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## Littlefield Schedules Swim Meet

Littlefield will host more than 350 Scouts and Explorers, representing 100 Scout Units, who have been invited to participate in the annual Scout swim meet of the George White Scout Council.

The event will be held Monday, Aug. 4, at the Crescent Park Pool beginning at 8 a.m. according to Tom Hilbun, District Scout Commissioner and General Chairman for the event.

The swim meet is designed to test the swimming skills of Scouts in the area. The meet will also focus attention on safe swimming practices.

Some of the events including those scheduled for beginners and swimmers, will be relay type swimming.

Events will include free style, side stroke, back stroke, and a medley event. Swimmers will compete in a special relay ball relay.

The swim meet is sponsored by the Littlefield area of the George White Scout Council of the South Plains Council, Boy Scouts of America.

Units and Explorer Posts from Littlefield, Morton, Threeway, Whitharral, Pep, Muleshoe, Anton, Sudan, Littlefield, Sundown, Whiteface, and Bula are invited to participate in the swim meet.

## Woman Hospitalized After Car Wreck

Mrs. Ernest Williams of Littlefield was hospitalized following a car accident on rain-slick highway 84 Wednesday evening.

The collision occurred at 5:40 p.m. on U.S. Highway 84.

The Oldsmobile driven by Deborah Williams of Dimmitt was traveling east on the wet pavement of Highway 84 when her car spun across the median into the path of the '62 Dodge station wagon driven by Williams.

Williams' car hit the right rear of the Oldsmobile and both cars slid into the ditch on the right side of the highway.

Mrs. Williams were both taken to Littlefield Hospital. Williams was released from the hospital Tuesday. At 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Mrs. Williams was hospitalized. Highway Patrolman James Parson investigated the accident.

## Authorities Jail Man This Week

Robert Renfro, 55, of Littlefield, was arrested by county officials Tuesday for driving while intoxicated. He was released on a \$500 bond.

County authorities jailed Donald Pruitt, 28, of Littlefield. Tuesday he was sent to a veterans hospital in Denver, Colo.

## \$1,718,000 In Grants To Lamb County

At a dollars and cents standpoint, Lamb County is making out well in the government's grants-in-aid program.

The price it is paying for these grants through matching funds and other taxes that come out of taxes, make it worthwhile financially?

These programs—there are hundreds of them—offer assistance to states and communities for purposes ranging from road building and education to grants and child care.

It costs some localities, in the past, more to receive the aid than they received. For others, it worked out differently. They got back more than they

paid. A comprehensive study of the aid programs, made by the Tax Foundation, a nonprofit organization that watches government taxation and spending, shows that each dollar of aid was allocated to each state on an average of 80 cents. At each instance, what the cost was. A breakdown of the state figures, based upon Treasury Department reports, indicates that the federal aid in Lamb County came to approximately \$1,598,000 in the past

# FARMERS IRATE ABOUT ARRESTS Officers 'Not Alien-Hunting'



IT'S EITHER GROW a beard (and sleep on the couch) or get a shaving permit for the upcoming Littlefield Festivities Day, Aug. 29 and 30. Larry Sanderson and James Walker show their affinity for couch sleeping and Abraham Lincoln-type beards. Thin-faced Sanderson looks very much like old Abe, while a similar style beard on crew-cut pharmacist Walker gives him a river-boat gambler look. Members of the Littlefield Lions Club are selling \$1 shaving permits to the less adventurous to keep them from being incarcerated in the calaboose being built on Phelps Ave.

## Sheriff, Chief Explain Policies On Nationals

By BILL TURNER  
Leader-News Editor-Publisher

Littlefield and Lamb County law enforcement officials made it plain Wednesday they do not go out and seek "wetbacks"—Mexican Nationals without proper papers—for deportation purposes only.

"It is not our policy to go out looking for aliens," said Lamb County Sheriff E. D. McNeese. "We leave this to the Border Patrol. In the event we have a complaint and a warrant issued, and we learn the person involved is an alien, we hold him for the Border Patrol."

Littlefield Police Chief F. A. Fitzgerald said his department does not consider searching for aliens part of the police force's duties.

"But when we check a person we think is violating the law, and we find out he is an alien, we hold him for federal authorities," Fitzgerald explained.

He said the police department does not make a practice of searching for aliens and stopping people solely for a check of their birth certificates or visa information.

Explanations by McNeese and Fitzgerald came after irate farmers voiced complaints about the arrest of 17 Mexican Nationals last week by city and county officers.

One group of farmers from the Spade-Fieldton area asked Littlefield attorney Jerr Kirby to meet with them early Wednesday morning.

"They were mad as hell about it," said

Kirby. "They said they have no complaint if the officers pick up someone they find is breaking the law, and then turn them over to the Border Patrol."

"They just don't think the officers ought to be out hunting for aliens and asking people to produce papers," Kirby said.

Kirby said he felt the farmers had a point.

"If we're going to do that, we might as well put up signs and say that Littlefield is going to weigh every truck that comes through here, check everybody's license, or call for everyone to turn in their income tax returns so we can see if they're violating some law."

Both McNeese and Fitzgerald maintained they do not, and will not, go out solely to seek aliens for deportation purposes.

Kirby said, "It's just not American to have officers stopping people for citizenship checks. They do this over in Russia and the Iron Curtain countries."

Kirby said many of the Mexican Nationals in this country have proper papers, and they don't like to go into countries or cities where they are asked to produce them, "just on general principles."

He said the arrests of the 17 Mexican Nationals last week did not result in charges being filed, only that the people were held for the Border Patrol.

"That made it appear the people were picked up only because they didn't have papers," he said.

But Kirby added there had been a lot of misunderstanding because people have not been told of the circumstances leading up to the arrests.

McNeese and Fitzgerald said formal charges are not required when a person is held for deportation.

"Actually, we picked up eight people and held them after Smitty (Deputy Sheriff, V. L. Smith Jr.) received a call from a city patrolman to come pick up eight wetbacks," McNeese said.

Chief Fitzgerald said the call did take place and was made by a young, rookie patrolman.

The police chief said the young officer had spotted the eight people "prowling around a filling station about 1 o'clock in the morning." The car, bearing New Mexico tags, was parked in the station's driveway.

He naturally checked out the people, said Fitzgerald, and in the process, learned they were aliens.

Fitzgerald himself was out of town at the time, and Assistant Chief James Cox explained the department's policy to the young patrolman, at some length.

"We don't call the county to put prisoners in jail for us," said Fitzgerald.

"We do work with the county whenever we can, though, because our two departments get along well together," he added.

In the other case where nine Nationals were picked up by the city, Chief Fitzgerald explained the circumstances under which the arrests were made.

The chief said a patrolman passed a stalled truck with 16 farm workers aboard. The truck was parked alongside the highway near Nipak Fertilizer.

"Our officer asked the driver what the trouble was," said Fitzgerald, "and the

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## Area Crop Prospects Brightening

Farmers are predicting above average grain sorghum yields.

Even late cotton prospects are good, but farmers' high harvest hopes are pending on a late frost.

Irrigated feed over the area is looking "real good," farmers say, and recent rains have saved dry land crops over a big portion of Lamb County.

Roy Allen Hudson reported one-half to two inches of rain saved dry land feed at the "Sahara Desert" (Bainer Switch) where he farms.

Ervin Sadler said he is right in the middle of a lucky streak northwest of Whitharral "where dry land feed and cotton prospects could beat the irrigated yields."

ROBERT MEINECKE at Olton reports "crops looking so good that it scares you."

In the Spade and Hart Camp area the feed is heading out looking real, real pretty, according to Walter Kelsey.

Ninety-five per cent of the farmers in the Springlake-Earth communities have

sprayed for greenbugs, but grain yield predictions range from 5-10,000 pounds per acre. Hail riddled cotton not replanted is "thin" but looking good.

J. D. Smith who farms in the primarily dry land Bula area said the showers the past two weeks have been just right for the grain and the hot weather is good for the cotton.

CROPS AT PEP "are looking better than they did a week ago," after the one inch shower Sunday. Leonard Albus said early feed is heading out and most of the cotton around Pep is the first planting and has squares and is blooming.

Late cotton is doing good and the feed is in good shape at Amherst. Recent rains were just what Amherst farmers needed.

Lamar Aten, ASCS office manager, said much of the dry land feed had started to burn before the rains came, but he reports good prospects for the area, even though "he's noticed the nights are getting a little cooler with these showers, and that's not good for the cotton."

WALTER KESEY has irrigated his double-rowed feed crop four times so far. He and most of his neighbors have sprayed their early grain sorghum for green bugs. Cotton crops in the Spade-Fieldton area are late, but "good looking."

At Olton the rains have been just great for cotton, grain crops, and other crops including more than 1,000 pecan trees on the Robert Meinecke farm.

Most farmers in the Olton area have irrigated their grain sorghum two or three times and have sprayed for greenbugs. Cotton is looking good with "general crop prospects looking so good its scary."

DONALD CLAYTON at Springlake reports greenbug damage under control after 95 per cent or more of the farmers sprayed for the insects. Late cotton is looking fine considering planting dates, Clayton said, but it will need a long growing season to mature.

Springlake received just a trace of moisture in recent rains, and most farmers have irrigated grain sorghum crops twice and plan to begin irrigating cotton next week if it doesn't rain.

Amherst has received an average of 1 1/2 inches of rain the past two weeks and feed crop prospects are good. Ninety per cent of the cotton is late planted around Amherst, but has squares and a few blooms now. Much of the feed around Amherst has been irrigated two times and an additional watering or two will be given to the grain crops, depending on how hot and dry it stays.

Troy Blackburn at Earth reports some beautiful early cotton near the school house. June cotton crops are looking good, and some of the earlier cotton is thin but looking good he said.

FEED HAS BEEN irrigated two or three times at this point and additional water will be applied as needed. Northwest of Earth farmers received as much as 2 inches of rain last week.

At Whitharral Ervin Sadler said some of his dry land may yield higher than irrigated crops after good rainfalls last week, especially if he gets another rain in the next two or three weeks.

Some have and some haven't sprayed for greenbugs at Whitharral. Where the feed is planted four in and four out, and some with dry land feed say it's hard to justify the price of spraying.



MR. AND MRS. CLYDE Hilbun cast their absentee votes Tuesday on the nine proposed constitutional amendments. At noon Wednesday, 23 persons had voted in the county clerk's office in the Lamb County Courthouse, the only place where absentee amendment votes can be cast. Absentee voting continues through 5 p.m., Aug. 1. Application for mail ballots may be made to the county clerk's office through Aug. 1 and must be postmarked before midnight, Aug. 4, and received in the county clerk's office by 1 p.m. Aug. 5.

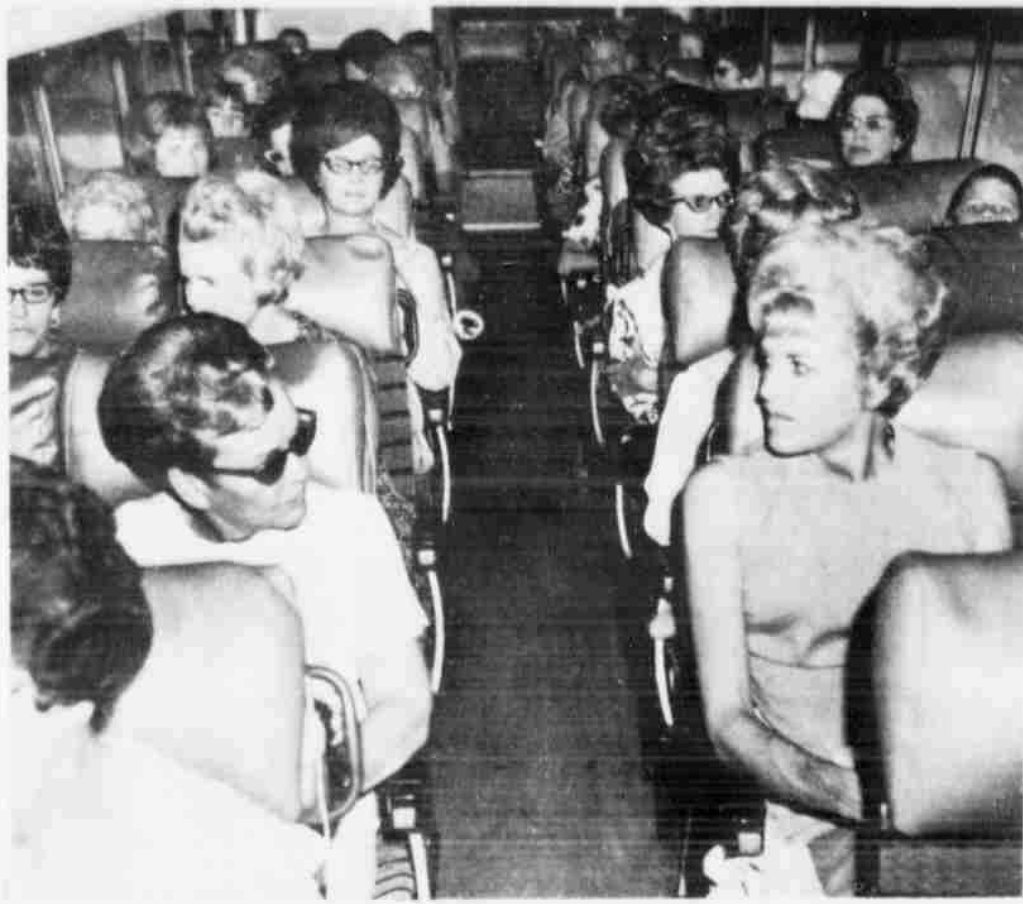
## Cast Ballots Before Deadline

Friday will be the last day for voting absentee on the nine proposed constitutional amendments.

