bachelor of Aris degree in drama

Red Cross. The Good Neighbor.





the vows was Rev. Steve They wore empire gowns Lewis, brother-in-law of the bride, associate pastor at The Church of Christ of Sharon Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Judge W. Walk-

Walker-Nobles vows

er of Seven Points, formerly of Littlefield, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nobles of Red Oak. Judge Walker presented his daughter in marriage. Her

Officiating for the reading of

Penn.

wedding gown was fashioned and designed by Mrs. T. Edward Nobles, mother-in-law of the bride and Ada Homesley, the groom's aunt. It was a traditional gown of white silk organza and imported lace. The moulded empire bodice was fashioned with a high ring neckline, enhanced by appli-

pink roses, Stephanotis and Babies' breath. She wore the traditional blue garter, for 'something borrowed'' she wore a necklace that was given





Steve Lewis of Sharon

Penn, was matron of honor,

Rhonda Robinson of Ennis was

maid of honor and Judy Can-

non of Austin, cousin of the

bride was the bridesmaid.

ELAINE KING

Engagement

is announced

SUDAN- Mr. and Mrs. U. J. King announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Elaine, to Morris Perry of Hereford.

He is the son of Mrs. Betty Bruggeman and the late Rev.

The couple plans to exchange vows at the First Baptist Church, Sudan on Aug. 14 at 7:30 p.m.

to be honored Mrs. Ruby Mouser will be

Luncheon fetes Leslie LeBoeuf Miss Leslie LeBoeuf, brideelect of Tommy Frank Davis of Lubbock, was honored with a luncheon in the Rondalay

Room of Hemphill Wells in Lubbock Wednesday, June 30. A hostess gift of crystal salad bowl with the silver salad spoon and fork was presented.

Attending the luncheon field Monday. were Mrs. Barbara LeBoeuf. mother of the bride-to-be; Mrs. Mattie Bryan; Mrs. C. J. Davis, mother of the prospective groom; Mrs. Bill Fisher, Linda Davis and Kerri Siles, all of Lubbock.

OLTON MRS. ERA LEATHERS, Mrs. Lucille Couch and Mrs.

MRS. RICHARD MACK NOBLES

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Cakes baked for Fourth

It is the usual thing to do for a birthday party- to bake a cake. But when it is a very special birthday, like the 200th birthday of a nation, cake bakers outdo themselves in concocting the biggest, the best, the most creative cakes they can make.

Bakers around the country are doing just that for America's birthday party this July Fourth Weekend.

The biggest, the real superstar of Bicentennial birthday cakes, will be displayed July 3 in Philadelphia's Memorial Hall in Fairmount Park.

The five-story-high chocolate cake will be 42 feet across at the base and will weigh in at 49,000 pounds.

Produced and donated by the Kitchens of Sara Lee, super-sized layers will be baked, assembled and frosted in the company's New Hampton, Iowa, plant.

Decorations, designed at company headquarters in Deerfield, Illinois, will be added to the cake at Philadelphia. The cake and decorations will be transported from Deerfield to Philadelphia in a five-truck convoy, with stops en route to display the scale model

The red, white and blue cake will be decorated with seals of all the states and territories of the United States, as well as 120 historic scenes from the past, and topped by an American ungle.

A team of pastry chefs, headed by Cornelius (Casey) Sinkeldam, coach of the U.S. Culinary Olympic team, will decorate the colossal chocolate confection. After the festivities, the cake will he disassembled and donated to charitable institutions in the Philadelphia

Bicentennial birthday cakes are a citywide effort in Brownsville. For the last two years, Brownsville youngsters have been collecting and selling cans to recycling plants in order to raise \$1,300 for ingredients. And indeed, it is not ordinary birthday cake that will reward them for their efforts. Peggy Quellhorst of Tiffany Bakery is baking 200 sheet cakes, each decorated with a scene from American history. The cakes will be displayed as a patchwork quilt, measuring about 12 by 18 feet, in Brownsville's Amigoland Shopping centerpiece, and at 6:30 p.m., slices of cake will be served free to the public.

The National Archives will cut a red. white and blue birthday cake at the opening ceremony of unique tribute to the Declaration of Independence, on July 2.

The 36-inch dummy base will be decorated with a huge "Happy birthday." A two-tier butter pound cake baked and decorated by Buddy Byram of Clement's Bakery of Washington,

rotunda to view the Declaration of Independence and sign a special guestbook.

At 1:30 on the Fourth the cake will be brought out for serving on the Archives portico, as the U.S. Army Band plays "Happy Birthday."

The Declaration of Independence will be on public view for 76 consecutive hours during the July Fourth Bicentennial Weekend, beginning in the evening of July 2. A military honor guard will stand guard on the Declaration of the entire day of July 4.

The Scott County Hospital Ladies Auxiliary will sell slices of cake in Huntsville, Tennessee, as part of Scott County's Bicentennial festivities at noon on July 3 at the county court house. County Judge Verda Cope will choose the favorite cake in this Bicentennial Weekend cake and cooking baking contest.

The Fantastic Frosters of Great Falls, Montana are also holding a cake baking contest, specifying that the entires be decorated around the theme of the country's 200th birthday. They plan to feed cake to 2,000 people at the state fairgrounds, as part of Montana's biggest Bicentennial Weekend celebration. Three trophies will be presented to the winners of the individual category and three for commercially baked cakes. At 12:30 on the 4th, the cakes will be judged and at 3 p.m., a fifth grader dressed as Uncle San will cut and serve the first prize cake. And, of course, the whole community will sing "Happy Birthday, America."

In Champaign, Ill., the entire population is being invited to bring a birthday cake to the open area across from the University of Illinois football stadium after the Fourth of July parade. Bicentennial themes are expected to dominate the cake decorations. Also, the Eisner's Grocery Store will provide a large birthday cake to be given away at the evening's festivities, which will end with a fireworks display in the stadium

The Baltimore Bicentennial Committee is selling 400,000 slices of Bicentennial birthday cake (\$2.25/ slice) to finance historic restoration projects in the city. A plywood dummy cake in the shape of the continental United States will contain frosted, pre-wrapped slices of butter pound cake in sourvenir Bicentennial boxes.

At midnight on July 3, the 50 by 20 by 8 feet cake will be floated on a barge from Baltimore's Inner Harbor to Ft. McHenry, where the barge will be docked and 200 electric candles will be lighted. Herman's Bakery in Baltimore has been baking 1,000 pounds of cake per day since the first of June. The frozen cakes are being shipped to Philadelphia for wrapping and packaging, then shipped back for the Bicentennial Weekend celebration in Baltimore In the dummy cake category, Frances Nave of the Wright Bakery in Johnson City, Tennessee, will produce a large "cake" sporting 200 candles which will be placed on an old-time wagon as part of the July Fourth parade in Jonesboro, Tennessee. Jonesboro, the oldest town in Tennessee, has just completed a two-year renovation project, and its "Historic Jonesborough Days" celebration during the Bicentennial Weekend is expected to draw upwards of 100,000 visitors. Mr. Nave's cake float will feature red, white and blue liberty bells and '76 flags.



Woman's View

PEARL BRANDON

AS WE CELEBRATE our 200th birthday all over this great nation of ours, we should be very grateful to the one true God.

Somehow, I think it was His intentions to find this great nation, made up of all races and colors and creeds of the world.

I feel a great pride when I hear of all the other nations paying tribute and helping celebrate the birthday of our country. I feel like I would like to be everywhere at once and see it all from the small town country picnics to the 225 tall ships sailing up the Hudson River.

I LIKE TO watch the school children on ty salute to the flag- "Old Glory". the most beautiful flag in the world!

I never tire of our National Anthem as everyone stands at attention at ball games and other public gatherings.

PAUL, in writing to the Christian people at Rome said, "And now through Christ, all the kindness of God has been poured out upon us undeserving sinners; and now He is

sending us out around the world to tell

all people everywhere the great things God has done for them, so that they, too, will believe and obey Him." This sounds like Paul is talking to us. The eyes of all the nations of the

world are on us now. We shouldn't miss this chance of showing them what God has done for us.

