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# Roundup Week to Kick Off Saturday

## It's Castro County Roundup Time!



Castro County's First Annual Roundup Week will kick off Saturday evening with the contest for "Miss Grain Sorghum of the Nation."

The celebration will continue for seven big days with contests, fireworks, a parade, singing, dancing, sky-diving, an old settlers' reunion, barbecues, pet and pony shows, and a big three-day rodeo.

Activities are scheduled every day except Monday, and meetings are being held nearly every night among Roundup Week officials to iron out last-minute details of the ambitious week-long festival.

Throughout the county, people enter in next Thursday's parade, expected to be the largest here in years.

Meanwhile, workers and committees chairmen are buying, borrowing and scrounging the materials and talent that will go into their part of the 12-event celebration.

For next Thursday's barbecue, co-chairmen Bruce Taylor and Ewing L. Mathis have ordered out a full steer, 100 pounds of beans, six sacks of cabbage, a sack of onions, 100 loaves of bread, 2000 individual sugar packets, six pounds of coffee, 25 gallons of lemonade, and "enough tea to make a Texas-size barrel full."

The barbecue will be cooked in an underground pit by V. C. Hobson, and Dimmitt restaurants will cook and prepare all the other food. Most of the food is being donated by local farmers and merchants.

Tickets to the barbecue are \$1.25 for adults and 75 cents for children, and are available from member of all civic clubs and organizations taking part in Roundup Week.

Dimmitt Rodeo Association, Inc., sponsor of the three-day Roundup Rodeo, announced this week that it has added a western saddle to the list of rodeo prizes. The saddle will be awarded to the bronzeriding champion, and the riders competing for it must enter both the bareback and saddle bronc competition.

The Rodeo Association also decided to close its entry books as soon as a full slate of entrants has been signed for an event. Originally, the rodeo planners had intended to close the books on all events at noon next Thursday, but now the entries are on a first-come basis.

Entry books for the rodeo will open at 9 a.m. Wednesday. (For full details on rodeo events and entry fees, see last week's issue of the News.)

Time of the Roundup pet show was moved this week from Friday, Aug. 14 to next Thursday to coincide with the horse show. Another event, the band concert scheduled for Monday night, was cancelled.

It's seldom that people from different churches get a chance to sing together, but they'll have their chance Wednesday night during the old fashioned hymn singing, to be held at 8 p.m.

The ambitious Roundup Week won't be "free advertising" for the county—it will cost money. To help defray expenses, members of the Castro County Activities Committee "supporting memberships" at a suggested price of \$20 to help pay for trophies and other expenses.

"We need at least \$600 to \$700 to pay our expenses," General Chairman Wes Anthony said. "If more money is donated than is needed, the excess will be carried over for next year's Roundup."

Full list of Roundup Week will be treated to the annual Old Settlers' Reunion, parade, pet show, pony show, barbecue, opening of the rodeo, and a rodeo dance.

But almost every day of Roundup week will include a major event. If you're looking for entertainment of any variety, just check the schedule of events, pay your money, and take your choice.

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## Reunion Memories Of Early 1900's Here To Be Recalled By Main Speaker

"Memories of Two Generations Ago" will be related next Thursday when Bryan McDonald of Canyon delivers the keynote address at the annual Old Settlers' Reunion.

McDonald, 68, a retired stock farmer, is the stepson of the late C. F. Kerr, who was county judge of Castro County just after the turn of the century.

Next Thursday's main speaker was only two years old when his family moved to Dimmitt in 1898. He graduated from Dimmitt High School in 1913, and was a stock farmer for 30 years in Randall and Deaf Smith Counties. He now lives in Canyon, but still maintains his membership in the Dimmitt Masonic Lodge.

"One of the main things I remember about my boyhood in Dimmitt was the night the old original courthouse burned," he says. "I was sleeping next to a window, and we were having a tremendous electrical storm."

"I just happened to be looking outside when a flash of lightning

hit the courthouse. It looked like that bolt of lightning split the courthouse in two. It stopped raining then, almost instantaneously, and the fire got out of control.

"We didn't have a fire department here then, and there wasn't anything for the people to do but get out and watch it burn. These got the records out, though, and moved them into a building on the south side of the square, which served as the temporary courthouse for many years."

McDonald was 10 years old when the old courthouse burned.

His address next Thursday will be his maiden speech, although he says he "feels at home" among Castro County's old settlers, since he has attended several of the reunions here in the past.

Castro County's pioneers will gather on the courthouse lawn for registration at 10 a.m. next Thursday, and will eat basket lunches at noon, with tables, chairs, drinks and bread furnished by the Chamber of Commerce. The main program will start at 1 p.m.

## Contests

### What Kind Of Game Do You Like? You'll Find It During Roundup

Everything from tow-sacks and fire hoses to swim suits and spurs will be used during special contests planned for Castro County Roundup Week.

Dimmitt's Lions Club will conduct a special "Contest Day" Wednesday, with the huffing and puffing scheduled to get underway at 2 p.m.

Included in the contest activities will be a baseball throw, a football throw and sack races.

The baseball throwing contest will be divided into two categories—one for youngsters 11 and younger, and the other for youths 12 and up.

Both boys' and girls' competition will be conducted in the football throwing contest and the sack races.

Prizes will include a free 15-minute plane ride by J. G. Davis for the winners, and free tickets to the Roundup Rodeo for the runners-up.

Friday, Aug. 14, will bring another hilarious contest when the Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Dept. sponsors its water polo match at 4 p.m. on the courthouse square. With slickers on their backs, fire-hats on their heads and hoses in their hands, fireboys and the "Pigeons" they line up as teammates will square off and try to nozzle a volleyball over or around their opponents.

Spectators without swim suits will have to maintain a respectable distance.

Other contests will involve kids, their ponies and pets. Time of the pet show was changed this week from Friday, Aug. 14 to next Thursday at 4 p.m. to coincide with the pony show scheduled for 4:30 the same day.

Pets of both pedigreed and questionable backgrounds will be judged in various categories during the pet show, which will be held on the courthouse square.

The pony show will be at Dimmitt Baseball Park, and animals will be judged in three different classes of ponies and big horses-mares, geldings and stallions—and young-

sters will ride their ponies before the judge. All Castro County youngsters are eligible to participate in the show, and ribbons will be awarded in all categories.

One of the biggest contests scheduled during the week is the Roundup Rodeo, which will run for three nights starting at 8 p.m. next Thursday. A rodeo dance will follow each night's performance.

There'll be baseball Tuesday at 2 p.m. as the Dimmitt and Nazareth American Legion teams face each other at Dimmitt Baseball Park.

The Roundup Parade next Thursday will involve a contest, also, with riding clubs, civic groups, business firms, communities and organizations competing for trophies.

And of course, one of the biggest contests of them all is coming up Saturday at 7:30 p.m.—the contest for Miss Grain Sorghum of the Nation.

### Band Concert Is Cancelled

The Dimmitt High School Band concert scheduled for 8 p.m. Monday was cancelled this week.

Director Ralph Smith blamed the summer vacation and work season for the cancellation. However, he said the band will march in the Roundup Parade next Thursday as scheduled.

"Because of the difficulty in getting school kids together in the summer, we're having to rehearse in groups," Smith said. "We've found that it's impossible to put together a parade program and a concert both, so we'll have to concentrate on the parade."

### HOSPITAL AUXILIARY

Members of the Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary will meet Saturday at 10 a.m. at First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Virginia Gilbreath, president, urged all members to be present at this monthly meeting.

## Beauty Pageant

### Who'll Be Crowned 'Miss Grain Sorghum'?

"Miss Grain Sorghum of the Nation" will be selected from a field of 18 High Plains beauties Saturday night in the first major event of Castro County Roundup Week.

Naming of the nation's fourth grain sorghum queen will climax a program that's to start at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in Dimmitt High School auditorium on Western Drive. Johnny Linn of Radio Station KDHN will be master of ceremonies.

Besides reigning over Roundup Week activities, the new "Miss Grain Sorghum" will represent Texas' largest money crop at important grain sorghum functions during the year.

The winner will receive a \$500 scholarship and engraved trophy. First runner-up will get a \$200 college scholarship, and second runner-up will be awarded a \$100 scholarship.

Vying for the coveted crown this year are:

Alice Ruth West, 17, of Groom. She's 5-5, measures 36-24-36, and is sponsored by the Groom Lions Club. Her hobbies are music, writing poetry, swimming, and studying French.

Sheri Kay Faulkner, 19, of Levelland. She's 5-3 1/2, measures 36-24-36, and is sponsored by the Farmer's Coop Elevator of Levelland. Her hobbies are music, speech, drama, dancing and sports.

Alice Acker, 17, of Dimmitt. The

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Acker, she's 5-4 1/2 tall and measures 35-22-36. Her main hobby is sewing. Alice is sponsored by the Dimmitt Jaycees.

Susan Hopson, 17, of Dimmitt. At 5-1, Susan is the shortest of the 18 contestants. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Hopson, and she's sponsored by Charm Beauty Shop. She measures 36-23-36, and her hobbies are piano, painting and ice skating.

Pam Dollar, 17, of Dimmitt. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dollar, Pam is 5-6 tall and measures 34-22-35. Sponsoring her in the pageant are the Dimmitt Jaycees-Ettes. Her main hobby is tennis.

Vickie Jarboe, 17, of Floydada. Sponsored by the Floyd County Fann Bureau, Vickie is the tallest of the 18 young lovelies at 5-7, and measures 36 1/2-22 1/2-36 1/2. Her hobbies are swimming, horseback riding, and drama.

Minka Sims, 17, of Memphis. Sponsored by the Memphis Jaycees, Minka is 5-4 and measures 34-23-35. Her hobbies include reading, dramatics, twirling and horseback riding.

Sheryl Long, 17, of Friona. Sponsored by the Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, Sheryl is 5-5 and her measurements are 32-23 1/2-36.

Sherry Haston, 18, of Paducah. Sponsored by the Paducah Lions Club, she measures 34-24-36 and stands 5-5.

Lieshia Carol Brodie, 17, of Booker. Lieshia is 5-2, measures 34-21-34, and is sponsored by Holman's

clothing store in Booker. Her hobbies include water skiing, painting, acting, singing and traveling.