Lamb County Clerk's office will close at 5 p.m. and will mark the deadline for casting ballots prior to the general election Tuesday, Aug. 5.

County Clerk Mary Beth Willey urges all persons in Lamb County who plan to be away on election day, and who wish to cast a vote on the amendments, to make plans for voting before the deadline.





LITTLEFIELD CITIZENS boarded a chartered bus Friday afternoon and saw "TEXAS" in Palo Duro Canyon that night. Riding the bus were 31 adults and three youngsters who ate barbecue, saw the show and returned to Littlefield by 2:15 a.m. Saturday.

## SPRINGLAKE - CIRCLE

MRS. TOM STANSELL

285-2572

LELAND, DARLA and Karen Dear, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dear, are attending music camp at Lubbock Christian College.

LEONARD TITTLE, minister of the Amherst Church of Christ, preached Sunday morning at the Springlake Church of Christ.

MR. AND MRS. Floyd Crawford and Mrs. Ruth Roebuck attended church service Friday evening at the Amherst Church of Christ. Minister Cecil Bunch of Lubbock was the speaker at a series of services being held there.

MR. AND MRS. Jack Edwards had as recent house guests their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Jarrell Edwards and Dana of Lubbock.

MR. AND MRS. Milton Horst of Lubbock spent Sunday with Mrs. Horst's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Lrissy.

MR. AND MRS. Bill Pittman, Dian, Debbie and Carter attended church in Amarillo Saturday.

VISITING SUNDAY afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Kennedy, Karin, Chuck and Connie were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Shippy, Charla and Bob from Halfway community.

MR. AND MRS. P. Gibson spent the weekend in Frisco with their son, M. and Mrs. Kenneth Gabehart, Jenny and Pat.

DALEGABEHART, student at West Texas State University spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gabehart.

MISS MYRNA DEAR is serving as counselor at the Lubbock Christian College music camp. Miss Dear, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dear is a 1969 graduate of Lubbock Christian High School.

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MR. AND MRS. Jack Wood and Jackie Lee of Albuquerque, N. M., stayed recently with Woods parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Wood.

## Art Club Has Meeting

The Daubers Art Club met July 29, at the Reddy Room. Those present were Louise Bennett, Corinne Evans, Irene Fore, Dorothy Ferguson, Lela Nabholz, Norma Phillips, Pearl Rountree, Hattie Street, Lynn Tucker and one visitor Flora Hall.



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## LITTLEFIELD

MRS. J. B. McSHAN

385-4337

Guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wingo were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brandstatt, Mrs. Burtha Thompson, Mrs. John Cornelius and three children, Bill Cornelius all from Amherst and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brandstatt of Irving.

S. M. Sgt. and Mrs. E. S. Hansen and boys Michael, Richard, and Wayne of Ft. Worth visited over the weekend in the home of Mrs. Hansen's mother, Mrs. Ama Lee Messer. They also visited her grandmother, Mrs. Mae Wallace and a great-aunt, Mrs. Stella Wallace. Mr. and Mrs. Leon

## Olton WMC Has Meeting

OLTON—Sister Gene Davis of Olton was the speaker at the morning session of the West Plains Section of the Woman's Missionary Council which met Monday in the Muleshoe Assembly of God Church.

Her topic was "Whatever thy hand find to do, do it with thy might."

The members of the Missionettes, organization of the girls, were guests of honor at the banquet which was served at noon.

Brother and Sister Bryan Mook, missionaries from South America, showed slides during the afternoon session.

The lady discussed her work with the girls of that country. Clothing was brought for Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Fairbanks and their sons, Drex and Douglas. They have been serving in the Haiti Mission field and are going to Nicaragua. The Fairbanks are former residents of Hart.

There are 30 churches in the West Plains section of the Woman's Missionary Council which is worldwide.

Attending from Olton were Mrs. Leslie Kennedy, Vickie and Sherri; Mrs. C. L. Turner and Stevie; Mrs. Billy Austin, Alice and Denise; Mrs. Clifford Tuttle, Mrs. Marlin Edwards and Sister Davis and Paul.

Guests last Saturday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wingo were two of her nieces, Mrs. Richard Ruches and son, David, of Elizabethtown, Penn. and Miss Helen Sue Reed of Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kelton are proud parents of a baby girl named Melissa Gayle. Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Wilma Sutton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brandstatt of Irving spent the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wingo. Their daughter, Christy, who had been visiting her grandparents, accompanied them home. They also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brandstatt in Amherst.

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Dr. and Mrs. Van Bailey of Abilene spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Thaxton. Mrs. Thaxton accompanied them home for a few days visit.

Miss Joella Lovvorn accompanied her sister and family, the Bob Dollars, to Miles last weekend to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lovvorn.

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Larry, David and Kay Lynn Rice of Houston are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. White, and uncle, David.

Mrs. John Clayton, Mrs. W. H. Berry, Mrs. Art Foley, Mrs. Ola Patts, and Mrs. Lois McBride went to Bella Vista, Ark. Sunday and came back Friday. They also visited Mrs. McBride's sister-in-law in Oklahoma.

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Wilson and children of Downey, Calif. spent the weekend with their grandmother, Mrs. A. F. Wilson and uncles and aunts, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. John Clayton and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell Wilson of Fort Worth are visiting his mother Mrs. A. S. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. John Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Berry.

Mrs. E. A. Bills and daughter, Mrs. Jim Penn, spent last Wednesday and Thursday in Winters visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hubbard.

Mrs. Arthur Jones accompanied her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore and family of Odessa, to Red River last week. They returned in time to attend the 15 Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jones.

Mrs. Elton Hauk left Friday for Tipton, Okla. to visit Mrs. Buster Owens Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cooper of Plainview are parents of a baby boy. He has been named William Wayne. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Iwen, Tom and Laurie of Oakland, N. J. have returned home after a three weeks visit in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cape of Milwaukee, Wis. are parents of a baby boy born June 27 weighing 4 pounds and 15 ozs. He was named Michael Frederick. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cape of Littlefield and Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Miller of Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dilworth and daughter were in town over the weekend visiting friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dow left Friday morning for Fairbanks, Alaska to visit their son and wife, 1st Lt. Robert E. Dow, with the Arctic Testing Center at Ft. Greely, Alaska. They planned on taking about eight days to drive visiting interesting places between here and there. They will be in Alaska about two weeks and their younger son, Jack, who has been working in Alaska this summer, will accompany them home. Jack will be a student at Texas Tech this fall.

Mrs. Paul Mauldin of Lubbock is visiting in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mrs. and Mrs. Oscar Wilemon. Mrs. Mauldin has been a patient in the Methodist Hospital for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul I. Jones are visiting this week in the home of son, Buddy Jones, in Houston and will return this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Farr and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Wood, spent the weekend in Ruidoso.

Mrs. N. T. Dalton has recently visited her sisters, Mrs. Martha Ballard, who is ill in a hospital in Brownfield and another sister, Mrs. J. W. Mathews in Norman, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barnett visited their brother-in-law, Neal Chastain, in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Monday. Neal had surgery Friday of last week and is hoping to go home Tuesday.

Weekend guests of Mrs. Jimmie Brown were her son, Jerry Brown, of Dallas and Russell Wallace of Lubbock.

Mrs. Forrest Reeves returned home over the weekend from visiting her daughter and family, the Stephen Kurzs, at Holloman Air-Force Base in New Mexico.

Those attending the Teachers Aid Workshop at South Plains College in Levelland were Mrs. Barbara Prentice and Mrs. Nellie Williams of Littlefield.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Rose of Chester, W. Va., hosted a rehearsal dinner Monday evening, July 21, in the Crescent House Restaurant honoring their son, Jim, his bride-elect, Twila Lynn.

The bride's chosen colors, hot pink and petal pink, were carried out in the floral arrangements and the individual favors.

Favors were mint-filled wedding bells in pink net squares tied with hot pink ribbons. Miniature wedding rings were entwined in the ribbon.

In addition to the bridal couple and their parents, members of the wedding party who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bolton, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leonard, Jeannie and Steve of Oklahoma City; Dennis Thompson of Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Veltun Lynn of Canyon; Miss Eva Nell Pierce of Bolko, Okla.; Mrs. Michael May of Bethany, Okla.; and Miss Helen Wicker of Littlefield.

There were 50 ladies registered and 74 gifts were presented to the honoree.

The bride's mother, Mrs. Truman Nix of Littlefield, her sister, Teresa of Lubbock, and the groom's mother, Mrs. Myrna Turney, were honored guests.

Hostesses were Meses, Bill Sowder, L. E. Nichols, Marion McDaniels, Robert Claunch, Ashel Richardson, Harvey Blackstone, Dewitt Tiller, Cecil Jones, R. R. McCall, Alma Altman, Arnold Archer, Essie Seagler, Jack Adduell, Ivan Clawson, John Fred, Barbara Clawson, and Pat Risinger.

The hostess gift was a set of stainless steel cookware.

Students attending the music camp were: Mike Phillips, Steve Stockdale, Margaret Thomas, Jackye Meincke, Jimmy Galloway, Jo Ellen Spain, D'Lyle Wilks, Vicki Ray, Gaynette Edwards, Cynthia Elkins, Susan Nicholas, Jay Daughtrey, Freddie Stockdale, Jo Anna Carlisle, Gale Long, Kenny Spain, Robert Cooper, Pat Phillips, Paul Smythe, Kelby Roberson, Cynthia Norfleet, Eddie Nelson, Carl Bley, Gordon Lewis, Joe Daughtry, Sherree Meinicke, Glenda Phillips and Letha Estes.

This group returned home Friday.

ABOUT SLEEPING A person moves in his sleep about once every seven or eight minutes.

## Kesey-Neil Vows Said

Miss Francis Ladell Kesey became the bride of Ernest Dee Neil in First United Methodist Church in Anton at 8 p.m., July 25.

Rev. Delton Fisher officiated the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Kesey Jr. of Anton and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Neil of Levelland.

Presented in marriage by her brother, Raymond Kesey of Anton, the bride wore a formal-length gown of white bridal satin accented with lace sleeves. Lace trimmed edged the gown of empire design.

She carried a bouquet of blue carnations on a heart shaped pillow.

Miss Patsy Kesey of Canyon served her sister as maid of honor. And another sister, Gayle Kesey of Anton, served as bridesmaid.

They wore street-length dresses of blue and white dotted swiss edged in lace.

They carried nosegays bouquets of blue carnations with white streamers tied in love knots.

Tammy Enox of Littlefield cousin of the bride, served as flower girl.

Don Neil of Levelland, brother of the groom served as best man and Cartlin Neil of Levelland served as groomsman.

Ushers were Mike and Mark Booth of Levelland and Herman Synatschek of Anton was ring bearer.

Traditional wedding music was furnished by Pat Sneed at the organ.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in Fellowship Hall of the church.

Debye Markham, Zita Hooper and Mrs. Alvin Swanson all of Anton and Lynn Gill and Linda Grabbe both of Canyon served from a table covered with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of blue carnations.

Mrs. Larry Barnett and Beatrice Synatschek presided at the guest register.

For a wedding trip to Arizona the bride wore a blue knit dress.

The bride is a graduate of Anton High School and West Texas State University and is currently employed by First National Bank in Levelland.

Neil is a Levelland High School graduate and is presently engaged in farming.

The couple will be at home at 226 Hickory, Tower Arms Apartment.

## Shower Honors Beverly Nix

Miss Beverly Nix of Littlefield, bride-elect of Dennis Turney of Enochs, was honored with a bridal shower at the Bula Luncheonroom Thursday afternoon at 3 p.m.

The serving table was covered with a white table cloth over laid with a white net ruffled cloth.

A centerpiece of garden flowers in the brides favorite color of apricot and two steamers with the names "Dennis and Beverly" in gold letters completed the table decoration.

Refreshments of white cake decorated with an apricot color rose on each square and apricot color punch was served by Joyce Risinger, Barbara Clawson and Linda Fred.

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SHIRLEY BRIDGE

## Couple Reveals Plans

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bridgefieldton announce engagement and approval of their marriage of their daughter, Shirley Gwen, to Larry Kennedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Kennedy of Wash.

The couple plans an August wedding at the Church of Christ in Amherst.

The bride is a 1966 graduate of Modoc Union High School in Alturas, Calif. and a graduate of Colorado Christian College in Pueblo, Ore. She is employed by Ratliff, Texaco Consignee.

The groom is a graduate of Shoreline School in Seattle, Wash. He is presently attending Christian College as a student. He is employed by Roofing Company in Wash.

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## LCC Is Now Four-Year Institute

John F. Richey, Littlefield, one of the trustees at Lubbock Christian College met with the board Saturday, July 26, and authorized administration to necessary steps implementation as a four-year institution.

The action was hailed "the greatest day in Lubbock Christian College history" as the decision to establish college.

Lubbock Christian College president, Dr. F. W. Madsen said plans are to advance class that entered in 1968 so that it would be first four-year graduating in the spring of 1972.

## WMS Circle Has Meeting

Mrs. Winston Ferguson, hostess for the Ruth S. Circle of the Baptist Church, her home July 21 for a Study.

The chairman, Mrs. Young, presided in the session.

The annual family night been changed to August. This year it will be a family party.

Mrs. Hudson Cantrell, Verdell Berton and Mrs. Ferguson are the nominating committee to report by 1.

For the study Mrs. Estep conducted readings First Peter.

Mrs. Dick McDaniel read prayer calendar and Miss Young offered prayer missionaries having birth.

Lime float punch assorted cookies and refreshments served to Bobby Brantly, Mrs. Devall, Young, Burton, McDaniel, Cantrell, Ferguson.

## Rep. Price Opposes Oil

Congressman Bob Price today announced he totally and unequivocally opposed to what he termed "unprecedented action" House Ways and Means Committee took when it to slash the oil depletion allowance from 27 1/2% to 20%.

