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Personals

Mrs. G. W. Jones visited her daughters, Mrs. S. L. Bechtal and Mrs. B. Moore, and their families in San Antonio last week.

Visitors in the John Nicholas home during the week end were T. E. Yarbrough and wife of Avoca, Tommie Nicholas and family, Kenneth Mayhall and family of Abilene and Lester Nicholas and family of Odessa. Tommie Nicholas and family also visited her parents, Jim Hogan and wife.

George Putnam visited his brother, Abb Putnam, and family of Cisco last week.

T Sgt Merrell Green and family of Shaw Air Force Base, Sumter, South Carolina visited her parents, Owen Mangum and wife, this week.

Bill Ramsey and family and Conner Ramsey and family of Odessa are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Ramsey. Bill Ramsey and family also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Ramsey.

Albert Gray and family of Sudan visited C. A. Driver and wife last week.

Jerry Bell and wife of Salina, Kan. are visiting her parents, Colin Campbell and wife, and other relatives here.

Conner Stubblefield and family of Goldthwaite visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Stacks and Tommy Stacks and family of Fort Worth visited W. M. Medford and wife Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McGaha and Mrs. Bewel McGaha are also visiting her mother, Mrs. Allie Campbell.

Daun Turrer and family of Levelland spent the week end with her parents, Luther Reese and wife.

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Rains Make Crop Prospects Good

The finest peanut crop prospect in many years confronted the farmers of this area following rains ranging from 1 in upward which fell generally over the section early last week. Practically all of the allotted peanut acreage has been planted and most growers report excellent stands.

Good crops of feed and grain have already been gathered, fruit is good and pecan crop prospects are excellent. In general the agricultural outlook for the area is one of the best in history, farmers say. Given a moderate amount of moisture later in the summer, which may be expected, some of the effects of the long drought should be erased and the country return to prosperity for the farmers.

Card Of Thanks

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1938 Graduates To Hold Reunion

The 1938 graduating class of Carbon High school will hold a reunion on Sunday July 6. Plans are being made to meet at the Carbon school building about 9 a. m. and go from there to the Eastland Park for lunch and a day of recreation. Invitations to attend are being mailed to the graduates.

Euell Allison, who was president of the class during the senior year, urges all members of the class to attend and parents and friends are cordially invited.

SVGPD Meeting

The Sabana Valley Game Preserve Association will hold its regular monthly meeting Tuesday night July 8, at the Center Point Community home. Members are urged to attend and visitors are welcome. Reservations will be served at the meeting.

Issue For Surplus Property Given

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Surplus Property Sale Scheduled At Camp Wolters

CAMP WOLTERS, June 26, — A spot bid surplus sale will be held at the Camp Wolters Property Disposal Yard July 11. Curtis R. Page, Camp Wolters property disposal officer, announced. Bid openings will start at 9:00 a. m.

Items to be sold include small hand tools, miscellaneous electrical equipment, clothing, kitchen equipment, head-dress, footwear, plumbing supplies, office supplies, pipe fittings and miscellaneous hardware and steel storage tanks. The merchandise offered for sale is available for inspection at the Property Disposal Yard from 8:30 a. m. to 4:00 p. m., July 1 through July 10.

It has been determined that property listed is no longer needed by the Federal Government, and can no longer be used or economically repaired by the Government.

For additional information concerning the sale call Fairfax 5-2581, ext. 2.

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Omar Burkett Gives Views On Important Issues

To the voters of the 76th Representative District:

For sake of economy, and that you may have at hand my position on many important questions, I am giving you a complete statement as to my views on many public questions, as follows:

In response to the wishes of friends who have always supported me and many new ones who have indicated their support in the coming campaign, I have decided to offer my services for State Representative and have filed for a place on the ballot with the respective Democratic Chairmen in each county of the District.

I thank you for your confidence in my being capable of rendering useful service to the State at this time. If chosen to serve, I will endeavor to represent you in the matter of legislation and the job and doing my best to safeguard your interests.

The income of the State has been drastically reduced by the reduction of funds of production, while the State expenses have greatly increased and from a healthy condition we are now in a state of financial crisis. We need a program of such a nature that we can get out of this crisis.

My friends, to be sure, the task of financing our State Government is now a tremendous undertaking, but if the stuporous sun is raised becomes a reality it will reduce the largest and most far-reaching tax ever enacted into law.

My stands on matters of economy, taxation and expenditures affecting the whole people is well known. My knowledge of state affairs, personal acquaintance with many of the individual personnel in each department, bureau, council or commission and

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and family Wednesday.

Singing Program Is Planned At De Leon

Jimmy Davis, former governor of Louisiana, is one of the featured attractions booked for the annual Fourth of July Gospel Singing Concert, Picnic and Celebration at Odessa Park, De Leon.

