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## Bob Price Mailing Questionnaires

Every family in the 18th District will be receiving in the mail in the next several days a two-page questionnaire from Panhandle Congressman Bob Price. He announced today that he is sending a questionnaire to every home in the 18th District, in an effort to determine public sentiment on a number of major issues facing the 91st Congress.

"It is most important and helpful to me to know what members of my constituency are thinking on issues from space to farm problems and the way to settle the war in Vietnam," Congressman Price said. We have tried to design the questionnaire to make it as easy as possible to mark and return. No envelope will be needed; only a six cent stamp. I am hoping for the largest possible response so that I can obtain the most representative sampling possible," he said.

## Origins of County Names Sought

Donald A. Gill, professor of English at El Centro College in Dallas, is preparing a study of the origins of place names, rivers, etc., in 38 Panhandle and South Plains counties as his dissertation for a doctor's degree.

Within Donley County, he has the name origins of Clarendon, Donley County, Boydston, Carrol Creek, Hedley and Lelia Lake.

Name origins he is still seeking include Allen Creek, Ashtola, Barton Creek, Bell Creek, Betty Creek, Big Sandy Creek, Bitter Creek, Boydston Cemetery, Brushy Creek, Buffalo Arroyo, Calf Creek, Camp Creek, Chamberlain, Clarendon Airfield, Cottonwood Creek, Eagle Creek, Giles, Glenwood Creek, Greenbelt Reservoir, Halls Creek, Hedley Airfield, Horse Creek, Indian Creek, Jerico cemetery, Jesse Arroyo, Kelly Creek, Kil'oil Draw, East Koogle Creek, Little Gyp Creek, Lone Tree Creek, McCormick Creek, McCullum Creek, McKnight, Martin, Mitchell Creek, Mulberry Creek, Oklahoma Draw, Parker Creek, Parks Creek, Record Creek, Rock Creek, Rowe cemetery, Salt Fork of Red River, Salter Creek, South Fork Spiller or Buck Creek, Tate Arroyo, Trouble-

## Top o' Texas Rodeo

The Silver Anniversary Top o' Texas Rodeo, featuring top specialty acts, is scheduled in Pampa, July 23-26.

Door prizes will be awarded nightly, with the grand prize, a silver Ford Mustang awarded on Saturday night to the lucky ticket holder.

A street parade at 4:00 p. m. on Wednesday, July 23, will get the rodeo underway, with nightly performances at 8:00 p. m.

Elra Beutler & Son of Elk City, Oklahoma will furnish the stock and direct the arena, where all of the regular RCA rodeo events will be included. A purse of \$3,850, plus all entry fees, will attract the top cowboys and cowgirls of the rodeo circuit. A special prize of \$250 will be awarded the All-Around Cowboy. Another attraction will be an amateur bareback riding contest with a purse of \$200 plus entry fees.

A miniature rodeo for children ages 5 through 15 will be held on Tuesday, July 22 with performances at 2:00 and 7:30 p. m.

Rex McAnelly, president, says ample free parking will be available. Tickets may be secured by writing the Top o' Texas Rodeo office, Box 1942, Pampa, Texas, or by phone, Code 806, MO4 3241.

## Signs With Detroit

Abilene Christian College ace left hander Bill Gilbreth recently signed a contract with the Detroit Tigers of the American League. He was drafted in the third round of the free agent draft.

Gilbreth, 21, led the nation in strikeouts, 134, in his junior year at ACC and compiled a career record 25 to 9 for the Wildcats.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Penn Gilbreth of Abilene. Penn is a brother of Preston Gilbreth of Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Nelson and son Curtis of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Clendennen visited Carlsbad Cavern, Santa Fe, Glorieta the Royal Gorge and Pike's Peak last week.

some Creek, Whitefish Creek and Wakefield Lake.

Anyone knowing any of these name origins may contact Mr. Donald A. Gill at 11135 Shortmeadow Lane, Dallas, Tex. 75218.

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## Mrs. Hoggard Writes

Hollis, Okla.

Dear Ed - will write for I am better. The doctor came in this morning and told me I could walk next week. Will be glad. This is a mighty good place to be. I broke my hip in February, been in bed since.

How is Hedley? I was so glad to get my paper seems like. Guess my farm is still there.