The Texas Republican charged that "the unwarranted cutting of the oil depletion allowance was motivated and inspired by individuals groups in our country who to understand the economic conditions accompanying locating and producing oil. Rather than examine the facts and circumstances, the parties have yielded to emotion and misconception, and erroneously attacked percentage depletion as a haven and a tax subsidy."

**PEP**  
Mrs. Conrad Demel  
Phone 933-2222

SAINT PHILLIP'S Knights of Columbus Council will meet Wednesday evening August 6 in the Pep Parish Community Center.

JACQUELINE, infant daughter of Robert J. and Barbara A. (Franklin) Walker received the Holy Sacrament of Baptism Sunday July 27 in Saint Philip's Church in Pep as sponsors and the Rev. Clifton J. Corcoran as the Minister of the baptism.



**ARTH**  
Beulah Newton  
957-4341

LADIES from the Guild for the North West district, Saturday and Sunday, July 26 and 27. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Kirby of Littlefield. Mrs. Kirby presided over the meeting. The program included interpretative singing, "The Three Marys," the grief of the Marys at the cross. The meeting was closed with a prayer and communion by Dr. Charlie and Rev. Wallace. The ladies assisted with the lighting of the candles. Those attending were, Mrs. Johnnie, Mrs. B. T. Hamilton, Mrs. Newton.

BEULA COKER, who had a slight attack at the Saturday evening meeting in the Littlefield

BARTON and her mother attended the show at Flemont, Permian.

WAYNE DAVIS of the United Methodist Church returned with his mother after a week's visit with his mother.

ARLA GRIFFIN of the United Methodist Church visited recently with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Griffin.

THE UNITED METHODIST Church is the sponsor for the Summer Sem. for the week. They will have programs every night.

AND MRS. Hershel, Mrs. Greg, and Mrs. Moore are vacationing in Lubbock this week. While there, they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore and

AND MRS. Cecil Ginn of the community and Mrs. O. B. Ginn of the community are fishing in the community.

AND MRS. Oliver spent last week in the community.

WAYNE DAVIS, of the community and Beulah Newton of the community returned from Anton, Thursday

**Activities**

FRIDAY, JULY 31  
YOUNG FARMERS will meet at 8 p.m. in the school with speakers. Halfway experiment speaking on control of the midge.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2  
NATHY will celebrate its 60th Anniversary. Street in downtown beginning at 9 a.m. Celebration will include a parade, a bicycle relay, a police dog and a barbecue.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5  
BARA BURLESON, wife of Mack Steffey, is honored with a luncheon and a shower at 9:30 p.m. in the Bradley home in

FRIDAY, AUG. 7  
BRIDAL SHOWER for Carol Stubbfield, wife of Dwight Faver, conducted at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Bill Jones

**Missionary Revival**  
Parker Maxey of Rock will be in Littlefield for revival services Aug. 1-5. The Bible Missionary located at 6th and

will be conducted nightly. There will be some good singing and everyone is invited. The wife of the pastor, Parker Maxey, has been a teacher of the Bible Missionary in Rock Island, since 1958.

will be pastored, taught and evangelistic work conducted by Maxey, 25 years.



MRS. JOHNNY STOGNER



MRS. STEVEN R. BURLESON

**OOPS! SORRY!** These two pictures which were in Sunday's paper, were inadvertently switched by the printer. Miss Linda Sue Hebel, left, actually married Johnnie Stogner Sunday afternoon, July 20, in the Chapel of the First Baptist Church in Littlefield. Pictured right is Miss Shirley Gay Johnson, who married Steven Ross Burleson Friday, July 25, in the First Baptist Church at Olton.

**Miss Grain Sorghum Contest Is Scheduled**

Miss Grain Sorghum of the Nation for 1969 will be chosen in judging the night of Aug. 9 in Dimmitt.

There are several area girls in the competition and the winner of the title and crown will become the tenth girl to represent the grain sorghum industry for a year.

The deadline for entering the contest this year is Aug. 1 and all entries must be mailed to the Castro County Chamber of Commerce, Box 924, Dimmitt.

The general chairman of the show this year is Bo Bryant who said, "We hope this will be the best of the pageants in the ten year history of the show. The chamber is looking for a number of girls to compete in the show."

The title was won in 1968 by a brunette from Richardson-Karyn J. Hughes who now resides in Dimmitt. For the first time, the pageant in 1963 offered as a first prize, a one thousand dollar college scholarship to the winner's choice of colleges.

The same top prize is on the line again in 1969 with the runner-up to receive a \$500 scholarship.

Third place is worth a \$250 certificate.

Already in the event this year are: Dena Patterson of Petersburg; Treena Don Bryant of Muleshoe; Rieke Gilbert of

Shamrock; Phyllis Detten of Panhandle; Pat Roberts of Friona; and Barbara Hansen of Dimmitt.

Representing Kansas this year will be Teresa Stephens of Hutchinson.

Interest has also come from Colorado, Oklahoma and New Mexico.



JOELLA MYERS

**Spade Couple Sets The Date**

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby J. Myers of Spade announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Joella, to Wayne Matthews, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Matthews of Spade.

The couple plans an Aug. 21 wedding at 8 p.m. in the United Methodist Church at Spade.

The bride, a 1969 graduate of Spade High School, plans to attend South Plains College in the fall.

The groom is a 1969 graduate of Spade High School and will be attending South Plains College in Levelland.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding.

**ENOCHS Gleaners Class Has A Social**

Mrs. Alma Altman

MRS. E. C. HILL, mother of Mrs. J. C. Pearson, has moved to the Levelland Nursing Home. She had lived alone in a trailer home for many years and was not able to take care of herself anymore. She is adjusting to the change and the good care she is receiving.

MR. AND MRS. Bobby Don Henderson and their sons visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pearson.

MR. AND MRS. Preston Harrison, Pamela and Frieda Layton, and Jerry Nichols are spending a week on the Indian Mission field in New Mexico. They are going to camp out and combine this trip with a little vacation time. Little Chad Harrison is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Benny Gail Hall.

CURT AND TIM Vanlandingham of Albuquerque, N.M., are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Vanlandingham.

MISS CINDY Parr is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Byars.

MRS. BLANCHE CASH has gone to visit her sister in Amarillo for several weeks.

AMHERST—Mrs. Iva Commons was hostess for the monthly social meeting of the Baptist Gleaners Sunday School class in her home Tuesday.

The class president, Mrs. Henry Meyer, presided.

Mrs. Carrie Thomas gave a reading concerning the moon.

Mrs. Ted Long gave the devotional reading from the Bible.

The program was on the book of Esther.

Quiet moments were observed.

The chair appointed Mrs. W. M. Tomes, Mrs. Commons, and Mrs. Carrie Thomas as a nominating committee to present a slate of officers for next year at the next meeting.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to Mmes. Gene Enloe, N. H. Humphries, Carrie Thomas, Effie Veach, C. A. Thomas, Johnny Smith, W. M. Tomes, J. H. Bradley, Ted Long, Paul Gonzales, Henry Meyer and two guests, Mrs. Ed Love and Mrs. C. N. Stine.

Mrs. Gene Enloe will be hostess for the August meeting.

**Youth Selected Camp Officers**

Twenty-one youngsters from 15 public schools in West Texas have been selected to serve as student officers for Texas Tech's Youth Music Camp in 1970.

The officers, named by the faculty of the 1969 camp, which closed Friday, July 25, include: captain, Sharla Haberer, Springlake-Earth and quartermaster, Bruce Hall of Littlefield.

Captains, assistant captains and quartermasters will receive full scholarships to next summer's camp, and social directors and student directors will receive tuition scholarships.

Cotton will not "pill up."

**BULA**



**Rick Breedlove On Dean's List**

Rick Breedlove, Texas Tech senior, was named to the dean's honor roll for spring semester.

Rick is son of Mr. and Mrs. John Breedlove of Littlefield and qualified for the honor roll by acquiring a 3.5 grade point average.

He is majoring in business.

Speck and children, and children, Dickie, Kenneth and Fayrene of Fort Worth, Dickie a member of the US Army and is scheduled to Viet Nam in the near future.

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reg. 2.29 NOW ..... 1.65 **1.37**

pillow cases 42"x36" ..... twin 72"x108" flat or Elasta-fit Sanforized® bottom  
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King 108x115 flat or elastic-fit bottom ..... reg. 6.49 NOW 5.97  
pillow cases 42"x46" ..... reg. 2.29, NOW 2 for 2.07

**Last Week Of White Goods Sale!**



# EDITORIALS

What The Leader-News Thinks

## Adequate Water

ADEQUATE WATER will insure the economic development of the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Congressional Districts.

The proposed Amendment No. 2 to be voted upon August 5 authorizes the Texas Water Development Board with the approval of two-thirds of the State Legislature to issue \$3.5 billion in bonds to finance Texas' share of the water plan.

The plan adopted by the Water Development Board is designed to provide adequate water to maintain the growth of Texas into the next century when it is estimated that we will have a population of 30.5 million people.

THE TEXAS WATER System proposes to deliver irrigation water to approximately 4 million acres in Districts 18 and 19 at full development. The local impact generated by this supply of irrigation water is estimated at \$1.1 billion annually.

The System will also deliver 80,000 acre-feet to Lubbock, 20,000 acre-feet to Snyder and

59,000 acre-feet to Midland annually at full development for municipal and industrial purposes. Recreational impact will exceed \$0.4 million annually by 2020.

The total construction cost of the reservoirs and other facilities is estimated at \$1.7 billion.

SOME OF THE PROPOSED and potential reservoirs as well as some that are already under construction or completed under the Texas Water Plan are: Rita in Hartley and Meredith in Hutchinson, Moore, and Potter in the Canadian River Basin; Bivins in Randall and Buffalo; Greenbelt and Lelia Lake Creek in Donley; Lower McClellan Creek in Gray and Sweetwater Creek in Wheeler in the Red River Basin; J. B. Thomas in Borden in the Colorado River Basin; and White River in Crosby in the Brazos River Basin.

THE EIGHTEENTH and Nineteenth Congressional Districts must have an assured water supply to support their towns, cities and rural areas.

Everybody's Getting Thirstier

By BILL McLANAHAN  
Dallas News Staff Cartoonist



## THE ABUNDANT LIFE

### Our Common Need

By BOB WEAR



THERE IS A DESPERATE need for active, intelligent participation and co-operation of more of our people in public life.

This means that we must be well-informed people, and be honestly motivated in our actions. All of us can help, and can make very valuable contributions to the strengthening and preservation of all that we hold dear.

WE DO HAVE PROBLEMS, and there are some serious difficulties, but these are not good reasons for the growing feelings of defeatism and discouragement.

There is need for courage, for a spirit of victory and for continuing effort. These are possible to whatever extent we exalt morality, decency and integrity in our behavior.

WE MUST BE BUSILY engaged in learning and in doing all we can for the very worthy purpose of doing our best to help fill the common need. When we face up to life, we will do a better job choosing capable persons to represent us in the more direct and complicated actions of government.

If we try, and keep on trying, we can build and maintain the quality of good citizenship which will be reflected in every area of national, state and community life. This will contribute much to our common good to meet our common need.

THE QUALITY OF LEADERSHIP, whatever the level of it, reflects the condition of the people who compose the body politic. This seems to be the general view.

We have the kind of communities we have made, and we have the kind and quality of government; local, state and national that we have made or permitted others to make.

IF AND WHEN changes in the public structure are to be made, they must be made by the people through due process; and not by violent upheaval.

In this important, common responsibility, all of us are individually and collectively obligated to interact with each

other in ways that are encouraging and upbuilding.

WE MUST BE FULLY conscious of our common need, and behave accordingly. There are differences of opinions in many areas, and we differ in many ways, but most of us have one big, common need.

We want, more than anything else, the preservation of our country.

IN MEETING OUR COMMON NEED, no one of us can do everything that must be done, and no one organization is able to meet the total obligation. The task is so great that it requires our united efforts and our combined skills.

Our common need calls for more united effort with less fighting against each other.

Conditions will be better when we begin extending to one another, individually and collectively, the same considerations we expect for ourselves.

We can preserve the good life when all of us see this as our common need.

OUR HONEST DISCUSSIONS, our sonorous debates and our sincere differences will continue; but they must continue as part of our strength.

There are, however, some things such as intimidation, downgrading and irresponsible treatment of each other that must be ended.

These, and all similar actions, must cease so we can be a vigorous, respected nation of people; if we expect to survive.

IN OUR TIME, we need mutual good will; and we need a condition of intelligent and benevolent cooperation more than any people who have lived before us.

## PAUL HARVEY

### Beats Working!

THE NEW YORK TIMES recently headlined: "20,000 Jobs Go Begging in City While 135,000 Are Unemployed."

Similarly, in greater Chicago, some 19,000 are collecting jobless pay while every metropolitan newspaper is bulging with job ads begging for people.

WHY? Because in Chicago you can collect up to \$70 a week

## ALIEN ARRESTS

Continued from Page 1  
driver explained the truck was overheated.

After some conversation, the officer asked about the people in the rear of the truck. The driver, a citizen, then called the officer aside and told the patrolman the men were wetbacks, said Fitzgerald. He said he had picked them up earlier on the road.

"When we are told something like this, said the chief, "we just can't walk away from it. We have a duty to enforce the law, and the patrolman was justified in asking these people for papers."

Fitzgerald said the situation came up in the first place because the officer was trying to be helpful.

"I don't know why the driver told him about the wetbacks, unless he was just a hauler and was ready to go back to Mexico and get another load of Nationals."

In both cases, the Mexican Nationals were en route to Hereford, or if they couldn't find work there, to Colorado, the police chief said.