Other headliners are The Plainsmen, The Original Chuckwagon Gang, The Sons of Song from Atlanta, Ga., and the Wells Family.

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Over \$354,500 In U.S. Bonds Sold In County

During the first five months of 1958 the citizens of Eastland County purchased \$354,591 in Series E & H United States Savings Bonds, it was announced today by Guy Peyton Parker, chairman of the Eastland County Savings Bond Committee.

The \$354,591 figure represents 69.9 percent of the goal of \$507,000 for the year. May sales amounted to \$48,893 in the county. Sales during the first five months this year increased 4.3 percent over the same period last year. National sales increased 1.2 percent.

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Questions & Answers

Q — I have a service-connected dental condition for which I am drawing disability compensation. Is there any time limit for outpatient dental treatment for my condition?

A — There is no time limit for compensable dental disabilities. You may apply for outpatient dental treatment at any time and as often as you need it for the compensable dental disabilities involved.

Q — I've held a permanent GI insurance policy for several years, but about a year ago I let it lapse. Until I reinstate it, am I without any GI insurance protection whatsoever?

A — No. When a permanent policy lapses, VA extends your coverage automatically as term insurance. Premiums come out of the cast reserve you've built up. The term protection ends when it has used up all the reserve.

Q — Must a veteran's blindness be service-connected in order for him to get VA's special aids for the blind?

A — Blindness itself need not be service-connected, so long as the veteran has some other disability which has been determined as service-connected.

Q — I have just paid off my GI loan in full. Does this automatically entitle me to another GI loan?

A — No. Repayment in full would not automatically entitle you to another loan.

First Baptist Church

Rev. Roger Butler, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
J. E. Jackson, Superintendent
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:00 p. m.
Evening worship 8:00 p. m.
W. M. U. Monday 8:00 a. m.
Prayer meeting Tuesday 7:00 p. m.

The church is open for the public at all times.

Church of Christ

Bible Study 10:00 a. m.
Prayer 11:00 a. m.
Lord's Supper 11:40 a. m.
Preaching 7:30 p. m.
Wed. Bible Class 7:00 p. m.

You are invited to be with us at any time

Mitchell L. Embry, Minister.

Church is an old name for Christ.

Araname College at Goliad, Texas, closed its doors when the entire student body enlisted in the

The name, Minnesota, is derived from the two Sioux Indian words meaning "sky colored water."

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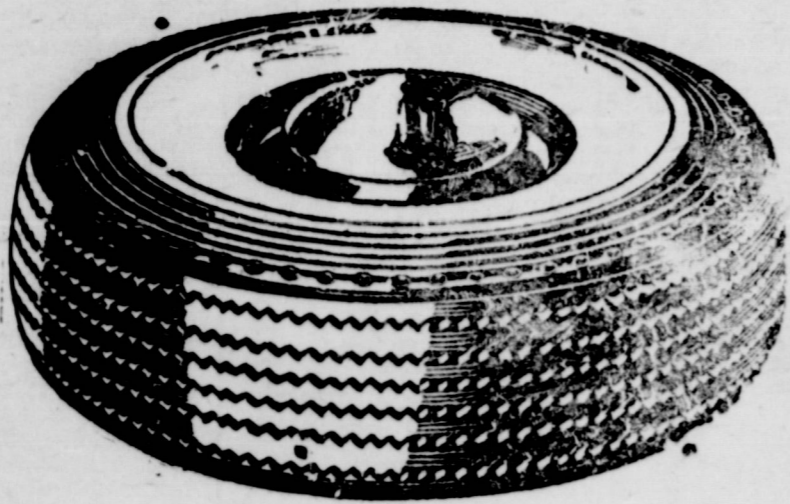
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Higginbotham
 Gorman, Texas

Pecan Men Plan To Attend Meet

Members of the Eastland County Pecan Growers Association are making plans to attend the annual meeting of the Texas Pecan Growers Association which opens Tuesday, July 8, in Austin, it was announced by Oscar Schaefer, president. County Agent J. M. Cooper also plans to attend. Mr. Schaefer said the group

will meet in Rising Star at 5 a. m. July 8 to leave for the two-day convention at the Terrace Motel in Austin.

A special luncheon a noon on the opening day of the convention will honor Miss Anna Little of Rising Star, state pecan queen.

Corsica, an island 100 miles off the French coast, is famed as the birthplace of Napoleon.

The dahlia was named after the Swedish botanist Dahl.

St. George is the patron saint of England.

