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nstitutional Amendment Vote Tuesday

August 1 Deadline ting Absentee Vote

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dents have until orize bond sale for increasing the Texas Water Plan.

> "Persons who plan to be away from home on Aug. 5 should remember to vote absentee," urges Gene Collins Jr., president of the Floyd County Water Association, which is endorsing the water amendment.

ds Needed To Send Club To State Playoff

and send a first time in history a Junior to Conroe, Tex- League from Floydada will be ek from every Junior League County Co-op The team is in ions for lodgduring their stay incidentally the

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Play-off. That's represented at a State Play-off. Carl Armstrong, league president, is appealing to all merchants and other residents of Floydada to assist in sending these boys to Conroe. A chartered bus is needed for the trip, Armstrong said, but from all indications unless a great deal more contributions come in, private cars will have to be

used. The team will leave Sunday and will play at least two games.

If they are eliminated then they return home. They have to play four games to win and Armstrong along with the coaches and the boys say "We are going to Conroe to win State." With confidence such as this, they need the help of the Floyd County people to back them all the

Take or mail your donations to Carl Armstrong at Case Power and Equipment in Floy-

Members of the team and their coaches are Ruben De-Leon, Jim Dempsey, Langston Williams, Brad Hagood, Edward Looney, Joe Jones, Steve DeLeon, Terry Jester, Mike Vinson, Max Yeary, Ricky Copp, Mike Muniz, bat boy Ralph DeLeon and coaches, Junior Bearden and Blas De-



FB QUEEN, RUNNER-UP AND LAST YEARS WINNER... are all smiles following the annual Farm Bureau Queen's contest held Tuesday night. Left is Susan Mosely, last years Queen, center is Becky Scheele, new queen, and to her right is Judy Probasco of Floydada, runner-up. (Staff Photo)

Miss Scheele Crowned Floyd Farm Bureau Queen For 1969

A Lockney miss who will be a Scheele senior in Lockney High School Queen Tuesday night following dada. the contest held in Floydada, She is Becky Scheele, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert view was master of ceremon-

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L.

Copelin of Floydada were noti-

fied by telegram Tuesday that

Pvt. Copelin Wounded In

Vietnam By Mine Fragments

this semester was crowned Probasco, daughter of Mr. and Ten. The welcome and intro-Floyd County Farm Bureau Mrs. K.E. Probasco of Floy-

Joe Ed Sullivan of Plain-

Runner-up was Miss Judy played by Miss Elaine Warduction were by Neil Bertrand, Farm Bureau president of Floyd County.

Queen contestants were Rise Beedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Beedy of Lockney, Becky Copelin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Copelin of Floydada, Judy Probasco, Becky Scheele and Pat Mc-Carty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truett McCarty. Another contestant, Jill Stansell of Floydada, withdrew from the contest earlier in the week due to being out of town the

night of the event. Miss Scheele will compete in the District Queen's Contest to be held in Lubbock in August. If she is unable to participate Miss Probasco, as runner - up, will represent Floyd County.

Those on the contest committee were Mmes. Joe Taylor, Pete Mosley, Bill Race, Edwin Teeter, Joe Jones and Mrs. Mal Jarboe. Usherettes were Penny Ber-

trand and Rise Taylor. A reception honoring the contestants, their parents and oth-

er special guests was held in the Farm Bureau conference room following the contest.

Nine Amendments On Ballot

Floyd County voters go to the Community Center; Precinct mony, Precinct 16, Roy Hale polls Tuesday, August 5, to vote on nine proposed constitutional amendments.

Voting places open at 8 a.m. and close at 7 p.m. The nine amendments are

as follows: The Deadwood Amend-

2. Water Development Bonds. 3. Raising Salaries of the Lt. Governor, Speaker of the House and members of the Legisla-

4. Exempting property of nonprofit water supply companies from taxation.

5. Raising State welfare ceiling from \$60 million to \$80 million.

6. Removing constitutional limits on interest rates to be charged on public debt. 7. Broadening authority for

making assistance payments to survivors of public officers, employees, and agents. 8. Authorizing an additional \$200 million in bonds to fi-

nance student loan program. 9. Providing for annual sessions of the Legislature. A complete explanation of all

the amendments is published on page 6 of this edition of the Hesperian by the League of Women Voters of Texas.