# DEAR EDITOR

What Our Readers Think

## We Must Show Interest

Mr. Bill Turner  
Lamb County Leader  
P. O. Box 72  
Littlefield, Texas 79339

Dear Mr. Turner:  
If the voters of Texas fail to approve Amendment No. 2 on August 5, it would mean that the Congress, the Federal agencies, and the states of the lower Mississippi Basin could assume that the people of Texas are not interested in doing what is necessary to provide enough water to meet our needs for the future.

It could also mean that Texans are not interested in the possibilities of obtaining water they will need from beyond our borders.

We must show that we are willing to put our money where our mouth is. While it is a \$3.5 billion bond authorization, the funds will be used during the next 40 or 50 years, not all at once. No bonds will be sold until the money is needed for construction, and repayments of principal and interest will be well under way long before they are all sold.

The money will be used for

## Wants More News

July 24, 1969

Lamb County Leader-News  
Bill Turner, Editor,  
Littlefield, Texas, 79339.

Dear Mr. Turner:  
Please find attached my check for \$8.00 for another renewal. I had hoped you might have the news from the Whitharral Community in your papers, but seems no one will get sending it in. I also had hoped I might get some news about the oil tests they have drilled in that area, but nothing. I wish for Littlefield much success in the Electric Car to be built in your city.

Yours very truly,  
L. Q. Loftin,  
Seminole, Okla. 74868

## Letters Signed, Please

A letter received by the Leader-News this week from one "Franklin Paine" does not appear here because it was unsigned. A typed name is insufficient.

If this person will come forward, identify himself and sign the letter, it will appear in these columns.

This is in line with long established policy at the Leader-News and most other newspapers. We are willing to publish the opinion of anyone, so long as it is not libelous, and the writer will put his signature on it.

temporary financing, with gifts or grants. Those who water will have to pay for it. interest. The Amendment is the life of Texas.

## Littlefield Response

Whiteface, Texas 79379  
July 21, 1969

Dear Joella:

We, at Giristown want people of Littlefield, to know much we appreciate the barbeque the Littlefield Firemen put on us at Open House.

The food was delicious-pleasant and from the letters we received from folks that were at open house it was the best have been to.

Seems as though the people of Littlefield respond so good to their neighbor needs help. That is why everyone from us always has a smile on their face is good to have friends such as people of Littlefield.

May God bless all of you caring, and helping when needed most.

Cordially,

/s/Marshall Cooper  
Marshall Cooper

## Thanks For Story

Giristown, U.S.  
Whiteface, Texas 79379  
July 29, 1969

Leader-News  
Littlefield, Texas

Dear Joella:

We have had several phones in regard to the story you put in the Leader News, and I do want to thank you for your kindness.

If possible would you mail issue the story came out in hope that we get the conditioner. It will surely save of nerves, and maybe of tempers, we hope.

Thank you for your kindness

Cordially,

/s/Sally Starr  
Sally Starr



## THE FARMER'S WIFE

### Can You See It?

By LIBBY MUGGETT

WELL, NOW we know what to expect.

If Ted Kennedy is President someday, that is.

Can't you just see it now?

"MR. PRESIDENT, don't forget that tonight is the night the Russian Ambassador and his wife are making a formal visit to the White House."

"Joanie's going to stand in for me on that, I, er, have to attend another little, er, party that conflicts there."

"Your wife, sir? Are you sure?"

"She'd better if she knows what's good for her."

"MR. PRESIDENT, sir, you simply must get up. There's riots in the East, foreign submarines off the West Coast, floods in the North, and the South has just seceded again."

"Come back in eight or nine hours. With things that serious, I'd better be sober before I try to solve anything."

"MR. PRESIDENT, I hate to rush you, but you have three more Inaugural Balls to make and we mustn't linger at this one any longer."

"I've promised another dance to that little redhead. See if you can get the Vice-President to go to the other balls for me. I, uh, may be, uh, busy later."

"MR. PRESIDENT, we hate to bring this up again, but you simply must start using your official chauffeur. The people are complaining about your daredevil driving again."

"MR. PRESIDENT, sir, I hate to call your attention to this, but the latest Gallup Poll has only 7 percent of the people approving of your personal habits while you are President."

"Get ahold of Mother and have her get those fellows to take a poll that took that one after that

unpleasant little incident at Chappaquiddick Island in 1969. I like them a lot better than Gallup anytime."

"Call Robert McNamara and Ted Sorenson and have them arrange a TV production for me. I can throw myself at the mercy of the women, I mean the people. Telegams from all over the country will flow in backing me in my desire to be free and do my own driving."

"MR. PRESIDENT, The Secret Service is complaining again that you're still trying to give them the slip. They're quite frustrated, sir."

"Not as frustrated as I am trying to get some privacy to attend a little cousinly get together once in a while."

"MR. PRESIDENT, sir, Congress feels that you owe them some explanation for being out of pocket when Red China attacked."

"I owe Congress nothing, but call McNamara and Sorenson and have them arrange another nationwide TV production for me. And tell my valet to dig out my old back brace and neck brace before we go on the air."

"MR. PRESIDENT, sir, the leaders of all the Latin countries are much concerned over your explanations of your handling of their complaints. There seems to be a lot of conflict in your statements."

"Well, tell them I'm sorry, I'm guilty, and I was confused and in a state of shock. Also, call my lawyer."

"MR. PRESIDENT, sir, I'd like to have a few moments of your time to get something straightened out."

"Joanie, all you do is nag, nag, nag. I wish you'd quit believing every little flip that comes along. Why don't you go take up the hems in your skirts or something?"

## Three City Wrecks Are Investigated

Littlefield city police investigated three wrecks this past week.

Saturday a 1964 Chevrolet, driven by Juan Francisco Perez of Littlefield, was parked, facing the wrong way, on Irvin Street when a 1963 GMC pickup, driven by Placido A. Cano Jr. of Alpine, was traveling west on Irvin Street near Galveston and collided with the front of the Perez vehicle.

Cano had been drinking and was picked up later at a different address.

Police investigated two wrecks Monday.

A 1968 Ford panel, driven by Jack Long of Houston, was traveling south on Highway 385 when a 1962 Chevrolet, driven by John Tural Mathis of Friona, was making a turn onto the highway. Long turned to the right to miss him but hit the rear fender with the front end of his panel.

Later, a 1965 Plymouth driven by Keith Leslie Overland of Littlefield was traveling south on Phelps when a 1969 Buick, driven by Harry Lathrop Woody of Littlefield, was traveling north on Phelps and was turning right to park when they caught rear bumpers.

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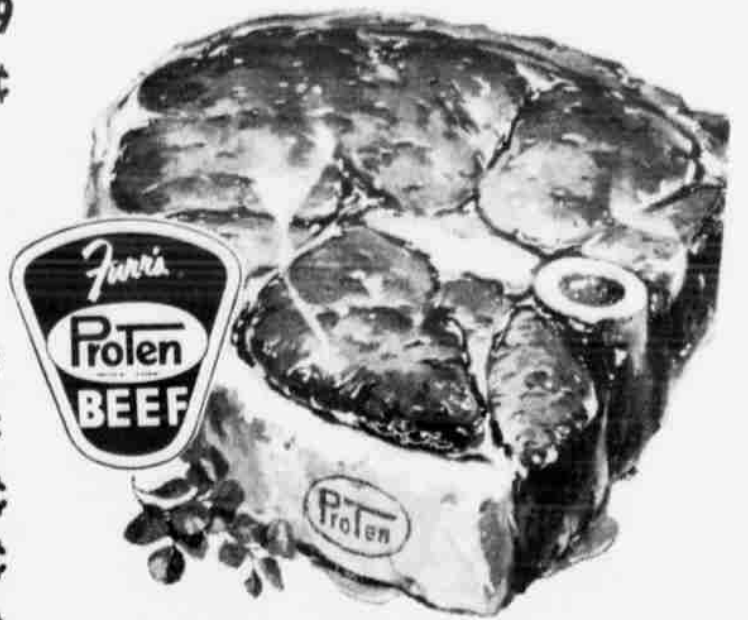
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MRS. A. L. HARGROVE is in the Medical Arts Hospital in Littlefield where she had surgery Saturday morning. She is reported in satisfactory condition.

VISITING MR. AND MRS. A. L. Bullington this weekend was Mr. and Mrs. G. Chapman and Nancy of Brownfield. Miss Martha Chapman of Albuquerque, N. M. and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Orcutt and Gene of Ft. Stockton. Mrs. J. R. Chapman returned home with the Orcutts for an extended visit.

MR. AND MRS. Lee Stone,

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stone, Ray and Risa, and Mrs. Cordelia Ferguson attended funeral services for Mrs. Sarah Barton which were held in Sauoy Sunday. She was a sister to Mrs. Ferguson and Mrs. Lee Stone.

MR. AND MRS. Cleburn Ramage and children of San Angelo visited Mrs. J. P. Jackson this weekend.

Mr. AND MRS. Leon Ham, Martha Nell and Zane, returned home Monday after vacationing and visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N.

Cobler, in Las Vegas N. M. several days.

MRS. IDA MOORE is visiting relatives in Memphis, and Amarillo this week.

MR. AND MRS. Dean Medlin and children of Post, visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn Gartin, this weekend.

MR. AND MRS. J. D. Richards spent the weekend in Childress visiting her mother, Mrs. J. H. Garner. Soon after they returned home Sunday they received word that her uncle, Ernest Adams, had passed away. They returned to Childress Tuesday for the

funeral services held at First Methodist Church.

VISITING WITH Mrs. E. H. Rendergrass and the Neal Conkin family recently was Mrs. Pearl Walker of Lorenza, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cate and daughters of Friona.

MR. AND MRS. R. A. Harris of Ft. Worth, visited in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Maynard, this weekend.

LINDA AND JOANN Stone of Dimmitt are visiting this week in the Don Stone home.

MRS. NEMA Weaver, owner of Nema's Beauty Shoppe, left for Dallas Sunday to make her home there.

DANNY MARTIN of Floydada spent last week visiting in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bell Swanson.

Hart, Truby Geziok, Dana Stone, Risa Stone, and Spinsara, Mrs. E. G. Pool, Lawrence and Mrs. E. G. Pool, MRS. JENNA Mae Fisher spent the weekend in Grandfield, Okla. visiting her sister, Mrs. W. M. Lant.

## Rotary Official Postpones Visit

Littlefield Rotarians will conduct their usual meeting at noon today in the Community Center.

Judge Charles L. Reynolds of Childress, Rotary District Governor, had planned to visit the organization yesterday and today, but had to postpone his Littlefield trip.

A date will be scheduled later.

## Two UT Students On Honor Roll

Mary Jane McBrine and Linda Marie Timmerman, students at the University of Texas, were among 14 students named on the Cum Laude list for the spring semester.

They were listed with Cum Laude by Dean Wayne Holtzman.

First semester students qualifying for the honor roll accumulated a total of 54 grade points for the semester, while a minimum of 55 grade points was required for all others.

Total grade points calculated by multiplying number of semester hours undertaken by the average each grade. (A-4 points)

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## Owner Of Virgie's Is State President

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And how about a new damn wiglet, fall, mini fall, topper, or a no roll up, shampoo in body wave for going back to school? Whether it's a hair piece, color, frosting, styling or advise, you won't be read astray by the president of the Texas Hairdressers and Cosmetologists Association. Virgie has a good stock of hair pieces now, or can order any type of color and have it in a day or two.

Virgie Haile is president of the state hairdressers organization and has served as editor of Texas Hair Dressers Magazine.

Other district honors include being named "Cosmetologist of the Year," a director of the All-Texas Beauty Show for four years, and serving on the legislative committee of the Texas Cosmetologists Council.

During the beauty show enables Virgie to keep up with the latest hair fashions and she finds that many of the styles that come from this fourth largest show in the nation can be adapted to fit her customers' needs.

Walk-ins are always welcome at Virgie's Beauty Bar, and the salon stays open late by appointment for women who work during the day.

Virgie has five operators who specialize in frostings and color, razor hair cuts, shaped necklines and long hair styles.

Operators and their specialties are Renee Williams specializing in styling and coloring, Patsy Devoll excels in frostings, Sheryl Jones, short hair, and Poni Kay Hoppe, long hair styles; Diane

Grammer is a part-time stylist, and Virgie Haile does a little of everything.

Virgie's two years as head of the Texas Hairdressers takes her out of town about three weekends out of every month. Since becoming president of the state organization, she has tried to cover the entire state, visiting different districts and their affiliates, listening to their problems and helping them with solutions.

In addition to being president of the Lubbock board of directors for two years, Virgie has also served in several capacities in state offices, including historian for four years, and fourth, third and second vice president.

In addition to these achievements, Virgie has found time to serve as president of the High Plains Ladies Golf Assn., Littlefield Ladies Golf Assn., and on the Littlefield Country Club entertainment committee.

Virgie has had her own beauty shop in Littlefield since she opened her first one in the back of her late husband's barber shop in 1945.

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Wattenbarger is a member of the National Association of Underwriters.

Farm Bureau offers its members a tire and battery program also. Through this service, members may purchase these items at a discount.

Membership in Farm Bureau is entirely voluntary. It is an organization for farmers and ranchers banded together to get things done for them on the legislative, research, promotional and marketing levels.

Phyllis Cutshall and Betty Graves are

Wattenbarger's "girl Fridays."

Ed Jennings works through the Littlefield Farm Bureau office as special agent and Ray Shelton is the staff adjuster.

Agency manager Jack Wattenbarger and his family moved to Littlefield from Lamesa in 1954. Mr. and Mrs. Wattenbarger have two children, Duffy and LHS sophomore this fall, and Cindy, an eighth grader this school term.

Wattenbarger has been with the Farm Bureau insurance company since August, 1951.

In addition to serving all the members in his insurance program, Wattenbarger is active in scouting and church work of the Littlefield United Methodist Church.