Sammie Lu Thompson, 17, of Wellington. Sponsored by the Collingsworth County Chamber of Commerce, Sammie Lu is 5-6 tall and measures 34-22-34. Her hobbies are water skiing, sewing, painting and stamp collecting.

Pauledde Heston, 18, of Spearman. Cheerleading, reading, and swimming are Pauledde's main hobbies. She is 5-2, measures 35-22-35, and is backed by the Spearman Jaycees.

Cheryl Ann Poteet, 19, of Olton. Sponsored by the Olton FFA chapter, Cheryl Ann enjoys swimming, water skiing, twirling, horseback riding and painting. She's 5-5 tall and measures 35-22-35 1/2.

Barbara Massey, 17, of Guymon Okla. One of two entries from Oklahoma, Barbara is sponsored by the Guymon Rotary Club. She's 5-6 tall and measures 36-23-36, and her hobbies are cheerleading, swimming, tennis horseback riding, art, bowling and water skiing.

Mary Crawford, 17, of Kress. Hair styling and painting are the main interests of this young Kress beauty. She measures 36-26-36, stands 5-6 1/2 in height, and is sponsored by the Kress Lions Club.

Francene Thomas, 18, of Ralls. Sponsored by the Ralls Chamber of Commerce, Francine is 5-6 tall and measures 37-25-37. Her hobbies include all water sports, playing the piano horseback riding and water coloring.

Lynda Fancher, 18, of Frederick Okla. Sponsored by the Frederick Jaycees, Lynda is a young home-

maker whose main hobbies are cooking and sewing. She's 5-4 tall and measures 34-24-36.

Serena Ellis, 17, of Kress. Sandra's main hobbies are swimming, sewing, twirling and horseback riding. She's 5-6 in height, measures 36-24-35, and is sponsored by the Tulsa Literary Arts Club.

From this slate of 18 young beauties from two states, judges will select the new "Miss Grain Sorghum of the Nation" Saturday night.

The girls will be judged on beauty, personality, poise, appearance and talent. They will appear in street and formal attire, and in swim suits.

Ruth Ann Guthrie of Pampa will give up the crown she's worn for a year as "Miss Grain Sorghum"

of 1963 when she crowns the new winner Saturday night.

Those attending Saturday night's finals will be treated to a special talent show by the top 10 contestants. The girls' contest day will begin with registration at 1 p.m. Saturday, and will continue with a reception for their parents and friends.

Tickets for Saturday night's pageant may be purchased in advance from any Chamber of Commerce director and in downtown stores. Admission is \$1.50 for adults and \$1 for children.

Members of this year's "Miss Grain Sorghum" committee are William F. Bennett, chairman, Buster Tidwell, George Bradford, Bob Anthony, Edd McLeroy and Ray Joe Riley.

## Castro County Roundup Week SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

**SATURDAY**  
7:30 p.m.—Miss Grain Sorghum of the Nation pageant, Dimmitt High School auditorium.

**SUNDAY**  
12:30 p.m.—Jaycee Air Show Day with fly-in and barbecue, Dimmitt Airport.

**TUESDAY**  
2:00 p.m.—Baseball game, Dimmitt PONY Leaguers vs. Nazareth and Hart PONY Leaguers, Dimmitt Baseball Park.  
8:30 p.m.—Fireworks show, Castro County Fairgrounds.  
9 - 11 p.m.—Street dance, courthouse square.

**WEDNESDAY**  
2:00 p.m.—Contest Day, courthouse square. Baseball throw, football throw, sack races.  
8:00 p.m.—Old fashioned hymn singing, courthouse square.

**THURSDAY**  
Aug. 13  
10:00 a.m.—Old Settlers Reunion registration, courthouse square.  
12:00 noon—Old Settlers' basket lunch, courthouse square. (Drinks and bread furnished.)  
1:00 p.m.—Old Settlers Reunion program, courthouse square.  
2:00 p.m.—Roundup Parade forms at southeast corner of courthouse square.  
3:00 p.m.—Roundup Parade  
4:00 p.m.—Pet show, courthouse square.  
4:30 p.m.—Pony show, Dimmitt Baseball Park.  
5:30 p.m.—Barbecue, Catholic recreation building, southeast Dimmitt.  
8:00 p.m.—Rodeo, Dimmitt Rodeo Arena.  
9:00 p.m.—Rodeo dance, Catholic recreation building, southeast Dimmitt.

**FRIDAY**  
Aug. 14  
4:00 p.m.—Water polo contest, southeast corner of courthouse square.  
8:00 p.m.—Rodeo, Dimmitt Rodeo Arena.  
9:00 p.m.—Rodeo dance, Catholic recreation building, southeast Dimmitt.

**SATURDAY**  
Aug. 15  
8:00 p.m.—Rodeo finals, Dimmitt Rodeo Arena.  
9:00 p.m.—Rodeo dance, Catholic recreation building, southeast Dimmitt.

## Parade

### Workers are Busy Preparing Floats

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## Air Show

### Sunday's Program Will Feature Skydives, Glider Show, Barbecue

A special fly-in barbecue and air show sponsored by the Dimmitt Jaycees, will be the main event Sunday as Castro County Roundup Week enters its second day.

Celebrants will cast their eyes to the sky and their appetites toward hefty plates of barbecue as sky divers, gliders and pilots offer a thrilling air show above Dimmitt Airport north of the city.

Between sky dives and plane hop those attending will queue up at the barbecue table as chef Pete Wright and his co-workers serve pit cooked beef and all the trimmings.

Highlighting the air show will be free-falls by members of the Fort Hood Skydiving Club. These men will attempt to conquer the famous High Plains wind as they jump from high-flying planes, fall hun-

dreds of feet through the air, then pull their rip-cords and attempt to guide their parachutes to target marks at the airport.

Also on tap is a special glider display, with the silent aircraft sailing high above the airport.

Fred Bruegel, Jr., chairman of the Dimmitt Jaycee Air Show Day committee, said those who wish to get a bird's eye view of the nation's grain sorghum capital may purchase airplane rides on a first-come, first-served basis.

Most of the planes at the airport will see duty during the all afternoon air show, Bruegel said.

Many pilots from other South Plains cities are expected to "fly in" for the barbecue and air show, he added. Fly-in breakfasts and dinners are fast becoming a popular custom among pilots throughout the country.

Mathis emphasized that entries are still being taken for the parade. Any individual or group wanting specific information about entries should contact Ewing L. Mathis at Production Credit Association, 112 E. Jones in Dimmitt, or phone him at 647-3660 during business hours.



**OUCH!**—This pickup came to a stop the hard way Monday evening when it ran through a new brick fence in front of Plains Memorial Hospital. The pickup's driver, Richard Keith McMahon, 16, was unhurt. Marshal W. W. Jones said McMahon was driving west on Halsell when a collision with a 1961 Oldsmobile driven by Doug Adams, 33, forced him off the street and through the brick wall. Marshal Jones listed the pickup as a total loss.



**CRUNCH!**—Here's the other half of Monday's accident at Plains Memorial Hospital. Doug Adams, 33, of 1006 W. Grant was reportedly making a left turn from Halsell Street into the hospital parking area at 6:45 p.m. Monday when his 1961 Oldsmobile collided with the 1963 Chevrolet pickup pictured at left. Damage to the Oldsmobile was estimated at \$1,000. Adams was cited for failure to yield right-of-way. Neither driver was seriously hurt.

## Historic Unit Formed; Volunteers Are Called

County Judge Raymond Wilson has appointed Miss Hazel Merritt and Edwin (Goose) Ramey to organize a Castro County Historical Survey Committee to mark historic sites and preserve the county's pioneer heritage.

The committee will coordinate its efforts with a state historical committee that's already preparing a list of sites to be commemorated.

Purpose of the new county-wide committee is to help preserve Castro county's history as far as possible by:

- (1) Marking sites of historical interest;
- (2) Encouraging the writing and publishing of biographies, family church, school and community histories and unusual stories that might otherwise be forgotten or

- (3) Developing a greater interest in local history; and
- (4) Locating and marking the graves of all veterans of the Texas Revolution and the Civil War in the county's cemeteries.

Miss Merritt and Ramey have received a list of probable commemorative sites from the state committee, and have appealed to county residents to suggest other sites.

Suggested by the state committee are the Jim Carter Ranch, C. C. Slaughter's Running Water Ranch, the OYO Ranch, Flagg Ranch, Peecos and Northern Texas Railway, Fort Worth & Denver South Plains Railway, "Babeock Coal," "Tom, Dick or Harry Mail Route," and the communities of Dimmitt, Hart,

Nazareth, Summerfield, Dodd and Castro City.

Individuals suggested by the state committee for commemoration are W. C. Dimmitt, T. W. Hart and John Summerfield.

"While some of the state committee's suggestions are very good, there are others that News readers could suggest which would be better," Miss Merritt and Ramey said. They have as examples the C. C. Slaughter Circle S Ranch and the Jim Carter Ranch, first in Castro County.

The Circle S grazed cattle on Castro County land, but had its camp in ~~the~~ ~~county~~.

Carter's ranch was established in 1884 on 72 sections of land for which Carter paid 79 cents an acre. Part of the buildings used by the

Carter still stand southwest of Flagg, on the Running Water Draw. Although Carter was the first settler in Castro County, no mention was made of him on the state committee's list.

"We would like to have representatives from the various communities to serve as volunteers on the county committee, perform research in the communities and suggest sites that might be marked, or help in anyway on this project," the committee's co-chairmen said.

Those wishing to work with the county committee may contact Miss Merritt at 938-4682, or Ramey at 647-3329.

### Car Wash Planned

Dimmitt High School's student council members will hold a car wash Aug. 15 at Harley's Gulf Station. Charge is \$2 per car.

Appointments may be made by phoning Donna Summers at 647-3382, or any student council member.

### Nine From Dimmitt Attend Reunion

The annual Bradley family reunion was held Thursday through Saturday at Quartz Mountain State Park in Altus, Okla. Attending were 105 family members and relatives, plus 15 guests.

Main gathering point was in a lodge hall at Lake Altus, with cabins provided for those who attended.

Dimmitt residents present at the reunion were Mrs. Anna Dee Gibbs and daughters, Ginger and Linda; Mrs. Emma Lou Hastings and Johnna; and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley and children, Molly and Lee.

### Hereford Residents Visit

Mrs. Myrtle Wright and Mrs. Joe Prowell of Hereford visited Friday with Mrs. R. B. Boren, 409 W. Jones.

