

# The Devil's River News

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## CINDERS

by John T. King

Deer season doesn't open in Texas until November 9, but some eager hunter killed a deer on the road to the Tom Davis ranch last week. Taking only one shoulder, one ham, and the head, the poacher showed he had no intention of hiding his kill—he left the rest of the deer lying in the middle of the road.

Killing a deer at night and out of season recently proved to be mighty expensive to four East Texans recently. Game officers heard a shot around midnight and on investigation found a pickup truck anxiously trying to leave. After a short chase, the driver of the pickup lost control and rammed into a hickory tree. One of the occupants was caught while trying to hide in the tall grass nearby; another was caught the next morning trying to complete his escape. The other two were arrested later.

Department law enforcement officers filed charges against the four; the judge levied approximately \$500 in fines and court costs; the Department of Public Safety filed a case for reckless driving; and the tow truck wanted \$45 to remove the wrecked pickup which officers said was a total loss.

On top of all that, the hunters didn't get to keep the deer—it went to charity.



"THIS IS NO JOKE" was the word from coaches Jerry Hopkins and Dennie Hays about the length of hair permitted on Bronco football players. Here Monte Dillard, standing, and

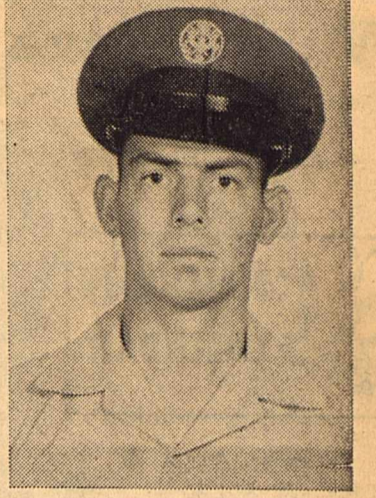
Thurston McCutchen play it safe by having most of their hair removed. Hays says he will have the clippers ready just in case some unsuspecting Bronco decided to show up for practice with long hair.

## 10 New Teachers Hired For Coming School Year

Several teachers have been added to the faculty for the Sonora Public School System. According to principals Clay Cade, Central Elementary; Bob McMinn, junior high; Gary Gardner, L. W. Elliott; and David Williams, high school; the following teachers will be new to the Sonora schools faculty:

Mrs. Ruth Flannigan, second grade; Miss Diane Tribble, kindergarten and music; and Kirk Martin, sixth grade; are newcomers to Central Elementary. Miss Linda Dykes will teach seventh grade language arts and girls basketball, and Mrs. Web (Peggy) Elliott will teach seventh and eighth grade general science. Miss Jan McClelland, fourth grade; Mrs. Barton, first grade; and Mrs. Dennie Hays, sixth grade; will join the faculty at the L. W. Elliott School.

Mrs. Ross Welch, who taught math in Central last year, has moved to high school for the coming year to teach math. Jerry Phillips, basketball coach and assistant coach for the Bronco B-Team and Kenneth Mitchell, band director; are other new faculty members for Sonora High School. Mrs. Frances Neely will return as high school secretary.



MARIO U. SANCHEZ

## Mario U. Sanchez Goes to Thailand

Airman First Class Mario U. Sanchez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roman Sanchez, is on duty at Takhli Royal Thai AFB, Thailand.

Airman Sanchez, an administrative specialist, is a member of the Pacific Air Forces.

He previously was assigned at the Technical Training School, Amarillo AFB.

He is a graduate of Sonora High School.

The airman's wife, Sylvia, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Lara of Ozona.

## Monday's Start of Football Practice Signals Beginning of New Sports Season

Sonora will take the first step toward the 1968 football season August 19 with the first workout of the season.

In preparation for training, shoes and socks were issued at the field house Wednesday to the upcoming Broncos.

Physical examinations will be given by local physicians Sunday at the field house, according to coach Jerry Hopkins.

Workouts will include all first string and B-team players. Practice for the Junior High team will not begin until school starts August 26. Coach Hopkins says each boy that wishes to play football should be in good physical and mental shape before practice begins.

## Band Practice To Begin Monday

Band practice for all members of the high school band will begin Monday, August 19 at 8:30 a.m. according to band director, Kenneth Mitchell.

## CLIFT MERRILL ON HONOR ROLL AT SCHREINER

Clift Merrill has returned home from Schreiner Institute in Kerrville where he has been attending summer classes. Merrill was on the A honor roll while attending the institute.

## Golf Tourney Draws Record Crowd

The team of Arrendado and Arrendado in the Sonora Golf Club's Arrendado team shot a 170 for 45 holes to defeat the team of Allen—place winner of the championship held August 10 and 11. The Davis of Big Lake, which took

second place, and the Howard—Perez team of San Angelo which won third.

First flight winners were Adkins-Steffens of Austin. The team of Arrendado—Harris of Kerrville and Price—Lewis of Sweetwater tied for second place after both teams shot a 183 for 45 holes. Playoff was won by the Kerrville team by playing an extra hole.

In the second flight, Baker—Jones of San Angelo won first, followed by Archer—Archer of Brady. Third place winners were Moore—Sinclair of San Angelo.

In the third flight first place was taken by Leech—Ruthledge of McCamey. Second place winners Fuller—Rogers of Jal, New Mexico and Eldorado were defeated in the play-off for first place. Modglin—Schmeckle of San Angelo were third place winners.

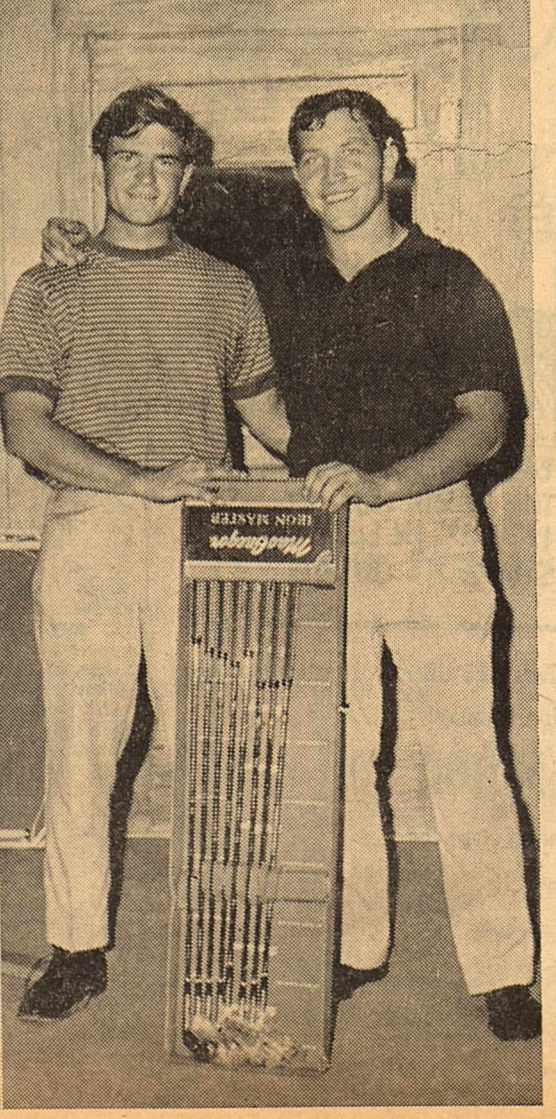
First place winners in each flight were presented with a set of Pro-Line Irons. Second place winners in each flight received a set of Pro-Line Woods and a pair of Etonic shoes were awarded for third place winners.

## SHOOTING DEMONSTRATION

Downtown Lions will view a shooting demonstration by an expert of the Department of Public Safety when the club meets August 20.



A LARGE TURNOUT for Sonora's Partnership Golf Tournament was evident both Saturday and Sunday. This was the first tournament played on the new course. Championship flight winners, Arrendado and Arrendado are shown below with first flight winners, Adkins and Steffens. Both teams are shown holding the Pro-Line Irons given to first place winners in each flight.



## Grass Fires Cause Damage This Week To Area Ranchers

Grass fires kept the Sonora Fire Department busy over the weekend. Local firemen and ranchers and two fire trucks from Junction were summoned to a grass fire on the Smith ranch adjacent to Reed Jennings. The fire, believed to have been started by prospective hunters, burned about 200 acres. A small area was burned later that day on the John Mittle ranch north of Sonora.

A false alarm turned in Monday sent firemen to the Jerry Shurley ranch. Cullen Luttrell, fire chief, says a permanent tracer will be put on the fire phone, whereby the calls can be traced. The person turning in a false alarm will be prosecuted. Luttrell also stated that small boys playing around the fire station have done considerable damage to the station and trucks and urges all citizens to keep their children away from the station.

Luttrell and fire marshal Darcy Carroll urge everyone to be extra careful when burning trash or starting fires for any reason. "Call the fire department immediately if the fire cannot be contained quickly," Luttrell said. "Every minute lost is very costly."

## Sonora's Weather

Compiled by Pat Brown

	Rain	Hi	Lo
Wednesday, July 31	.00	95	71
Thursday, August 1	.00	95	67
Friday, August 2	.00	95	67
Saturday, August 3	.00	96	65
Sunday, August 4	.00	97	69
Monday, August 5	Tr	96	69
Tuesday, August 6	.00	95	71
Wednesday, August 7	.00	96	72
Thursday, August 8	.00	100	67
Friday, August 9	.00	100	72
Saturday, August 10	.00	100	72
Sunday, August 11	.00	99	73
Monday, August 12	.00	103	65
Tuesday, August 13	.20	101	69

Rainfall for the month, .20; Rain for the year, 19.46.

## Bake Sale Saturday

A bake sale for the benefit of the American Cancer Crusade will be held at the downtown Elliott building Saturday starting at 9:30 a.m. Mrs. Alvis Johnson explained that the county is still behind on meeting a goal it has met for the past 14 years. She urged people to attend the sale.

## Dove, Deer, Turkey Said Plentiful

According to fish and wildlife technician Calvin Van Hoozer, deer are very abundant in Sutton County. Due to the good rains received in the winter and early spring

while the bucks were getting their horn growth, the bucks are exceptionally good.