Wattenbarger was cub master for pack 666 for three years. He went to Philmont Scouting Ranch at Tres Ritos, N. M. for special training.

He is presently troop committee man for Boy Scouts.

Wattenbarger is also a Mason and a Shriner and he has been active in community affairs such as serving as chairman of various committees.

In church work, Wattenbarger has served in every capacity. He has been on the church board and on the membership and evangelistic committee. He is a lay leader of the church, also.

The Farm Bureau office is located at 708 W. Delano. Wattenbarger and his staff invites anyone with an insurance need to come by or phone 385-3444.

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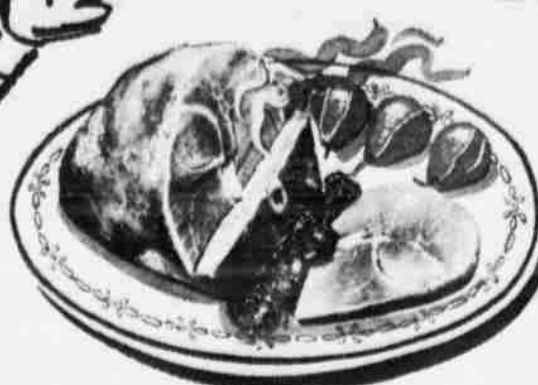
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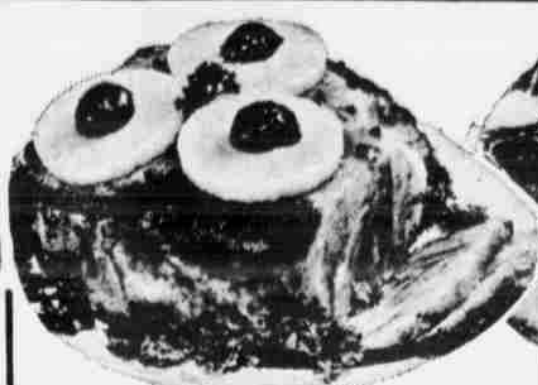


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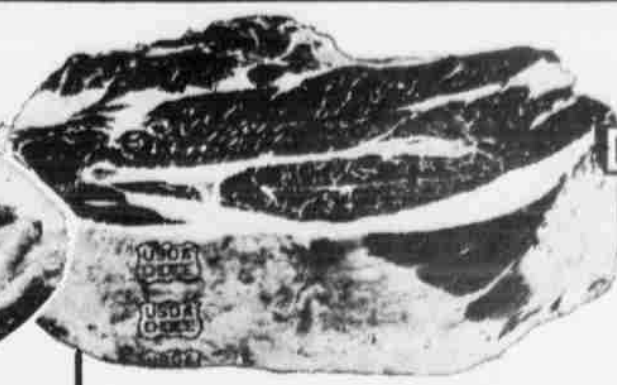
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NO DEALS to be made on the Otto Zuber farm except by me, Bessie J. Zuber. 8-24-Z

## Card of Thanks

OUR HEARTFELT THANKS to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the beautiful service, floral offerings, and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful. The Cecil Motl Family. Wife, children, mother, brothers and sisters. 7-31-M

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GARAGE SALE: Saturday at the seventh house west of the bypass on the Bula Highway. 9:00. 7-31-H

GARAGE SALE: 101 Crescent Drive, August 1 and 2. Clothing, roll away, TV, air conditioner, camera, typewriter, other household items. 7-31-W

FOR SALE: Gated irrigation pipe, 6", 30 joints, two valve hydrants, 6" main line, perfect condition. Seven miles south of Littlefield on 385. Ed G. Blackwell, 385-3334. TF-B

FOR SALE: Brantley Drive in. Mrs. M. B. Welborn. 385-4502. TF-W

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## Autos For Sale

FOR SALE—1-1967 Model 180 Yamaha. Can be seen at 1013 West 9th after 6 p.m. TF-

FOR SALE—1-1969 El Camino Pickup. Can be seen at Keeling Buick—\$2995, or will trade. TF-W

Assume payments on 1967 Chevrolet Impala Super Sports coupe. Call 385-3438. TF-M

TWO GRAIN trucks, '50 and '55 model Chevrolet. 61 Baldwin combine, two wheel stock trailer. Everything in good shape. Sale worth the money. Contact C. D. Anderson, Anton. Phone 997-5531. 8-3-A

'68 Impala for sale, Mrs. Lorene Jennings, 385-3061, 119 E. 23rd. 8-7-J

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## Mothers Are Reminded To Get Certificates

When the month of August rolls around, thousands of Texas mothers suddenly realize that only a few more weeks remain until school begins. Parents with youngsters beginning school for the first time this September look forward to school with a little more excitement, and many mothers whose first-born are going off to school may be a bit bewildered by it all.

In addition to the million-and-one chores that must be performed in getting the youngster ready for school—new shoes, clothes, health examination—most school districts require proof of age for beginning students. A certified copy of a birth certificate is usually requested, reports the Texas State Department of Health.

This fall there will be 256,000 new first graders in the schools throughout Texas, with the total public school enrollment expected to reach 2,703,000. Continued growth of the school population is expected for the next two or three years, according to the Texas Education Agency.

Anticipating the rush of birth certificate requests, the Records and Statistics Section of the Texas State Department of Health has been prepared for it. Requests already are pouring in.

It takes a sizeable staff just to open the thousands of letters received daily, let alone search out a requested certificate, remove it from the thick volume, make a certified copy, mail it out and then return the original certificate to its proper place.

Years of experience have eliminated nearly every bottleneck. The operation is smooth and fast. Usually the copy is mailed within a day or two after the request is received.

One bottleneck still remaining, however, is the individual who makes the last minute request.

Parents are requested to stop now and write for a certified copy of the birth certificate, or contact either the city registrar where the child was born or the county clerk in the county of birth.

If you write the Texas State Department of Health, Bureau

of Vital Statistics, Fifth St., Austin, Texas, be sure to include the name, place of birth, date of birth, and the parent's name (including the mother's name.)

The State Department fee for a copy of the birth certificate is \$1.50.

## Olton Gro Attends Youth Rally

Monday evening of the Olton Assembly Church attended the Youth Rally at the Headquarters Tabernacle, Lubbock.

Two young evangelists, Amarillo, one the pastor, the other the pianist, conducted the service.

The Olton group had two banners, one for attendance and the other for mileage.



HIGH POINT INDIVIDUAL in the district horse show in Big Spring Thursday, July 24, was Lamb County 4-H'er Craig Barton from Earth. Here is the grand champion gelding with which he captured top honors in showmanship contest and took second place in the western pleasure event. C. Gunter, District Agricultural Agent of Lubbock holds one of Craig's trophies.

## Lamb County 4-H'er Qualifies For Show

The top 20 4-H horsemen in Extension District 2 qualified to compete in the State 4-H Horse Show slated for Aug. 14-16 in Sweetwater, during a show in Big Spring July 24.

High point individual in the district show which attracted 122 youngsters from throughout the South Plains was Craig Barton, Lamb County 4-H'er from Earth. Craig, 17, is son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Barton.

He exhibited the grand champion gelding, the second year in a row, and captured top honors in the showmanship contest.

Craig came in second in the western pleasure event.

Sheri Johnson of Floyd County was among the top horsemen as she showed the reserve champion gelding and won first place in the barrel racing event.

Other top winners included Vickie Lee Johnson of Scurry County, who showed the grand champion mare and Melvena Stewart of Garza County, who exhibited the reserve champion mare.

Other performance class winners were David Wilson of Hale County, Western pleasure; Billy Hyman of Terry County, reining; and Clarice Tumison of Gaines County, pole bending.

Other 4-H'ers who qualified for the state show on the basis of points earned were: Deborah Whitehead, Mickie Dewbre and Sherie Fluit, all of Cochran County; Ginger Henderson, Denise Johnson, Jill Wheeler and Gregg Taylor, all of Floyd; Eldon McClung, Swisher; Dale Eicke and Michelle Cummings, Terry; Roy Dale Wood, Briscoe; Lisa

Marie Voss, Scurry; and Pam Trimble, Lubbock.

Judges for the show were Jimmy Taylor, Big Spring Banker, and Bill Reager, Martin County agricultural agent.

George William Laing of Earth has been listed among 273 candidates for undergraduate and graduate degrees this summer at Eastern New Mexico University at Portales, N.M.

Laing is candidate for his master's degree in mathematics according to Registrar Miss Ruth Wheeler.

Degrees ranging from associate of arts to education specialists are to be conferred on the students at combined baccalaureate and commencement exercises beginning at 8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 1, in the Physical Education Complex on the ENMU campus.

Added to the total number of students receiving degrees at the spring graduation services May 29, the summer figure boosts the number of graduates in 1969 to a record breaking 788. In 1968, 694 degrees were awarded to Eastern students in what had been a record for the University.

Included in the list of 273 candidates are the names of 11 students who are to graduate with honors.

## Amherst Mrs. Lester LaGrange

MR. AND MRS. Oxford of Fredericksburg were here last weekend for a visit with Victor Oxford who is patient in Methodist hospital.

GUESTS OF HERB Mr. and Mrs. H. H. R. last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gifford of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. S. Abbot and Delores Thursday for the weekend her parents in Dumas.

MR. AND MRS. Broadway of Waco were home Thursday after with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. Humphreys.

MR. AND MRS. Humphreys and Raul Fort Worth are visiting week with their parents, John Humphreys and Mrs. Currys of Sudan.

MRS. MAE McCool Mont Verde, Fla., is the of her friends, the L. V. Wednesday they were the Wayne Boyds in Pampa.

MR. AND MRS. W. returned during the week from Wagon Wheel Gap. They were accompanied by sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll. Enroute they Amarillo and Pampa.

MUT HUFSTEDLER daughter, Mrs. Dwan of Littlefield, attended Hufstедler family reunion in Brownwood last weekend.

MR. AND MRS. Thompson and family the Quinton Pierses in last weekend.

MRS. DALE SMITH son, Bryan, of Fresno here with her parents, Mrs. E. McAdams, and

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## AREA SERVICEMEN

### STAFF SGT. MIKE RILEY

Mike Riley received his discharge from the air force July 8 and is presently at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barto Riley.

A 1962 graduate of Olton High School, he attended North Texas State University prior to joining the air force in Aug. 1965.

He was stationed six months at Amarillo and Okinawa for 18 months.

After a 45 day leave he was sent to England where he remained for 21 months.

Riley, an administrative specialist, will be a member of the inactive reserve unit for two years.

He plans to attend North Texas State University this fall and will major in education with a minor in music.

### SP 4 RONNIE RICHARDSON

Ronnie Richardson was recently wounded in his eye and cheek by a shrapnel while serving with the infantry in Vietnam.

He has received the purple heart as a reward for bravery shown in the defense of his country.

Richardson has been in the Army two years.

He was stationed in Germany for a period of nine months. After a 30-day leave he was sent to Vietnam March 7.

His wife is the former Miss Fay Shipley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Shipley.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richardson of Olton.

### PFC RANDALL B. KIDD

Randall B. Kidd, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben N. Kidd of Plainview, was assigned to the Fourth Infantry Division in Vietnam as a rifleman June 20. His father, Ben Kidd, is a former Olton resident.

### STEVE COLLINS

Steve Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Collins, recently enlisted in the paratroop division of the U. S. Army and is stationed at Ft. Lewis, Wash.

### SP 4 COY CARLISLE

Coy Carlisle, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Carlisle, is currently serving with the Armed Forces in Vietnam.

### SPEC 4 A. E. WASHINGTON

Alfred E. Washington, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Washington of Earth, received the Air Medal near Pleiku, Vietnam, July 1.

Washington earned the award for meritorious service while participating in aerial flight in support of ground operations in Vietnam.

At the time of the presentation, he was a squad leader in Company D, 3rd Battalion of the 4th Infantry Division's 8th Infantry near Pleiku.

He entered the Army in February 1968, completed basic training at Ft. Bliss, and was stationed at Ft. Jackson, S. C., before arriving overseas in July 1968.

He holds the Combat Infantryman Badge and the Army Commendation Medal.



PFC. ELTON L. BOYD

Elton Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boyd, will be home August 10 for a two-week leave.

He has recently completed the Electronics School at Ft. Gordon, Ga., where he made the third highest grade in his class.

He will be promoted to Spec 5 in January when he takes over duties as instructor of an advanced electronics school.

### PVT. E3 STEVE MOSS

Steve Moss arrived in Olton recently from Ford Ord, Calif., where he received advanced infantry training.

He will report July 27 to a camp at Oakland, Calif., and will be sent from there to Vietnam.

Moss is son of Mr. and Mrs. Carol M. Moss.

He is a 1966 graduate of Olton High School and attended West Texas State University in Canyon.

He was inducted into the Army March 3.

### SP4 CHRISTOPHER MAXEY

Topper Maxey visited last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Maxey Jr., and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Maxey Sr.

He is stationed at Goodfellow Air Force Base in San Angelo.

### ABOUT KANSAS WHEAT

Kansas wheat during 1968 had the second highest test weight per bushel in 21 years.

## Library Receives 175 New Books

Lamb County Library has just received 175 new books, ranging from kindergarten through high school.

"These books have been processed and are now ready to be checked out," according to County Librarian Mrs. Jack Hicks.

"There are books of easy fiction for the pre-school child, fiction and non-fiction for the school child. Included are a number of sports stories, adventure stories, biographies and science books," Mrs. Hicks said.

Other new books that have been added to the shelves recently are:

"SIX HORSE HITCH" by Janice Holt Giles. A new novel by the author of Johnny Osage, Voyage to Santa Fe and other well-known novels.