## Phone Company Signs Contracts For Tie-Ins With Bell System

West Texas Telephone Co. Wednesday took its first major step toward new cable tie-ins with the Conjoint Bell Telephone system.

At the same time, company officials announced that the WTTC office here will be enlarged and remodeled soon to make room for new circuit equipment, that will be required by the expansion.

Contracts with Southwestern Bell will result in "vastly improved service" here, according to Robert and Elton Singer of West Texas Telephone Co.

"Much time was spent negotiating for contracts that will give us the authority to establish the best possible connections with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.," the spokesmen said. "These agree-

ments have now been reached." Company officials Wednesday signed contracts with Brooks Construction Co. of Shawnee, Okla., to bury a toll cable to Plainview, via Nazareth and Hart.

"Each of these communities are to have access to the cable for top quality service to Dimmitt and to distant points," the Singers said. "Sufficient equipment will be installed at each of these places to provide more than adequate circuits to carry the load required now and anticipated later."

"New operators will be added to enable the company to give better service, both in handling the calls and answering calls from local subscribers," they added.

"To make room for this expansion,

the offices of Robert and Elton Singer have been moved to the Rawlings Hotel. Remodeling of the front part of the telephone building will begin soon.

The West Texas Telephone Co. officials indicated that further expansion plans are "nearly ready" but that specific details can't be released at this time.

### VISIT IN ALBUQUERQUE

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ramsey and Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Claborn visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Cranford in Albuquerque. Mrs. Cranford is the Ramseys' daughter. The Claborns and Ramseys also visited J. B. Farris in the Veterans Hospital in Albuquerque.

### SON AND FAMILY VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boren and Bo of Lubbock were in Dimmitt Saturday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. R. B. Boren, 409 W. Jones.

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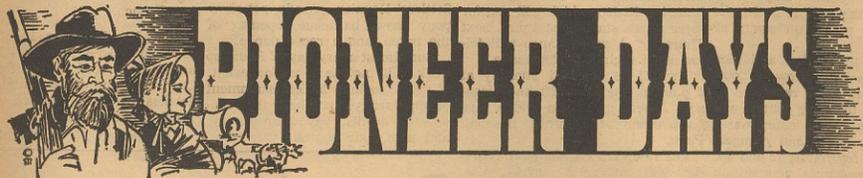
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## Haying And Grazing Authorized; ASC Committee Approval Needed

Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman Friday authorized grazing and haying privileges on diverted cropland for farmers and ranchers in Castro and four other South Plains counties.

In a telegram to the News, Congressman Walter Rogers said haying and grazing privileges have been offered on diverted cropland through Oct. 31 in Castro, Armstrong, Carson, Collingsworth and Swisher Counties.

At the same time, the haying and grazing date was extended to Oct. 31 in nine previously designated counties—Briscoe, Childress, Dallam, Cottle, Deaf Smith, Hall, Motley, Alton and Randall.

Charley Hill, county ASCS office manager, said the program is authorized on land designated under the Soil Bank, Wheat Diversion and Feed Grain Diverted Acres programs, subject to approval by the county ASC committee.

Hill emphasized that farmers and ranchers must have county committee approval for grazing and haying on their rested land.

"Regardless of these reports you may have read or heard, such use of this acreage without prior approval of the ASC county committee is a violation of program regulations for which specific penalties, forfeitures and refunds apply," Hill said.

He added: "If you believe permission should be granted for you or some other person to graze or harvest hay on this land on your farm to alleviate a hardship caused by the unfavorable weather conditions in this area, please notify the Castro County ASCS office. A deduction for the value of the grazing or haying will be made from your program payments if this permission is granted."



**MASONIC AWARD**—E. B. Wright, former Dimmitt mayor, was awarded his 50-year Masonic service pin last week in ceremonies at his home, 104 Front St. Presenting the coveted pin and certificate of recognition is John R. Collard, Jr. (right) of Spearman, grand master of the Grand Lodge of Texas, AF&M. Only two other members of Castro Lodge 879 hold 50-year service pins—Edwin "Goose" Ramey and Percy Estes. On hand for last week's presentation were district and grand lodge officials Roland H. Allen of Borger, Robert E. Caldwell of Adrian, and John Skaggs of Adrian, plus fellow Castro Lodge members W. E. Kirkpatrick, Ira Brown, Edgar and Edwin Ramey, Bruce Wooddell, Heywood Smith, Percy Estes and Earl Taylor.

EVERYONE HAS GONE TO THE CASTRO COUNTY ROUND-UP.....



OR TO....  
**HENDERSONS**  
TV & APPLIANCE  
5th ANNIVERSARY SALE

### Seven Cub Scouts Win Advancements

Seven Cub Scouts won awards at the regular meeting of Pack 267 last week in the assembly room of the courthouse.

Award and advancement winners included:

Bobcat pin - George and Charles Copeland and Jim Bob Ellis.

Bear pin - Terry Powell, Joseph Yokely, Butch Taylor and Ronnie Hall.

In addition to his Bear pin, Joseph Yokely also received a gold arrow.

Den 4 received the honor flag for having the most members and parents present.

Pack members and leaders also made plans for entering the Round-up Parade as a marching unit.

The type of harness now used for horsedrawn vehicles originated in Europe in the 12th century.

Use Safety Taper

If you use the same jacket for hunting both deer and ducks, you've got a problem.

Wear a red or yellow jacket and you'll spook ducks two miles away. Wear an olive-drab one and you're apt to get blasted by a cross-eyed deer hunter.

Here's the solution: Buy the olive-drab jacket for duck hunting, then when you go after deer, mark the back and sleeves with industrial adhesive tape.

These stripes of bright yellow will distinguish you from the deer.

Wrap Pork Rinds in Foil

Here's a way to carry pork rind without having any bottles to break. Simply place some port rinds in petroleum jelly and wrap in aluminum foil. There's nothing to spill and a lot less weight to lug around.

### Hospital News

**IN HOSPITAL**

Janie Costillo  
Mr. Juan Vasquez  
Grajales Zamudio  
Miss Susie Hernandez  
Gibero Cantu  
Comie Escalante  
Yolanda Nino  
Mr. Joe Newman  
Terry Newman  
Rosa Rodriguez  
Mr. Pascual Lopez  
Miss Julia Sepeda  
Mrs. Teresa Sifuentes  
**DISMISSED**  
Mrs. Delfina Molina  
Mr. Ray Murphy  
Mrs. Annie Klawitter  
Mr. Franklin Wilhelm  
Mrs. Connie Jones and baby boy  
Miss Nelda Thomas  
Mrs. Antonio Carranco  
Mr. Clyde Queary  
Mrs. Ruth Nelson and baby girl  
Mr. Charlie Bymes  
Mrs. Teresa Adaco  
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## WESTERN DAYS

Welcome to The  
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### Youth-Led Revival To Feature Prayer Vigil, Special Events

First Baptist Church of Dimmitt will hold its annual youth-led revival this weekend.

Members of the Gerry Craft Evangelistic Association will assist the church's youth in conducting the revival. They are Gerry Craft, Jack Holt, Gretchen and Shelby Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Perry.

Among the week-end's plans are a Hawaiian luau, an all-night prayer service, an all-day visitation program, and a breakfast meeting. The first day of the campaign, Thursday, will be spent in pre-revival visitations, followed by an all-night prayer service.

More visitations will be conducted Friday, and the 8 o'clock evening service will be followed by a Hawaiian luau.

A breakfast is scheduled for 7 a.m. Saturday to be followed by a brief service. Saturday evening services will start at 7 o'clock.

Youths will also conduct regular church services Sunday morning, and will conclude the revival with a fellowship gathering Sunday night.

### Dimmitt Bowlers Vote To Disband

The Dimmitt City Bowling Association voted Tuesday night to disband because of the recent closing of the Golden Spread Lanes.

The association's budget balance \$139, will be donated to the Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary's nursing scholarship fund, according to Mrs. Mary Lou Roundtree, president of the association.

Fifteen persons representing three of the city's six bowling leagues attended Tuesday night's meeting and approved a motion to disband the local association and join the Hereford Bowling Association.

### Spot-Checking Plants For Growth Defects Will Aid Seasons' Program

With spring-planted crops reaching their peak development, now is an excellent time for farmers to spot-check plants for abnormalities, defects, discolorations or indications of stunted growth.

Spot-checking is a great help in preparing next season's fertilization and planting program, says Dr. Charles D. Welch, Extension soil chemist, Texas A & M University.

Often a field has areas of both good and poor or stunted growth, explains Welch. In this case, a composite soil sample should be taken from each area, labeled and sent to a soil testing laboratory.

Defects or abnormalities may be due to a lack of major food elements or perhaps trace elements may be the cause, the chemist points out.

Research has found that trace elements, although needed in small amounts, are essential for healthy plant growth. Welch says those most often deficient in Texas soils are boron, iron, and zinc.

Alkaline or high-limed soils tend to render some trace elements, especially zinc, unavailable to plant, says the chemist. That's why it's important to have your soil tested since the test will reveal the alkaline content of the soil, Welch adds.

He explains that deficiencies in trace elements cannot accurately be determined by soil tests as yet; thus, spot-checking is prescribed.

If abnormalities or other indications of poor plant growth are noted, consult a plant specialist or your county agricultural agent for an accurate identification, suggests Welch.

### SPORTS AFIELD

By Ted Kesting

Just which bait or lure is best for striped bass is difficult to say. Some days the fish favor an eel rig; other times they may strike any kind of bait or lure that is presented to them. "The eel-skin rig, the eel bob and the eel-and-squid combination are all good," asserts Robert D. Hall, Salt-Water Fishing Editor of Sports Afield Magazine. An eel-skin pulled over a tin squid is an effective combination. Slightly bending the nose of the squid up or down will give the lure a hectic swimming action, and the weight of the squid will usually keep it moving a considerable distance below the surface of the water. Eels and various eel rigs are used with greatest success in fishing at night, when eels usually come out to feed.

There is a wide variation in the styles of plugs used for surf casting. Whereas some manufacturers have reversed their lures to swim backward imitating the usual action of a live squid, others have put metal lips on the heads of their plugs so that they will ride deep. Still other lures are designed to float with a popping action when they are retrieved. The preferred weights in plugs are 1½, two and 2 ounces; and with the steady increase in the popularity of spinning, the 1½ ounce lure appears to be the favorite.