Hope all my friends write or come to see me.

Mrs. Hoggard

Visiting in the Tom Tate home the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cox, Jody and Chris from Farwell, also Mr and Mrs Bill Carson, Susan, and Tommy from Borger. Mrs. Cox is a granddaughter of the Tom Tates.

Tom is a patient in Hall County Hospital.

## Greenbelt Meeting

The board of directors of the Greenbelt Water Authority met in the community room of the Security State Bank last Thursday night. All members were present. Also present was a delegation from Austin representing the state Parks and Wildlife Dept. They submitted a proposition to make approximately 320 acres south of the lake into a state park.

The Authority will submit them a counter proposition. It is hoped they can get together and have a state park in our area. It will take about two years to complete the park.

All officers were reelected for a one year term at this meeting. President is Dr. S. H. Townsend of Childress vice president is Carroll Knorpp of Clarendon, treasurer is James Kuhns of the filter

## McKnight Picnic

The 4th annual McKnight community picnic will be held all day Sunday, July 20th, in Area 61 of Thompson Park in Amarillo. Come and bring a picnic lunch, drinks will be furnished.

Mrs. Edith Williams is president of the association.

## To Wed Oct. 12

Making plans for an October wedding are Arlene Ellen Cohen of Alameda, Calif., and Thomas Michael Chesser of the U. S. Navy.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Joseph Cohen of Oakland, Calif., and the groom-to-be is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Chesser of Hedley.

The two plan to repeat nuptial pledges October 12.

Mrs. J. L. Chesser and Mike visited in Fort Worth and Hurst over the week end, visiting her new granddaughter, Pamela Jo Chesser, and new great-granddaughter, Stephanie Smith.

Jack Brumley has gone back to a Dallas hospital for treatment.

Tommy Bolin and family have returned from a fishing trip to Oklahoma.

Mrs. Cole has returned from a visit to Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stewart of Clarendon took Ricky Cherry home to El Paso after a visit with relatives in this area.

Miss Jessie Davis was taken to the Memphis hospital last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wilson and children of Lubbock recently visited in the Elmer Howell home.

Tom Tate has been in the Memphis hospital for medical treatment.

Mrs. Bill Carson and children of Borger have been visiting here.