Van Hoozer also said this is the best turkey crop he has seen in the county since he has been here.

Doyle Morgan, Chamber of Commerce manager, said he has had around 75 inquiries about hunting in this county. He says most of the ranchers lease by the season or by the day.

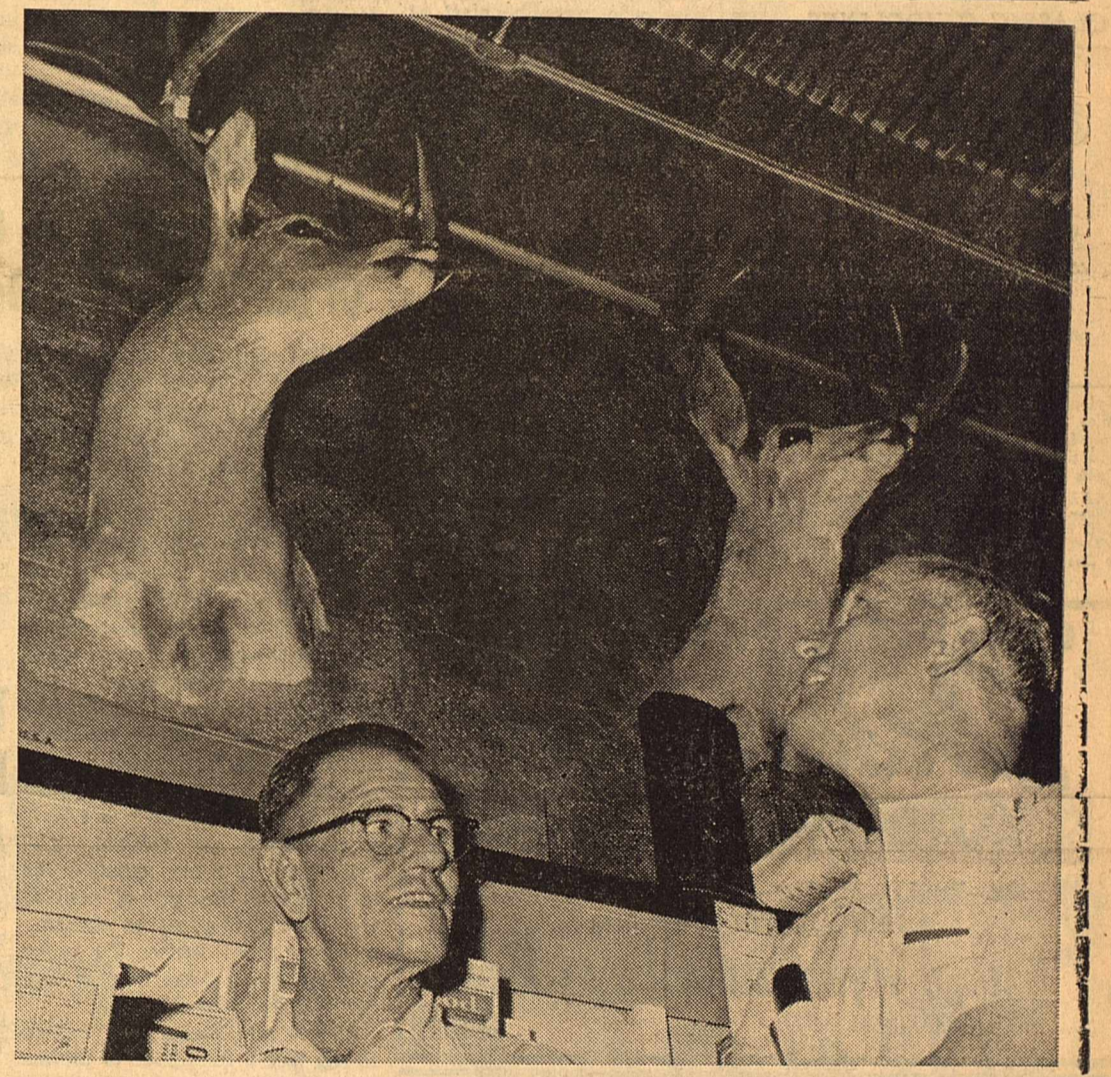
Leroy Whitworth says hunting inquiries are pouring in every day by people passing through. Hunting licenses expire in Texas August 31 and must be renewed in order to hunt any game in Texas except dove. A license must also be obtained to hunt dove in other counties except ones own. Deer season officially opens in Texas November 9 and closes January 1.

The dove population in Sutton County looks good says game warden, Nolan Johnson. "Because of good rains and plenty of feed the doves are pretty scattered, but should be plentiful." The season opens for dove hunters, September

1 and closes October 30. Johnson says hunting and fishing license are now available but will not be valid until September 1. Early issuance of the license this year is due to the special season for hunters whose names will be drawn for the hunting privileges on wildlife preserves. New license must be obtained by these hunters.

## Pre Registration Set for Monday At High School

Pre-registration of all Sonora High School students will start August 19 in preparation of the school year with classes beginning August 26. David Williams, high school principal, said students in the ninth grade would register from 9 a.m. to noon on Monday. Sophomores will register from 1 to 4 p.m. Monday afternoon, and Juniors will register Tuesday morning from 9 to 12. Senior registration will take place Tuesday afternoon from 1 to 4 p.m.



A FREE MOUNTING was given by Freeman Mears of Branding Iron Smoke House to Clint Langford for the best head brought in during the 1967 hunting season. Here Langford looks up at the 16 point trophy he killed on the Mayer & Rousselot ranch west of Sonora.



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### Where Have Virtues Gone?

The other day there was an article in The Wall Street Journal in defense of vacations. It theorized, with considerable support, a

man was a better, more assured workman for his time off, and suggested dire consequences for the man who did not take the respite or stuck by his work for longer than the prescribed hours.

could be the tonic today's unhappy America is looking for.  
Ed Naber, The Dallas Morning News

**COMMUNITY CALENDAR**

- Thursday, August 15  
8 p.m., Dee Ora Lodge Meeting at Masonic Hall
- Saturday, August 17  
2:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open
- Sunday, August 18  
Services at the church of your choice
- 2 p.m. Physical exams for Broncos at the field house
- Monday, August 19  
9 a.m. Budget Hearing, City of Sonora, City Hall
- Football practice begins.
- Tuesday, August 20  
12 noon, Downtown Lions Club meeting at First Methodist Church Fellowship Hall
- Wednesday, August 21  
2:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open

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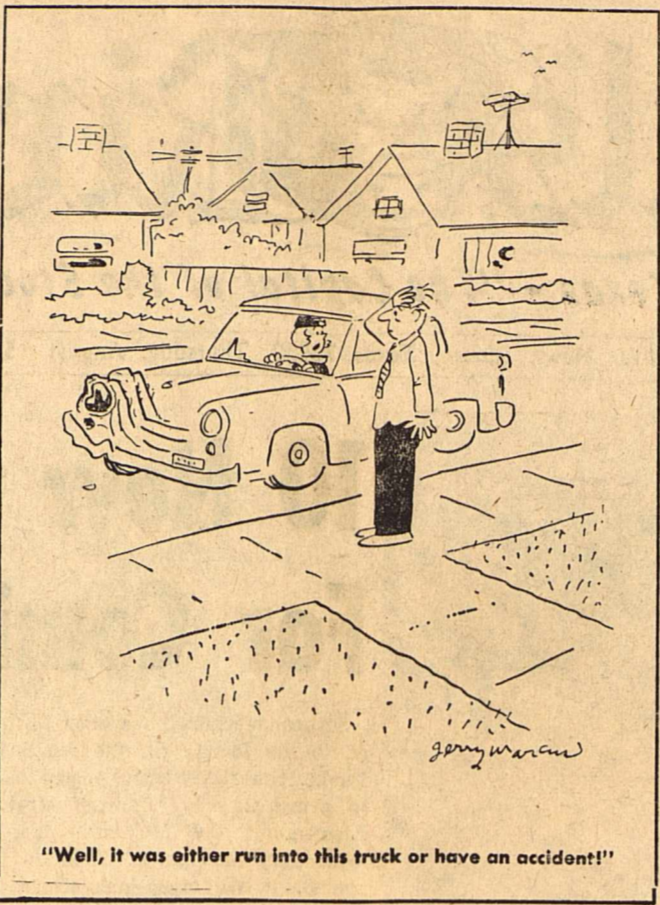
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### Attitudes & Platitudes Jerry Marcus



Driver error is responsible for a high percentage of motor vehicle accidents.

### from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

**August 14, 1958**  
 Sonora will salute the oil and gas industry this evening when the opening of the almost-completed El Paso Natural Gas Company compressor station north of town will be celebrated with a big barbeque.

**August 13, 1948**  
 The Lillian M. Hudspeth Hospital came a step nearer when directors bought from G. C. Stephenson a site adjoining the city limits on east boundary and comprising 5.23 acres. Purchase price was \$3,000.

**W. L. Davis** won first, second and third places at the Jaycee Ram and Billy Show and sale at Fredericksburg July 30.

**Johnny Hamby** bought 150 mixed kids from Curt Schwiening and sold them to Lea Allison.

A billy shown by Joe Brown Ross won the Jack Richardson special last week at the Texas Angora Goat Raisers' association show and sale at Uvalde, and sold for the top sale price of \$385.

**August 12, 1938**  
 An opinion that there is little likelihood anything will be done for some time to come regarding a shorter route from Station B to Sonora was expressed this week by Alvis Johnson, county judge.

A new six-room residence will be completed next week for Mrs. Rena Trainer in northwest Sonora. Mrs. Trainer's sons, Clifford and Jack, Bob Berry of Houston, and others are building the frame structure, which was begun about a month ago.

Immediate application will be made to the Public Works Administration for a grant and loan, or for a grant only, for the building of a gymnasium on the school campus.

**Mrs. Lee Labenske** and daughter, Miss Mildred Labenske, were in Dallas this week.

**Mrs. Pat Carroll** and son, Pat, Jr., are visiting Mrs. and Mrs. T. H. Saunders in Houston.

**65 Years Ago**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Thos. B. Savell of San Angelo were in Sonora this week visiting.