The practical method of selecting the style, weight and color of a lure depends upon the weight your rod will cast, the color of the live bait the fish may be feeding upon and whether conditions warrant the use of a surface or a deep-swimming lure. Striped bass will feed upon a wide selection of food, such as surf clams, bloodworms, squid, mackerel, eels, crabs, sand eels and surf bugs at various times of the year. The two most popular artificial baits of the surf angler are a metal squid and a blue, mullet-colored or white surface popping plug. While such lures are exceedingly popular, you should keep in mind that strippers are extremely fickle and unpredictable as to what they will strike. Local conditions, and whether you are fishing at night or during the day call for variations in lure and in casting technique.

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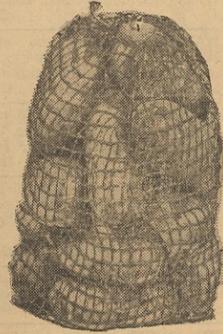
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### Walter Rogers' WASHINGTON NEWSLETTER

#### THE PANHANDLE PROSPERS OIL AND GAS

The Panhandle continues to grow and prosper. A keystone of our area's economic activity is the oil and gas industry. This report is the first of several I will make to you on the makeup of our Panhandle-area economy. For a number of months I have been compiling data from reliable sources in and out of Government—from business and industrial firms and organizations, State and local government sources, and from statistics compiled in Government agencies.

I believe this compilation of data will be extremely helpful to businessmen, farmers and ranchers, to chambers of commerce and boards of development, to labor organizations, the press and radio and television, and to citizens generally who wish to be informed on the great economic strength now realized and potential, of the Texas Panhandle.

A major factor in the economy of the 28 counties comprising the 18th Congressional District is the development and production of oil and natural gas resources. According to the latest available information from the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, the value of oil and gas produced is \$269 million annually. The U. S. Bureau of Mines reports that in 1961 the 28 Panhandle counties produced 39.9 million barrels of oil, with a value of almost \$119 million. Natural gas production totaled about 1.2 trillion cubic feet, with a value of \$150 million.

From this oil and gas activity comes a \$72.7-million-a-year-industry payroll for more than 11,000 employees, according to the Texas Employment Commission. In addition, the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association estimates a distribution of some \$33.6 million annually among the district's farmers, ranchers, and other landowners in payment for production from their acreages.

In 1961, according to the Texas Railroad Commission, producers in the 18th District were operating some 13,550 oil wells and 5,850 gas wells. Corporations and individuals continue to invest millions annually in the search for new fields and development of those already found. The Oil and Gas Journal reports that 1,056 wells were drilled in the 28 counties in 1962—and 109 of them were wildcat exploratory wells. Some \$64 million was spent in the district in 1962 for drilling and about \$12 million was lost to dry holes.

Major oil companies have more than 5 million acres under lease in the 18th District—approximately 30 percent of the total land area. In addition to the royalty money distribution cited above, millions of dollars more are paid out in lease rentals and bonuses.

The District has three refineries with a total capacity of some 131,000 barrels of crude oil a day. These are located in Hutchinson, Moore, and Potter counties. The natural gasoline plants which extract liquid products from natural gas total 30, and handle some 3.6 billion cubic feet of gas a day. Seven carbon black plants in the District process about 143 million cubic feet of gas daily.

The 18th District includes nine of the top 100 Texas counties (there are 254 counties in all) ranked according to the value of oil and gas production. With state rankings shown in parentheses, they are: Hutchinson (16), \$36 million from crude oil and \$13 million from natural gas; Gray (19), \$37 million oil and \$9 million gas; Hansford (33), \$7 million oil and \$24 million gas; Sherman (37), \$53,000 oil and \$26.5 million gas; Carson (44), \$18 million oil and \$12 million gas; Ochiltree (50), \$13 million oil and \$9 million gas; Potter (65), \$16.5 million gas; Roberts (86), \$4 million oil and \$8 million gas.

### NORTHDIDGE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Ronny Nelson are the proud parents of a baby girl, Rhonda Ruth, born Thursday at 12:55 p.m. She weighed 6 pounds, 13 ozs.

Rhonda is the first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Nelson. Maternal grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Brill, Phoenix, Ariz.

Mr. and Mr. Andy Nelson are great grandparents. Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Otto Plegers, Phoenix.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hoyerler are parents of a baby girl, Peri Eileen, born Thursday at 3:05 p.m. in Tulia Hospital in Tulia. P. L. Hoyerler is the proud grandfather and La Trelle Hoyerler, the aunt. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frank of Canyon.

Mrs. Garry Hathway of Hereford visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Glidewell Friday. Mrs. Hathway and Mrs. Glidewell visited Mrs. Ronny Nelson in the hospital Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Harbert and daughter Una, spent Saturday night with Mr. Harbert's sister, Mrs. John Crum. They all visited the Buck Crums Sunday in Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Robinson, Phoenix, Ariz. and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Ronny Nelson, Mrs. Robinson's niece Sunday the 19th.

P. L. and La Trelle Hoyerler visited in Amarillo Sunday, attending Worship Services there and spending the day with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rutledge, LaTrelle's aunt. Lynn Parks returned with them and is visiting at the present time.

Rev. and Mrs. Carl McDaniel and Kayla Carlene, Hale Center, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McDaniel Monday. Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Stoves and Dorman, Hereford were Monday night visitors.

### Father And Son Observe Birthdays At Family Reunion

A Dimmitt father and son celebrated their birthdays Sunday at the annual Young family birthday dinner and family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Young. The dinner celebrated R. Young's 62nd birthday, and the 21st birthday of his son, Marshall.

Present for the event were Young's six daughters, Mrs. Lloyd Bridges and Mrs. Edwin Bridges of Hereford, Mrs. Robert Mitchell of Plainview, Mrs. Calvin Brice of Pueblo, Colo., Mrs. Virgil Pierson of Petersburg, and Mrs. Gerald Hall of Dimmitt, and their families.

Also attending were Rev. and Mrs. B. C. Elswick and son, Clyde Don, of Dimmitt.

#### OUT OF TOWN GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nelson, Miami, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hrabal. Also visiting in the Nelson home were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Robinson, Phoenix, visited in the Woodrow Nelson Monday evening en route to Phoenix.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: V. A. COPE, to the spouse of V. A. COPE, to B. C. COPE and to the spouse of B. C. COPE, to MABEL LYNCH and to her husband HERBERT LYNCH, to RILEY WEBB and to her husband RILEY WEBB, to LUCILLE LOONEY and to her husband JAMES LOONEY, to MRS. N. NIXON, to the spouse of MRS. N. NIXON, to TOM LOYD, and to the spouse of TOM LOYD, to G. L. GREEN, and to the spouse of G. L. GREEN, and if any of the above named persons or their spouses be deceased, to the heirs and legal representatives of such of the above named persons or their spouses as may be deceased; DEFENDANTS in the hereinafter styled and numbered cause:

You and each of you are hereby commanded to appear before the District Court of Castro County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse of said County in the City of Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of Monday, after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say, at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of Monday, August 31st day of August, 1964, and answer the first amended original petition of W. E. BEECHER, in Cause No. 2792, styled W. E. BEECHER VS. V. A. COPE, ET AL, in which W. E. BEECHER is plaintiff and the parties to whom this writ is directed are defendants, and which first amended original petition was filed in said Court on the 14th day of July, 1964, and the nature of which said

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suit is as follows:

Trespass to try title for title and possession of all of Lot Four (4) and Lot Five (5), in Block One Hundred Thirty-Nine (139), of the Original town of Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas, according to plat of said Town recorded in Volume 3, page 240, of the Deed Records of Castro County, Texas. Plaintiff also claims title by virtue of the five, ten and twenty-five year Statutes of Limitations, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

WITNESS, Zonell Maples, Clerk of the District Court of Castro County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in the City of Dimmitt, This the 14th day of July, 1964.

Zonell Maples CLERK of the District Court of Castro County, Texas By Jo Braddock, Deputy 39-4tc

LEGAL NOTICES

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- 1. Type of license or permit: Package store permit, and Beer Retailers Off-premises License.
2. Exact location of business: 350 ft. east of intersection of Highway 86 and FM 168 on North side of Highway 86.

3. Name of owner or owners: Simon Terrazas
4. Assumed or trade name: Cy's Country Store
Any Person shall be permitted to contest the facts stated in said application and the applicant's right to secure said license or permit upon giving security for cost as provided by law.

WITNESS MY HAND this the 27th day of July, 1964. Zonell Maples, County Clerk Castro County, Texas By: Jo Braddock, Deputy

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2. Exact location of business: 558 feet from center of Highway 86, North on the East side of Farm to Market Road 168. Castro County Texas.

3. Name of owner or owners: Lawrence E. Green.

4. Green's Package Store No. 2.

Any Person shall be permitted to contest the facts stated in said application and the applicant's right to secure said license or permit upon giving security for costs as provided by law.

WITNESS MY HAND this the 28th day of July, 1964. (SEAL)

Zonell Maples, County Clerk Castro County, Texas By: Jo Braddock, Deputy

NOTICE

The Commissioners Court of Castro County, Texas will hold a public hearing on the 1964 - 1965 Annual Budget on August 24, 1964 at 10:00 a.m. in the County Commissioners Court Room in the Castro County Court House.

Raymond E. Wilson County Judge Castro County, Texas 42-2tc

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# PICKLES. PICKLES --WE'RE HARVESTING TONS OF THEM!

Castro County's cucumber harvest will reach its peak next week, with an average export of 75 tons per day.

Six Castro County farms are providing these potential pickles at contract prices to Western Produce Co., which is trucking them from the T&T Gin in Dimmitt in packing companies in Phoenix, Fort Worth and La Junta, Colo.

Eventually, the bright green vegetables will come back to local stores—and to pickle fanciers in

11 other states—in every imaginable form, from dill to sweet to relish.

Overseeing the local harvest is George Benschmidt of La Junta, Colo., president of Western Produce Co. His firm has also contracted with farmers around Floydada, Muleshoe and Seagraves.

Castro County produced one of the highest per-acre yields in Texas last year, and Benschmidt said the county "shows signs of being one of the top producers again this year—not only in amount, but in quality."

Six Castro County farmers are growing cucumbers this year for Western Produce:

Carl King of Easter.

Don and Austin Mobley, Easter.