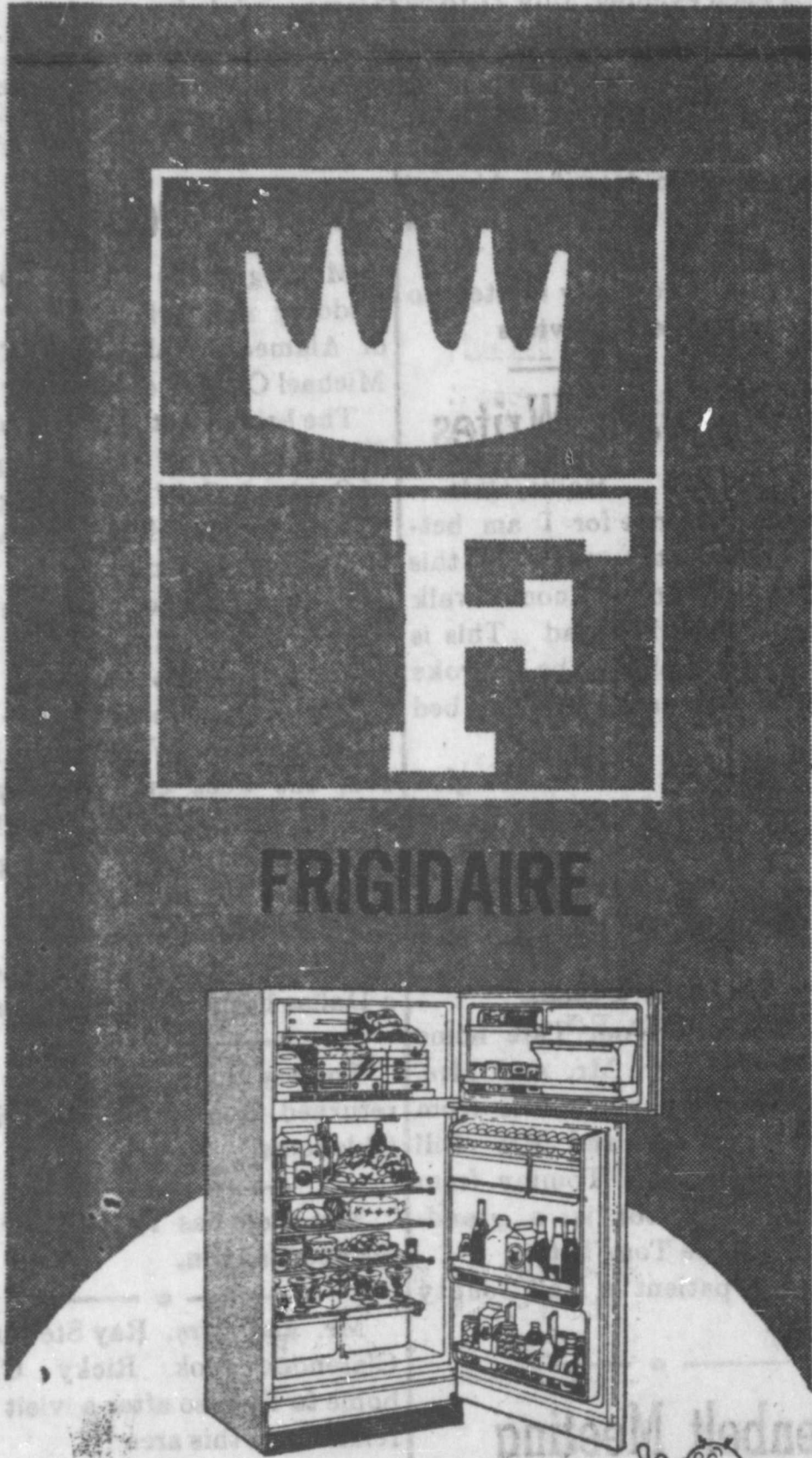
plant and secretary is Wm. J. Lowe of Clarendon. Directors Merle Kincaid of Crowell, Howard Stanley of Quanah, Wendell Harrison of Memphis and Clifford Johnson of Hedley complete the board. The next meeting of the board will be at the lake August 14th.



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July 10 and 24  
August 7 and 21  
Sept. 4 and 18  
He will also be at the American Legion Hall in Memphis from 8:30 to 11:30 on the following Wednesdays:  
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August 6, 20 and 27

Sept, 10 and 17.  
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- Mission Cut Green Beans, 303, 5 for **.89**
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- Yukon's Best Flour, 5 lb. **.59**
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- Lake Region Tomato Juice, 46 oz., 3 for **.79**
- Northern Paper Towels, 2 roll pkg. **.39**

**Teddy Bear Tissue, 10 roll pkg..89**

- Northern Napkins, 60 count pkg., 2 for **.25**
- Decker's Oleo, 5 lb. for **.89**

**Pillsbury Biscuits, 4 cans 39**

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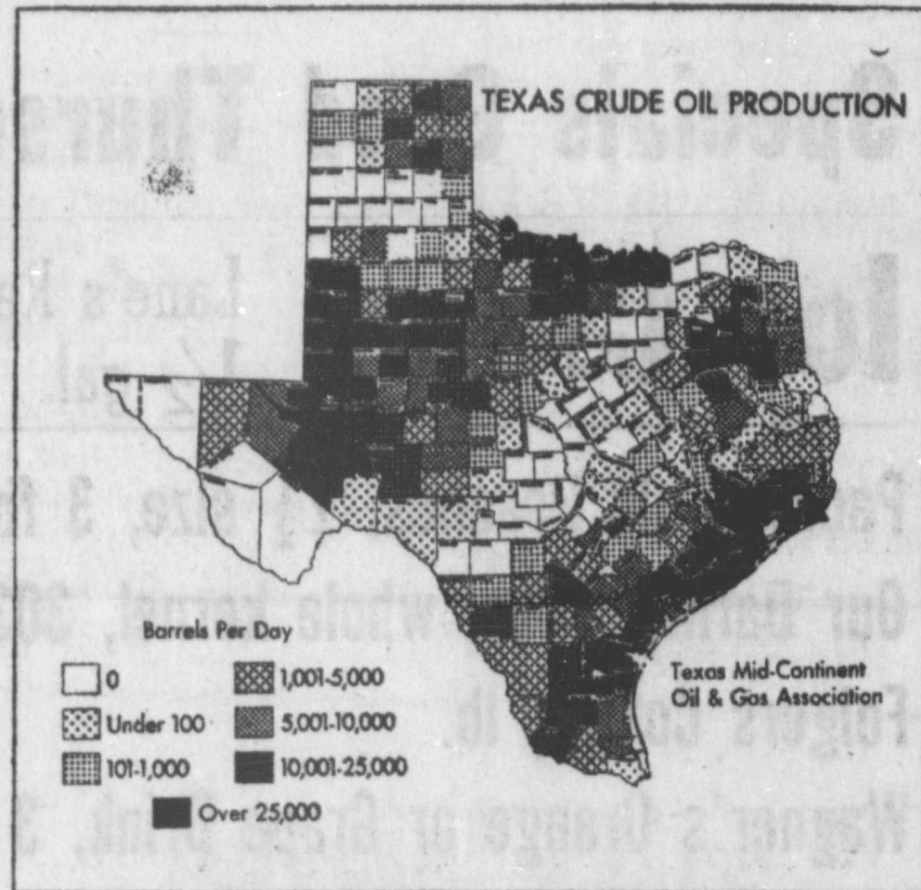
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### Rowe Cemetery