OF COURSE, I know there are a lot of things wrong with our country, but it is the best there is anywhere else in the world. I am happy that He allowed me to be born here, and I hope I never forget to thank Him for it.

'My country, 'tis of thee, Sweet land of liberty. Of thee I sing: Land where my fathers died. Land of the pilgrim's pride, From every mountain side Let freedom ring.

I WOULD LIKE to pay tribute to R. A. Brotherton who passed away here this week. He served in WWI and WW II. He was very patriotic and a good man.

THE ABUNDANT LIFE Freedom's big three

INDIVIDUALLY AND collectively, we have great potential for successfully meeting the challenge of our time. In order to do so, however, we must eliminate the entertainment craze; the almost fanatical seeking of ease and luxury; and the willingness to be spectators rather than participators. Our time is being described variously as the "Age of Ease," the "Age of Creature Comfort" etc. This must be changed.

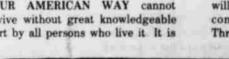
IN A BRIEF LOOK at the past, we see that there were challenges to met, problems to be solved, and difficulties to be overcome. We are grateful that sufficient numbers of people had the spirit and willingness to meet the test. What they did was not easy, but they did it. A diligent look at their contributions will help us.

IF WE EXTEND OUR LOOK a bit farther back into our country's past, we are impressed by the great sacrifices and instances of devotion we see the work and lives of the people who lived then. If we look carefully, we will see that much "hard work", 'sacrifice'' and "devotion" were essential to the formation nd preservation of our heritage. These are 'freedom's big three.

THE SPIRIT OF AMERICA is expressed in the last line of the Declaration of Independence. "And for the support of this Declaration, with a firm reliance on the protection of Divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our lives, our fortunes and our sacred honor." This is the spirit we must revive, because it is the spirit that will enable us to survive

MOST OF OUR THOUGHTS, talk and actions seem to be concerned with our rights, our privileges, and our personal liberty. We seem to forget that these cannot stant alone. What about the obligations, the responsibilities, and the other supports of these blessings? Our rights, privileges and liberties depend for survival upon the recognition and acceptance of the attending obligations and responsibi-

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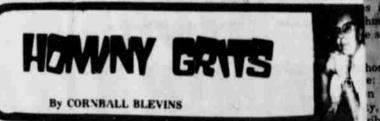
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will feature red, white and blue bunting on the second tier and a large '200'' on the top tier. Red, white and blue roses holding American flags will decorate the top of the cake. The Archives cake will be cut with an American sword from the Archives' collection and slices will be given to visitors who have filed through the



Presented by Hammons Funeral Home

In our 4th of July celebration we ought to thank God our fore-fathers were so deeply religious. Some of them could have made a name for themselves in the pulpit as well as in affairs of the state.

For example, Washington wrote, "I am sure that there was never a people who had more reason to acknowledge a divine interposition in their affairs than those of the U.S." ... John Adams wrote, "I have been a church going animal for 76 years, from the cradie." ... Franklin wrote, "I believe in one God, Creator of the Universe' and it was he who moved, "That henceforth prayers imploring the assistance of Heaven be held in this Assembly every morning." Congress continues the practice to this day.

Jefferson, during his trying days as President, began writing, "The Life and Morals of Jesus of Nazareth."

It was later translated into three languages. Alexander Hamilton, just before his duel with Aaron Burr, wrote his wife, "The consolation of religion, my beloved, can alone support you; and these you have a right to enjoy. Fly to the bosom of God and be comforted."

These sort of men founded our nation with faith. They differed in their religious beliefs but they all agreed the religion of every man must he left to the conviction and conscience of every man. This is our heritage. Let's give thanks for the "Faith of our fathers - living still".

Hammons Funeral Home Tom Sawyer, manager 503 E. 5th, 385-5121

Amherst, 246-3351

As the final song is sung, the giant red, white and blue "cake" is rolled out to the center of the hall, lighted by 200 electric candles, and the whole house sings "Happy Birthday America.

School Board hires teachers

The Littlefield School Board hired two new third-grade teachers in a routine Friday morning meeting.

Ja Lee Slate and Latricia Polk will replace Sue Middlebrook and Jan Lowe, both of whom resigned.

In other action the board discussed the school auditor's job for 1976-'77 with Calvin Price, but made no decision. Price is the present auditor.

Part of elementary II and the junior high shop buildings will receive new roofs at a cost of \$5,400.

The board also will advertise for bids to sell three buses and two pickups.

Bus drivers will be paid \$50 upon completion of the new bus driver's training course. The course will be a state requirement beginning next year.

Purchase of 14 LISD bonds approved. The discounted bonds were purchased for \$13,695.03 which saved the school district \$1,200.

A budget work session will be called later this month to determine next year's budget.

All board members were present.

OBITUARIES

AL BROTHERTON

Services for Brotherton, 81, of Littlefield, were conducted Friday afternoon in First United Methodist Church with Rev. Hugh Daniel of Lockney officiating.

Burial was in Littlefield Memorial Park under the direction of Hammons Funeral Home. The Veterans of Foreign Wars conducted military graveside services.

Brotherton died at 12:40 p.m. Wednesday in Littlefield Hospital.

Brotherton was a native of Dallas County and a veteran of World War I and II. The retired irrigation salesman was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Littlefield.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Betty Thomas of Montesano, Wash. and Mrs. Margaret Patton of Dodge City, Kan.; five sons, Ben of Washington, D. C., Jack of Tucson. Ariz., Robert of Midland, Jim of Colorado Springs, Colo. and Pat of Rock Springs, Wyo.; 16 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

S. R. WILLIAMS

Services for S. R. Williams, 92, a longtime Littlefield resident, were conducted Friday afternoon in Hammons Funeral Home chapel here with T. M. Oden of Lubbock officiating.

Burial was in Littlefield Memorial Park under the direction of the Hammons Funeral Home.

-thefts-

City officers received reports from two residents on stolen bicycles this week. Peggy Phariss reported the theft of a bicycle from 605 W. First, and Janie Espinosa reported a bicycle stolen from 601 W. First.

Carl Davis of 100 E. 20th reported an air nailer valued at \$450 to \$500 stolen Monday.

Sunday, Larry Ray Wall reported the generator and battery were taken from his parked car.

A man was filed on by city officers for slashing to new radial tires on a car parked on E. 22nd St.

One man is charged with aggravated assault on a police officer Sunday.

Williams died at 12:50 p.m. Wednesday in the Littlefield Hospital.

A native of Benton, Ark., Williams had been a Littlefield resident for 45 years. He was a retired carpenter and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Melvin West of Littlefield; a son, Harvey of Lubbock; a sister, Mrs. Francis Woods of Tishamingo, Okla.; a brother, Jim of Stonewall, Okla.; 10 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

O. H. WILLIS

Services for O. H. "Hud" Willis. 78, of Lubbock were conducted Wednesday afternoon in Resthaven-Singleton-Wilson Funeral Chapel with Rev. Clifton Igo, pastor of University Baptist Church and Rev. J. R. Anderson, minister of Gospel Tabernacle Church. officiating.

Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Willis died at 8:16 p.m. Monday in Methodist Hospital after a brief illness.

Willis of Rt. 5, Lubbock, was a retired farmer. He moved to Lubbock in 1964 from Littlefield. A native of Comanche County, he was a member of the Hurlwood Baptist Church.

Survivors include three sons, Hud Jr., and Bill, all of Lubbock; four daughters, Mrs. Mickey Davis of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Daisy Moyer of Albuquerque, N.M., Mrs. Peggy Wright and Mrs. Bobbye Norton, both of Lubbock; a brother, Bill Willis of Hereford; four sisters, Mrs. Blanche Corley of Rochester, Mrs. Lola Kirk of Littlefield, Mrs. Alene Davis of Dallas and Mrs. Myrtie Snodgrass of Seattle, Wash.; 17 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Q. B. WORKMAN

Funeral services for Q. B. Workman, 83, of Tulia were conducted Wednesday afternoon in the First United Methodist Church of Tulia with Rev. Bruce Parks, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery under the direction of Wallace Funeral Home of Tulia.