County voting places are as follows:

Precinct 1, Floydada First National Bank; Precinct 3, Allmon Gin; Precinct 4, Sandhill Community Center; Precinct 5, Lockney City Hall; Precinct 7, Providence School: Precinct 8, Lone Star School; Precinct 9, South Plains School; Precinct 11. Cedar Hill Baptist Church: Precinct 13, Baker Community at the Elevator; Precinct 15, Lakeview Store;

Precinct 16, Harmony Community Center; Precinct 17, Farmount Baptist Church; Precinct 18, Methodist Church; Precinct 19, Floydada City Hall; Precinct 20, Dougherty School; Precinct 21, Sterley

Whirlwind Band Starts Practice August Eleven

The Floydada High School Whirlwind Band will begin practice Monday, August 11. Band members in grades 9 through 12 will meet at the Band Hall at 7 p.m. Members who cannot attend are asked to contact Director Jim

Swofford. A special rehearsal for Student Drill Instructors will be held August 7 and 8 at 7 p.m. Since a completely new style of marching will be used this it is very important that every

22, McCoy Gin; Precinct 23, and David Battey Jr.; West Floyd County Court Room; Precinct 24, North end of the Courthouse.

Election Judges are: Southwest Floydada, Precinct Eastham; McCoy, Precinct 22, 1, R.M. Battey, election judge H. A. Tardy and Turner Hunter; and Wilson Fowler, associate; Allmon, Precinct 3, Marvin Shurbet and Mrs. R. M. Morris; Mrs. Albert Mankins; East

Scheele and Mrs. Ewald Quebe; South Plains, Precinct 9, Bryan Karr and Don Probasco; Baker, Precinct 13, Malvin Jarboe and A. C. Pratt; Har-

Lockney, Precinct 18, C. L. Mooney and Mrs. Chester Mitchell; Dougherty, Precinct 20, Mrs. Ruth Daniel and Carmel

Northeast Floydada, Precinct 24, Mrs. C. M. Smith and Providence Precinct 7, Albert Lockney, Precinct 5, J. D. Copeland and Floyd Wofford; Lone Star, Precinct 8, H. E. Frizzell and Mrs. Clyde Farrish; Cedar Hill, Precinct 11,

Solomon Hamilton Is New Employe At ASCS Office

Jon J. LaBaume, District Conservationist with the Floyd County Soil Conservation Service announced this week that Solomon Hamilton has been transferred from Livingston, Texas to Floydada, Hamilton will assume the Soil Conservationist position, the same as he held in Livingston. He has been with the SCS two years, starting his career at Beaumont, Texas.

Hamilton, 34, is married to the former Carolyn Payton of

Livingston. They have no children

Hamilton is a 1954 graduate of Prairie View A&M College with a degree in Vocational Agriculture. He served three years in the Armed Forces and has also served as a substitute teacher. Mrs. Hamilton is a graduate of Prairie View A&M with a degree in Education, She has been hired to teach in the Floydada school system this coming school year.

They are members of the Methodist Church



SOLOMON HAMILTON...new ASCS employe is being familiarized in the local office. Fay Gooch, soil conservationist, is pictured with Hamilton, who moved to Floydada recently from the Living-(Staff Photo) ston, Texas office.

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THE BROWN RECLUSE

tributed to spider bites. If you sustain a bite from a spider and are in doubt as to its species, go to your physician for medical attention. Members of this species usually are found in or near

human habitations. They may be observed in bathrooms, bedrooms and closets, on the underside of tables and chairs, behind baseboards and door facings or in corners and crevices. These spiders also can be found in cellars and garages which are not cleaned often and the contents are not disturbed for relatively long periods

The recluse is a nonaggressive species that spins off white to grayish nondescript webs. Many instances of bites occur when persons inadvertantly entrap these spiders in folds of clothing that is allowed to hang undisturbed for rather long periods or by rol-

asleep. Draperies are a likely place to find them as well.

The spider is of medium size and varies from 3/10 to 1/2 inch in length. Their coloring varies from an orange-yellow to dark brown and some may even be almost black. The body is clothed with short - slight pubescence and the legs, eight of them, are long, somewhat darker than the body, being well covered with short dark hairs.

Probably the most distinguishing characteristics are the presence of three pairs of eyes arranged in a semicircle on the forepart of the head, and the musical instrument shape, that of a violin or guitar, on the back.

The bite of the spider, according to entomologists, feels like a pin prick. In some instances it may not even be felt. Usually, a slight local swelling and two red spots with local redness indicate where the bite occurred. The pain becomes intense in one to three hours and may continue up to 48 hours. Symptoms are abdominal pains, rise in blood pressure, nausea, profuse perspiration, leg cramps, tremors, loss of muscle tone and vomiting. When the toxin reaches the respiratory centers, there is difficulty in breathing and prostration.

Frequent cleaning in closets and cellars will decrease the number of spiders in the quiet and undisturbed areas for nests entomologists say. Where possible, window shutters, step areas and related places should be washed off with water. Out buildings may be handled in the same manner.

Spray or dust outside the home with lindane, dieldrin or chlordane. Use a 0.2 to 0.5 percent lindane, 0.5 percent SEE SPIDER, PAGE 2 their son, Pvt. Johnny L. Copelin, had been wounded by mine fragments in Vietnam, Sunday, July 27.