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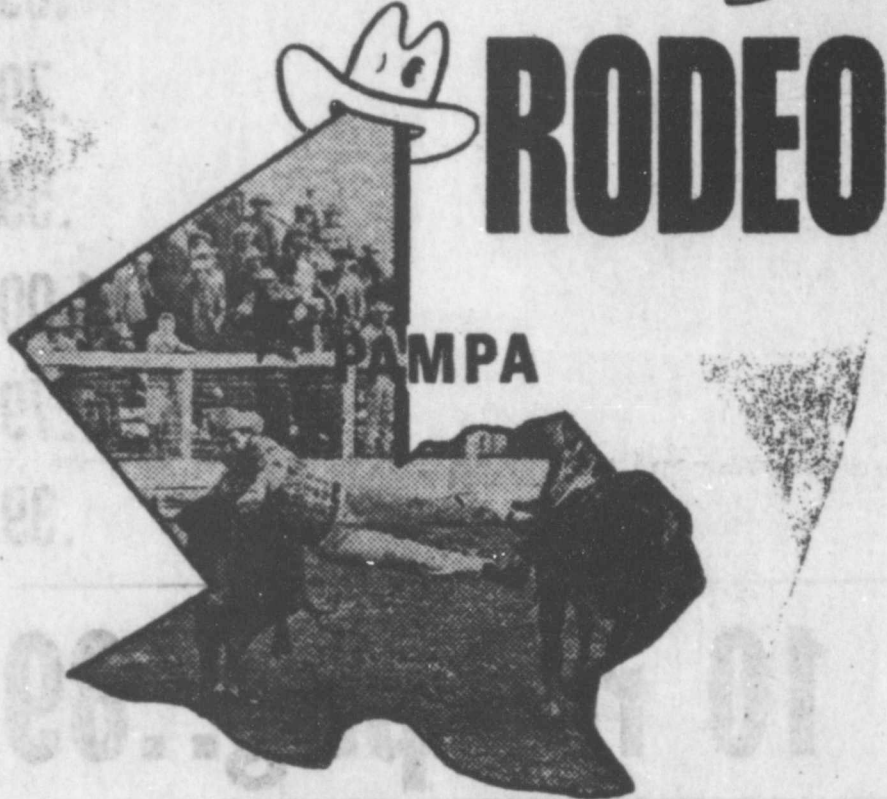
### Hedley Lodge No. 413

O.E.S., meets the first Monday night of each month. All members are requested to attend.  
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Jonnie Hill, Sec.



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of Hedley in the State of Texas and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on June 30, 1969.