Workman died at 3:30 a.m. Tuesday, June 29, in Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia after a lengthy

GOT A SNEAK preview of part of the Bicentennial edition this past week. It really looked nice. Should be a collector's item.

I'd say that Joella, Nilah, and the rest of the girls down at the office are to be commended. I think you'll enjoy

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THIS IS JULY 4th, and these old United States are a mellow 200 years old. Seems, by this time, we ought to be old enough to know better. We are aware, however, that wisdom isn't necessarily a product of old age. We've forgotten more than most

nations ever knew about the road to success in building a powerful, prosperous and prestigious country.

HISTORY TELLS US that our founding fathers were men of character. patriotism, honesty and religion. They were too proud for serfdom, and weren't afraid to stand up and be counted when contention arose. To question ones' courage was an insult worthy of fighting about. To be called

illness.

Workman was a Swisher County commissioner from 1937 to 1947 and served on the school boards at Kress and in the Houston community south of Tulia for a total of eight years.

He had operated a farm machinery business in Tulia since 1945. He was married to Eunice Burkhead of Plainview in 1916; she died in 1949. Workman was then married to Alexa Herrington on Dec. 31, 1950, in Amarillo.

A Plainview native, he grew up there and attended Seth Ward College. He worked for the Texas Land Development Company in his early years and moved to the southern part of Swisher County in 1918. In 1927 he moved to the Houston community. He was a Methodist.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Bill and Ed, both of Tulia; two daughters, Mrs. Johnny Mac Tayne of Stanton and Mrs. Eddie Williams of Perryton; a stepdaughter, Mrs. John Billups of Amarillo; two brothers, Bob of San Angelo and C. A. of Olton; three sisters, Mrs. Marie Leech of Lockney, Mrs. Christina Scheirer of Houston and Mrs. Ethel Mullins of Farmington, N.M.; 10 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

"Slacker" was shameful, a infidel was an outsider.

Crime was punished read Don positively. Though they were Th. En share, welfare was unheard elland fellow who wouldn't work just thier eat. Begging was shameful.

TAXES WERE QUITE then, the government wasn't en to dictate all facets of living, at feed and house the citizenry.

The uniforms of our fightingde were worn with pride and hose in w were respected in any gathend Shame or desecration of our skend worthy of death.

YES, I'D SAY we've forgotte Wm a lot about what it takes to and M

Mr

strong and respected nation now, we seem to be vesting our efforts in individual gary M carefree living. Let others a Mr. sacrificing and hard work! We Jun proud!

We seem to have so little of hension of the blood, sweat, at ron vested in the building of this. T nation. True to human form and quite ungrateful for things them. been given to us. - We little Mr how to appreciate them.

WE HOPE THAT we'll not sence return again, and carve a nation a wilderness, but such can When, and if it does, we'll in least for a while, how to appres and will be very proud to have part in its building!

As for now, we wish a very kind of pox on those who are # so hard at the job of bleedal bleeding it, and tearing it down



drea Lynn Smiley crowned Princess

a Lynn Smiley was "Princess" in a and beauty contest ed by the San Antonio ry Post Presidents' Course as Velerans on , at the San Antonio

Auditorium. ea won first runner-up

mulating points from a exam, swimsuit judg-and friendship points, d by sold admissions. stage was decorated to ent a miniature 18th Court scene with Golliesta thrones for the Queen, and all escorts. en each age group, reted by a chosen color e, were guest stars from Jacqueline Flanagan of Dance performing a

show.

h winner was required to an originally designed l of her age group's Andrea's dress was a apricot formal with e scallops at the hem line bodice yolk. It was ac-d with silver braid along allops and at the ruffled s. The full skirt had ned butterflies of orange green flying above the ge sequined Daisies. She wore a nine-pointed silver red crown.

ANDREA SMILEY

She received an engraved health certificate, engraved beauty certificate, and engraved certificate for winning Princess in the Juniorette age group.

Andrea is the 22-month-old daughter of Pat and Brenda Smiley of San Antonio. Her Littlefield grandparents are Mr. and Mr. C. R. Smiley and Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Broaddus. Her great-grandmother is Mrs. Pearl Jones of Littlefield.



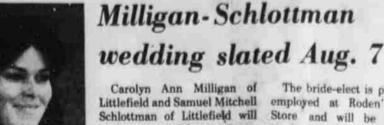
CAROLYN MILLIGAN

PEP NEWS

MR. AND MRS. Eugene Demel and Christy of Littlefield visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Demel and family Tuesday evening, June 29th

MR. AND MRS. Franklin Green visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Miller at Levelland Sunday afternoon June 27th.

MR. AND MRS. Conrad Demel, Roxanne, Tim and Liz visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ruzicka and girls at Friona on June 27th.



Schlottman of Littlefield will exchange nuptial vows in an Aug. 7 ceremony in Hemstead. The bridegroom is the son of

Mrs. Anita Onerusek of Hockley, and Andy Schlottman of Littlefield.

employed at Roden's Drug Store and will be a 1977 graduate

The bride-elect is presently

The groom is farming near be served at the Lamb County San Antonio. Multi-Service Center Monday. July 12, and Friday, July 30.

All friends are invited to attend

Springlake Lions install officers

SPRINGLAKE- New officers for Springlake Lions Club were installed Tuesday night with Art Cook of Lubbock, incoming Lieutenant Governor District 2-T2, serving as installing officer.

New officers are Otis Ray King, president; Tommy Alair, first vice president; P. A. Washington, second vice president; H. G. Watson, third vice president; Bill Scott, secretary-treasurer; J. R. Banks, tail twister and Hilbert Wisian, Lion tamer.

Installed as directors for one year were J. J. Coker and James Sanderson.

Installed as directors for a period of two years were L. G. Watson and George Denton. Orville Cleavinger T. E. ministration reported.

Alair and Eudell Baucum were presented a Star of Texas for sponsoring a new member. Making the presentation was Leon Noack of Olton, incoming Deputy District Governor. Hilbert Wisian and Bill Scott

received recognition for perfect attendance records during the years. Guests were Mr. and Mrs.

Art Cook of Lubbock: Gale delivered, may call us so that I can make a home-visit, to Jones, Lions Club Queen and her father, A. J. Jones, Mr. determine if you are eligible. and Mrs. Leon Noack of Olton. The number is 385-5425. and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McDonald and Ross Middleton Citizen, who needs an occaof Earth

GI TRAINING

Some 7.8 million veterans trained under the World War II GI Bill, the Veterans AdTHE LEADER-NEWS, LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS, SUNDAY, JULY 4, 1976, SECT. 1, PAGE 54

Bula GAs attend camp

BULA- The Girls in Action of the Bula Baptist Church and their counselor, Elnora Peacock, left for G. A. camp at Plains Baptist Assembly. Monday, June 28th, and returned Thursday, July 1st.

Senior

Corner

By DON PITTS

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benefit. If you can't go, call me

and I will put them on my list.

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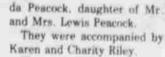
game was played after the

meal and prizes were won.

All Seniors are invited.

have the money or not.

Girls making the trip were Dora Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Black; Danene Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cox and Glen-



The girls and their leader have been working on the girls' G. A. steps.

Elnora has also been matching gold and white T-shirts for camp. They also have made pants of red and yellow to go with each T-shirt.