A hop will be given in Sonora Friday night August 11, to which the people of Ozona, McKavett and adjoining towns are invited.

M. Lange, the gentlemanly representative from the Standard Distilling Co. of Cincinnati was in Sonora for a few days this week and made it lively for the boys.

R. A. Williamson the good-natured stockman from the Twin Hills ranch in the Juno neighborhood was in Sonora several days this week.

### S&GR Magazine Contains Article By Armer Earwood

In the August issue of the Sheep and Goat Raisers Magazine, Armer Earwood compares values and conditions in Angora goat raising in South Africa with those of Texas.

According to Earwood, South Africans are getting more for their mohair than Texas ranchers receive. Africa's climatic conditions have a great effect on the mohair. The semi-arid country makes ideal conditions for constant growth of mohair.

Earwood suggests a survey of top makers and mills should be made to determine the character and style of hair most desirable for their needs.

In conclusion, Earwood says, "When we analyze our product more thoroughly to determine the average and extreme shrinkages of the hair, to know the amount of soil loss, to discover the scouring ability as to whiteness, to survey the mohair for grade or length, then we can learn what the value of our mohair is in comparison to South Africa's."

### Philosopher Speaks Out In Favor Of the Post Office Department

Editor's note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitterweed ranch on Dry Devil's River comes out this week in favor of the post office department, we think.

I was working on an idea for having Rural Free Delivery of my mail seven days a week instead of six out here on this bitterweed ranch and on all the other farms and ranches of the nation, when I read in the newspaper which temporarily fell out of my neighbor's mail box while he was busy working sheep and which I have returned in just as good shape as when I found it—you don't hurt a newspaper by reading it—that there is some agitation for reducing city delivery of mail to four days a week as an economy measure and I figured I'd better hold up on my 7-day country plan for a more favorable time.

At any rate, the article went on to say that a committee of private business executives had made a study of the whole post office operation and had concluded that the reason it was losing money is that it's not run on modern business principles, and the answer is to turn it over to a corporation under the supervision of the government.

"Like it's run now," the chairman of the committee said, "if the post office business was up for sale, nobody would buy it."

Now wait a minute. If the judicial system of this country was up for sale, would you want to buy it as an investment? The highway department? Congress? In fact, if the entire federal government was up for sale, who'd want to buy it? You want to buy a business that's a hundred and thirty billion dollars in debt and getting in deeper all the time?

Or getting closer to home. Would

### Ten Scholarships For 1868 Graduates Available

Ten scholarships of \$500 each are still available to 1968 high school graduates planning to major in range management at any one of five Texas schools, according to an announcement from Texas A&M University.

B. J. Ragsdale, Extension Service range specialist at A&M, is urging high school graduates interested in a range management career to fill out an application and send it to him as soon as possible.

Five colleges are participating in the program, he said. They are Texas A&M, Texas Technological College, Sul Ross State College, Abilene Christian College and Southwest Texas State College.

Applications are available from the participating schools and from county agricultural agents.

Funds for the scholarships are provided by the Moody Foundation of Galveston. The sponsor is the Texas Section of the American Society of Range Management.

A tube of toothpaste keeps your spoons shiny. Rub paste on spoon with fingertips. Slight abrasion shines 'em up.

**STATE Capital NEWS**  
 By VERN SANFORD

**Texas Press Association**  
 With the Republican convention out of the way, Paul Eggers of Wichita Falls got back to his campaign for governor of Texas.

And his Democratic opponent, Lt. Gov. Preston Smith, got started on a round of meetings with delegates to the state Democratic convention to see what they want in the party platform.

Smith's 31 meetings with delegates from each of the 31 senatorial districts is an unusual approach to the party grassroots. He is asking the delegates to tell him how he should campaign to offset the growing Republican threat.

Democrats recall that in 1960, when then Vice-president Richard M. Nixon was the Republican candidate for president, the unknown Republican candidate for governor, William M. Steger, got 609,808 votes without even making a campaign. This time Eggers has been campaigning for months. He has been picking up support from dissident Democrats like Sen. Grady Hazlewood of Amarillo and, with Nixon on the top of the ticket again, he is considered a real threat.

Eggers has been making a series of regional bus tours, campaigning in as many as 30 towns in four days, in an effort to duplicate the Smith success with personal campaigning.

During the primary campaign, Smith visited in 225 counties, some of which had never before seen a candidate for governor. This hard work showed up when he won the Democratic nomination easily.

**LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCE**  
 Texas House Speaker Ben Barnes will attend the National Legislative Conference in Miami, Florida, Aug. 20-22.

Among the topics to be discussed by the state legislative leaders from all 50 states are bloc grants to states from the federal government, annual legislative sessions and others concerning the recent problems in state government.

Barnes is president-elect of the conference.  
**AG OPINIONS**  
 Community Action Agencies handling poverty programs may not be under the direction of county commissioners courts nor may they be headed by persons designated by commissioners courts, according to an opinion by Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin.

Opinion notes that under the Texas Constitution, commissioners courts shall deal only with county business and concludes that poverty programs are not within the constitutional boundaries of commissioners court power.

Of the 55 CAAs in Texas, only five are handled through commis-

sioners courts, so the effect of this ruling is not expected to be major.

In another opinion, Attorney General Martin ruled that the governor may authorize spending of federal funds to build a residence for the superintendent of the Huntsville State Fish Hatchery.

Authorization does not constitute an increase in the appropriation but merely authorizes the expenditure of funds already allocated by the legislature. Martin said the superintendent's house burned after lightning hit it on May 19.

Governor Connally approved spending \$25,000 in available federal funds to build a new residence.

**SECURITIES APPROVED STOPPED**  
 State Securities Board received 22 applications for permits to sell \$8,939,110 in securities in Texas last week.

Securities Commissioner William M. King said the applications included two Texas companies—Accelerators, Inc., Austin, and Electronic Data Systems Corporation, Dallas.

Deputy Commissioner Truman G. Holladay has ordered discontinuance of trade in the securities of Computronics Industries Corporation and Universal Computa-Data Corporation, both of 11111 N. Central Expressway, Dallas.

**HEMISFAIR HUMPHREY**  
 Vice-president Hubert Humphrey toured HemisFair Saturday as the guest of Governor Connally and a number of other state and local officials.

Humphrey was scheduled to tour the United States Pavilion, the Institute of Texan Cultures and the international sector of the World's Fair. At the U. S. Pavilion, the program included remarks by the

vice-president, Connally and Cong. Henry Gonzalez of San Antonio. Humphrey was to meet with the heads of all international pavilions and to end his visit with a special Western Hemisphere solidarity program between the Mexican and Canadian pavilions.

**STUDENT LOANS**  
 Texas Opportunity Plan — a state program for making loans available to Texas college and university students has helped 20,121 students since the program's inception in September, 1966.

Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System reports that 42,000 loans totaling \$14,698,300 have been made, as of May 1, through 104 participating institutions.

**SHORT SNORTS**  
 State Highway Engineer J. C. Dingwall has named Raymond E. Stotzer of New Braunfels to the job of District Highway Engineer at Pharr in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, succeeding James F. Snyder who is retiring Aug. 22.

State Board of Pardons and Paroles has set Aug. 30 for a clemency hearing for James Lee Marion, who was convicted of murdering Mrs. Fred Turner of Midland on Oct. 29, 1963.

U. S. Government has transferred to the University of Texas 50 acres of land adjacent to the UT Institute of Marine Science at Port Aransas for expansion of the institute.

Arthur H. Dilly of Corpus Christi has been named assistant to the executive vice-chancellor for health affairs of the University of Texas System.

Best emergency first aid treatment for burns is to cover the damaged area with a strong tea solution.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT**  
**NUMBER TWELVE ON THE BALLOT (SJRI4)**

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 14** proposing an amendment to the State of Texas, by adding a new Section 52a to give the Legislature the power to authorize cities and counties to issue revenue bonds for industrial development purposes.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**

Section 1. That Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding a new Section 52a to read as follows:

"Section 52a. The Legislature shall have the power to authorize counties, cities, and towns to issue revenue bonds for industrial development purposes, or in aid thereof; provided, that property acquired from proceeds of the bonds shall be subject to ad valorem taxes. Legislation passed in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment shall not be invalid solely because of its anticipatory nature. The tax revenue, the utility revenue, and the revenue from services of any county, city or town may not be used to pay any bonds issued pursuant to this authority nor the interest thereon."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment to give the Legislature the power to authorize cities and counties to issue revenue bonds for industrial development purposes."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment to give the Legislature the power to authorize cities and counties to issue revenue bonds for industrial development purposes."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time as required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT**  
**NUMBER FOURTEEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR22)**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**

Section 1. That the Constitution of Texas, Article III, be and the same is hereby amended by deleting therefrom Section 18, and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 18. No Senator or Representative shall, during the term for which he was elected, be eligible to (1) any civil office of profit under this State which shall have been created, or the emoluments of which may have been increased, during such term, or (2) any office or place, the appointment to which may be made, in whole or in part, by either branch of the Legislature; provided, however, the fact that the term of office of Senators and Representatives does not end precisely on the last day of December but extends a few days into January of the succeeding year shall be considered as de minimis, and the ineligibility herein created shall terminate on the last day in December of the last full calendar year of the term for which he was elected. No member of either House shall vote for any other member for any office whatever, which may be filled by a vote of the Legislature, except in such cases as are in this Constitution provided, nor shall any member of the Legislature be interested, either directly or indirectly, in any contract with the State, or any county thereof, authorized by any law passed during the term for which he was elected."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state, at an election to be held throughout the state on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment fixing the time during which members of the Legislature shall be ineligible to hold other offices."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment fixing the time during which members of the Legislature shall be ineligible to hold other offices."

If it appears from the returns of such election that a majority of the votes cast therein are for such amendment, same shall become a part of the Constitution of Texas.

**Spell Quiz**

Which of the Following is Spelled Correctly?

nifer      niffer      niffar

(Meaning: Exchange; bargain.)

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LB. ....