"THE THREE DAUGHTERS OF MADAME LIANG" by Pearl S. Buck. This is the first novel of China that Pearl Buck has written in more than a decade. In Madame

Liang she has created one of her most memorable characters. The three daughters, torn between China and America, provide a story of turbulence and drama, tragedy and hope.

"SONS" by Evan Hunter. This is a novel about three generations of men in an American family—a grandfather, a father and a son—focusing on those years when each was between the ages of 17 and 20.

"IT DOESN'T MATTER WHERE YOU SIT" by Fred McClement. Air disasters—why and how they happen, and the menacing future of jet travel. McClement was aviation editor for the Toronto Daily Star 20 years, and is a recognized aviation expert and a crusader for aviation safety.

"THE DAY KENNEDY WAS SHOT" by Jim Bishop. An uncensored minute-by-minute account of Nov. 22, 1963. This book answers questions that have never been answered.

## Fair Tickets Now On Sale

Mail order requests for tickets to the Panhandle South Plains Fair's country and western variety spectacular are now being accepted in Lubbock, according to Manager Steve Lewis.

Lewis said tickets may be obtained by writing the fair association at P.O. Box 208, Lubbock, or by appearing at the fair offices, 105 E. Broadway.

The big coliseum show stars Marty Robbins (Sept. 22-23), Charley Pride (Sept. 24-25), Buck Owens and his Buckaroos (Sept. 26-27), plus Roy Clark, Gentle Ben and his playmate, Peggy Ann Nielsen, comedian Mike Caldwell, and The Congregation.

Performances are slated at 3 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. daily throughout the six-day fair run.

Tickets are priced at \$2, \$3, and \$4, but all patrons will be admitted to matinees for one-half price. Tickets purchased prior to the fair opening will be accompanied by free gate admission passes.

EAST GERMANY  
The population of East Germany is about 17,000,000.

## OLTON

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

MRS. LEONA MARTIN had recently as her house guests her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin, Chad, Jimmy, Gayle and Dianne of El Centro, Calif.

MR. AND MRS. Archie Curry have purchased a brick home in Littlefield and have moved there to make their home.

MR. AND MRS. C. C. Curry were supper guests Wednesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Curry in Littlefield.

MR. AND MRS. Tom Whitaker and son, Joe, of De Leon and Mrs. Jack Williams, Christi and H. T. of Corpus Christi are here visiting friends and relatives. The Whitakers and their daughter and son are all former Olton residents. Tom Whitaker underwent surgery at University Hospital in Lubbock recently. Whitaker still owns a farm here.

REV. AND MRS. Pat Gloria, Zeke, Ruth, Gracie, and Pat Jr. have moved to their new home at 808 Ave. 8. The Rev. Gloria is pastor of the Baptist Spanish Mission of Olton.

MR. AND MRS. R. G. DeBerry, who were in a car accident in Lubbock recently, returned home Wednesday from University Hospital in Lubbock. They went back Monday for a check-up.

MRS. M. K. Fisher of Hale Center and her sister, Mrs. L. G. Elkins visited Wednesday in the home of Mrs. and Mrs. J. W. S. Clair in Muleshoe.

HERE VISITING in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Elkins is Mrs. D. W. Stockham Jr. and son, Drew, of Tucson, Ariz.

THE REV. AND MRS. Fred DeBerry left Monday for Oklahoma where they will visit relatives.

MRS. C. H. SMITH shopped in Littlefield Thursday.

MR. AND MRS. Homer Curry and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Shugart of Canyon, plan to leave Friday for a vacation in Washington, Oregon and Canada.

STEVE COLLINS, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Collins, has volunteered for service and is stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash.

It is thought he will take his basic training there.

MR. AND MRS. Billy Roy Smith vacationed at Lake Conchas last weekend.

THE REV. R. H. Campbell will be the guest preacher at the United Methodist Church in Olton Sunday morning, July 27, Sunday evening the Rev. Fred Brown of Hart will be guest speaker.

MR. AND MRS. Angus Davis vacationed at Ruidoso, N. M., last weekend.

MR. AND MRS. Buster Whitlock of Stratford were house guests Saturday and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Roberson.

STEVE WARREN of Irving is here visiting in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hankins.

MR. AND MRS. Bill Schreier of Abernathy visited Friday and Saturday in the homes of Mrs. Ethel Schreier, Mrs. Pearl Schreier and Mrs. Stella Cowart. The Bill Schreiers are former Olton residents.

MR. AND MRS. S. E. Whittington moved Monday to Phoenix, Ariz., where he will be employed with an insurance agency.

MRS. WAYLAND Stephens and children of Syosset, N. Y., are here visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bley.

BECKY POWELL, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Powell of Friona, is the guest this week of Cynthia Sorley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sorley.

MRS. GEORGE BOHNER spent last weekend in Edmondson visiting in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bohner.

MRS. JACK BLACKBURN and daughter, Debra, of Thousand Oaks, Calif., are here visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. H. A. Walker, and in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hall Jr.

MRS. BILL GARY of Halfway, will be teaching third grade at H. P. Webb Elementary School this fall.

MISS VIRGINIA PARKEY left last week for Oklahoma City, Okla., where she will visit relatives.

MR. AND MRS. Bob Strait vacationed in Colorado Friday and Saturday.

HOUSEGUESTS in the home of Mrs. Lillian Green last week were two of her sisters, Mrs. Viola Paxton of Lubbock and Mrs. Pearl Davies of Los Angeles, Calif.

THE REV. TOMMY Nelson, pastor of United Methodist Church, is in Nashville, Tenn., taking some courses in evangelism at Scarritt College. He plans to be gone four weeks.

TOSHIO SUZUKI of Japan visited last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Richards. Suzuki is in America as a representative of a Japanese Grain Company and is studying farming in America. Week before last he was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hodges and children.

MRS. ROBERT REINHARDT of Lubbock was guest last week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carruth and of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Moss and family.

JOHN THOMPSON, son of the late Ed Thompson, has assumed the duties as general manager of the Ed Thompson John Deere Company in Olton. He and his wife, Wanda, have three daughters, Torri, 10 years old, who will be in the fourth grade and Tawnie, six years old will be in the second grade; and Tammy, who is five years old will not be in school this year.

ALBERT KEY, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Key, is aboard the Kearsarge which took swift action in lending assistance to survivors of the USS Frank E. Evans after her tragic collision with the Australian carrier Hmas Melbourne in the South China Sea.

MRS. E. R. Higgins of Lubbock, former Olton resident, will teach at the 15th annual Bible Workshop to be conducted July 21-24 at Abilene Christian College in Abilene.

MARK BRYANT, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bryant, is attending the 11th annual Music camp of Lubbock Christian College conducted in the Allison Music Center and Moody Auditorium Sunday through Aug. 1. Studies include chorus, band, theory and sight singing, song directing, section rehearsals and Bible.

CAROLYN SMITH, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Smith, visited last week in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Lobaugh, in Bovina.

MR. AND MRS. Norman Smith left Friday morning for Crested Butte, Colo., where they will be guests of their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith and children.

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MRS. ALVA Alanna and Jan visit home of Mr. and Mrs. Lysky in Maple through Saturday.

MR. AND MRS. Sweatt and wife vacationed at Lake last weekend.

KERRY WHEELER, Mariana May attend ANNUAL 4-H Electrician's southeast of Olton, N. M. for Lamb County Public Electric Co.

MR. AND MRS. Wheeler, Alice and Ed visited the Camp at Las Vegas Wednesday through Saturday.

Laura Sue Wheeler has been working the summer returned home her parents.

MR. AND MRS. Miller who are from Branson, Colo., visited with Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller.

MR. AND MRS. Moore have returned from a 16 day visit in California, where they visited their daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Moore. Making by air, they visited points of interest including July Fourth Celebration Coliseum, a Steve Allen Catalina Island, Beach, the Huntington and the Irvine Ranch.

MR. AND MRS. Carson visited with Mr. Carson Sr. in the Hospital Saturday.

FUNERAL SERVICES were conducted this afternoon in the First Church in Silvertown for Pearl Howard, step-daughter of Mrs. O. T. Crosby, Howard and Floyd Howard of Olton, Mrs. Howard born Dec. 29, 1888 in Lamb County. She was married to L. Howard Jan. 20, Howard died March 11. Other survivors include other step-sons, six step-daughters and brother.

FUNERAL SERVICES were conducted this afternoon in the First Church in Portales, N. M., for Mrs. Drake Mother of Thruston Tollett. Also the service from Olton Mr. and Mrs. Thruston and son, Art, Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. Alva J. Nelson.

FUNERAL SERVICES were conducted Tuesday in the Presbyterian Church of City, Okla. for Mrs. Roberson of Olton, and of Richard Roberson. Attending the funeral Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roberson.

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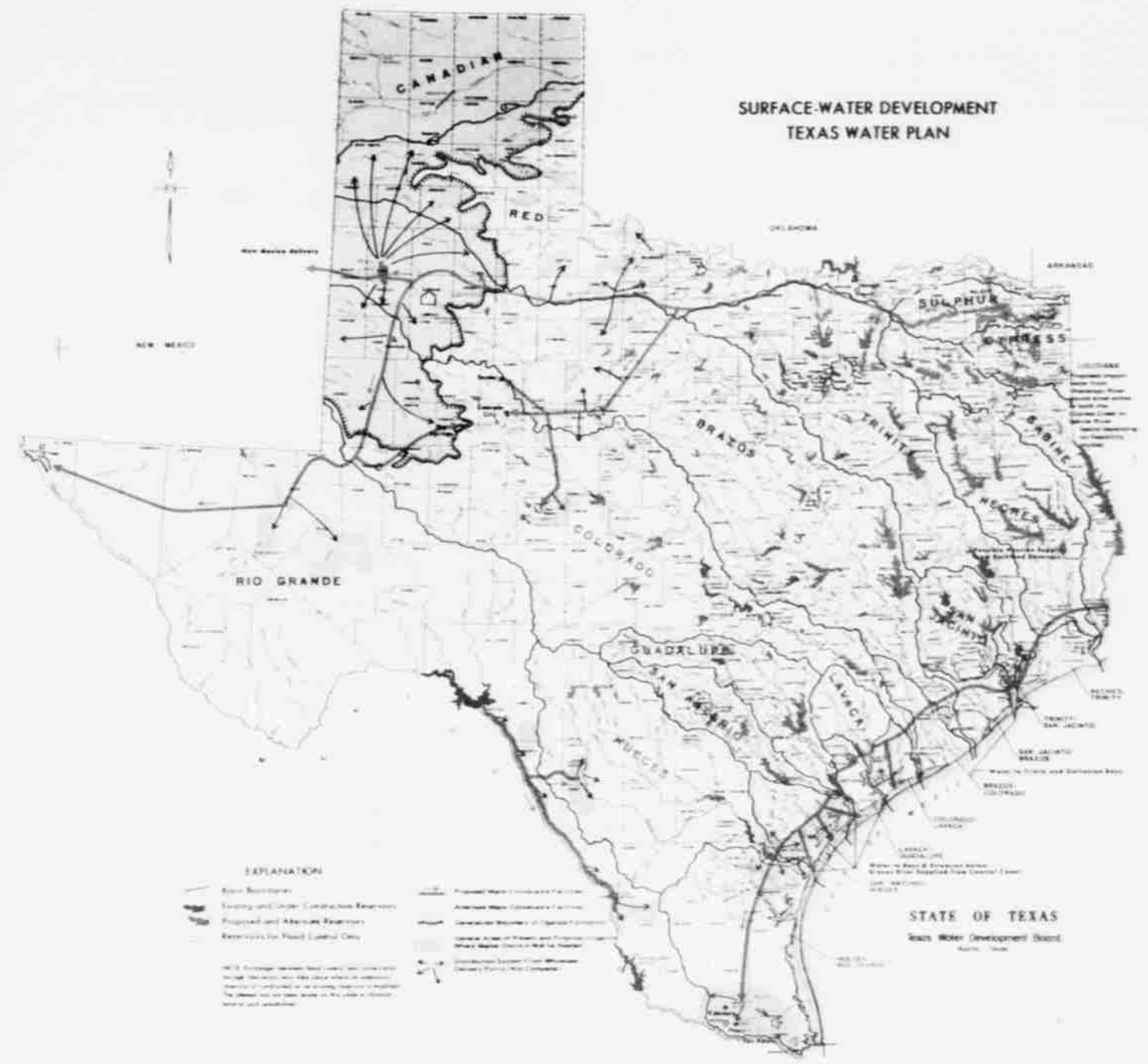
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# Texas' Future Hinges on Water Amendment Ballot August 5

Texas voters will ballot Aug. 5 on a constitutional amendment that would provide the State of Texas the capability to authorize the issuing of \$3.5 billion in water development fund bonds for Texas' share of the \$9 billion Texas Water Plan.

Their decision on this first Tuesday in August will chart the course Texas will follow into the next century—a course leading to unprecedented economic growth and prosperity for the entire state, or a path leading to decline and stagnation caused by the lack of adequate water for the state's villages, towns and cities; its industries, and for its irrigated agriculture.

The Amendment—Number 2 on the ballot—authorizes an increase in the Water Development Fund of \$3.5 billion; removal of the 4 per cent interest rate limitation on the Fund's bonds and authorizes the rate to be set by legislative enactment; expands use of the Fund for the development of water resources for the State, both within and without the limits of the state; removes the Dec. 31, 1982 cutoff date for use of the bond funds to assist political subdivisions of the state to develop their water resources; empowers the Water Development Board to contract with federal agencies, other states, foreign countries—such as Canada—and others for the development of water resources and the bonds would not be used for gifts or grants. They would be repaid—with interest—by the users of water. The Texas Water Plan is based on the concept that all reimbursable costs of water developments would be repaid by those who use the water.

Planners from the Texas Water Development Board estimate that Texas, after a full development of its water resources, will have a shortage of 12 to 13 million acre feet annually by 2020. An acre foot is 325,381 gallons.