JOY'S HAIR DESIGNERS

385-5577

West Delano

r., Mrs. J.A. Decker ost Kuehler reunion

ie family of the late Mr. Mrs. Tony Kuehler held a ion Sunday, June 27, in ome of Mr. and Mrs. J. Decker of Pop. The meals disted of turkey, dressing, , and all the trimmings.

ne reunion was an all-day it, which was enjoyed by ages of people. The older ole spent the day reminis-of olden times, taking ures, etc. The younger ale spent their day playing ies, talking, and enjoying ics, while sitting under s in the back yard. Re-hments of assorted drinks erved all day

hose attending from Pep e: Mrs. Celia Sokora; Mrs. n Franklin, Bill, Mary, y, Linda, Danny, Gaynell, ribeth, and Tim: Mr. and Louis Kuchler and Don; and Mrs. Ben Kuehler, y, Diane, Kelly. Ronald, Donald, all of Morton; nma Duesterhaus of lland; Mr. and Mrs. R. F. hler of Seymour, Alfred

Kuehler, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Jake Meyers, Mary Beth, Caroline, Darla, Janet, Laura, and Melinda all of Rhineland; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pribyla, David, and Nancy, all of Tarzen.

> Two of the 12 children were unable to attend, Mrs. A. A. Homer of Fort Worth who was ill in the hospital and Larry Kuehler of Rhineland. The children planned

another reunion for the entire Tony Kuehler relations for the last Sunday in June to be held in Pep next year.

Visiting in the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Gaulbert Demel of Sudan, Nancy and Nathan Demel of Uvalde, Mr. and Mrs. Gery Franklin and Gery Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Franklin, Stephanie and Michael of Morton and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker, Jacque Greg, and Chad of Levelland. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Decker hosted the event and everyone enjoyed themselves very much, a great day to remember for all.



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Wade family holds reunion

HITHARRAL- The de Family's Annual Re-m was held in Lubbock at enzie State Park over the

kend ose from Whitharral atling were: Mr. and Mrs. T. Vade, Greg and Randy, and Mrs. J. E. Wade, Mr. Mrs. Ralph Wade, Mr. Mrs. Marion Polk, Susie, Mike and Roxanne, Mr. Mrs. A. L. Polk, Mr. and . Ken Polk and Kendra Junior Kendricks.

rom Levelland, Mr. and T. D. Northern and Jeff, and Mrs. Doug Kauffman, E. G. Wade and Mr. Mrs. S. J. Poli

rom Littlefield, Kathy and urron Wade and Debbie nter.

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From Jacksboro, Billy Louise Crawford and Jo Ed Harrison and children, Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Hicks and Mrs. Vade Henson, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Hicks of Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Mason Russell and Randall. Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Wade Cecil, Beverly

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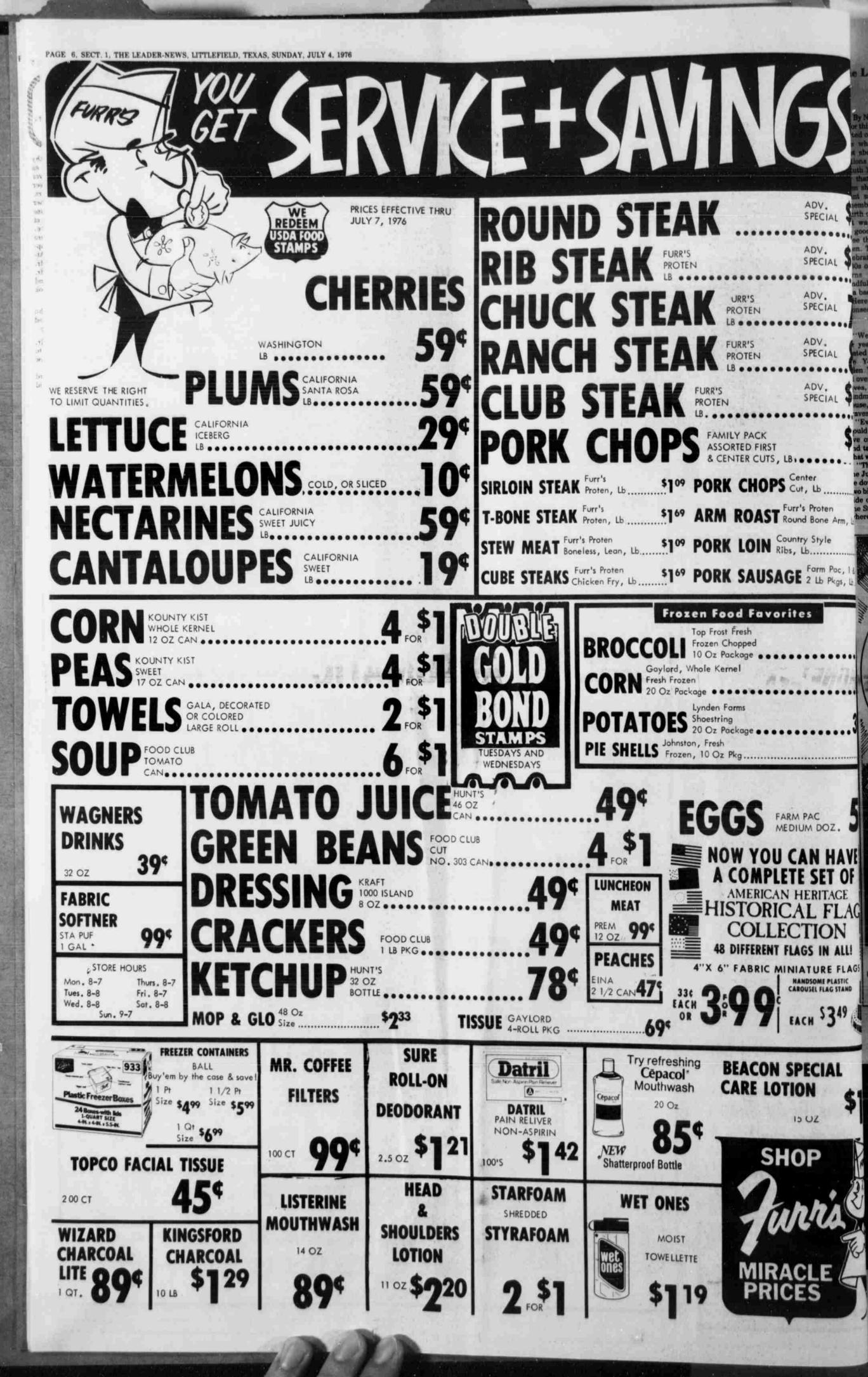
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e Leader-News asks...

By NILAH RODGERS this wock's question, we what they remembered bout July Fourth celems from the past.

uth Young said it wasn't a that meant a lot to her she grew up. Billy Tom at said he couldn't even mber what he did the last th of July.

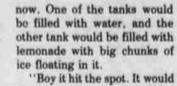
t was apparent soon that good ol' July Fourths were se that occurred way back en. The Independence Day ebrations in the 1920s and ios out-shadow recent sun-rns at Bull Lake and a adful of firecrackers set off

back alley. Here are our readers' rebered that Myrtle Marion Shaw was just a baby then. "Everybody called her Shaw

ELLEN WILL

"We came here in 1915, and years after that we cele-ated almost every July 4th at Yellow House Ranch," n Will said. "We'd walk over the ranch, explore the ves, drink from the tall admill, go to the ranch use, and visit the cowboy

she said. "Everybody sat around the stove all day," and Everybody who lived here ould go out there. Twenty-ve or 30 families would go if they went outside they had d take cake and ice cream. to wear coats." hat went on for several years. "Then two or three times the July 4th celebration would e downtown. There would be cold July Fourth, too. "I don't remember the year," she said. vo big horse tanks on the east de of the street across from "It must have been in the late e Street's Mercantile, about '30s. That year Guy went to here City Barber Shop is



in the shade. When they got

thirsty, they'd walk across the

street with their tin cups and

get a dipper full of lemonade.

Everybody would bring their

"All the cowboys in the area

would come in to town the

night before and spend the

night where the post office is.