H. C. and Andy Nelson, one and one-half mile west of Dimmitt.

Ray Robertson, one-fourth mile south of Dimmitt.

Truman Touchstone, Bethel.

Jay Lee Touchstone, Flagg.

These six farms have a total of 175 acres in cucumbers, and they're expected to produce four million pounds in 10 to 15 pickings. The first truck-load came in July 17, and the harvest will continue until mid-September.

To date, 35 semi-truck rigs have left Dimmitt with cucumber loads averaging 45,000 pounds. That's almost 1,600,000 pounds of pickles so far, with the harvest less than half over.

All these cucumbers are the same variety—SMR 58. These innocent-looking greens with burdensome name replaced the MR-17 variety that was grown here last year.

When they reach the packing plants in La Junta, Fort Worth and Phoenix, Castro County's cucumbers will be graded, brined, sugared, vinegar'd, sliced, chopped, pulverized, bottled and labeled.

Then they'll be retailed under many different brand names in chain stores, super markets and corner groceries in a dozen states—Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, Oklahoma, Kansas, Colorado, Utah, Nebraska, Missouri, Wyoming, South Dakota and North Dakota.

And yes, you can buy locally grown pickles at our local stores. They're marketed here under the Western Maid and Best Maid labels.

"I don't know of any store here that isn't carrying Castro County pickles right now," Benschmidt said. "These all come from the packing plants in La Junta and Fort Worth."

Is there any chance more cucumbers will be grown in Castro County in future years?

Funeral services for Virgil Bills, 57, former Dimmitt resident, were held last Thursday at Blackburn-Shaw Memoria Chapel in Amarillo. Officiating at the last rites were Gary German, minister of East Amarillo Church of Christ, and Roy Dunivan, associate minister. Burial was in Llano Cemetery.

Mr. Bills, who had lived in Amarillo 23 years, died July 28 in Northwest Texas Hospital. He was a warehouseman for Bowman Biscuit Co. in Amarillo.

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Besides his wife, his survivors include a son, Richard; two brothers, Grover and Dewey; two sisters, Mrs. Lela Baker and Mrs. Nora Harvey; and one granddaughter.

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Rev. M. A. Pennington, pastor, said the ordination is open to all friends and interested persons in the area.



WORKERS PICK CUCUMBERS ON RAY ROBERTSON FARM . . . Harvest will reach its peak next week



SACKED CUCUMBERS READY FOR CROSS COUNTRY TRIP . . . Next stop: pickle plant at La Junta, Colo.

Main reason for the high labor requirement is that the pickle is fickle. Cucumbers are 90 per cent water, so they must be kept wet continually during the harvest season. And while all this irrigation is going on, workers must also make 10 to 15 pickings during the eight-week harvest season to catch the perishable vegetable in its prime stage. Most of Castro County's cucumber will eventually grace the great American sandwich—the hamburger. Benschmidt said the biggest consumption of the entire pickle market is in hamburger slices and relish.

## C. Wood Is Named 'Fireman of Year'

Clarence "Dagwood" Wood was named "Fireman of the Year" at the Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Dept.'s annual supper Saturday night at Graham's Steak House.

He was chosen from the department's 29 volunteer firemen as the firefighter who missed the least

number of meetings, fires and practice sessions during the year.

In presenting Wood with the "Fireman of the Year" trophy, Fire Marshal Guy Waldrop noted that

Wood had missed only six departmental meetings and six fires during the year to lead all volunteer firemen in points.

Guest speaker at Saturday night banquet was Earl Phillips of Hereford, second vice-president of the Texas Firemen's Association.

The dinner was for all volunteer firemen and their wives.

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## Plan Adopted For Weevil Control

"This program to stop the boll weevils' spread to the cotton-rich Plains is not just a need—it's a vital necessity."

This sums up the thinking of a group of the nations leading "weevil experts" who met in Lubbock recently. The experts—entomologists representing USDA, Texas A & M University, Texas Tech, and the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and Extension Service—met to finalize plans for a far-reaching boll weevil control program.

(This group serves as a Technical Advisory Committee for the boll weevil control program.)

The program provides for not only keeping the boll weevil off the Plains, but also to push the costly insect further back to the east. This would have the added benefit of reducing cost of chemicals and applications for growers in counties adjacent to the Plains on the east.

Dr. J. C. Gaines, head of the entomology department at Texas A & M University, said boll weevil control costs in areas of Texas where the insect is a problem runs \$6 to \$36 an acre or more annually. In addition, up to 20 per cent of the potential cotton crop is lost to the boll weevil.

A second meeting was conducted for the Area wide Boll Weevil Committee and county agricultural agents representing the 23 counties served by Plains Cotton Growers Association. The county agents and committee-men developed plans for the intensive educational program that will be carried out in the 23-county area.

The educational program is a must for smooth, effective operation of the boll weevil control program in all participating counties, says Don Rummel, Area Extension Entomologist.

Several important points were explained and others clarified in the Technical Advisory Committee meeting. One of the most significant statements concerned the

spray program, which will begin this fall. This phase is the "heart" of the weevil control program. The goal is to suppress the boll weevil below the Caprock to such an extent that it won't spread on the Plains.

It was made clear by Dr. Perry Adkisson, Texas A & M University entomologist, that each and every cotton grower in the area to be sprayed must participate.

"Just one grower could provide a 'hot spot' which would allow weevils to survive and repopulate the area the coming spring," Dr. Adkisson pointed out. As for how fast a weevil can move in one season, Dr. Adkisson cited this example: "In Missouri, weevils moved 90 miles in just one year to invade another area—until then, weevil-free."

County Agent Charles Hottel said the Plains Cotton Growers and the federal government this year will each deduct 50 cents per bale to be invested in the weevil control program.

It was emphasized by the entomologists the weevil's ability to

spread out over a lot of territory in a short time should be cause for concern. "This should be ample evidence to all Plains growers that this fight against the weevil doesn't belong solely to Plains Farmers bordering the Caprock to the east," the entomologist stressed. "If conditions happen to be right and Plains growers' guard was relaxed, the weevil could soon be 'knocking on New Mexico's door,'" it was emphasized.

Archie Geiser of USDA's Plant Pest Control Division, and several of his co-workers, reported the initial spray program this fall would take place in Dickens, Floyd, Crosby, Motley, Garza and Briscoe counties—and possibly others if the weevils' spread warrants.

The Texas Department of Agriculture will be in charge of getting contracts signed for each individual cotton farm. These contracts provide an agreement between the farmer and USDA, Texas Department of Agriculture, and PGC for the spray program to be carried out.

Farms in the fall spray program

area will be sprayed with a chemical for overwintering (diapause) weevil control three and possibly four times. Dr. Sloan Jones of Plant Pest Control, said the spraying will be done by private planes whose pilots will be under contract to Plant Pest Control for the spraying operation.

Thinking of the entomologists was that the first spray for overwintering weevil kill should take place about Sept. 10. Applications will follow at about 10-day intervals.

Choice of a chemical—or chemicals—for the fall spraying program also came up for discussion. It was not decided which chemicals would best serve the purpose of being both economical, relatively safe for use in populated areas and effective. Plant Pest Control officials told the group a series of research tests were underway to evaluate several chemicals. Three chemicals—each known to be effective for such a program—are now being evaluated. Final selection of the chemical to be used will take place shortly.

## Woman Is Cited For Hit-and Run

A Dimmitt lady was cited for hit-and-run after her car crashed into two vehicles more than a block apart Monday night.

Charged with leaving the scene of an accident was Mrs. Margaret Whitten, 306 NW Second. She told Marshal W. W. Jones that she hit a 1960 Chevrolet El Camino owned by Wade Kirby, then side-swiped a 1958 Ford owned by Winifred Fuller while she was backing away from the first accident.

The Kirby and Fuller vehicles were parallel parked more than a block apart on Second Street, Marshal Jones said.

She told Jones she "got excited" after the collision and drove home without reporting the accidents.

Her 1956 Buick was located Tuesday after a search.

Jones estimated the total damage to all three vehicles at \$400.

## Last Rites Today For Mr. Landroop

Funeral services are scheduled at 10:30 a.m. today (Thursday) for T. N. Landroop, 91, longtime Plainview resident and father of Rev. Earl Landroop, former pastor of Dimmitt's First Baptist Church.

Last rites will be in College Heights Baptist Church in Plainview with Dr. John Traylor, pastor, officiating.

Mr. Landroop died about 2:15 a.m. Tuesday while visiting a son, George, in Lamar, Colo.

A second service will be held at 4:30 a.m. in Lone Oak Baptist Church in Lone Oak, Okla., where burial will take place. Lemons

Funeral Home of Plainview is in charge of arrangements.

Born in Lauderdale County, Ala., Mr. Landroop moved to Hopkins County, Tex., in 1889 with his parents. There he married Lenora Gertrude Preston in 1898. In 1905 he moved with his wife and five children to Indian Territory. He moved to Plainview in 1939 from Sayre, Okla.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Vernon Lewis of Plainview, four sons, Earl of Clovis, Emmett L. of Durant, Okla., Ernest of Sayre, Okla., and George of Lamar, Colo.; five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

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This milk, however, was in addition to about 123,266,000 half-pints served with Type A lunches, says John J. Slaughter, southwest area food distribution division director, USDA Agricultural Marketing Service, Dallas.

Special milk was provided at 3,613 public and private schools, child care centers, summer camps and other non-profit institutions, said Slaughter. It was served primarily at mid-morning and mid-afternoon breaks.

Milk for the program was purchased locally, explains Slaughter. The USDA furnished a cash reimbursement averaging about three-and-one-half cents per half-pint or approximately \$3,835,000 for Texas during the year.

These reimbursements enabled children to purchase milk at reduced prices, Slaughter points out. Milk is especially important to youngsters as a body-building food and is a source of calcium, protein and riboflavin.

The program is administered by the AMS in cooperation with participating state agencies and institutions to help and encourage children to drink more milk.

## OUTDOORS IN TEXAS

Nearly every Texas stockman will agree that his Number 1 Animal Enemy today is the coyote. Unfortunately for Texas stockmen there has been a coyote population explosion—a steady increase in the number of coyotes—the past few years.

Simultaneously another problem has arisen—an increase in the use of Western range by humans. This was unfortunate in that it prevented the scattering of cyanide poisons to control the coyote population. Such a control method is unique in areas where hunters, fishermen, campers, hikers, photographers, rockhounds, or just plain visitors with newfound leisure hours abound.