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- Premium lb. Box Nabisco
- SALTINES** ..... 37¢
- NABISCO Vanilla or Fudge Cookie-Mates 15 oz. pkg.
- COOKIES** ..... 43¢
- NABISCO lb. box
- RITZ CRACKERS** ..... 45¢
- FOLGERS or MARYLAND CLUB
- COFFEE** ..... lb. can 73¢

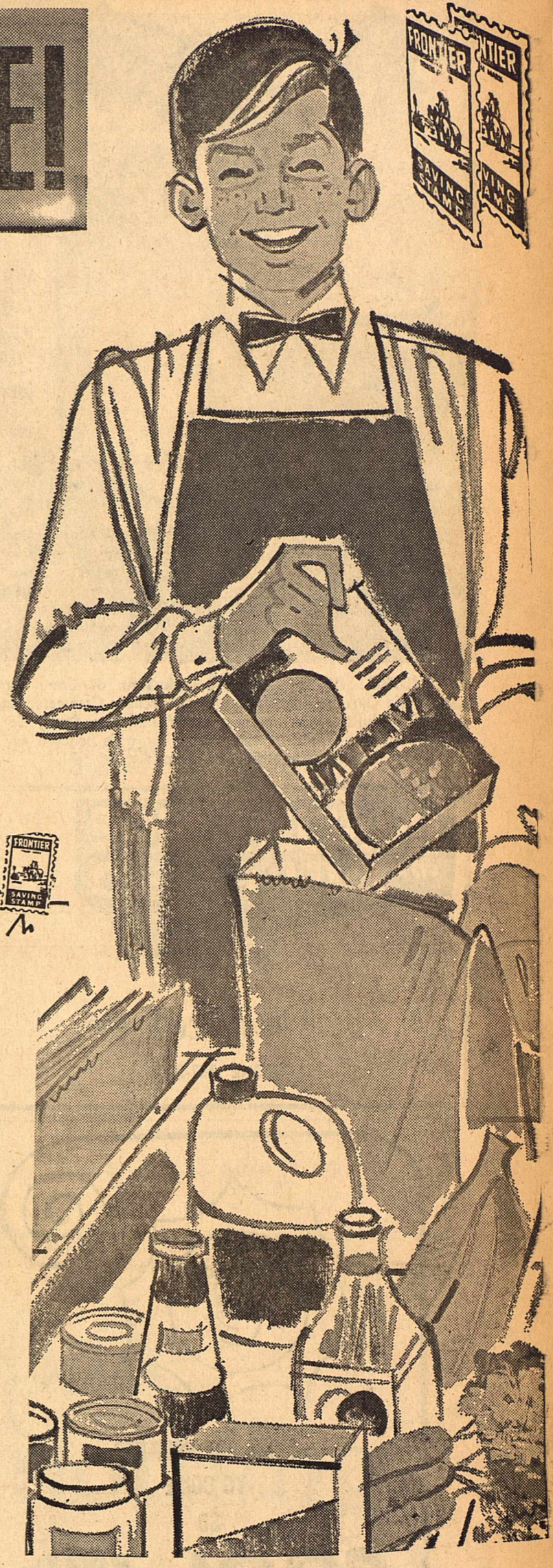
**WEEK-END SPECIALS**

- Washday Detergent King Size 25¢ off
- BOLD** ..... \$1.19
- Personal
- IVORY SOAP** ..... 4 bars 35¢
- LAVA** ..... 2 lg. bars 39¢
- Reg. Bottle
- IVORY LIQUID** ..... 39¢
- Reg. Bottle
- JOY LIQUID** ..... 39¢
- Dish Powder Reg. Box
- CASCADE** ..... 49¢
- Premium Reg. Box
- DUZ DETERGENT** ..... 39¢
- Reg. Bottle
- THRILL LIQUID** ..... 39¢
- Giant Box
- DASH DETERGENT** ..... 85¢
- KALEX half gal. bottle
- BLEACH** ..... 25¢
- KIMBELL All Purpose Gt. Box
- DETERGENT** ..... 59¢



Reg. Box  
**CHEER**  
**39¢**

- IMPERIAL Pure Cane
- SUGAR** ..... 5 lbs. 49¢
- DIAMOND 3 lb. can
- SHORTENING** ..... 49¢
- KIM
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**Sondra Crawford  
Alan Strickland  
Wed August 10**

Miss Sondra Lou Crawford and Alan Strickland were united in marriage in the brides home August 10 at 8 p.m.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Crawford and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Strickland of Ozona.

The Rev. Wayne McLemore of the Bell View Baptist Church of Jal, New Mexico, officiated in the double ring ceremony. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Serving as maid of honor was Miss Rhonda Sue Crawford, twin sister of the bride.

Best man for the ceremony was Blake Ballard of Ozona.

The bride's gown was a cage style street length dress of lace over satin. Her bridal bouquet was white carnations.

Net, accented with satin bows formed her veil.

A reception was held following the ceremony. A lace table cloth over blue was used with white gladiolas and blue mums decorating the center of the table.

Miss Beth Blackman registered guests while Miss Norma Radle and Mrs. C. W. West served the guests.

Following a short wedding trip to Del Rio, the couple will be at home in Ozona where the bridegroom is employed by Adams Construction Company.

**Out of Town Visitors Attend Crawford-Strickland Wedding**

Out of town guests attending the wedding of Miss Sondra Lou Crawford and Alan Strickland were Mrs. Edmond Olenick and Carolyn of Fall City, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Joshlin, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Strickland, and Charlene and Gary Strickland of Ozona, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. West and children of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Farris of Richland Springs.



"MY GOD IS REAL" was the theme for the Vacation Bible School sponsored by the church of Christ. Mrs. Albert Martin shown here

has the children interested in one of the many projects undertaken during the week-long school.

**4-H Council To Meet In Fort Stockton**

Mark Jacoby, chairman of the district six 4-H council, will conduct a district 4-H council meeting in Fort Stockton August 15 and 16. 4-H representatives from 22 counties in district six will participate in the meeting.

Council representatives from Sutton County will be Steve Thorp and Kari Eustace, who will give

this meeting.

Mrs. Maxine Mayse, Ector County home demonstration agent, and D. C. Langford, Sutton County agent are adult counselors to the council.

ATTENDING THE SECOND five-week term at Camp Arrowhead, Julie Carroll is shown here with Archery Counselor Laurie McCallum. Julie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darcy Carroll. Camp Arrowhead is a private camp for girls located on the banks of the Guadalupe River near Hunt.

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Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hill are parents of a daughter, Mary Beth, born August 10, 1968 in Pecos. She weighed 6 pounds and 7 ounces. The Hills also have a son, John Clay, 3.

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**Fall Fire Convention Discussed in Eden**

The Hill Country Fireman's Association held its pre-convention meeting in Eden August 11. Plans for the fall convention to be held in Brownwood October 12 were discussed, and committees were appointed. Refreshments were served by the Eden Ladies Auxiliary. Those attending from Sonora were Mr. and Mrs. Darcy Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Gene West, and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Byer.

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## Mrs. C. F. Browne Views Nominations With Satisfaction

Mrs. Charles F. Browne, who attended the Republican Conventions in 1956, 1960 and 1964, says Republicans in this district are pleased with Richard Nixon's win. California Governor Ronald Reagan had 16 votes on the first ballot from this district but later all votes were changed unanimously for Nixon. Most delegates felt that he was not quite seasoned and entered the race too late.

Governor Spiro Agnew of Maryland, who gave the nominating speech for Nixon, has been named as his running mate. John Tower, Republican Senator from Texas, was a beginning possibility for Nixon's running mate, but, said Mrs. Browne, "We would have lost a good senator."

Mrs. Browne says this convention shows the conservative element won out and prime interest in the conservative party was shown.



Phone News to Hazel McClelland, 387-2513

John Martin Beckham and Chuck Browne have returned from Rockport where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Gay Copeland. They went to Port Isabella where they entered the junior fishing rodeo. John Martin won a silver platter for first place in the contest.

Bill Glascock is home from college. He will stay until he enters Texas Tech this fall.

Miss Betty Jack Cooper has returned from a summer vacation and summer school in Hawaii. She and her mother, Mrs. Pat Cooper, went to Fort Stockton to attend the wedding of Martha Lyn Nicks. Betty Jack was a bridesmaid at the wedding. They went on to the Davis Mountains where they will attend the Boys camping meeting.

Tuesday Night Bridge Club

Mrs. E. D. Shurley entertained the Tuesday night bridge club at her ranch home Aug. 6. Ice cream and cake were served. Members present were Mmes. L. E. Johnson Jr., Louie Trainer, Leo Merrill, W. O. Crites, Bob Vicars, R. A. Halbert, Vestel Askew and Belle Steen. Mrs. Merrill won high, Mrs. Trainer won slam, and Mrs. Johnson won bingo.

Clayton White is in Houston to undergo plastic surgery Thursday. He is in the Pavilion Hospital, 1700 East Holcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bond of Uvalde and the Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Bond and children visited with Mrs. Carra Simmons, Alice Karnes, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond over the weekend.

Rev. Bond is a Navy Chaplain and is on leave from his base.

The San Antonio World's Fair will close October 6, ending its six-month run.

Miss L. C. Matthis of Bellflower, California, is here visiting her sister and brother in law, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Peacock of Austin visited with Mrs. Frankie Gibson last week. Also visiting Mrs. Gibson were Mrs. William Gibson and Robert of Dallas, and Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Moore and David of Duncan, Oklahoma.