Then they'd stay over for July

Mrs. Wills said she remem-

Baby, and all the kids took

turns wheeling her around,"

In later years, Mrs. Wills

said July Fourths were the day

people who lived in the Okla-

homa Avenue community all

got together for ice cream and

cake. "One July Fourth it was

so cold we had to have our

ALICE WILLIS

Alice Willis remembers that

coats on to eat our ice cream,'

4th.

she said.

lunch and spend the day.

said he never shook so much in his life." The July Fourth Mrs. Willis

best remembers is the big one in 1913 when the train arrived be so hot. Everyone would sit in Littlefield. around the Mercantile to stay

didn't go, but my husband

"We had a big barbecue, rodeo, fireworks, all the doings, with a dance that night. They built a big wooden platform out on the prairie, and everyone came," she said. The barbecue was out in the wide open spaces, too. A lot of people rode the train in to celebrate. And Olton was a pretty good little town, then, and they all came over. There wasn't a Sudan or Amherst then. They came from Lubbock and Plainview, though."

"After that first big celebration, there were July Fourth celebrations every year for a long time. It wasn't always in Littlefield. Sometimes it would be in Olton or Muleshoe, and later at Springlake. There was always somewhere to go and get sunburned," she added.

"Everybody would take a picnic lunch, and the celebrations would last all day. For years there was always a rodeo somewhere, Olton and Earth or Springlake were big on rodeos. There would be big prize money, and people came from everywhere to see them.'

M. P. THEDFORD M. P. Thedford said he usually had to work on the Fourth of July. He came to the

Littlefield area in 1923, and July Fourth celebrations were still pretty big things. "But if work let up enough to get off," he said. "we usually went to Plainview or Lubbock where they really made big deals of Independence Day. They had barbecues, rodeos, fireworks, carnivals, all those things," he said.

"Later in the '30s, they'd have car and horse races around here on July Fourth. They'd race a horse against a Model A Ford. Of course, the horse usually won. They'd hold those about where the old oil mill building is now. They'd race for so many yards. I don't remember how many, but cars didn't take off to fast then."

FLOYE MORRIS

Floye Morris remembers several years when Bull Lake dried up that old junk car races were held on the salt flat bottom of the lake.

"Those old junk car races would be part of the July Fourth celebration," Morris said. "Shoot yeah, they raced old cars, motorcycles, everything out there for a while,' he said. "The races usually started on the Fourth.

"You bet, that would draw a

crowd. Gosh, there would be a slew of people out there.

What do you remember about past July Fourths?

Nobody had any money back then. We'd just take any old car that would run, rebuild it, and hop the motor up, Everybody that had an old car that would reve up would be out there. We got a lot of sport out of it. Ones in the races

LIVING VETERANS

Sunday

Some 29.6 million living veterans represent about 14 per cent of the nation's population.

supervised each event.

to John Lee.

Troop 641.

Weblo Scouts John Lee,

Benny Davis, Craig Bradley,

and Shane Albus were pre-

sented activity badges. Cub-

master Jimmy Stueart pre-

sented the Arrow of Light, the

highest award for Cub Scouts.

Scoutmaster Roland Bell

and members of Troop 641

were present to accept and

welcome John into Scout

Bike rodeo conducted by local Cub Scouts

Pack 641 Club Scouts held a Following the activities, the bike rodeo at Crescent Park Pack served hot dogs and chili. Thanks was expressed to all Each Scout demonstrated mothers who brought home stopping accuracy, change

made ice cream and cake. direction, emergency stop, The next Pack 641 summer balance, and signals while activity will be an evening staying in full control of the bike. Members of Troop 641 swim party at Crescent Pool July 10 at 7 p.m.

1930s," he said. "There for a Morris said he couldn't while, you could walk across remember the years the lake the lake bottom."

Young Homemakers participate in events

SUDAN- The Young Homemakers met June 28 to finalize plans for Sudan's Bicentennial Celebration.

winners."

would put up a little pot, and 'was dry and races were held. there'd be prizes for the "I think it was the early there'd be prizes for the

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Those present were: Barbara Bond, Lou Boyles, Norma Burnett, Ann Carson, Jo Ann Gaston, Dyanne Humphreys, Nell Ingle, Kay Morton, Geneva Newman, Jan Smith. Sharon Thornton, Beverly Thurman, and Kay Wiseman. The Young Homemakers sold homemade ice cream

Saturday. Members have also participated in Sudan's celebration by: renovating a storefront. decorating a float for the parade and sponsoring the fire plug painting contest. A big thanks to Mickey Stevens for painting the little girl carrying the flag.

OLTON Mrs. W.B. Smith, Jr

285-2385

TUESDAY in Abernathy was "Mamma Struve Day" as officially proclaimed by Mayor Pete Thompson. A pioneer woman of the plains, Mrs. Struve was celebrating her 100th birthday. Open house was held Tuesday afternoon at Mrs. Struve's residence. South Plains residents were invited to visit her, and approximately 200 called. Attending from Olton were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Struve, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Struve and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cook Smith.

MR. AND MRS. John Stiles from Texhoma visited several friends here recently.

MRS. H. B. MAXEY Jr. took Mrs. H. B. Maxey Sr. to visit her doctor in Plainview Thursday.

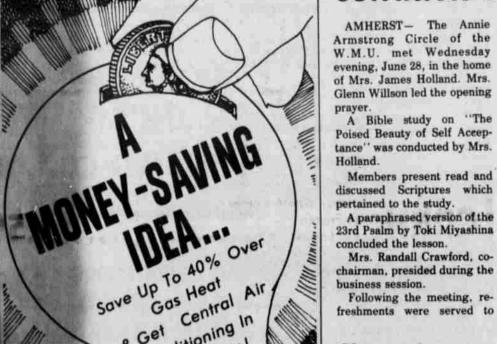
MR. AND MRS. Raiford Daniel Sr. visited in Littlefield Wednesday.

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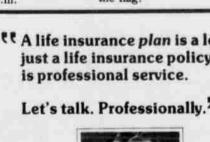
AMHERST- The Annie Mesdames Eyrle Abbott, John W.M.U. met Wednesday

Armstrong Circle of the Faust, Randall Crawford, Billy

BY

Brandley, Glenn Willson, Bill Phillips, T. L. Bennett and Holland

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Darla Hedges

Shower honors

Following the meeting, re-

freshments were served to

business session.

Darla Hedges, bride-elect of Mark Hulin, was honored with a white Bible ceremony June 29 in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Cowan.

A white Bible is presented to each girl who has been in Acteens prior to their marriage. White candles are used throughout the program.

Those participating on the program were Sandy Duvall, Doris Tucker, Terri Cowan, Denice Ferguson, Barbara Mc-Daniel and Gayla Cowan.

Special guests were Mrs. Arthur Hedges and Debra, Mrs. Joe, Jones, and Mrs. Ronnie Hedges.

Following the shower, a lingerie shower was presented to the bride-elect. White snowballs and pineapple were served to the many guests.



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WILDCAT CHEERLEADERS have returned from sttending Cheerleading School at NTSU in Denton, and have scheduled their cheerleader clinic July 5-9 in the High School gym from 1 to 3 p.m. They will be teaching tumbling, pom pon routines, chants and yells. Registration begins at 12:30 Monday in the gym for students 4-years-old and older. For information call 262-4661, 262-4065, 385-5327 or 385-3741. Shown are, front, Dana Yoakum and Susie Giles. Standing, left to right, Kimberly Fisher, Shalyn Grant, Elaine Ellerbe, Kathy Elliott and Susan Ogerly. [Staff Photo]



trip in the church's mini-bus.

Homer Peel home were Homer's sister, Mrs. Dorman

RECENT GUESTS in the

GUESTS OF Mr. and Mrs.