State Bank No. 953

Federal Reserve District No. 11

#### ASSETS

Cash and due from banks (including \$36,905.30 unposted debits)	\$192,652.80
U. S. Treasury securities	138,569.31
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	37,240.13
Other loans	911,945.93
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	27,704.76
Real estate owned other than bank premises	1,203.00
Other assets	851.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$1,310,166.93</b>

#### LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	\$511,921.72
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	562,676.70
Deposits of U. S. Government	180.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	119,467.80
Deposits of commercial banks	9,000.00
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	10,245.28
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$1,213,491.50</b>
(a) Total demand deposits	\$595,449.77
(b) Total time and savings deposits	\$618,041.73
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$1,213,491.50</b>

#### CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Equity capital, total	96,675.43
Capital: common stock, total par value	\$50,000.00
No. shares authorized	5000
No. shares outstanding	5000
Surplus	40,000.00
Undivided profits	6,675.43
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$96,675.43</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$1,310,166.93</b>

#### MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	1,225,146.06
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	930,134.67
Unearned discount on instalment loans included in total capital accounts	12,403.21

I, Sue Weatherly, Cashier, of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Sue Weatherly

Correct—Attest:

Harold L. White }  
Earl W. Shields } Directors  
W. R. Altman }

(Seal)  
State of Texas, County of Donley, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 11th day of July, 1969, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

My commission expires June 1, 1971 M. O. Weatherly, Notary Public



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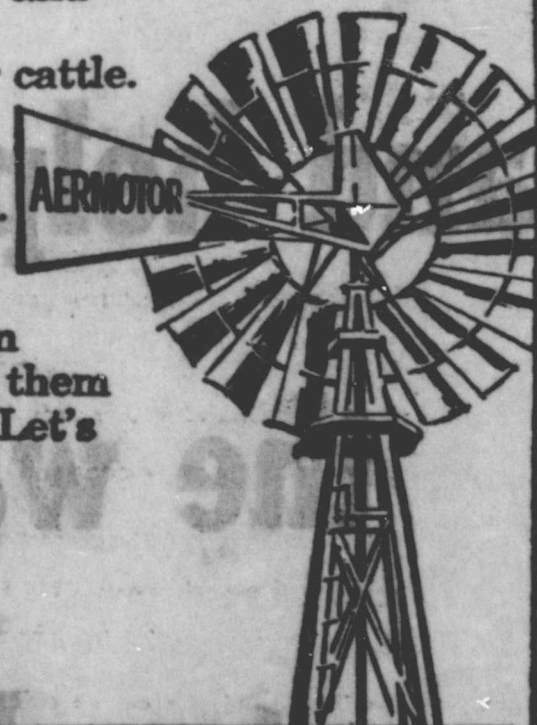
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## LIONS ROAR

Dates have been set for the annual Lions Club family picnic and it will be on the fifth Thursday, July 31st. It will be a chicken barbecue at the city park as heretofore and everyone is invited. You furnish the chickens and the Lions will do the rest. Lion Harold White has been appointed chairman of the barbecue committee and he will need plenty of help.

Among the out of town guests at last week's meeting were Bob Singleton, Mark Goslin and George Adams, members of the state Parks and Wildlife Dept. C. C. Carter, our local game warden, and the officers and directors of the Greenbelt Water Authority. Attendance was good and the food was excellent. However some were late. The next regular meeting of the club will be August 14th. Some think it should be later than 7:30 p. m.

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## Postal Service

It is extremely important that we reach the people who have been brainwashed by newspaper and magazine editorials relative to the urgency of a Postal Corporation.

The people behind the Postal Corporation idea say they can "save" a billion dollars a year merely by instituting new techniques and new procedures. This is an obviously exaggerated claim to anyone who knows anything at all about the postal service.

The Corporation people would also have to "save" another billion dollars a year in order to pay the interest on the bonds they hope to sell to the American people.

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Contributed

Mike Chesser returned to duty in the U. S. Navy Monday night after a visit here.

Mrs. Obe Holland visited in Amarillo last week.

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## Wins Bronze Star

Lt Balford R. Rochelle, son of Mrs. Alta M. Rochelle of Dallas, has won the Bronze Star for his services in Vietnam. He was serving as advisor to the Vietnamese Navy's LST 500 and the Vietnamese Fleet Command Logistics Staff. He participated in 121 days of operations and was often subjected to enemy fire.

Lt Rochelle has been in the Navy since 1962. He is a nephew of Mrs. T. J. Cherry and Mrs. Elmer Howell of Hedley.

Mrs. E. O. Keeton of Weatherford and Mrs. Blanton Standefer of Irving visited Mrs. E. O. Bolives Tuesday night.

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