Cyanide cannot be safely used where children play. Nor can poisons selective to the canine family be employed where the tourists' pet dog will roam.

The coyote doesn't mind the increase in people, for Don Coyote is very adaptable but increased public use of the great outdoors has hampered the activities of the predator control men.

With curtailed predator control, the sheepmen suffered great losses. The mohair goat raiser found it almost impossible to operate at a profit. Poultrymen suffered too. In Texas and Oklahoma, coyotes caused heavy losses among newborn calves.

Something had to be done to stop the population explosion of coyotes without endangering the vacation seekers who invaded the scenic wonderlands of the West. So new tactics are being employed.

Wildlife researchers in the U. S. Department of Interior (Fish and Wildlife Service) have come up with a plan of birth control—for coyotes.

Planned parenthood for predators is fast becoming a reality. Don Balsler, a research scientist with the Bureau's control methods section, operates out of the Wildlife Research Center in Denver, Colorado. There he is testing the coyotes during the breeding season. Initial results have been good.

The coyote that eats a bait treated with this reproduction inhibiting chemical simply does not become pregnant.

If embryo implantation has taken place when the stillbirth is ingested, the embryos are resorbed by the female, and she does not give birth. The coyote doesn't know that any change has taken place, but when the annual crop of pups is prevented from being born, the population of coyotes in the treated area drops sharply.

It seems that research has come up with a tool in coyote control which comes near to pleasing every one. Groups of people who objected to other control methods in the belief that they were cruel or caused suffering to the animal can find no objection to the reproduction inhibitor which causes no pain, no suffering—no change at all—except no pups are born that spring.

Those who feared coyote control programs because of alleged harmful effects on other species can now rest easier. The breeding season of coyotes coincides with the breeding season of very few other mammals. Hence, only the coyote is affected.

Dog lovers who objected to poisons traps and cyanide getters because they feared for Old Rover's safety, can relax when method of control is the reproduction inhibitor. If a dog takes one of the stillbirth habits, the only result is that it cannot be bred that particular season.

As coyotes come into season only once a year—and dogs more often—there can be no loss to the dog lover.

Sheepmen who feared the coyote because it killed hapless newborn lambs in the spring of the year when it had a den full of pups to feed, can breathe easier. Relieved of the necessity of foraging for a litter of hungry pups, the adult coyote does not need to kill as often and is more apt to content itself with natural foods—killing the sheep.

In 1963, a team of men operating

## Two-Car Wreck Draws Citation

An improper left turn was blamed for a two-car accident Sunday at the intersection of Highway 86 and Northeast Fifth.

Alberto Almaraz of Little Juaraz Motel was cited for cutting a corner, driving without a license and failure to yield right of way after his 1958 Chevrolet collided with a 1963 Chevrolet driven by Carl Richard Allison of Route 5, Hereford.

Marshal W. W. Jones said Almaraz cut across the intersection of Northeast Fifth and skidded into the path of Allison's vehicle, which was traveling west on Highway 86. Allison had not yet reached the intersection when the accident occurred, Jones said.

Damage was estimated at \$200 to Almaraz' car and \$450 to the Allison auto.

under Mr. Balsler's direction, placed the reproduction inhibiting baits on a 720-square mile area in southeastern New Mexico. Government trappers kept track of the number of denning females taken. They performed autopsies on all females taken in normal control operations. Results were very encouraging. So far, the testing area is being enlarged.

At the present time, reproduction inhibiting baits are being exposed on the Mt. Home desert in Idaho, and on 150 townships in southern New Mexico. These areas were selected either because they had the worst areas that have been traditional trouble spots, with heavy losses to marauding coyotes.

After the drug has had time to take effect, Mr. Balsler's men will take every coyote they can to examine reproductive tracts and to determine whether or not the Planned Parenthood Program has succeeded or failed.

Research Scientist Balsler is careful to point out that this program still is in its research stage, but livestock interests all over the West are watching eagerly for the results of the larger tests of this spring. If initial results of 1963 are confirmed by the more extensive tests of 1964, then we can say that research has solved still another knotty problem of wildlife management.

Perhaps Planned Parenthood for Coyotes is the answer.

### HOSPITAL VISITOR

Mrs. R. B. Boren, 409 W. Jones, visited her brother-in-law, J. V. Spikes, in an Amarillo hospital Monday.

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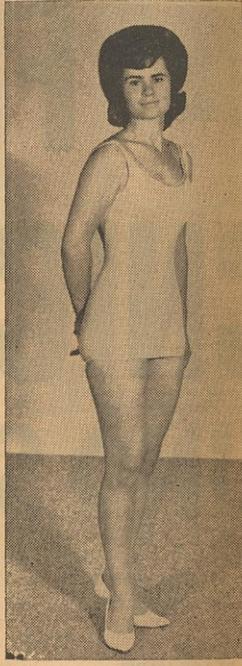
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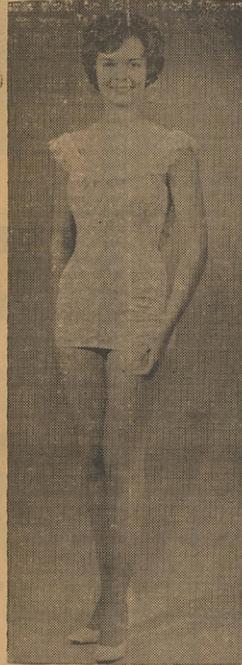
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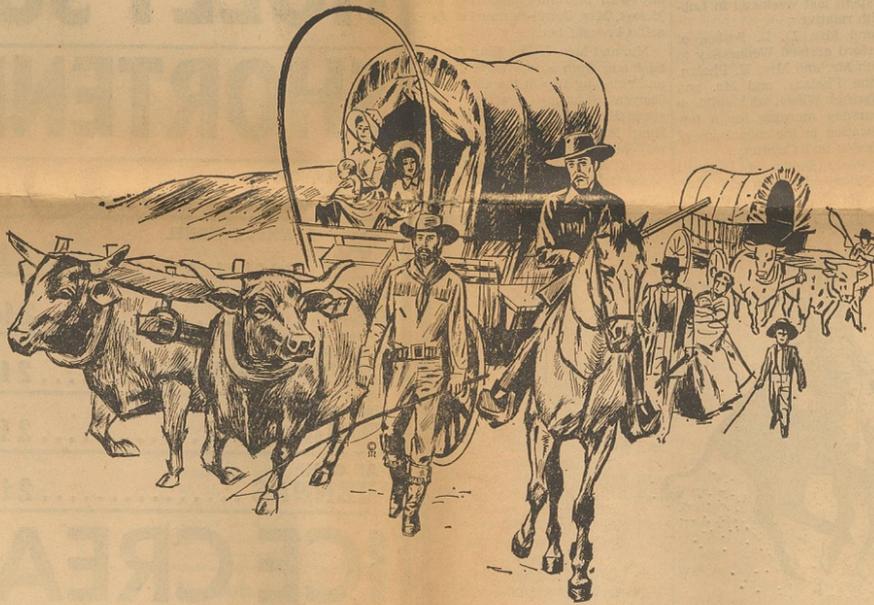


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**AUGUST 15**

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# NEWS FROM SUNNYSIDE

Rev. M. D. Durham and Myles Sadler took six Junior boys to Plains Baptist Assembly Monday. They were Stanley Harris, Jackie Fincher, Arnold and Terry Fincher, Buddy King, and Lonnie Wilson. They returned Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Doughty, Robert and Karen of Coshocton, Ohio arrived last Saturday and visited until this Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Graham and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Duke and Mrs. Bob Gunderson and children of Roseburg, Oregon visited in Amarillo and were supper guests of relatives Monday evening. Mrs. Gunderson and children left by train for Oregon Monday night.

Mrs. Pearl Sadler of Dimmitt visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler.

The deacons of the church had a

special prayer meeting at the church Monday night in addition to their regular meeting.

Mrs. Curtis Pruitt and Judy of Midland visited Monday through Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ivey and Mokey. Mokey took them home.

Mr. Weldon Bradley escaped with minor injuries to himself and considerable damage to his plane when he crash-landed on his airstrip Tuesday morning. He sent the plane to Plainview for repair.

Mr. Earl Loudder of Lubbock visited Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bowden.

Mrs. Ezell Sadler entertained in her home Tuesday afternoon with a jewelry party.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ott and family of Fairburn, South Dakota arrived Tuesday evening to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ott and other relatives.

Mrs. Ezell Sadler was admitted to Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt Tuesday evening and underwent minor surgery Wednesday morning. She was dismissed Friday morning.

Up to .90 inch of rain was received in the north part of the community Tuesday night. Lesser amounts were received in the south part.

Mrs. J. T. Holcomb was dismissed from Plainview Hospital and Clinic Wednesday. She is still confined to her bed most of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holcomb and Betty Sue left Wednesday to visit in Weatherford with relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Harry Harris arrived from Fort Worth Tuesday. She and the children who have been visiting here and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley, Molly and Lee attended the Dixon Family Reunion in Lubbock Wednesday night and Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradley attended Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Tom Messer and children returned to their home in Lubbock Wednesday after visiting the first part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Loudder.

Mrs. J. E. Shirey and Jimmy was in Levelland Tuesday to be with her sister, Mrs. Glenn Reid, who underwent major surgery there Monday. They also visited the Bob Walke family and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shirey while in Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cooper and family spent last week-end in Lubbock with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Sosbee of Weatherford arrived Wednesday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. Phelan. They, the Phelans, and Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson and children left Thursday morning for a few days vacation in the mountains of New Mexico and Colorado.

Mrs. Pearl Sadler of Dimmitt visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. Ezell Sadler and spent Friday night

and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler and Cindy returned home from their vacation and came by for Susan Friday. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Sadler and Myles until Sunday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges returned home from Weatherford Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. John Bridges and boys of Earth visited with them Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Scott and boys of Farwell visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley and family. Steven and Johnny stayed to visit with them until Thursday while their parents attend a Coaching School.

Janice Blackburn was home from Abilene for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moore of Weatherford arrived Saturday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan and their son Kevin who has been visiting the Phelans. They will take Kevin home Tuesday. They visited in the Sunday Services with the Phelans.