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 Dianne Foster
 Wed. Thurs.
 "Showdown At Boot Hill"
 Charles Bronson

Reelect



Young White

Political Announcement
 The Carbon Messenger has been authorized to announce candidates for public office in the Democratic First Primary election in July as follows:

State Representative
PAUL BRASHEAR
 Eastland County Judge
JOHN HART (re-election)
CLYDE L. GARRETT
 Commissioner Precinct 2
B. M. BENNETT (re-election)
A. M. (Judge) THURMAN
M. E. "Buck" FOSTER
 County Clerk
JOHNSON SMITH (re-election)
ARLION E. SMITH
 District Clerk
ROY L. LANE (re-election)
RICHARD C. COX
 County School Superintendent
H. R. (POP) GARRETT (re-election)

Elect Judge Sarah T.



HUGHES
 To Supreme Court

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 Eastland, Texas
 Queen Victoria of England
 The first settlers in Maryland landed at St. Marys in 1634.
 The swastika became the national flag of Germany in 1933.

HOME MAKERS
Views and News

Nancy Weathers
 Asst. Home Dem. Agent

National and state park officials are preparing for an estimated 100 million family vacationers this summer. Some will stop for a few hours, some overnight and some for several days. Whether it's a short trip or long cross-country excursion the way-side picnic area is welcome convenience to relieve periods of driving. State park officials watching the growing luncheon-on-the-way trend have found that families — and particularly the home-makers — wish for more planned picnic lunches.

Many of the "rounding up" of picnic supplies can be eliminated by keeping staples in one convenient place. Such items may include: roasting forks, flashlight, books of matches, bugbomb, can-bottle opener, napkins, vacuum bottle, disposable cups, rolls of transparent plastic wrap, camera, salt and pepper shakers, insulated cooler, and plastic dishes.

A lesson many travelers learn is to keep foods simple. Just sitting out under the blue sky enjoying all of the relaxing qualities of mother nature will make even the simplest meal extra tasty. Sandwiches store well in the refrigerator for 22-24 hours under 50 degrees. If frozen they will keep for longer periods. Fillings that freeze well include: peanut butter, cheese and cheese spreads, and pickled or smoked meats.

Lettuce and mayonnaise should be carried separately and added to the sandwiches just before eating. Baked goods are "seasoned travelers" which may be prepared long ahead, wrapped carefully in household saran film and placed in the freezer until desired.

These travel well: rolls, cakes, cookies, donuts, fruit-filled pies, and cupcakes.

Cream-filled desserts are not good hot weather travel foods.

Packing The Picnic Basket
 Carry mustard and ketchup in lightweight squeeze bottles.

Wash picnic ware.

Onions may be cleaned and sliced at home.

Carry a roll of transparent wrap along.

Balance the weight of heavy objects on either side of the basket for easier carrying.

Before the picnic it's wise to discuss respect for public property and a few methods of procedure with family members. Practice helps prevent necessary accidents that ruin a vacation trip.

1. Read signs.
2. Practice proper waste disposal.
3. Do not pick wild flowers.
4. Do not peel.
5. Teach children.

Wood and how to use tools if they are permitted to the picnic.

Questions & Answers

Q — I am studying for my doctorate degree under the Korean GI Bill. How many hours of classroom work does VA consider to be full-time?
 A — For graduate studies, there is no set number of hours. VA accepts the word of your school whether you are on a full-time or part-time basis.

Q — I understand World War II veterans can pay GI insurance premiums once a year and save money. Does this same privilege apply to those of us who hold Korean GI term insurance policies?
 A — Yes. All holders of GI insurance — weather World War I, II or Korea veterans — may pay premiums on a yearly basis rather than monthly.

Q — I am a Korea Veteran with a service-connected disability. Does this automatically entitle me to vocational rehabilitation training?
 A — Not necessarily. You must be found in need of vocational training to overcome the handicap of your disability in order to receive the training benefits.

Q — If my son goes to school under the War Orphans Education program, will VA pay his tuition as well as a monthly living allowance?
 A — No. Under the law, VA makes one payment for each month of training. Generally this goes to his living parent or guardian. Out of this must come all training expenses, such as tuition and books. VA does not make separate payments to the school.

Omar Burkett
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their duties will be of great benefit in determining departmental need for increase or to make an all-out effort to "tighten the State belt a few notches," eliminate political expediency and appropriate and provide only really necessary money for state services.

The following matters I feel the people should know how I stand and which will be of interest to most of them. Same will have my best efforts to help make the law of the land and be possible upon enactment of a fair tax bill as most of these proposals will require no new tax what-so-ever.