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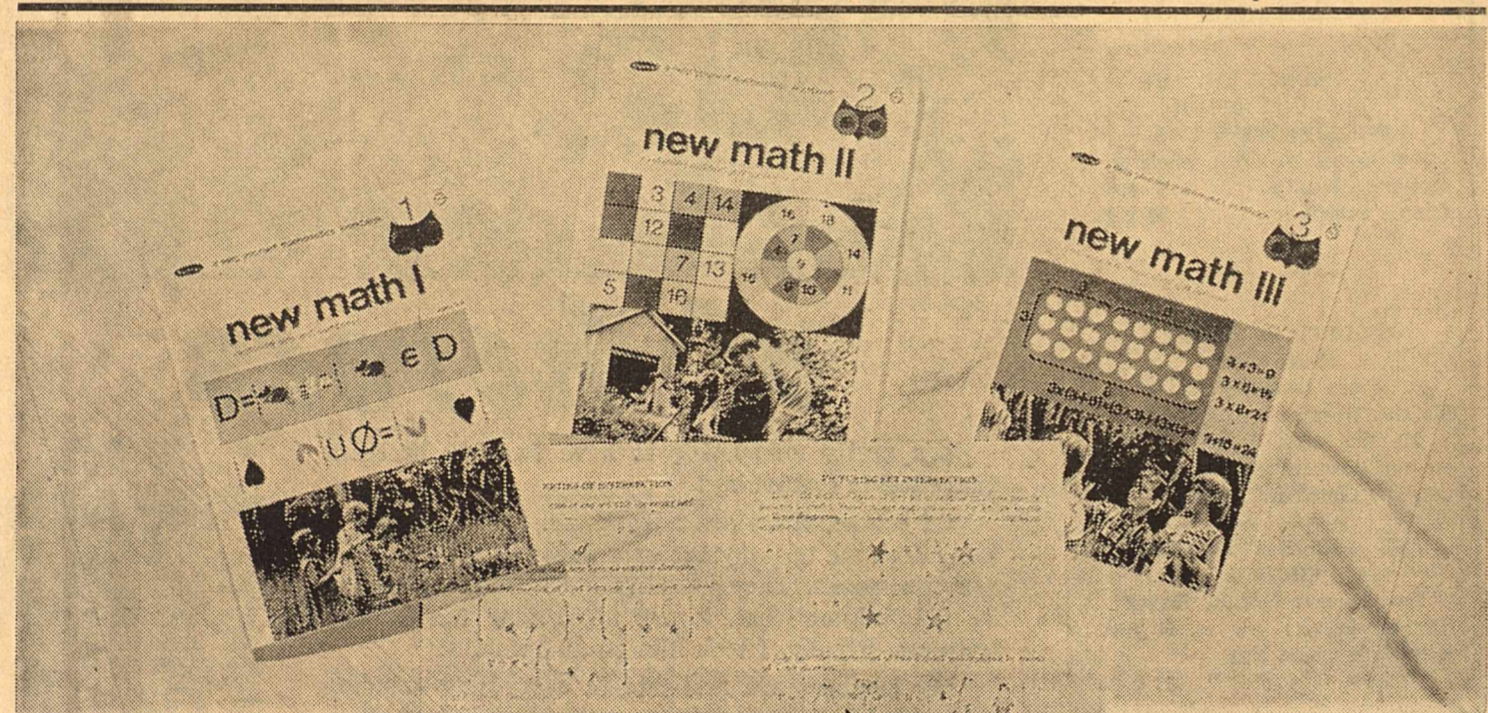
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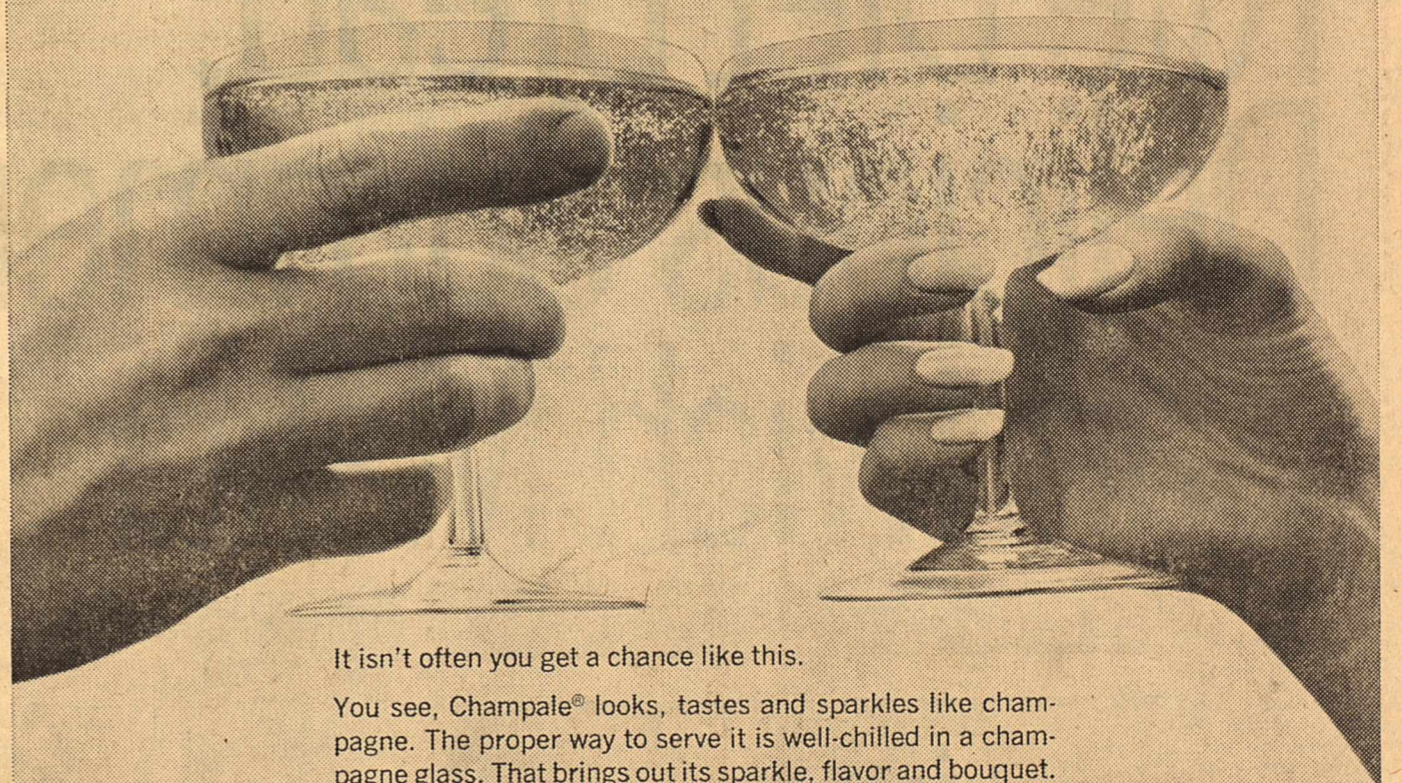
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### Hospital News

Patients receiving treatment at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital during the period from Tuesday, August 6 to Monday, August 12.

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Gail Ann Smith\*  
Elvira Montez\*  
Margaret Samaniego\*  
James Nairn\*  
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Nora Olenick\*  
Erlinda Jimenez  
Mary Wyatt\*  
Jane Hamilton  
Terry Delrie\*  
Eura Ottaberry  
Zacarios Molina  
Louis Martinez  
Barbara Bryant

\*Patients dismissed during the same period.

### Snips, Quips, And Lifts

by Lottie Lee Baker

—What this country needs is less stress on dollars and more sense.

—Don't always give your wife credit. She'd appreciate a little cash too.

—It takes a lot of remembering to recall when charity was a virtue instead of an industry.

—The good old days: When we counted our blessings instead of calories.

—It's a good thing to get in and dig, but be careful which way you throw the dirt.

—Today is the tomorrow we worried about yesterday. Yes—and aren't we psychic.

—If you happen to bite off more than you can chew, keep your hand over your mouth.

—You learn when your ears are working and your mouth is closed.

—The secret of happiness sometimes depends on what you don't do.

—Needle nosed pliers are great for removing a hook from deep inside a fish.

—No matter how carefully we fashion the fabric of peace, there

always seem to be scraps left over.

—Success is getting what you want. Happiness is wanting what you get.

—What most countries ask of the United States is to be left a loan.

—Men who beef too much often find themselves in a real stew.

—What business needs, particularly now, is more orders from customers and fewer from the government.

—People who talk long after they stop thinking should think long after they stop talking.

—The younger generation is more in need of models than critics.

—Architects cover their mistakes with ivy, doctors with sod, and brides with mayonnaise.

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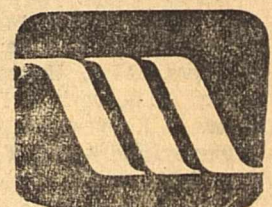
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Connie Gutierrez
- Friday, August 16**  
Mrs. Jake Merck  
Louis Davis  
Bill Ratliff  
Randy Wuest  
Olivia G. Hernandez  
Beliz Lamora
- Saturday, August 17**  
Andrew Moore  
Jim Elliott  
Bret Joy  
Mrs. Clarence Key  
Cecila Gallegos
- Sunday, August 18**  
Mrs. Ervin Willman  
Dick Black  
Cornelia G. Hernandez  
Joe Micheal Noriega
- Monday, August 19**  
Mrs. Jack Allen  
Richard McCoy  
Larry Shroyer  
Mrs. A. C. Hudson  
Mrs. George Wallace
- Tuesday, August 20**  
John A. Martin Jr.  
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Mrs. Frank Turney  
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- Wednesday, August 21**  
Harold Schwiening, Jr.  
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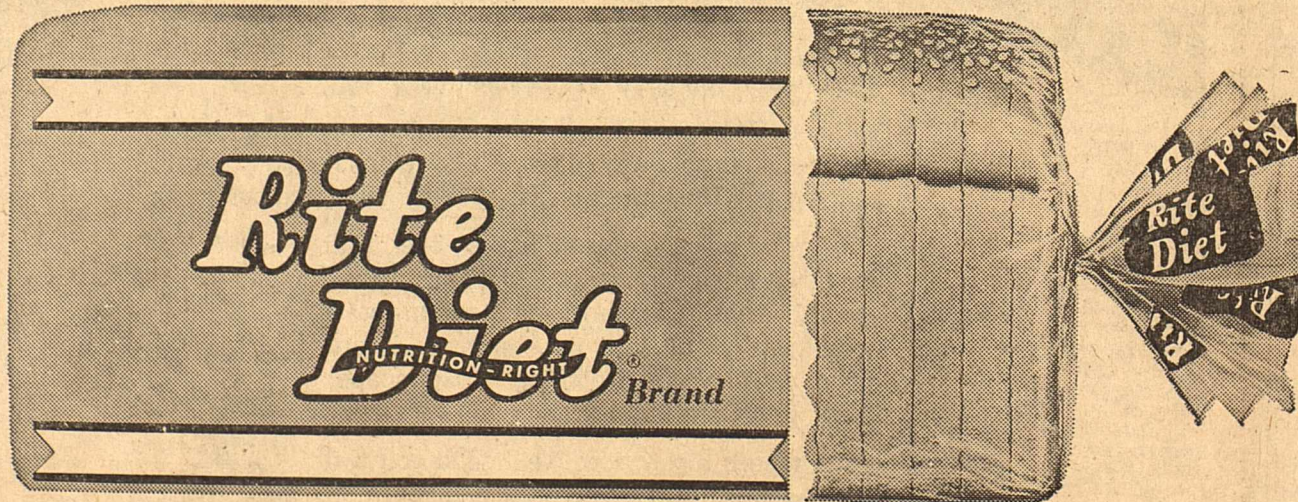
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**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (SJR41)**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 51-a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended, and the same is hereby amended, so as to read as follows:

"Section 51-a. The Legislature shall have the power, by General Laws, to provide, subject to limitations herein contained, and such other limitations as may be imposed by the Legislature as may be deemed expedient, for assistance to and/or medical care for, and for rehabilitation and any other services included in the Federal legislation providing matching funds to help such families and individuals attain or retain capability for independence or self-care, and for the payment of assistance to and/or medical care for, and for rehabilitation and any other services for:

(1) Needy aged persons who are citizens of the United States or noncitizens who shall have resided within the boundaries of the United States for at least twenty-five (25) years and are over the age of sixty-five (65) years;

(2) Needy individuals who are citizens of the United States who shall have passed their eighteenth (18th) birthday but have not passed their sixty-fifth (65th) birthday and who are totally and permanently disabled by reason of a mental or physical handicap or a combination of physical and mental handicaps;

(3) Needy blind persons who are citizens of the United States and who are over the age of eighteen (18) years;

(4) Needy children who are citizens of the United States and who are under the age of twenty-one (21) years, and to the caretakers of such children.

"The Legislature may define

persons; and provided further, that the total amount of money to be expended per fiscal year out of state funds for assistance payments only to recipients of Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled, Aid to the Blind, and Aid to Families with Dependent Children shall never exceed Seventy-five Million Dollars (\$75,000,000).

"Nothing in this Section shall be construed to amend, modify or repeal Section 51 of Article XVI of this Constitution; provided further, however, that such medical care, services or assistance shall also include the employment of objective or subjective means, without the use of drugs, for the purpose of ascertaining and measuring the powers of vision of the human eye, and fitting lenses or prisms to correct or remedy any defect or abnormal condition of vision. Nothing shall be construed to permit optometrists to treat the eyes for any defect whatsoever in any manner nor to administer or to prescribe any drug or physical treatment whatsoever, unless such optometrist is a regularly licensed physician or surgeon under the laws of this state.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment raising the limit on the amount that may be expended in any one year out of state funds for Public Assistance payments only to Seventy-five Million Dollars (\$75,000,000)."

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT ON THE BALLOT (HJR49)**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. Section 21 of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas is amended to read as follows:

"Section 21. All stationery and printing, except proclamations and such printing as may be done at the Texas School for the Deaf, and paper, except that for the Judicial Department, shall be furnished under contract, to be given to the lowest and best bidder under such regulations as shall be prescribed by law. No member or officer of any department of the government shall be in any way interested in such contract."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on

the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment removing certain provisions relating to purchase of fuel and furnishing the rooms and halls of the Legislature and the requirement that the Governor, the Secretary of State, and the Comptroller must approve certain contracts of purchase."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment removing certain provisions relating to purchase of fuel and furnishing the rooms and halls of the Legislature and the requirement that the Governor, the Secretary of State, and the Comptroller must approve certain contracts of purchase."

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR50)**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding Section 1-j to read as follows:

"Section 1-j. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 1 of this article, the Legislature may provide for the refund of the tax paid on the first sale of cigars and tobacco products in this state which are subsequently sold at retail within the corporate limits of Texarkana, Texas, or any incorporated city or town in Texas as contiguous to Texarkana."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on

the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for the refund of the tax on cigars and tobacco products sold at retail within the corporate limits of Texarkana, Texas, or any incorporated city or town in Texas contiguous to Texarkana."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for the refund of the tax on cigars and tobacco products sold at retail within the corporate limits of Texarkana, Texas, or any incorporated city or town in Texas contiguous to Texarkana."

**Voters are urged to study the amendments printed below and those appearing on page 2 so that they may be thoroughly informed when they vote on the propositions in the November General Election.**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (SJR37)**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding a new Section 52e to read as follows:

"Section 52e. Bonds to be issued by Dallas County under Section 52 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, for the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, may, without the necessity of further or amendatory legislation, be issued upon a vote of a majority of the resident property taxpayers voting thereon who are qualified electors of said county, and bonds heretofore or hereafter issued under Subsections (a) and (b) of said Section 52 shall not be included in determining the debt limit prescribed in said Section."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1968, at which election all ballots shall

have printed on them the following:

"FOR the amendment of Article III of the Constitution to provide that Dallas County may issue road bonds under Section 52 of Article III upon a vote of a majority of the resident property taxpayers voting thereon who are qualified electors of said county, and to provide that bonds heretofore or hereafter issued under Subsections (a) and (b) of said Section 52 shall not be included in determining the debt limit prescribed in said Section."

"AGAINST the amendment of Article III of the Constitution to provide that Dallas County may issue road bonds under Section 52 of Article III upon a vote of a majority of the resident property taxpayers voting thereon who are qualified electors of said county, and to provide that bonds heretofore or hereafter issued under Subsections (a) and (b) of said Section 52 shall not be included in determining the debt limit prescribed in said Section."

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT (SJR24)**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. Article 8, Constitution of the State of Texas, is amended by adding a Section 2-a to read as follows:

"Section 2-a. The Legislature may, by General Law, exempt from ad valorem taxation by the state and its political subdivisions all or a portion of any equipment, device or improvement installed or constructed on real property, which is designed to eliminate or abate the harmful effect of air emissions or water effluents on the air and water quality in this state, to the extent that the capital investment in such equipment complies with the air and water quality standards established by the State of Texas."

"(b) Legislation which may be enacted in anticipation of the adoption of this Section is void because of its anticipatory nature."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Monday in November

1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment giving permissive authority to the Texas Legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation by the State of Texas and its political subdivisions equipment installed on real property to eliminate or abate the harmful effect of air emissions and water effluents, provided that the capital investment in such equipment complies with the air and water quality standards established by the State of Texas."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment giving permissive authority to the Texas Legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation by the State of Texas and its political subdivisions equipment installed on real property to eliminate or abate the harmful effect of air emissions and water effluents, provided that the capital investment in such equipment complies with the air and water quality standards established by the State of Texas."

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (SJR32)**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding a new Section 1-e to read as follows:

"Section 1-e. "1. From and after December 31, 1978, no State ad valorem taxes shall be levied upon any property within this State for State purposes except the tax levied by Article VII, Section 17, for certain institutions of higher learning."

"2. The State ad valorem tax authorized by Article VII, Section 17, of this Constitution shall be imposed at the following rates on each One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation for the years 1968 through 1974: On January 1, 1968, Thirty-five Cents (35¢); on January 1, 1969, Thirty Cents (30¢); on January 1, 1970, Twenty-five Cents (25¢); on January 1, 1971, Twenty Cents (20¢); on January 1, 1972, Fifteen Cents (15¢); on January 1, 1973, Ten Cents (10¢); on January 1, 1974, Five Cents (5¢); and thereafter no such tax for school purposes shall be levied and collected. An amount sufficient to provide free text books for the use of children attending public free schools in this State shall be set aside from any revenue deposited in the Available School Fund, provided, however, that should such funds be insufficient, the deficit may be met by appropriation from the general funds of the State."

"3. The State ad valorem tax of Two Cents (2¢) on the One Hundred Dollars valuation levied by Article VII, Section 17, of this Constitution shall not be levied after December 31, 1976. At any time prior to December 31, 1976, the Legislature may establish a trust fund solely for the benefit of the widows of Confederate veterans and such Texas Rangers and their widows as are eligible for retirement or disability pensions under the provisions of Article XVI, Section 66, of this Constitution, and after such fund is established the ad valorem tax levied by Article VII, Section 17, shall not thereafter be levied."

"4. Unless otherwise provided by the Legislature, after December 31, 1976 all delinquent State ad valorem taxes together with penalties and interest thereon, less lawful costs of collection, shall be used to secure bonds issued for permanent improvements at institutions of higher learning, as authorized by Article VII, Section 17, of this Constitution."

"5. The fees paid by the State for both assessing and collecting State ad valorem taxes shall not exceed two per cent (2%) of the State taxes collected. This subsection shall be self-executing."

Sec. 2. That Article III, Section 51, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"FOR the amendment of Article VIII of the Constitution to provide that no State ad valorem taxes shall be levied upon any property within this State for State purposes except the tax levied by Article VII, Section 17, for certain institutions of higher learning."

"AGAINST the amendment of Article VIII of the Constitution to provide that no State ad valorem taxes shall be levied upon any property within this State for State purposes except the tax levied by Article VII, Section 17, for certain institutions of higher learning."

"FOR the amendment of Article VII of the Constitution to provide that delinquent State ad valorem taxes, together with penalties and interest thereon, less lawful costs of collection, shall be used to secure bonds issued for permanent improvements at institutions of higher learning, as authorized by Article VII, Section 17, of this Constitution."

"AGAINST the amendment of Article VII of the Constitution to provide that delinquent State ad valorem taxes, together with penalties and interest thereon, less lawful costs of collection, shall be used to secure bonds issued for permanent improvements at institutions of higher learning, as authorized by Article VII, Section 17, of this Constitution."