All the children of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ott wee together Saturday night in the Irvin Ott home in the Big Square Community for a Chicken Fry. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ott, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Loudder and Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon from the community, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mitchell, Springlake, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ott from Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ott from Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ott from South Dakota. Several of the grandchildren were present also. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ott and family left Monday morning to return to their home in South Dakota.

Rev. and Mrs. Paul McClung and family of New Home were supper guests of Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Durham and Marvalynne Thursday night.

Treva Sugart of Dimmitt spent Wednesday through Saturday with Sandy Loudder. Vickie Powell of Dimmitt spent Wednesday through Saturday with Paula Loudder, and Judy Humphry of Hart spent the week-end with Nancy Loudder.

Mrs. Floyd Ivey's mother, Mrs. Wright from Abilene, visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Ivey and Mokey. Mrs. Jewel Bernard of Amarillo brought her.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving King returned home from a two week fishing and camping trip in the Cimmaron Canyon Saturday evening. They spent Friday night with the Billy King family in Dumas on their way home. On this trip Mr. King caught a two and three-fourths pound trout which was 20 inches long. It was the largest trout that

had been caught at that lake this year.

Mrs. Harry Harris and family left Saturday morning to return to their home in Palmyra, Missouri after an extended visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Fincher and family and Mr. and Mrs. Duard Harris and family attended a family reunion in Levelland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradley and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hedrick and boys attended the Bearden Reunion in Lubbock Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Durham had lunch in Plainview with Rev. and Mrs. Tom Reynolds and children. Marvalynne Durham spent the week-end in Lubbock with Linda Harford.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edd Wheat and Bill Ernest of Springlake had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shirey and Jimmy. Bill Ernest spent Sunday night with them.

72 attended Union School with 49 in Training Union Sunday. The Sunbeams and their parents were recognized in the Sunday morning service and plans announced for the Sunbeam Christmas in August this next week.

## Agriculture Boosts Texas' Economy In Big Way

The value of Texas' farm and range production is exceeded by only one other raw material, oil. The state's total yearly agricultural production value exceeds the payroll for manufacturing, the total of construction awards, or the payroll for retail trades, says John G. McHaney, Extension economist, Texas A & M University.

Farm and ranch production each year has a total value of about \$2.4 billion. However, explains McHaney, agriculture adds much more to our total economy than just income from the sale of products. Of the \$2.4 billion received by farmers and ranchers, \$1.8 billion is paid to suppliers for items used in the production of agricultural commodities. About 12 percent of all Texans are engaged in supplying these production items.

Business firms which assemble, process, distribute, transport, whole

sale, and retail the products of Texas' farms and ranches employ about 20 percent of the labor force of the state and add about \$3.9 billion to the agribusiness economy. Their primary concern, says McHaney, is to get the agricultural products to the final consumer in the desired form and at the right time and place.

The sale of agricultural products plus the costs of processing and distributing them annually adds about \$6.3 billion to the state's economy, notes economist. The economic destiny of most Texas counties hinges primarily on the agribusiness economy, he adds.

The future of the Texas agricultural industry will belong to those who work to keep their agricultural economy competitive with other

areas of the nation and world, McHaney emphasizes. Agriculture, he adds, is no longer a way of life but rather a big competitive business.

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Junior Choir 7:30 p.m.  
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Beginner Choir 8:15 p.m.  
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Church School 10:00 a.m.  
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**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Proposed **CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT**  
NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 3, 1964.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10 proposing an Amendment to Section 51a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new Subsection to be known as 51a-2, giving the Legislature the power to provide, under such limitations and restrictions as may be deemed by the Legislature expedient, for direct or vendor payments for medical care on behalf of individuals sixty-five (65) years of age or over who are not recipients of Old Age Assistance and who are unable to pay for needed medical services; providing for the acceptance of financial aid from the Government of the United States for such medical payments; providing that the amounts paid out of state funds shall never exceed the amount that is matchable out of Federal funds for such purposes; providing that certain means relating to the correction or remedying of abnormalities of vision shall be included within such medical care service or assistance; providing for the necessary election, form of ballot, proclamation, and publication.

Section 1. That Section 51a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Subsection to be known as Subsection 51a-2, which shall read as follows:

"Subsection 51a-2. The Legislature shall have the power to provide by General Laws and to make payment for same, under such limitations and restrictions as may be deemed by the Legislature expedient, for direct or vendor payments for medical care on behalf of needy individuals sixty-five (65) years of age or over who are not recipients of Old Age Assistance, and who are unable to pay for needed medical services. The payments for such medical assistance on behalf of such needy individuals shall be in such amounts as provided by the Legislature; provided, however, that the amounts paid out of state funds for such purposes shall never exceed the amount that is matchable out of Federal funds for such purposes; 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.

"The Legislature shall have the authority to accept from the Government of the United States, such financial aid in the form of medical assistance on behalf of the needy individuals sixty-five (65) years of age or over who are not recipients of Old Age Assistance, and who are unable to pay for needed medical services, as such Government may offer not inconsistent with restrictions herein set forth."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at the General Election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1964, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution giving the Legislature the power to authorize vendor payments for medical care on behalf of needy individuals sixty-five (65) years of age and over who are not recipients of Old Age Assistance, and who are unable to pay for needed medical services; providing for the acceptance of funds from the Federal Government for the purpose of paying such medical assistance; and providing that the amounts paid out of state funds for such purposes shall never exceed the amount that is matchable out of Federal funds; 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."

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published and held as required by the Constitution and the laws of the State of Texas.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Proposed **CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT**  
NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 3, 1964.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6 proposing an amendment to Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to remove the authorization to transfer not exceeding one per cent annually of the total value of the permanent school fund to the available school fund.

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

Section 1. Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas is amended to read as follows:

"Section 5. The principal of all bonds and other funds, and the principal arising from the sale of the lands heretofore set apart to said school fund, shall be the permanent school fund, and all the interest derivable therefrom and the taxes herein authorized and levied shall be the available school fund. The available school fund shall be applied annually to the support of the public free schools. And no law shall ever be enacted appropriating any part of the permanent or available school fund to any other purpose whatever; nor shall the same, or any part thereof ever be appropriated to or used for the support of any sectarian school; and the available school fund herein provided shall be distributed to the several counties according to their scholastic population and applied in such manner as may be provided by law."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1964, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment to remove the authorization to transfer not exceeding one per cent annually of the total value of the permanent school fund to the available school fund."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment to remove the authorization to transfer not exceeding one per cent annually of the total value of the permanent school fund to the available school fund."

Section 3. The Governor 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.



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Wednesday—  
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Choir Practice 8:30 p.m.

**Sunnyside Baptist Church**  
M. D. Durham — Pastor  
Sunday—  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Night—  
W. M. U. 7:00 p.m.  
Sunbeams 7:00 p.m.  
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**Lee Street Baptist Church**  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union 6:00 p.m.  
Women's Missionary Union  
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Wednesday—  
Bible Study and Prayer Meeting 8:00 p.m.  
Choir Practice 8:30 p.m.

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Sunday—  
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**Assembly of God Church**  
Rev. B. C. Elswick, Pastor  
Sunday—  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Christ Ambassadors and Sunshine Choir 6:00 p.m.  
Evangelistic Service 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday—  
Midweek Service 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday—  
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Communion Service 10:30 a.m.  
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Wednesday—  
Classes 7:30 p.m.  
Tuesday—  
Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.

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Schedule of Services:  
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Worship 9:30 a.m.  
Bible Study 10:40 a.m.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY:  
Bible Classes for all 8:00 p.m.

**First Christian Church**  
Sunday School 10:00  
Worship Hour 11:00  
Prayer Meeting 8:00 p.m.  
Training Union 6:00  
Worship Hour 7:00  
Wednesday—  
Mid-Week Services 7:30  
W. M. U. 8:30  
Brotherhood 1st Monday 7:30

**Macedonia Church**  
Monday night  
Workers Council 7:00  
Wednesday night  
Prayer Service 7:30  
Thursday night  
Fisher Meeting 8:00  
Friday Night - Choir Practice 8:30

**Joe Balles Latin American Mission**  
Rev. Rosalio Hernandez,  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00  
Training Union 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.  
Monday Afternoon  
Mission Service 2 p.m.  
Wednesday  
Western Circle  
Loren Dickey, Minister

**First Methodist Church**  
Hugh Blaylock, pastor  
Phone MI 7-3649  
Sunday—  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.  
Little Helpers, Vesper Choir  
Junior Choir 5:30 p.m.  
MYF 5:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday—  
Bible Study & Prayer 8:00 p.m.  
Fellowship Meeting on 4th Wed.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Proposed **CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT**  
NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 3, 1964.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 8 proposing an amendment to Section 59 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas establishing certain requirements relative to the enactment of laws affecting particular conservation and reclamation districts; providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.

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

Section 1. That Section 59 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Subsection which reads as follows:

"(d) No law creating a conservation and reclamation district shall be passed unless notice of the intention to introduce such a bill setting forth the general substance of the contemplated law shall have been published at least thirty (30) days and not more than ninety (90) days prior to the introduction thereof in a newspaper or newspapers having general circulation in the county or counties in which said district or any part thereof is or will be located and by delivering a copy of such notice and such bill to the Governor who shall submit such notice and bill to the Texas Water Commission, or its successor, which shall file its recommendation as to such bill with the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the House of Representatives within thirty (30) days from date notice was received by the Texas Water Commission. Such notice and copy of bill shall also be given of the introduction of any bill amending a law creating or governing a particular conservation and reclamation district if such bill (1) adds additional land to the district, (2) alters the taxing authority of the district, (3) alters the authority of the district with respect to the issuance of bonds, or (4) alters the qualifications or terms of office of the members of the governing body of the district."

Section 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 in November, 1964, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment establishing certain requirements relative to the enactment of laws affecting particular conservation and reclamation districts."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment establishing certain requirements relative to the enactment of laws affecting particular conservation and reclamation districts."

Section 3. The Governor 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.

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State Supreme Court took a recess last week after handing down a heavy volume of new rulings including one which in effect upheld the 1959 open beaches law.

High court declined to hear arguments attacking the law guaranteeing free access to the beaches and oceans. It left standing a Houston Court of Civil Appeals decision stating the public is entitled to use Gulf Coast beaches from the water to the vegetation line.

In other cases, the court: Permitted Texas Liquor Control Board to continue regulation of liquor exporters along the Mexican border during court attack on a law authorizing such control.