To overcome this anticipated shortage, the Texas Water Plan proposes the importation of some 13 million acre feet of surplus water each year from the lower Mississippi River to meet an estimated requirement of 32 million acre feet for growing cities, industries, and agriculture.

The immense Texas Water Plan proposes the construction of 67 dams and reservoirs—with 33.6 million acre feet of conservation storage and 16.1 acre feet of flood control—at an estimated cost (in 1967 dollars) of \$2.4 billion. Remaining costs would amount to some \$6.5 billion.

The Texas Water Plan sketches a massive network of transstate transmission canals spanning north Texas and the Gulf Coast, connecting pipelines, pumping stations, and power plants—possibly nuclear powered.

The 500-mile concrete-lined northern canal would begin in the upper Sulphur River basin of east Texas and extend westward past Lubbock in the High Plains, turn south and west to the Trans Pecos where a pipeline would connect with the canal for movement of municipal and industrial water to El Paso. The Trans-Texas division would carry about 10 million acre feet of water a year for northern and western Texas.

In addition to serving the Northeast Texas basins, the cities of Dallas, Fort Worth, Lubbock, San Angelo, Abilene, Odessa, Midland, and other communities, the division, with its offshoot pipelines, would provide irrigation water for north central Texas, the High Plains, and the Trans Pecos.

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## AN OPEN LETTER TO THE CITIZENS OF TEXAS

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We urge you to vote for Constitutional Amendment No. 2 on August 5. It may be the most important vote this generation of Texans will cast.

Sincerely,

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## ... Texas' Future

The 418-mile Coastal Canal and the Coastal Division would carry about 4.8 million acre feet annually, plus the amount supplied to metropolitan Houston and San Antonio by subsystems.

Rio Grande waters from Amstad Dam at Del Rio would move to Maverick and Webb counties and to the vegetable-growing Winter Garden area around Carrizo Springs.

As needed, 230,000 acre feet of supplemental surface water for San Antonio could be provided from reservoirs in the Guadalupe and San Antonio rivers basins. Houston could be provided with additional surface water from the Brazos, the San Jacinto, the Trinity and the Neches river basins.

The Coastal Canal would supply municipal and industrial water for the Corpus Christi-Kingsville area and irrigation water for the Coastal Bend.

The Coastal Division would also provide 2.5 million acre feet of additional fresh water

each year to the valuable bay and estuary system and to wildlife refuges, thus maintaining and enhancing their sports, commercial and aesthetic value to Texas and to the nation.

Tuning of the developments proposed by the Texas Water Plan is an extremely critical factor, say Water Development Board planners. "Our best estimates indicate that by or before 1980 some of our metropolitan areas--Corpus

Christi, San Antonio, El Paso--will need supplemental water to meet their growing requirements," said Howard B. Boswell, executive director of the Board.

"By 1985 ground water supplying irrigation on the South Plains will have been depleted to the point that agriculture will be increasingly dependent on dry-land farming," Boswell added.

"If this occurs, the entire

state will suffer economic losses in investments, banking, insurance, transportation, markets for agricultural equipment and supplies, and the loss of population," he added.

Texans old enough to vote in the Aug. 5 election remember well the drought of the 1950's and what it's like to be without water. Water rationing was the rule in most Texas towns and cities. Lakes dried up. And farmers saw their land crack

from the dry heat and crops die. Pastures dried and died, and ranchers sold their herds.

Texas' water planners hope to ease the plight of Texans, should drought strike again, by the development, conservation and wise use and management of the state's water resources. Supporters of the Plan and Amendment No. 2 are hoping Texans recall the dry, dusty days of 1950-57 on Aug. 5.





# Texas, Neither Is Financial Plan

Planning the wise use of water is not new in Texas. Neither is financing the development of the state's water resources although providing funds for water development projects is not as old as the development and wise use of the state's water resources.

Spaniards, in 1680, began the wise use of water resources of the land now called Texas when they began the first irrigation of crops near what is now El Paso. Indians in the area planned the use of their meager water resources long before the Conquistadores invaded the land and settled there. Planning, development, and use of Texas' waters has continued in some manner to the present.

Development of the State's water resources moved slowly during the '30s and '40s with most of the development being done by cities, river authorities, the Crops of Engineers and the Bureau of Reclamation.

The drought and floods through which Texas passed during 1956-57 gave impetus to planning the conservation and management of Texas' water resources.

The flood waters of the Spring of 1957 had barely receded when the Legislature passed the Water Development Act, establishing the Water Development Board. The people of Texas, recognizing their responsibilities and approved an

amendment to the Constitution which provided \$200 million to aid political subdivisions of the State to develop, conserve, and manage their water resources.

Since that time, cities and towns, river authorities, and water districts in all sections of Texas have received some \$100 million in loans and commitments for the development of their water supply resources. Projects are located from Northeast Texas to the Lower Rio Grande and from the Panhandle to Southeast Texas.

The Texas Water Development Fund and its purposes have had the overwhelming support of Texans. In 1962, the Constitution was again amended and the Water Development Board, in the name of the State of Texas, was authorized to acquire conservation storage space in reservoirs to be constructed on Texas streams. This provided for the optimum development of the limited number of dam and reservoir sites in the State.

Four years later—in 1966—Texans again approved an amendment to the Constitution, this time increasing the \$200 million Water Development Fund to \$400 million and expanding use of the Fund by the Board to construct any system of works necessary for the filtration, treatment, and transportation of water from storage to points of wholesale purchase

and distribution. This new authority assured the State's participation in the full development of its water resources for the benefit of all sections of Texas.

Late in 1957, the Legislature during a called session, passed the Planning Act of 1957, creating the water planning division within the then Board of Water Engineers. This function was transferred to the Water Development Board in 1965 by the Legislature when it charged the Board with the development of a Texas Water Plan for the entire State.

The Board in mid-1966 presented the preliminary Texas Water Plan. After 27 public hearings and a series of public meetings, the Board staff began revision of the Plan to meet objections voiced during the public hearings.

In December 1968, the Texas Water Development Board released the Texas Water Plan, as a flexible guide for the orderly development, conservation, and wise management of the State's water resources to meet the needs of Texas to the year 2020.

The total estimated cost of the Plan based on 1967 construction cost levels is \$9 billion. It is estimated that the State's share of financing will be some \$3.5 billion.

To provide the State's share of the cost, the 61st Legislature authorized an amendment to the Constitution which would authorize the Water Development Board, upon authorization by two-thirds of the membership of the House and the Senate, to issue \$3.5 billion in bonds. These bonds will be issued in increments over a 40 to 50 year period as the need arises and implementation of the Plan progresses.

Officials of the Texas Water Development Board and supporters of the Amendment, Governor Preston Smith's Committee of 500, which includes former Texas governor John Connally, Price Daniel, and Allan Shivers, and Lt. Governor Ben Barnes and Speaker of the House Gus Mutscher, points out that the proposal for the State to provide interim financial assistance to aid development to water supply projects is not a new program, but one that has been effectively used in Texas for a dozen years. It is an expansion of a program that has already been approved three times by the voters of Texas, they explain.

The only difference in Amendment No. 2 and previous amendments is the amount of money and the broader purposes for which the funds can be used.

- Q. What is the Texas Water Plan?**  
**A.** It is a flexible guide to the development, management and use of Texas' water resources and an imported supply to meet the State's water requirements to the year 2020.
- Q. Who will benefit from the Plan?**  
**A.** The people of Texas.
- Q. Will the Plan provide adequate water for Texas?**  
**A.** Yes. Estimates indicate that Texas will need 32 million acre feet of water annually by 2020 for cities and towns, for industry, for agriculture, and for all other beneficial uses. The Plan provides for the full development of Texas' water resources and importation from the lower Mississippi River of 12 to 13 million acre feet of water each year to supplement the State's supplies.
- Q. What is the cost of the Plan?**  
**A.** About \$9 billion (in 1967 dollars).
- Q. What is Texas' share of the costs?**  
**A.** \$3.5 billion.
- Q. Who will pay the costs?**  
**A.** Those who use the water.
- Q. Where will Texas get the money to finance its share of the Plan?**  
**A.** From the sale of Water Development Fund bonds.
- Q. Will this be tax money?**  
**A.** No. Although the investment in the construction of the Texas Water Plan will require support from the general revenue fund of the State for meeting bond obligations during the interim period between development of water supplies and development of local water user capacities. General revenue support will be particularly heavy during the 13 years (1978-1991) when it is estimated that an aggregate amount of \$630 million will be required to pay debt service. It must be remembered, however, that the general fund should receive income to repay these advances. Over the life of the Plan, about 50 years, the State will recover all of the expended funds.
- Q. Will the bonds be issued at one time?**  
**A.** No. The bonds will be issued, upon two-thirds approval of the Legislature, over a period of 40 to 50 years.
- Q. Is this method of financing water development in Texas a new program?**  
**A.** No. In 1957, the voters of Texas amended the constitution and established the Texas Water Development Board and the Water Development Fund and authorized \$200 million in Water Development Bonds. In 1966, the voters increased the fund to \$400 million. Since then, some \$100 million has been loaned or committed to political subdivisions of the state for the development of water supply facilities.
- Q. Is the Fund used to provide gifts or grants?**  
**A.** No. The funds loaned must be repaid the State with interest.

dwindling water resources and to provide import water from outside of Texas.

The purpose of the Amendment is to provide the State with the financial capability that will be needed to place Texas in a strong position to discuss with the Congress and the federal agencies federal participation in the full development of Texas' water resources and place Texas in a position to have control of the development, management and use of its water resources.

Funds from the sale of bonds will be used to provide the interim financing necessary for payment of \$2.3 billion of construction costs of that part of the Texas Water Plan allocated for municipal and industrial water; \$600 million would be used for carrying on the present program of the Board which provides financial assistance to political subdivisions of the state for development of their water resources; \$65 million would be used by the Board for storage acquisition in reservoirs not associated with the Texas Water System; and \$500 million would be earmarked for contingencies.

The Amendment would also remove the present Dec. 31, 1982 cut-off date for the present program of financial assistance by the Board; it would empower the Board to contract with the federal agencies, other states, and foreign governments—such

as Canada—for the development of water resources and facilities.

Board officials emphasize that the bonds would not be issued at one time, only in increments as needed over a 40 to 50 year period for implementation of the Plan. The bonds and debt service would be repaid from proceeds of sale of water to users. The Water Plan is based on the concept that all reimbursable costs of water development would be repaid, with interest, by users.

Such financing would require support from the general revenue fund of the state for meeting bond obligations during the interim between development of water supplies and development of local user capabilities.

General revenue fund support will be needed most during the 1978-91 period when it is estimated that the general revenue fund will be called upon to advance an aggregate amount of \$630 million to pay debt service.

Beginning in 1992, however, the general fund should receive income to pay future principal and interest costs and start repayment of these advances.

The prestige of the State and its leaders has been placed behind the efforts to provide Texas with a plan—an effective plan—for meeting the State's water requirements into the next century. The decision is now up to the people of Texas.

# Amendment No. 2

Someone has said—facetiously, yet seriously—"there are 11 million reasons to vote for Constitutional Amendment No. 2 on Aug. 5—the People of Texas."

The Amendment, approved overwhelmingly by the 61st Legislature, broadens the powers of the Texas Water Development Board and the purposes of the Water Development Fund; eliminates the interest limitations (4 per cent) on Texas Water Development Bonds; raises the authorized amount of Texas Water Development Bonds by \$3.5 billion; extends the maturity schedule on Texas Water Development Bonds from 40 to 50 years; eliminates the Dec. 31, 1982 cutoff date for financial assistance by the Board to political subdivisions for the development and improvement of their water supply systems; and empowers the Board to contract with the federal agencies, other states, foreign governments—such as Canada—and others for the development of water resources and facilities.

Voters of Texas will have their say on the proposed amendment to the Constitution on Aug. 5.

Basically, the proposed Amendment would provide the State of Texas with the capability to finance its share of the cost of the Texas Water Plan, estimated to be (in 1967 dollars) \$9 billion. The balance of the costs initially financed by the federal government.

An important aspect of the Texas Water Plan, however, is that the entire projects' cost will ultimately be paid by water users. So the real question is not "Who will pay?" but, rather, "Who will advance the money?"

In this respect the State is performing the function of a banker supplying funds for interim financing. All costs to the State, both principal and interest, will be recovered—although the recovery will be spread over a long period of time.

Before any of the \$3.5 billion in bonds could be issued—they will be issued over a period of 40 to 50 years—two-thirds of the Legislature must give approval. The bond funds will not be used for gifts or grants. Funds provided for the development of water resources must—and will—be repaid the State with interest.

Of the State's estimated \$3.5 billion share of financing, \$2.3 billion is earmarked for development of municipal and industrial water supplies; \$65 million is earmarked for the cost of storage acquisition in reservoirs not a part of the Texas Water System; \$600 million is set aside for future loan programs of the Texas Water Development Board; and \$500 million for contingencies.

Approval of the Amendment on Aug. 5 will give the State the flexibility needed in the full development of the State's water resources for the benefit of the people of Texas.

# Water Plans Will Meet State's Needs

Texas is entering a new era in the development of its water resources, an era unequalled in the state's long history.

To meet the water requirements of booming, dynamic Texas and its projected growth of 30.5 million people in the year 2020, the Texas Water Development Board has prepared a \$9 billion master plan for the development of Texas water resources.

Highlighted by far-sighted proposals to transport surplus waters from the Mississippi River and moisture-rich east Texas by giant canals to parched west and south Texas and parts of New Mexico, the Plan represents more than a decade

of intensive study and an expenditure of about \$10 million. Estimated state share of overall project costs (in terms of 1967 dollars) is \$3.5 billion. Federal and local funds would pay for the rest.