"FOR the amendment of Article III of the Constitution to provide that the State shall not exceed two per cent (2%) of the State taxes collected. This subsection shall be self-executing."

"AGAINST the amendment of Article III of the Constitution to provide that the State shall not exceed two per cent (2%) of the State taxes collected. This subsection shall be self-executing."

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (HJR61)**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 48a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 48a. In addition to the powers given the Legislature under Section 48, Article III, it shall have the power to levy taxes to establish a fund to provide retirement, disability and death benefits for persons employed in the public schools, colleges and universities supported wholly or partly by the state; provided that the amount contributed by the state to such fund each year shall be equal to the aggregate amount required by law to be paid into the fund by such employees, and shall not exceed at any time six per cent (6%) of the compensation paid each such person by the state and/or school districts; and provided that no person shall be eligible for retirement who has not rendered ten (10) years of creditable service in such employment, and in no case shall any person retire before either attaining the age fifty-five (55) or completing thirty (30) years of creditable service, but shall be entitled to refund of moneys paid into the fund."

"Moneys coming into such fund shall be managed and invested as provided in Section 48b of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas; provided a sufficient sum shall be kept on hand to meet payments as they become due each year under such retirement plan, as may now or hereafter be provided by law. Unless investments authorized herein are hereafter further restricted by an Act of the Legislature, no more than one per cent (1%) of the book value of the total assets of the Employees Retirement System shall be invested in the stock of any one (1) corporation, nor shall more than five per cent (5%) of the voting stock of any one (1) corporation be owned; and provided further, that stocks eligible for purchase shall be restricted to stocks of companies incorporated within the United States which have paid cash dividends for ten (10) consecutive years or longer immediately prior to the date of purchase and which, except for bank stocks and insurance stocks, are listed upon an exchange registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission or its

successors; and provided further, that not less than twenty-five per cent (25%) at any one time of the book value of investments of said Fund shall be invested in the United States and Municipal Securities as enumerated above. This Amendment shall be self-enacting and shall become effective immediately upon its adoption without any enabling legislation."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment amending Subsection (a) of Section 48a, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas relating to the Employees Retirement System of Texas, revising provisions for investments of moneys and other assets of the Fund, and changing other existing provisions with respect to the administration of the Employees Retirement System."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment amending Subsection (a) of Section 48a, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas relating to the Employees Retirement System of Texas, revising provisions for investments of moneys and other assets of the Fund, and changing other existing provisions with respect to the administration of the Employees Retirement System."

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR16)**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding a Section 1-f, to read as follows:

"Section 1-f. All merchandise, products, goods or wares in the temporary possession of a public warehouseman, who has no financial connection other than as bailee for hire with the owner, shipper, or consignee of the merchandise, products, goods, or wares, are exempt from ad valorem taxation if they are shipped to or from the warehouse by regulated or bona fide private carrier, are held by the warehouseman not longer than six months, and have a predetermined date of expiration at point of origin. The books and records relating to out-of-state shipments covered hereby of such public warehouseman shall be available for reasonable inspection by

the proper taxing authorities. This amendment shall not act as a validation of any present statute or law, but only those passed specifically pursuant hereto; provided, however, that enabling legislation passed in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment shall be invalid solely because of its anticipatory nature."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment to exempt certain merchandise, products, goods or wares from ad valorem taxation stored in a public warehouse from ad valorem taxation."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment to exempt certain merchandise, products, goods or wares from ad valorem taxation stored in a public warehouse from ad valorem taxation."

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (HJR20)**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 11a, Article VII, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 11a. In addition to the bonds enumerated in Section 11 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, the Board of Regents of The University of Texas may invest the Permanent University Fund in securities, bonds or other obligations issued, insured or guaranteed in any manner by the United States Government, or any of its agencies, and in such bonds, debentures, or obligations, and preferred and common stocks issued by corporations, associations, or other institutions as approved by the Board of Regents of The University of Texas System may deem to be proper investments for said funds; provided, however, that not more than one per cent (1%) of said investments shall be restricted to stocks of companies incorporated within the United States which have paid dividends for five (5) consecutive years or longer immediately prior to the date of purchase and which, except for bank stocks and insurance stocks, are listed upon an exchange registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission or its successors."

"In making each and all of such investments said Board of Regents shall exercise the judgment and care under the circumstances then prevailing which men of ordinary prudence, discretion, and intelligence exercise in the management of their own affairs, not in regard to speculation but in regard to the permanent disposition of their funds, considering the probable income therefrom as well as the probable safety of their capital."

"The interest, dividends and other income accruing from the investments of the Permanent University Fund, except the portion thereof which is appropriated by the operation of Section 18 of Article VII for the payment of principal and interest on bonds or notes issued thereunder, shall be subject to appropriation by the Legislature to accomplish the purposes declared in Section 10 of Article VII of this Constitution."

"This amendment shall be self-enacting, and shall become effective upon its adoption, provided, however, that the Legislature shall provide by law for full disclosure of all details concerning the investments in corporate stocks and bonds and other investments authorized herein."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment providing for investment of the Permanent University Fund by the Board of Regents of The University of Texas in certain types of securities within the prudent man rule."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment providing for investment of the Permanent University Fund by the Board of Regents of The University of Texas in certain types of securities within the prudent man rule."

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR60)**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to add Section 64 to read as follows:

"Section 64. (a) The Legislature may by statute provide for consolidation of governmental offices and functions of government of any one or more political subdivisions comprising or located within El Paso or Tarrant Counties. Any such statute shall require an election to be held within the political subdivisions affected thereby with approval by a majority of the voters in each of these subdivisions, under such terms and conditions as the Legislature may require. The county government, or any political subdivision(s) comprising or located therein, may contract one with another for the performance of governmental functions required or authorized by this Constitution or the Laws of this State, under such terms and conditions as the Legislature may prescribe. No person acting under a contract made pursuant to this Subsection (b) shall be deemed to hold more than one office of honor, trust or profit or more than one civil office of emolument."

"The term 'governmental functions' as it relates to counties, includes all duties, activities and operations of statewide importance in which the county acts for the State, as well as of local importance, whether required or authorized by this Constitution or the Laws of this State."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for consolidating governmental offices and functions and allowing political subdivisions to contract for performance of governmental functions in El Paso and Tarrant counties."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for consolidating governmental offices and functions and allowing political subdivisions to contract for performance of governmental functions in El Paso and Tarrant counties."

"FOR the constitutional amendment providing for the consolidation of governmental offices and functions of government of any one or more political subdivisions comprising or located within El Paso or Tarrant Counties. Any such statute shall require an election to be held within the political subdivisions affected thereby with approval by a majority of the voters in each of these subdivisions, under such terms and conditions as the Legislature may require. The county government, or any political subdivision(s) comprising or located therein, may contract one with another for the performance of governmental functions required or authorized by this Constitution or the Laws of this State, under such terms and conditions as the Legislature may prescribe. No person acting under a contract made pursuant to this Subsection (b) shall be deemed to hold more than one office of honor, trust or profit or more than one civil office of emolument."

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (SJR39)**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to add Section 62 to read as follows:

"Section 62. (a) The Legislature shall have the authority to levy taxes to provide a State Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the officers and employees of the state, and may make such reasonable inclusions, exclusions, or classifications of officers and employees of this state as it deems advisable. The Legislature may also include officers and employees of judicial districts of the state who are or have been compensated in whole or in part directly or indirectly by the state, and may make such other reasonable inclusions, exclusions, or classifications of officers and employees of this state as it deems advisable. Persons participating in a retirement system created pursuant to Section 1-a of Article V of this Constitution shall not be eligible to participate in the Fund authorized in this subsection; and persons participating in a retirement system created pursuant to Section 48-a of Article III of this Constitution shall not be eligible to participate in the Fund authorized in this subsection, except as otherwise provided herein. The amount contributed by the state to such Fund shall be the same purpose from the income of each such person, and shall not exceed at any time six per cent (6%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the state; provided that such Amendment shall be self-enacting; providing for the necessary election, form of ballot, proclamation and publication; and declaring legislative intent that the adoption of this Joint Resolution shall constitute repeal of Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, previously adopted by the 60th Legislature, so that the proposition as set forth in this Resolution may be submitted to the voters of this state in lieu of the proposition contained in Senate Joint Resolution No. 3."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment providing the members of the Legislature shall receive as salary an amount not exceeding Eight Thousand, Four Hundred Dollars (\$8,400) per year."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment providing the members of the Legislature shall receive as salary an amount not exceeding Eight Thousand, Four Hundred Dollars (\$8,400) per year."

"FOR the constitutional amendment providing the members of the Legislature shall receive as salary an amount not exceeding Eight Thousand, Four Hundred Dollars (\$8,400) per year."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment providing the members of the Legislature shall receive as salary an amount not exceeding Eight Thousand, Four Hundred Dollars (\$8,400) per year."

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (HJR61)**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 48a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 48a. In addition to the powers given the Legislature under Section 48, Article III, it shall have the power to levy taxes to establish a fund to provide retirement, disability and death benefits for persons employed in the public schools, colleges and universities supported wholly or partly by the state; provided that the amount contributed by the state to such fund each year shall be equal to the aggregate amount required by law to be paid into the fund by such employees, and shall not exceed at any time six per cent (6%) of the compensation paid each such person by the state and/or school districts; and provided that no person shall be eligible for retirement who has not rendered ten (10) years of creditable service in such employment, and in no case shall any person retire before either attaining the age fifty-five (55) or completing thirty (30) years of creditable service, but shall be entitled to refund of moneys paid into the fund."