Set down arguments by State Board of Optometry Examiners to force Judge Dallas Blankenship of Dallas to rule on Dr. Ellis Carp's suit challenging its ethical practices order of 1959.

Overturned a contempt judgment against the city manager and mayor of Hurst, Tarrant County, in connection with a condemnation case involving land for drainage easements.

Agreed to review an Austin district court decision denying a state

savings and loan charter to Metropolitan Savings Association of Houston;

Refused review of a \$1,000,000 lawsuit in Hutchinson County brought by union members who claimed they were fired for following orders of their officials in a 1958 strike at Phillips Petroleum Company plants in the Texas Panhandle;

Refused a state AFL-CIO request to enjoin alleged "pro-employer lobbying" by Texas Employment Commission, leaving in effect lower court opinions.

Third Court of Civil Appeals overturned a district court ruling blocking Upshur Rural Electric Co-Op from building a \$9,000,000 power plant near One City. However, it held the co-op cannot sell power to non-members.

**APPOINTMENTS ANNOUNCED**—Gov. John Connally appointed James S. Naismith of Corpus Christi and Donald C. Klein of Odessa to the State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers. Col. Thomas C. Green of Austin was reappointed executive secretary.

Connally also reappointed Edwin Bucek, Edmund Hajovsky and Al-



**FIREMAN ELMER WALL (RIGHT) RECEIVES TUITION CHECK** . . . From Luke McGuire, Farm Bureau president

### Fireman Returns From School; Farm Bureau Pays Part Tuition

Elmer J. Wall of the Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Dept. was one of 140 volunteer firemen from 78 counties to attend the 35th annual Texas Firemen's Training School recently at Texas A & M.

Sponsored by the Farm Bureau, the firemen's training school ran from July 19 to 24 on the A&M campus.

Luke McGuire, president of the Castro County Farm Bureau, presented Wall with a check Monday as partial reimbursement for his expenses in attending the training school.

This is the second year that the

Farm Bureau has sponsored the training of volunteer firemen. McGuire said this is part of a statewide program coordinated by the Farm Bureau to reduce fire losses in rural areas.

Conducted by the Engineering Extension Service in cooperation with the Texas Education Agency, the school provided instruction on fire protection and prevention, as well as firefighting techniques.

The Farm Bureau-sponsored students also attended two special conferences on rural fire protection in addition to the school's regular courses.

fred Neumeyer Jr. of Hallettsville to the Board of Director of Lavaca County Flood Control District No. 3. He selected James Bozka, Hallettsville banker, to fill the unexpired term of Robert Ginder, resigned.

Hockley County school board's approval of the transfer of 25 students from Witharrat Independent School District to schools in Levelland, Littlefield and Anton was upheld by Education Commissioner J. W. Edgar.

Witharrat authorities asked the commission to prohibit the transfer which had been requested by parents of the children.

**REDISTRICTING "WORST YET"**

Sen. George Moffett of Chillum believes redrawing of state congressional districts is the hardest job ever to face the Texas Legislature. Moffett is chairman of a special committee studying the problem.

Moffett, who holds the all-time

record for continuous service in the Legislature (34 years), spoke out on the eve of his committee's fourth hearing in San Antonio.

Committee waded through five new redistricting plans at Bexar County hearing. Fifth hearing will be held in Lubbock on August 20.

Sen. Louis Crump of San Saba meanwhile announced he has called on Texas congressmen to support federal legislation authorizing states to retain full authority over both congressional and legislative apportionment.

**BURIAL ASSOCIATION RATES TO RISE**

State Board of Insurance has issued a notice to statewide and local aid associations and burial associations that they must adopt by November 1, rates which will produce enough income to build their mortuary funds up to the point where they can back up all promised policy holders.

This action followed a hearing by

the State Burial Association Rate Board at which State Insurance Department actuaries expressed alarm that many small local mutual and burial associations were not collecting large enough premiums to pay all potential claims.

Many associations already have voted to increase rates and two have obtained board approval.

Under the order, each of the 528 associations must appear before the Insurance Board between now and July 1, 1965, and prove they have rates in effect which will bring mortuary funds up to the reserves required by law.

**LEGISLATIVE INTERNS**

Seven State government trainees who will participate in the 1964-65 program to interest qualified persons in government careers have been appointed by Speaker of the House Byron Tunnell.

Program is co-sponsored by the State of Texas and the Ford Foundation.

First-year "interns" are Charles William Hoehne, Schulenburg, William G. Reid, San Marcos; Joe Ann Pankratz Siles, Comfort; Hubbard Scott Caven and Mrs. Clarice J. Davis, both of Austin; Jonathan S. Day, Houston; and Edward Lamar Farley, Delhi, La.

**ALAMO HIGHWAY**

State Highway Commission heard requests from a group of Texans representing cities from Texarkana to Round Rock. They asked that a route through their area be called "the Alamo Highway" and sought recommendations on ways to bring it to top condition by 1968.

Alamo Highway Association is made up of prominent boosters from cities and villages along U.S. 59 from Texarkana to Marshall, S.H. 43 from Marshall to Henderso U.S. 79 from Henderso to Round Rock, and I. H. 35 from Round Rock to San Antonio.

F. B. Elliott of Jacksonville, president of the association, said "1968 will be a banner year in which to attract people from all over the east and the north to follow the Alamo route to the Hemis Fair in San Antonio and to the Olympics in Mexico City."

Highway Commission did not grant the request immediately. But its members, Herb Petry of Carrizo Springs, Hal Woodward of Coleman and Jack Kultgen of Waco, expressed interest in the tourist

attraction idea.

**WATER AID**

Texas Water Commission has been busy trying to help communities suffering from the extreme drought.

In little more than a week's time, the Commission sent one of its members, H. A. Beckwith, to Brackettville to help that city drill a water well when Las Moras Spring went dry; granted Thordale a permit to pump 20 acre feet of water from the San Gabriel as an emergency measure; and secured a Kerr County court order restraining irrigators in the county from using water from the Guadalupe River and its tributaries for anything except domestic, municipal and livestock purposes.

**NEW ANIMAL HEALTH DIRECTOR NAMED**

Texas Animal Health Commission has picked Dr. S. B. Walker to replace Dr. R. G. Garrett as Executive Director of the commission when the latter retires to his Taylor farm in October.

Dr. Walker now is a supervising veterinarian for the Animal Health Commission. He received a bachelor's degree from Texas A&M in 1955, and his doctor of veterinary medicine degree in 1959. He's a native of Hillsboro.

**CONDEMNATION CASE CLINIC SET**

Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr's department will sponsor a three-day seminar on the trial of condemnation cases November 5-7 Carr is extending invitations to district, county and city attorneys, district and county judges and all attorneys who represent condemning authorities.

Among the speakers will be State Highway Engineer DeWitt C. Greer, former Atty. Gen. John Ben Sheppard, Supreme Court Justice James R. Norwell, George Thomp-

son of Sweetwater and Carr.

**EXTRADITION HEARING HELD**

Secretary of State Crawford Martin will recommend to Gov. Connally whether the governor should grant extradition of Melvin Lane Powers to Florida to face murder charges.

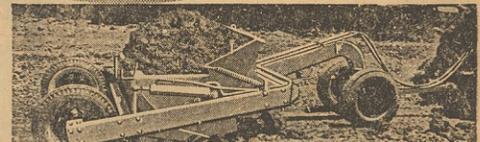
Martin conducted an extensive hearing on the request of Florida Gov. Farris Bryant to extradite Powers, 27, who is charged with the stab-killing of his wealthy uncle-by-marriage Jacques Mosler, 69. Defense Counsel Percy Foreman fought the request.

Parks and Wildlife Commission granted a special October archery season on buck deer in 28 counties. . . GOP congressional candidate Des Barry of Houston plans to appeal a State Board of Insurance ruling that his truck line, Galveston Truck Line Corp. must pay an extra-high rate for insurance because it is licensed by Federal permit only, and not by the Railroad Commission—1964 is a measles year for Texas according

to the State Health Department which reported 68,914 cases so far this year, compared to 17,978 in 1963. State Securities Board granted application this week from eight firms to sell \$2,800,000 worth of stocks—Attorney General Carr ruled that county mutual insurance companies qualified to write casualty insurance statewide may write all lines of automobile insurance on all motor vehicles—Carr also held that under certain conditions, a bequest to a charitable nonprofit corporation may be exempt from State inheritance taxes Governor Connally and Education Commissioner J. W. Edgar are being flooded by form letters (some mimeographed) protesting teaching of evolution in high school biology classes—Hays of Temple, Republican candidate for Congressman at Large, opened a State Campaign office in Austin.

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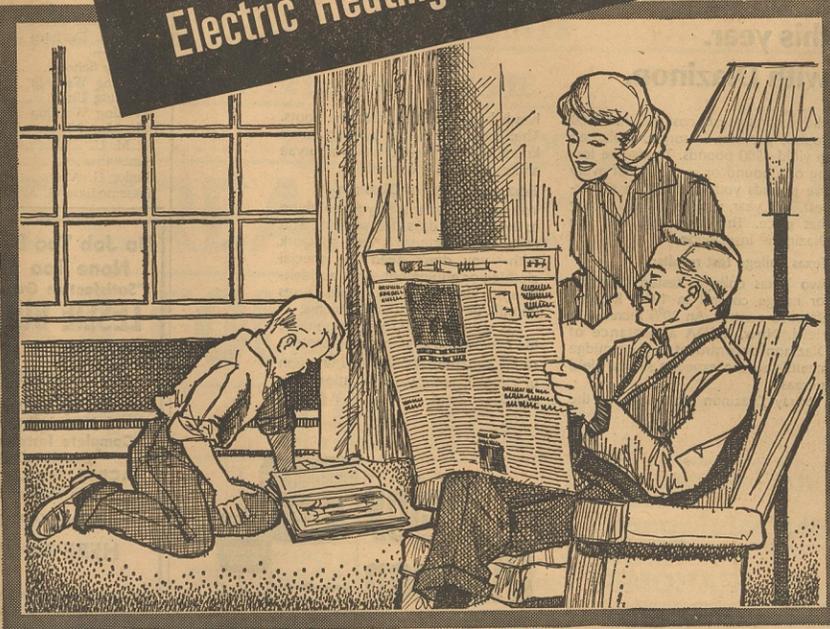
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