The Plan provides for the construction of 67 dams and reservoirs and alternates, huge transmission canals and pipelines, pumping stations, and power facilities for the movement of vast quantities of water annually to water-deficient areas—about half of Texas—to meet the needs of towns and cities, industries, and agriculture. Other beneficial water requirements will also be met by the Plan.

Three divisions—the Trans-Texas, Coastal, and Eastern—form a dramatic part of the Texas Water Plan.

The Trans-Texas Division will supply municipal, industrial and agricultural requirements in the Northeast Texas basins, the Dallas-Fort Worth area, the North Central sector, the South Plains, Trans Pecos, El Paso, and eastern New Mexico.

A total of 10.3 million acre feet a year will move through the huge system from an Interstate System and from Northeast Texas across the top of Texas holding reservoirs on the Caprock near Lubbock for distribution to the Plains, Trans Pecos, El Paso and Eastern New Mexico. New Mexico will receive 1.5 million acre feet of out-of-state water while 7.5 million acre feet will be allocated to agriculture along the route served by the Canal. Municipal and industrial users will receive 950,000 acre feet of water to satisfy their requirements.

The Coastal Division will supply some 4.5 million acre feet annual water for municipal and industrial uses, for irrigation, the bays and estuaries and for wildlife refuges from the Sabine River to the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

Estimated water requirements west and south of the Brazos River, plus inflows into Galveston Bay but excluding Houston and San Antonio requirements, are 1.8 million acre feet for irrigation, 2.5 million additional acre feet for bays and estuaries, 433,000 acre feet for municipal and industrial supplies, and 60,000 acre feet for fish and wildlife.

Water supplies for Houston can be met by several alternatives, including combinations of supply from the Brazos, Trinity, San Jacinto, and Neches river basins, ground water, and water from the Coastal Canal.

Cuero, Cibola, and Goliad reservoirs, with Cannon reservoir and a pipeline system, part of the Coastal Division, can, through systems operation, supply San Antonio with 220,000 acre feet of water annually to supplement available ground water from the Edwards Aquifer.

The Winter Garden area, southwest of San Antonio, can be served by conveyance of releases out of Amistad Reservoir on the Rio Grande. Water supplied from Amistad to irrigators in these areas will be replaced in the Lower Valley by deliveries through the Coastal Canal.

The Eastern Division of the System includes facilities which will be required to move water imported from out-of-state sources to the Trans-Texas and Coastal divisions.

Subject to the results of feasibility studies, the Board proposes that design and construction begin in the following sequence:

(1) Storage facilities in South-

## AN EDITORIAL: Texas Water Plan a "Must"

—ARLINGTON CITIZEN

### WHAT IS THE TEXAS WATER PLAN?

The objective of the Texas Water Plan is to provide adequate water to maintain the growth and prosperity of Texas into the next century when it is estimated that we will have a population of 30.5 million people. The Plan provides for the full development of our water resources and the importation of surplus water from the lower Mississippi River for distribution to areas with declining water resources.

### WHAT IS AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO?

Amendment No. 2 authorizes the Texas Water Development Board to issue \$3.5 billion in bonds to finance Texas' share of the cost of the Texas Water Plan. This money is not to be used to provide gifts or grants, but will provide temporary financing which will be repaid by water users. The Amendment also removes the 4 per cent ceiling on Water Development Bonds.

### WHO IS TO PAY FOR THE PLAN?

Cost of the \$9 billion Texas Water Plan—Texas' share is estimated at \$3.5 billion—will be shared by local, state and federal governments, with those who ultimately use the water paying much of the costs of the Plan.

### WHY DOES TEXAS NEED A WATER RESOURCE PLAN?

By the end of this century—in just 31 years—Texas will not have enough water to supply its growing cities, its expanding industry, and its irrigated agriculture. To assure an adequate water supply, the state has prepared a plan for the full development, management and use of its water resources—and an imported water supply—to serve Texas to the year 2020 and to assure all Texans water to meet their needs.

### WILL THE PLAN PROVIDE ADEQUATE WATER FOR TEXAS?

Yes. With our current major reservoirs (157), the proposed full development of our water resources (67 dams and reservoirs) and an imported supply of water, Texas can meet its water demands to the year 2020.

### WHO WILL BENEFIT FROM THE PLAN?

The people of Texas will benefit from the Texas Water Plan. The Plan provides for meeting all essential and beneficial water requirements throughout the state. The Plan will provide water for domestic and municipal uses, for industry, for agriculture, for recreation, for our bays and estuaries, and for other beneficial purposes. The Texas Water Plan will provide Water for Texas!

## 2020 VISION

FORESIGHT is essential for progress. And a current advertisement of Philco effectively makes that point by saying, "For years, America's been shortsighted about its future water supply. We're helping to give California 2020 vision."

Texans today face the choice between nearsightedness and looking forward to future supplies of the essential element to support people, growing plants and industrial plants—water.

As the advertisement says, "Funny thing about water. There's so much of it around, people have wasted it, polluted it and frittered it away for years. And suddenly, there's water, water everywhere—except where it's needed."

California State Water Project is the subject of that advertisement, and reluctantly Texans must admit that in some ways the Far West has been more foresighted than we have.

But our leaders have come up with a sound, forward-looking Texas Water Plan which is so important for all parts of the state that it has been endorsed by many Texas leaders.

Among those actively engaged in working for the plan to provide water needs in Texas at least until the year 2020 are Gov. Preston Smith, former Governors John Connally, Price Daniel and Allan Shivers, Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes and Speaker Gus Mutscher of the Texas House. There are many others all over the state who know our region and its needs.

Some conservationists who are concerned about ecological changes of environment have voiced opposition. A few have even intimated that Texas—especially West Texas—should not try to grow in population, agribusiness and industrialization. This, we suggest, is myopic.

The News agrees that wildlife, marine life and other assets should be preserved and is confident that the sound leadership involved in the Texas Water Plan will work toward that end without sacrificing the needs of people.

First essential step toward acquiring 2020 vision is approval of Amendment No. 2 on the ballot in the Aug. 5 election. Texans who will be vacationing then should arrange to vote absentee for Amendment 2; those who will be at home should be sure to go to the polls on Aug. 5. (Dallas News)

### Look At It With 2020 Vision

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# Governor, 3 Former Governors Head Blue-Ribbon Panel for Amendment 2

The men who talk Texas, live Texas and epitomize the sterling qualities of Texas leadership are manning the ramparts on behalf of Constitutional Amendment No. 2.

This proposal is expected to reflect the combined influence of the state's finest on election day, August 5. Heading the massive effort to implement the 50-year water program are the four governors whose regimes marked inception of the vast Water Plan and the successive step to make it operational.

In order-of-service the Chief Executives are Governors Allan Shivers, Price Daniel, John B. Connally and the present Governor, Preston Smith.

Speaking of his predecessors, Governor Smith said,

"I know of none in Texas who have individually or collectively contributed more to the development and conservation of the state's vital water resources than these former governors. Each during his tenure provided the leadership and gave the time and energy to the development of our water resources. Texas has benefited from their devotion, and future generations of Texas will be the beneficiaries of their vision and leadership."

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Chairmen of the Governor's Committee of 300, comprising leaders from all parts of Texas are:

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Move over, Wisconsin and Minnesota. Texas is hard after your claims to being the "Land O' Lakes."

Texas today has more square miles of inland water than any other state in the Union. And with the mammoth Texas

Water Plan now off the drawing boards and the state policy for the future development of the state's water resources, Texas—

particularly East and Southeast Texas—could well become the nation's water wonderland.

The variety of recreation available in Texas is unsurpassed among the 50 states. Whether vacationists and recreationists want only a few hours of fun, a vacation of several weeks, or permanent retirement, they have an almost endless choice in Texas.

Texas today has 157 major reservoirs constructed or under construction. And these lakes offer abundant opportunities for recreation, be it fishing, water skiing, swimming or just plain loafing along their scenic shores. The Texas Water Plan proposes the construction of 67 major dams and reservoirs, or alternates, during the next 50 years or so to provide water needed by the people of Texas for their cities and towns, their industry, and for their agriculture. These reservoirs will also serve other useful and

beneficial purposes, including recreation.

And the 35 counties that most of East Texas stand to gain immeasurable benefits from the Texas Water Plan. The Plan proposes the construction of 28 dams and reservoirs in this historic and exciting section of Texas in addition to the other facilities needed to provide water for Texans.

The benefits to East Texans—today and in the future—are staggering. Not only does the Plan provide an assured water supply for East Texas villages, towns and cities and the industry that abounds throughout the region, it will provide a more viable economic base which will not be limited because of lack of water.

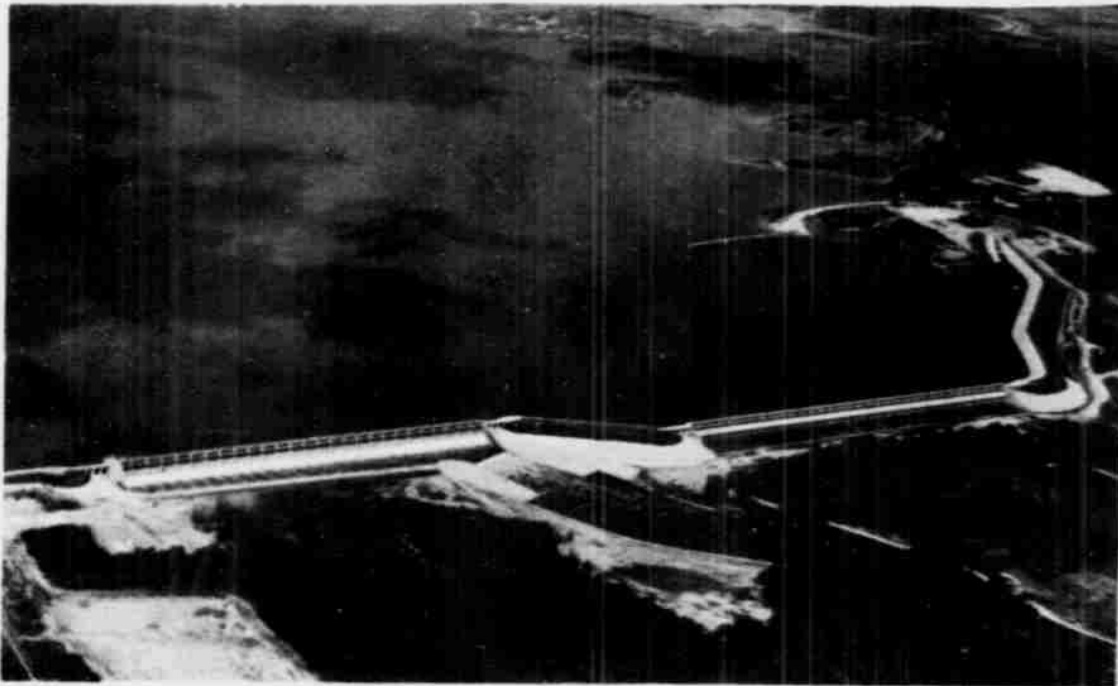
The Texas Water Plan is based on the premise that there will be no interference with vested rights under existing water permits. The basin of origin provisions of the Texas Water Development Act provides legal basis for protection of intrabasin rights. There is no comparable legal protection in federal law or policies nor in other Texas statutes that provide such protection.

Reasonable intrabasin needs for all beneficial purposes developing within the next ensuing 50-year period will have absolute priority of right over exportation for out-of-basin demands except on a temporary interim basis.

Not only will these reservoirs provide an assured water supply for the future, many other economic benefits will accrue to the region.

During construction of the 28 dams and reservoirs and other facilities proposed by the Texas Water Plan in the region, more than \$2.2 billion will be expended. This will contribute greatly to the economy of East Texas by providing jobs, demands for services, and sale of supplies by merchants and others in the region.

Recreation benefits to the region are expected to exceed \$180 million annually by 2020 after full development of the water resources in East Texas.



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west Texas and the Coastal Canal from the Lower Rio Grande Valley, building eastward. The Plan calls for construction of the dams and cannal to begin in 1975, with delivery of interim supplies of water from these projects scheduled in 1980 into the Coastal Canal.

Construction of the Eastern and Trans-Texas divisions, with their reservoirs and transmission facilities, is scheduled to begin in 1977, with first delivery of water in 1985. It is anticipated that construction of the import system will begin in 1980, with delivery of water coming in 1988.

Water available as surplus from the Northeast Texas basins would move westward first, supplying the requirements of the Dallas-Fort Worth complex as needed, and other West Texas requirements.

As facilities from the Mississippi River are completed, additional water to West Texas, plus the 1.5 million acre feet annually for New Mexico, would be moved through the Trans-Texas Division facilities as rapidly as municipal demands increase and as irrigation distribution systems facilities are constructed to serve the land.

When the Coastal Canal is completed east to the Sabine River, Mississippi River water can be brought directly into the Coastal Division to supplement eastern basin water providing 2020 project requirements in the area supplied by the Coastal Division.

Projects proposed by the Plan include dams and reservoirs to meet local water requirements throughout the state and to provide flood control and other benefits to the area and to the state. Navigation, hurricane protection projects, upstream watershed-protection pro-

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- Farm and Ranch - Dolph Briscoe, Uvalde
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- Radio and TV - J. C. Kellam, Austin
- Representatives - Rep. Gus Mutscher, Brenshaw
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- Senators - Lt. Gov Ben Barnes, Austin
- Texas Water Conservation Assn. - Joe Wheat, Woodville
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grams, drainage of wetlands, natural salinity alleviation projects and phreatophyte control projects are included in the Plan.

"No water resource development program on this scale or of this complexity has ever been attempted anywhere," commented Howard B. Roswell, executive director of the Texas Water Development Board.



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