Lynn Blair and family are their

MR. AND MRS. J. D. Nelson attended a Nelson family reunion at Morgan Mill near Stephenville last weekend

Johnson of Colorado, and Juretia's niece, Mrs. Wesley SEVENTY-TWO enjoyed the Senior Citizens' covered-Yeager and baby Jeffrey of dish supper at the Amherst Fort Worth. The Peels expect their family the Mike Peels, Community Center Tuesday from Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. night. After the dinner, musical numbers and games of Ben Williams and children of Amarillo and Jay of Canyon. '42'' and dominoes were enjoyed. The next meeting, July JAY PEEL is assistant man-13, will be an ice cream and ager for Col. Sander's Shop in cake supper. The Amherst Study Club sponsored the Canyon MRS. THELMA BYRUM Tuesday night meeting. underwent major surgery at

Mmes. C. A. Thomas, Howard Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Campbell, Delva Harmon, R. H. Campbell, Walton Mac-Tuesday manus and Lester La Grange

were from the club. MR. AND MRS. Leo Peter-

this week at Tres Ritos, N.M.

buquerque is helping his grandfather, Harry Brantley, in farming this summer.

visited her daughter, Leona, in Houston this week

LITTLEFIELD

HOSPITALIZED in Littlefield Hospital has been Tommie Duncan.

DEVRON DUKE has been hospitalized in Methodist Hospital

NORA HICKS has been hospitalized in Methodist Hospital

MRS. RAY Anderson and Rayna of Las Vegas, Nev. have been here visiting with her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carmickle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schroeder, Ritchie and Vanesha. They attended the funeral for Mrs. Carmickle's father, Robert F. Day on June 25th in Floydada. On Wednesday evening, they were all dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Carmickle and Nancy in Abernathy. Sandra, Paul, and Rayna also visited there in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cunningham.

MR. AND MRS. Don Shepard and family of Giddings. have been here to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ford. Mrs. W. B. Jones Jr. and Mrs. Don Shepard are sisters, and the duaghters of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ford. MISS KATHY Wade and Sharon Wade attended the Wade family reunion Saturday and Sunday June 26 and 27 at Mackenzie Park in Lubbock. VENESHA SCHROEDER visited with her great-grandmother, Mrs. Mae Carmickle and spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Newton and family in Petersburg.

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OLTON- Approximately 60 relatives of G. H. Wood and friends attended the annual Wood family reunion held Saturday and Sunday in the Agriculture Building.

three daughters d Among relatives enjoying the family get-together were: Mr. and Mrs. Ro of Springlake; Mr (ART) Mr. and Mrs. Andy Wood, Aimee, and Audree of San Melvin Edwards Antonio: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mrs. Medford Ma Wood of Albuquerque, N.M .; bock. Mr. and Mrs. Truman Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Venter wa Sherri and Neita of Denver, Mr. and Mrs. T. Cue as th Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Larry Chuck, Karin anothe Adrian, Aaron and Clay of Mrs. Nell Woods nd his Mrs. Gary Wood, 0 g ligh Petersburg: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morris of Temple; also Mr. and Mrs. Mengk well grandchildren, Brent and Carford, Mr. and the him rie: and Mrs. Myrtle Bagley of alesa, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Edwards. Thruston Bagley of Winslow,

Ariz.; Mrs. Bonnie Wood and daughters, Donna and Jo Ann of Portales, N.M.; Mrs. Landon Wood and daughter of Apple Valley, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wood of Cotton Center: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood of Greenwood, Ark.: Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Wood and daughter. Kathy of Kerrville





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test was open to all inty school children. Leader-News staff

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tles were fought, people were i, the grounds were destroyed by trampled upon, holes where gun er was shot. The sky was full of te as the sun slowly crept down to another day. Thomas Jefferson sat ad his desk, his candle glowing, g light to the room. His pen lay in k well in front of him. The paper re him lay without a word.

hat he was thinking we cannot y be sure of. Maybe he was ing of the British, of their wars, ow they treated the Americans, rica being only one third as large Miritain. Maybe he was thinking of Stamp Act Crisis, how the tax fell all Americans whatever section, ny or class. Stamps were required whip's papers and documents, and offended merchants and lawyers. are curred to few colonists that they 10'd do more than grumble and buy ups until the Virginia House of gesses sounded a trumpet of tion that aroused Americans to act ost everywhere

the House of Burgesses a group red to exert themselves against arch governing of the tidewater iters who with royal governors, inated Virginia politics. Among ng unsatisfied people was Patrick ay, who was ambitious. he made a sch in the house trying to get more e. People were upset when he ationed that George III might lose head. He proceeded to introduce a

f resolutions declaring that Amers possessed all rights of Englishespecially the right to be taxed by their own representatives. should not have to pay taxes as the Virginians voted on it, and he battle went and they formed a np act congress which met in New k with delegates from nine of the nies pre

hey dicided to petition both the g and the two houses of Parliament use the congress denied that they ld rightfully be taxed except by

S BALEYS . TRATYERS SELECT

The entries were judge by Mrs. Lucille Betts and Mrs. Dan French, social studies teachers in the Littlefield School System, and the

their provincial assemblies. The mer-

chants of England feeling the loss of

their market begged Parliament to

repeal the Stamp Act. King George III

himself finally was convinced that the

act must be repealed. Opponents of

the repeal insisted that unless the

colonists were compelled to obey the

Stamp Act they would cease to obey

any laws of Parliament. So Parliament

passed the Declaratory Act and the

repealed the Stamp Act. In rejoicing

over the repeal most Americans paid

little attention to the declaration of

As he sat there Thomas Jefferson

and the committee to help him, John

Adams, Benjamin Franklin, Roger

Sherman and Robert Livingston, he

began to write the Declaration of

"When in the course of human

events it becomes necessary for one

people to dissolve the political bands

which have connected them with

another to assume among the Powers

of the earth, the separate and equal

station to which the Laws of Nature

and of Nature's God entitle them, a

decent respect to the opinions of

mankind requires that they should

declare the causes which impel them

His pen would go back into its inkwell

and he would lean back in his chair,

crossing his hands, his eyes shut and

his brows knitted together in deep

thought. What could go next? Some-

thing about men, of course, but what?

Men were created equal or were they?

Was the black man as equal as he

white? The tought crossed his mind,

but lingered no longer. Yes, the black

man was as free as he, for wasn't it the

same creator who created both men,

and both men worshipped the same

God, maybe not the same way, but He

So he began to write again? "We

hold these truths to be self-evident

that all men are created equal, that

they are endowed by their creator with

certain unalienable Rights, that

among these are Life, Liberty and the

was still the Father of both.

Parliaments power.

Independence.

to the separation."

The winners were Martha Withrow of Sudan in the junior high school division, Lynn Ann Jaquess of Littlefield in the elementary II division, and Angie Carson of Sudan in the

elementary I division. Each was given a \$25 U.S. Savings Bond The best of the other entries

will be printed in the Thursday, July 8, edition

persuit of Happiness "

And so on he wrote, writing his feelings on paper, writing the feelings of the four around him and writing what he thought best for the country, his country, for Americans.

To end his long effort and struggle he wrote: "We therefore, the Representatives of the United States of America, in General Congress, Assembled appealing to the Supreme Judge of the world for the rectitude of our intentions, do, in the name, and by Authority of the good People of these Colonies, solemnly publish and declare that these United Colonies are and of Right ought to be free and Independent states: that they are Absolved from all Allegiance to British Crown, and that all poltical connection between them and the state of Great Britian is and ought to be totally dissolved; and that as Free and Independent States, they have full power to levy War, conclude Peace, contract Alliances, establish Commerce and to do all other Acts and things which Independent States may of rights do. And for the support of this Declaration with a firm reliance on the Protection of Divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our lives, our Fortunes and our sacred Honor.

His pen dropped and the tired but happy faces were upon the five men. They know, although the declaration was finished and ended, it wasn't the end, but just the beginning.

By LYNN ANN JAQUESS WHAT THE BICENTENNIAL MEANS TO ME AND AMERICA

The Bicentennial means to me 200 years of pure freedom, freedom of religion, freedom of the press, freedom of the speech, and many more freedoms that our forefathers fought and struggled for for so long. The Bicentennial means to me a big red, white, and blue celebration in which everyone in America is invited. It means the stars and stripes that we see every day that fly free over

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everyone's head. Almost everything that we see this year has to do with the Bicentennial.