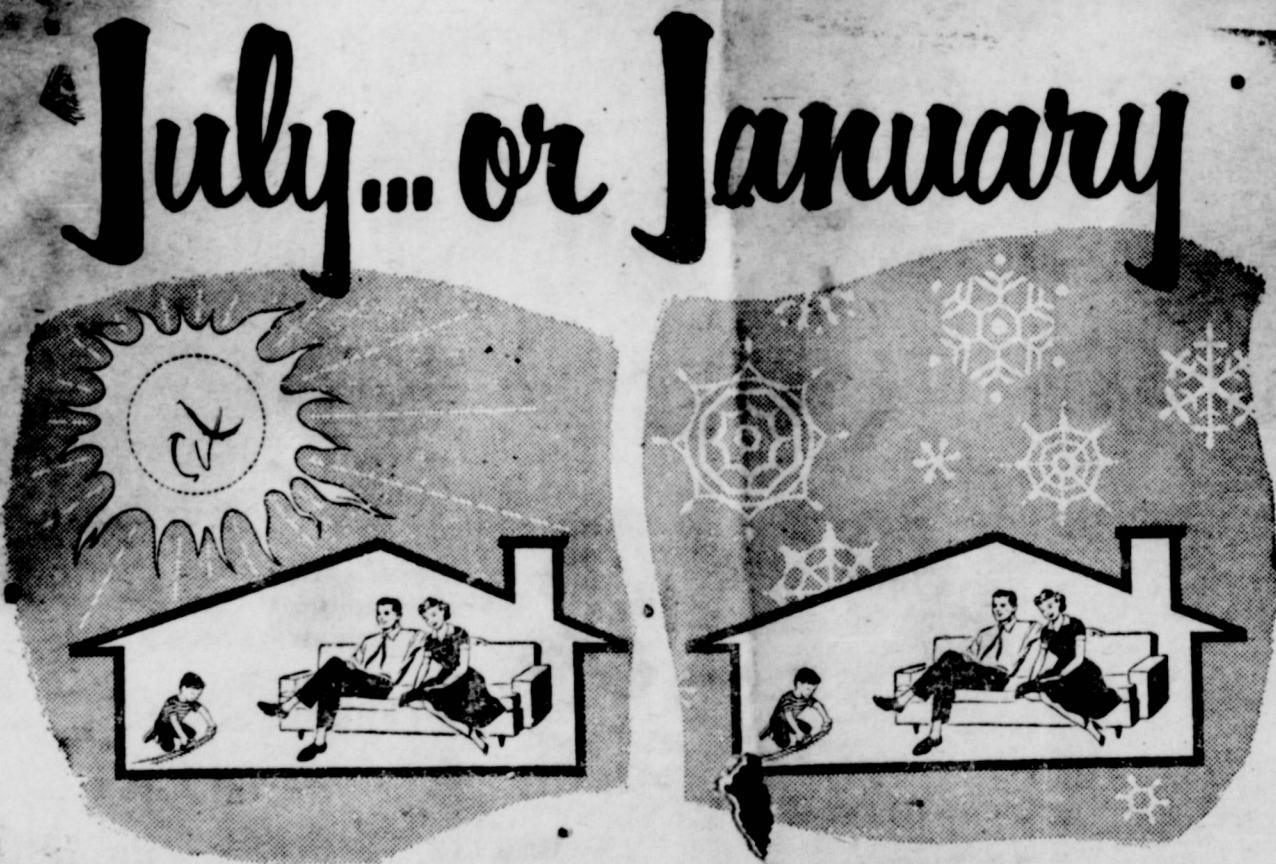
1. State Welfare Obligation
 Provide and set aside necessary funds to give the Needy Aged, the Blind, Dependent and Neglected Children and those Totally Disabled, the sum of \$25 per month State Money, upping same from the present figure of \$21 State money and when matched by Federal Grant, a total under Federal-State agreement of \$68 per month instead of the present top of \$60 per month. This small increase would certainly be of great help to recipients as just a few dollars means so much to each one of them.

As your Representative, I shall sponsor legislation to set aside in a reserve fund, \$1.00 of the Federal-State money, or as much as would be needed to be used without charge against grants as presently provided for recipients; such expenses to be paid out of the Department to those performing such services for the needy, aged and other branches of the State Welfare Department for eye, dentures and medical care including surgery. There is at present approximately 250,000 recipients in the 4 branches of the Welfare Department and I shall aid in the establishment of a similar program in the other three branches.

As your Representative, I shall sponsor legislation to have every existing building for lighting, liquor and other sales and the re-installment of horse racing or any other form of legalized gambling. As your representative, I will continue to do

2. Motor Vehicle Ad Valorem Tax Exemption
 I favor the exemption of all motor vehicles of ad valorem tax levy by city or any subdivision thereof. This should be done as cost of use and operation cost motor vehicles are taxed probably more than any one necessity the people have, and too such taxes as are now levied on motor vehicles are not generally uniform or observed alike, in city, county or state-wide.

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