"Moneys coming into such fund shall be managed and invested as provided in Section 48b of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas; provided a sufficient sum shall be kept on hand to meet payments as they become due each year under such retirement plan, as may now or hereafter be provided by law. Unless investments authorized herein are hereafter further restricted by an Act of the Legislature, no more than one per cent (1%) of the book value of the total assets of the Employees Retirement System shall be invested in the stock of any one (1) corporation, nor shall more than five per cent (5%) of the voting stock of any one (1) corporation be owned; and provided further, that stocks eligible for purchase shall be restricted to stocks of companies incorporated within the United States which have paid cash dividends for ten (10) consecutive years or longer immediately prior to the date of purchase and which, except for bank stocks and insurance stocks, are listed upon an exchange registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission or its

successors; and provided further, that not less than twenty-five per cent (25%) at any one time of the book value of investments of said Fund shall be invested in the United States and Municipal Securities as enumerated above. This Amendment shall be self-enacting and shall become effective immediately upon its adoption without any enabling legislation."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the amendment of Article VIII of the Constitution to provide that no State ad valorem taxes shall be levied upon any property within this State for State purposes except the tax levied by Article VII, Section 17, for certain institutions of higher learning."

"AGAINST the amendment of Article VIII of the Constitution to provide that no State ad valorem taxes shall be levied upon any property within this State for State purposes except the tax levied by Article VII, Section 17, for certain institutions of higher learning."

"FOR the amendment of Article VII of the Constitution to provide that delinquent State ad valorem taxes, together with penalties and interest thereon, less lawful costs of collection, shall be used to secure bonds issued for permanent improvements at institutions of higher learning, as authorized by Article VII, Section 17, of this Constitution."

"AGAINST the amendment of Article VII of the Constitution to provide that delinquent State ad valorem taxes, together with penalties and interest thereon, less lawful costs of collection, shall be used to secure bonds issued for permanent improvements at institutions of higher learning, as authorized by Article VII, Section 17, of this Constitution."

"FOR the amendment of Article III of the Constitution to provide that the State shall not exceed two per cent (2%) of the State taxes collected. This subsection shall be self-executing."

"AGAINST the amendment of Article III of the Constitution to provide that the State shall not exceed two per cent (2%) of the State taxes collected. This subsection shall be self-executing."

"FOR the amendment of Article VIII of the Constitution to provide that no State ad valorem taxes shall be levied upon any property within this State for State purposes except the tax levied by Article VII, Section 17, for certain institutions of higher learning."

"AGAINST the amendment of Article VIII of the Constitution to provide that no State ad valorem taxes shall be levied upon any property within this State for State purposes except the tax levied by Article VII, Section 17, for certain institutions of higher learning."

"FOR the amendment of Article VII of the Constitution to provide that delinquent State ad valorem taxes, together with penalties and interest thereon, less lawful costs of collection, shall be used to secure bonds issued for permanent improvements at institutions of higher learning, as authorized by Article VII, Section 17, of this Constitution."

"AGAINST the amendment of Article VII of the Constitution to provide that delinquent State ad valorem taxes, together with penalties and interest thereon, less lawful costs of collection, shall be used to secure bonds issued for permanent improvements at institutions of higher learning, as authorized by Article VII, Section 17, of this Constitution."

"FOR the amendment of Article III of the Constitution to provide that the State shall not exceed two per cent (2%) of the State taxes collected. This subsection shall be self-executing."

"AGAINST the amendment of Article III of the Constitution to provide that the State shall not exceed two per cent (2%) of the State taxes collected. This subsection shall be self-executing."



## FIREMEN'S CORNER

Where was the fire? August 8, the fire was on a vacant lot next to A. C. Hudson. August 11, around 2:00 p.m., there was a grass fire at the Reed Jenning ranch. August 11, at 8:00 p.m., there was a fire at the John Mittle ranch. August 12, at about 2:15 p.m., there was a grass fire behind Mrs. Lois Young's house.

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The Hill Country Fireman's As-

sociation held its pre-convention meeting in Eden August 11 at the Eden fire station. The fall convention will be held in Brownwood Saturday, October 12.

Attending the pre-convention meeting from Sonora were, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Byer, Mr. and Mrs. Darcy Carroll, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene West. Darcy Carroll is president of the district and Lester Byer has been appointed secretary.

## New Plants May Become Pests If Left Alone

by E. B. Keng

Ranchmen should be continually on the alert for new plants which may spread and become expensive range pests.

During the past few days two plants of the poisonous African rue have been found on roadsides in the Edwards Plateau SWCD. O. L. Richardson and Bill Fish each discovered large plants growing along roadsides.

The original African rue plant in this area was discovered some 15 years ago some 15 miles east of Sonora on US 290 by Joe B. Ross. Despite frequent efforts to eradicate it by pulling, digging and spraying, the plant has spread from the single source to some 50 or 60 plants at present. Edgar Glasscock also found a plant on a road through his ranch, but he apparently did a thorough "one-time" job of eradication.

The plant, originally from Africa, is fairly common on waste areas and irrigated fields "west of the Pecos". It is reported to be very poisonous—but because of its very bad odor it is not readily taken by livestock. It is a very strong rooted perennial, produces an abundance of seeds, and should be eradicated immediately upon discovery.

Another fairly new plant that should be carefully watched is bristly scaled— a near relative of "beggar-lice" or wild carrot. Bristly scaled is a much larger plant than wild carrot and produces an abundance of seeds which cling readily to wool and mohair. The plant thrives in waste areas and on disturbed soil areas.

Fortunately, bristly scaled— like beggar-lice— is palatable to sheep and goats in early spring. By recognizing the plant and its growth habits ranchmen can regulate grazing management to control it. A specimen of the plant is on display at the Sonora Wool and Mohair Company. Ranchmen are urged to look for strange plants, and to check with E. B. Keng, SCS, or D. C. Langford, County Agent for identification.

## "Falling Stars" Meteor Showers

If you have noticed an unusual display of "falling stars" for the past few nights, you have probably been seeing the Perseid meteor showers, one of the most spectacular each year.

This annual shower is visible all over the world as well as in West Texas. The sky watchers in Sonora saw the first of these showers Sunday night around 11 p.m. The brightness of the full moon obscures some of the smaller meteors but both large and small falling stars can be seen on a dark night.

## Rule Changes Listed For County 4-H's

Three major changes in show rules concerning fat lambs have been made and should be considered when 4-H members are selecting lambs for the 1967 Sutton County 4-H Show to be held Saturday, January 11, 1969.

County Agent, Clint Langford lists the rule changes as follows:

1. Ewe lambs may be shown in the Sutton County 4-H livestock show. Plans should be made to sell the ewe lambs at the county show since they are not eligible to show at any major shows in Texas except El Paso.

2. 4-H members must feed a maximum of two lambs each in order to participate in the county show.

3. 4-H members may enter a maximum of 4 crossbred and 4 fine-wool lambs in the county show.

**BRUCE HOUGH RECEIVES BREAK IN FALL FROM TREE**

Bruce Hough is reported to be doing well after he was released from a Kerrville hospital. He fell from a tree on the courthouse lawn here and was taken to the Kerrville Hospital by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hough.

Penny saver: Simmer bones from ham, rib roast and the like, strain the stock and freeze. It's grand for soups, gravies, and other dishes.

## GREEN NEWS

by Ann Hill

The tournament was a great success and went off without any major disaster. We had the biggest crowd in history— 123 golfers plus many, many wives and children.

Thanks to the cooking skills of W. B. McMillan, Bill Stewart, Hix Hall, and Jess Penick the barbecue was delicious, and for once we had more than enough to serve everyone. We want to thank everyone who donated the goats and the women that brought salads, beans, etc. and gave so much of their time to help.

—GN—

The drawing for the golf clubs was held Saturday night and guess who won? Santa Claus! er, I mean Louis Davis! He gave them back to the women's auxiliary and was auctioned off to the highest bidder and Batts Friend came in there like a champ to pay a nice fat sum of money for them.

We really appreciate the generosity of those two. We need all the help we can get to cover some of our remodeling expenses.

—GN—

Our Sonora golfers didn't make much of a showing in the win department of the tournament but they provided lots of entertainment for their guests.

Wilfred Berger did a trick roll out of his golf cart and came up with a purple elbow and a perfectly skinned arm.

J. W. Neville showed some of his fellow golfers how simple it is to almost drive number four green and still be able to make a five in one. Most championship flight golfers can't do that as easily as he did.

A little later in the day Jerry Hopkins and George Johnson demonstrated their skill in teeing off simultaneously. Their timing was a little off on the first few tries but they got it down pretty good after a few holes.

Web Elliott completely destroyed his public image by wearing his electric blue "TV clothes" Sunday. He thought the color cameras were coming but I understand they were tied up with another tournament.

—GN—

The ladies gave away lots of golf balls on number nine over the week end but I think Batts Friend, Bud Smith, and Whiskey Hill were the only Sonora golfers that won any. Batts always wins a sack full of balls there.

—GN—

Lunetta and Raymond Morgan were here for the tournament and everybody enjoyed visiting with them. I think Raymond won some of our golf balls.

—GN—

Although there were several "dancing dresses" around Saturday night the dance didn't materialize. Our patron, Jo Neville, hid the records and I think everyone was relieved except Sammie Espy. Her dance card was completely filled and she didn't get to dance a single set!

## James Fish Named To Honor Roll

Jimmie David Fish, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Fish Jr., has been named to the president's honor roll at Rice University for the spring semester.

Fish is a 1967 graduate of Sonora High School.

## "Sound of Music" Starts at La Vista

"The most wonderful sound in the world", is the way the critics described "The Sound of Music", starring Julie Andrews, starting at the La Vista Theatre Thursday. Miss Andrews plays the part of Maria Rainer, a postulant who prefers singing to her chores at the abbey.

This film will be shown at the La Vista Theatre for four days, August 15, 16, 17, 18, with show time at 8 p.m.

Theatre manager, Hillman Brown, has announced he will have the film "Guess Who's Coming to Dinner", September 5-8.

## Sonorans Attend Forum Convention In Corpus Christi

The annual convention of the American C. I. Forum was held in Corpus Christi August 7 through 10.

Attending the meeting were Pete Gomez, district chairman, and Mrs. Gomez, from Sonora. Others in attendance were Pete Chapa, vice-district chairman, and Mrs. Chapa and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bermaldez, district representatives, from San Angelo.

Vice-President of the United States, Hubert Humphrey, was the guest speaker at the banquet.

Would you believe frozen tomatoes yet, but food scientists are toes, lettuce and other salad working on solving the problems greens? They aren't on the market connected with freezing these foods

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