Americans look forward to the Fourth of July because 200 years ago on that day the Declaration of Independence was signed. That meant that the 13 states declared their independence from their mother country, England. The Bicentennial means that for 200 years we have been a free nation. Maybe someday the United States will be a completely independent country with each state supplying to the others its natural resources and abilities. I hope we can become independent but remain friends with the other countries. ...

Americans can work together as a whole and can learn in public schools about the rest of the world and what America has gone through to earn its independence. We all should be proud of our forefathers and the America we all can now share. We all should hold our head high and keep our freedom instead of letting the Communists cheat their way into overthrowing our government. It is a great thing to know that we Texans are sharing with the other 49 states one big celebration. People thousands of miles away in Hawaii, Alaska, and Maine are celebrating the same as we are here, even though there are people of every race and color. For 200 years our forefathers have been willing to die to keep our country free, and I hope that my generation will be just as willing to fight and die for freedom.

Bicentennial means 200 years of freedom, but to me it means more. It means a lump in my throat and tears in my eyes when I see the red, white, and blue flag waving in the breeze. The Bicentennial is a rather great and powerful thing.

I am proud to be an American-Happy Brithday America!

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By ANGIE CARSON WHAT THE BICENTENNIAL MEANS TO ME AND AMERICA

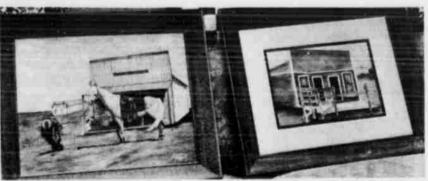
The Bicentennial means that our country is going to be 200 years old. And we should celebrate our countries birthday. We should go to all the Bicentennial celebrations because we should be proud of our country. We should be glad that we live in our country rather than some other country because in another country they can't go where they want to and when they want to but in our country we are free to do what we want to and we are free to go where we want to go. That's why we should salute our country in being 200 years old.

We should be thankful for Columbus because he was the one that found America. We should be thankful for the men that risked their lives to save our country from the war against England. We should be thankful for George Washington because he was our leader when the war was going on.We should remember the pioneers because they came westward and made Texas what it is today. We should be thankful for all the people that made our country what it is today.

This year many people are going to visit important places like Philadelphia, Boston and Washington, D. C. People could go to New York City to see the Statute of Liberty and in Philadelphia to see the Liberty Bell and also you can see where the Declaration of Independence was signed.

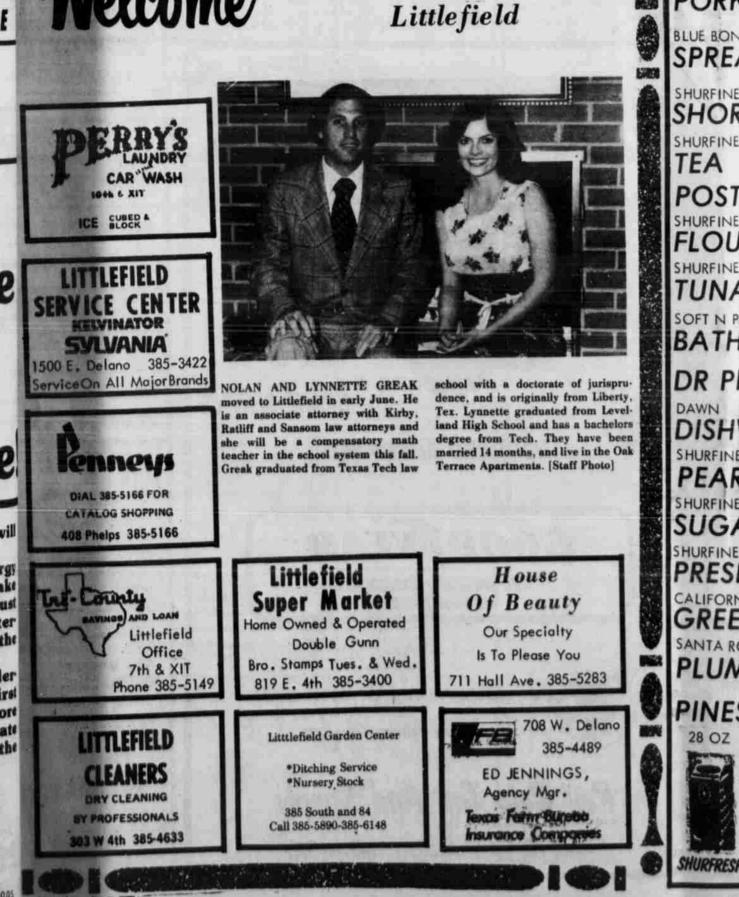
For the Bicentennial, Sudan is going to have a celebration on July the third. They are going to have a parade and a barbeque and homemade ice cream and play games. That's how Sudan is going to celebrate our country's 200th birthday

My family has planted a flag out of flowers and hope it blooms by July the fourth. People throughout our country should fly the American flag and show that they are patriotic and love our country.



THESE TWO PAINTINGS, now owned by Bill Street, depict early buildings in Littlefield. At the left is the "Pink Store," which stood where Mode-O-Day is now located, and in the background is the Lamb Co. New office, where the phone company now stands. It is an oil painting done by Mrs. Golah Street of Littlefield. The watercolor at right is of John Hall's barber shop, built in 1913. It was painted by Lois Pharris, also of Littlefield. [Staff Photo]

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THE LITTLEFIELD JR. BABE RUTH All-stars will be playing in the district tourney tomorrow at 8:30 p.m. in Plainview. Their first round opponents in the double-elimination tourney is Muleshoe, but to win they must also outlast teams from Plainview, Olton and Dimmitt. The team consists of [front, l. to r.] Tim Oakley, Lonnie Perez, Albert Rangel, Louis Flores, Jimmy Clayton, Brady Bradley. Victor king and Johnny Ortiz, and [back] Coach Johnny Sierra, Jr. Sierra, Alvin Contreras, Jimmy Avery, Joe Rodriguez, Pablo Trevino, Tommy Williams, Michael Jones, Coach Don Avery and Manager John Clayton III. [Personal Photo]

All-stars open in tourney

third round, as the winner will

receive a second round bye.

That game would be played at

Manager John Clayton said

well and would continue to

work out until Monday. The

8:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Seminole

view the local Jr. Babe Ruth well, is the first stepping stone All-stars get their first taste of competition as they take on be played later this month in Muleshoe in the West Texas District 2 tournament.

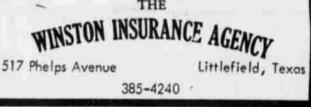
The district tourney, which is a double-elimination affair at 6 p.m. tomorrow. pulling in teams from Dim-

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Tomorrow night in Plain- mitt, Olton and Plainview as about 4:30 p.m. tomorrow en route to Plainview. on to the state meet, which will Clayton said the pitcher and

starting lineup would not be set until gametime. In the other first round The All-stars are made up of

players from all four Littlefield game, Olton takes on Dimmitt Jr. Babe Ruth teams and If Littlefield beats Mulesquads from Anton and Sudan. shoe, they will move on to the

Pee Wees play to tie

A loss by the locals would The Roadrunners and Tigers put them in the consolation concluded the 1976 Pee Wee bracket against the Olton-Dimmitt loser at 6 p.m. Tuesleague season Tuesday with a high scoring tie, 15-15.

The game was the last chance for the Tigers to pull the boys had been practicing out a win this year, but they had no more luck shutting down the Roadrunners' ofteam will leave Littlefield at fense as their opponents did.

The Roadrunners ended their season at 2-10-2, while the Tigers finished at 0-11-3.

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SPORTS Haves win aga PAGE 10, SECT. 1 THE LEADER-NEWS, LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS SUNDAY, JULY 4, 1976

Pitchers turn in top performances

Tight pitching but high scoring were the main point of two minor league games played this week

Carlisle-Oldham's Freddie Hernandez turned in a onehitter against Leader-News Thursday to lead his team to a 13-3 win, then Oscar Torres of Security State put together another one-hitter as the Bankers shut out VFW 12-0 Thursday.

The wins by C-0 and Security State kept them in a battle for the minor league title as of presstime Friday. C-O had the supper hand with a 7-1-5 season record, which, counting ties as a half game won and a half game lost, become 91/2-31/2. The Bankers were 8-3-2, or 9-4. They needed a win over Leader-News last night while C-O had to lose to VFW Friday.

That combination would give Security State the title and unseat Carlisle-Oldham from the top spot they have held all season.

C-O 13 **LEADER-NEWS 3**

Six runs in the third inning was enough to bury the Newsmen Tuesday, as a single by Orville Haynes was all the offense they could muster. Winnig pitcher Freddie Her-

nandez helped his own cause

by slapping a pair of singles.

Teammate Randy Contreras also had a hit. The Newsmen, with one

game left, had a record of 2-7-3

SECURITY STATE 12 VFW 0

Security State got six runs in the fourth inning to finish off their rout of the Veterans Thursday 12-0.

Jimmy Ratliff, Benny Davis, Juan Hernandez, Charles Jackson and Terry Jackson all contributed at the plate for the winners.

Adrian Martinez got the lone hit for the veterans, who dipped to 2-8-2 on the year.

It was a matter of the 'haves'' versus the "have nots" this week in Littlefield's major league baseball action.

The two teams making a bid for the championship going into the final two games of the season met the two squads at the very bottom of the sixteam division, and the results were about as predictable as March winds in West Texas.

Birkelbach, 11-3, walloped the Lions 20-5, and Wow held off Rotary 7-5 to end its season at 11-4.

The Lions' record dipped to spot.

Tech camp planned

Texas Tech head basketball coach Gerald Myers has opened his annual basketball camp at Lubbock Christian College to a record number of boys.

Held each summer in the LCC fieldhouse, the camp has grown to 120 participants. Though this figure represents the highest total in the camp's can be obtained by calling LCC four-year history, Myers at (806) 792-3221.

0-14, while Rotary has a final standing of 3-12.

Season-ending games were scheduled for Friday night, when Lamb Co. Electric tried Lions, and Saturday, as Birkelbach and Fire Dept. went at it. Birkelbach could have locked up the major league crown with a win over Fire

Dept., but the Firemen were sure to put up a fight. They were in title contention, too, with a 10-4 ledger, and if they upset Birkelbach there will be a three-way tie for the top

pointed out that the facilities

accommodate up to 150 boys.

Three more week-long ses-

seven scores. two-run homer and singles to lead

Smith, Todd Butle well and Kyle chipped in a single Todd Simpson Lions and blasted Ronnie Willard double.

WOW 7 **ROTARY 5** WOW had the II C down 7-0 after fee 9 (campers. Further information

but Rotary climbed to make a fight of i runs in the fifth ; finally losing 7-5.

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sions remain in this summer's program. They are July 11-16, July 18-23 and Aug. 1-6. The camp is open to boys between the ages of nine and 14. The cost is \$95 for resident campers and \$65 for day

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By JUDY BOLTON Phone 385-4542 VISITING in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hilbun are

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hilbun, Tommy and Erin of Lower Burrell, Pa.

MRS. C. S. Benner visited in Dumas last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Snook.

MR. AND MRS. Dwain Blancet of Lubbock are visiting in the home of his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ford. Also visiting there were Mrs. Fords' sisters, Mrs. Flossie Harris and Mrs. Ruby Barton of Elk City, Okla.

MR. AND MRS. Alfred Schroeder, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Schroeder and three children of Amherst were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schroeder, Venesha and Ritchie on

Father Day. MR. AND MRS. Kim Kelp and Kris of Spearman visited in the home of her parents. Rev. and Mrs. Wesley Daniels over the weekend. MRS. MARY Horton re-

turned to Edinburg to prepare

Ritchie and Venesha to celebrate Paul Carmickle's birthday last week.

MRS. DONNY McCARTHY and Kevin of Round Rock. near Austin, are here visiting her sister, Miss Kathy Wade, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wade of Whitharral.

CHAD AND JULIE Joplin of Roswell, N.M. were recent guests in the home of their grandparents, Mrs. Gladys Joplin

BRENT COX, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Cox celebrated his fifth birthday June 30 with a party at Crescent Park. His guests included Misty Maxfield, Casey Stovall. Kyle and Nicole Maxfield, Trey and Amy Bolton, and Julie Hufstedler.

MR. AND MRS. W. B. Jones Jr. and family of Kettering. Ohio have been here recently visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ford, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. David Jones and family and other relatives and friends.

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PAGE 12, SECT. 1, THE LEADER-NEWS, LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS, SUNDAY, JULY 4, 1976 Happy Birthday, America

This poem was submitted to our office by Emert Rose of Littlefield. We are pleased to publish it in our Bicentennial issue

Happy Birthday, America" By EMERT ROSE

We were cold and hungry and the days were long They said our dream was worthless but our Spirit was strong It was there at Lexington on a

battlefield by a stream I gave my life for freedom, America, our dream.

This war I fought in was tragic, foolish so it seemed Brother fighting Brother Pearl Harber but they found struggling to preserve our dream

These United States of America where everyone is free from strife

was where I gave my life.

Again the clouds of war settled over a distant land There threats against our freedom, so I went to lend a hand

There in the trenches of Flanders we fought so men could be free The shells exploded, the me-

dics came and the man they found was me.

I was 18 when they called me, I was a man they could plainly We drove them from the Islands, we drove them from

the sea We hit the beach at Tarawa, the tide was running red We made them remember me among the dead.

Korea was a poor but peaceful

land, we fought to keep it free A President fired our com-On a battlefield at Gettysburg mander, we lost the Victory He asked us not to shed a tear,

my feet are not made of clay blowing, and in the harbor a For old soldiers never die, they lady holds a light. just fade away.

Inscribed at her feet a mes-Then came Vietnam another sage from her founders and country fighting for its life her dead They came from the North As you see her for the first offering nothing but bondage time you almost see her nod her head

Our leaders called it Police action but to us it seemed like war I gave my life knowing freedom was what these people were fighting for.

We are the lost legions at our camp above the sky

We hold no regrets for what we did for we see our Flag still waving high

and strife

So America be proud of your Birth year and listen in the silence of the night You will hear our bugler

These statements from

"Give me your tired, your poor, your huddled masses, yearning to be free The wretched refuge of your teaming shore Send these, the homeless

tempest-tossed to me I lift my lamb beside the Golden Door.

So people walk with reverence, you are trodding sacred sod This is our welcome to America and our Thanks to our God.

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"The Bible is the rock upon which our Republic rests!" - Andrew Jackson

LITTLEFIELD NEWS

"If we abide by the princi-

LAVERN KIRBY has also been hospitalized in Methodist Hospital.

manager of Perry's.

MR. AND MRS. Dan Craig have returned from their vacation in Maine where they visited relatives. Dan is the

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'Happy is that people, that ples taught in the Bible, our s in such a case: yea, happy is country will go on prospering that people, whose God is the and to prosper!" - Daniel Webster 'To the influence of the

Bible we are indebted for the progress made in true civilization, and we must look to it as our guide in the future. The Bible is the sheet anchor of our liberties. Write its principles them in your lives!" - Ulysses

'There are a great many problems before the American people. I would be afraid to go forward if I did not believe there lay at the foundation of all our schooling, and all our thought the incomparable unimpeachable Word of God." Woodrow Wilson

"If I were to have my way, I would take the torch out of the hand of the Statue of Libertyy and in its stead place and open Bible!" - Thomas Marshall

Thought: Only as America blesses God can God bless

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