Injuries resulted to his right foot which required amputation at the ankle, the telegram read in parts.

Pvt. Copelin, who had been in Vietnam the past six weeks, was returning from night defensive position with his platoon when a mine detonated.

The parents were told that Pvt. Copelin was hospitalized in Vietnam and were assured that the best medical attention was being provided. The Copelins were anxiously awaiting further word yesterday of their son's condition and when he might be able to be transferred to a hos-

pital in the States. The soldier took his basic training at Ft. Bliss and additional schooling at Fort Ord. He was classified as a senior student at Texas A&M before entering service. Pvt. Copelin has spent two summers in Floydada working one summer for Bill Norman and last summer

for Lon Davis. His father is manager of Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. in Floydada.

Local FFA Boys, Hesperian To Get Awards

Several from Floydada, including the Vocational Agriculture teachers will be in Austin August 5-8 to attend a state meeting and to participate in the In-Service Educational Workshop for teachers of Vocational Agriculture. Orville Harris and Jimmy Woodard will attend the three day session; Wendell Tooley, editor of the Floyd County Hesperian, will attend the Wednesday morning awards breakfast; and three Floyd County FFA boys will receive advanced degrees at the convention. They are Victor Smith, Joe Thurston and Wes Campbell; however, Campbell will be unable to attend.

The Hesperian will receive the Distinguished Service SEE FFA, PAGE 8



TOURNAMENT CHAMPS... Floydada Giants. Pictured front row, left to right, team mates Ronnie Stewart, Leslie Soto, Jay Womack, Tracy Brown, Barry Jones, Ernest Johnson, Tracy Womack; back row, Larry Stovall, Michael Curry, Keith Marricle, Rusty Holloday, Donzell Minner, Joe Womack, Randy Pierce, Maury Probasco and Coaches Bill Womack and Freddie Morren. Not pictured are Juan Herrera and Andy Guzman.

OBITUARIES

Don R. Davidson

Rev. Don R. Davidson, 60 longtime Methodist minister and executive director since 1960 of King's Manor, Hereford, died at 11:40 p.m. Monday in Deaf Smith County Hospital. He was hospitalized about

noon Monday after becoming il at King's Manor, Methodist home for the elderly

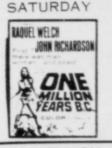
Services were held yesterday in the First United Methodist Church of Hereford. Officiating were Rev. Clifford Trotter, pastor, and Dr. Charles Lutrick, Amarillo. Burial was in West Park Cemetery, Hereford, under the direction of Gililland Funeral Home.

The Rev. Mr. Davidson was a former pastor of Asbury Methodist Church in Lubbock.



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Slime

oining Northwest Texas Methodist Conference in 1935 were at Westover, Idalou, White Deer, Munday, Hereford, Levelland and Andrews. Rev. Davidson held services in the Floydada church Sunday, July 20. He is the uncle of Wendell Tooley of

He was born April 10, 1909 in Temple, Okla., moving to Chillicothe in 1914 and finishing high school there in 1926, In 1964 he was honored with

Floydada

doctor of divinity degree by McMurry College, Abilene. He was founder and developer King's Manor and of

Westgate, the related nursing Memorials in form of contributions to King's Manor have been suggested by family

Survivors include his wife: a daughter, Mrs. Doseita Luker, Dallas; a son, Ronald, Texas U.B. Tech graduate student now in France; a brother, the Rev. Rollo Davidson of Phillips; three sisters, Mrs. F. H. Nesbitt of Lubbock, Mrs. Cecil Doss of nedy of Due West, S. C.; and six Baptist Church in Tahoka. grandchildren

STEELE RITES

Mrs. Aaron Carthel, Mrs. Ennis Cooley, Mrs. Velma Harrison and Lavirn Carthel of Lockney attended Memorial services for their aunt, Mrs. Susie Steele in Tims Chapel of Memories Monday morning.

Rev. Lonzo Battles of the nited Methodist Church offiiated. Interment was in Alus Cemetery.

Mrs. Steele is survived by ne son, Roy of Arlington, Va.

Gilberto Luna

Funeral rites for Gilberto Luna of Lockney were held Thursday in the San Jose Catholic Church in Lockney. Luna died in Lockney General Hospital shortly after arrival Tuesday morning of last week from an apparent heart seizure. He was the brother of Mrs. Cecelia Cortez of Floydada.

Luna was a native of Old Mexico and had been a resident of Lockney for the past 17 years and formerly served as janitor of the Lockney Hospital. He died at the age of 65.

Survivors include his wife, five sons, eight daughters, two sisters and two brothers.

Tomlinson

Funeral rites for Grover Bill Tomlinson, 65, father of Mrs. A.J. Jester of Floydada, were Plainview and Mrs. Robert Ken- held Tuesday in the Sweet Street

> Tomlinson died about midnight Saturday in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital where he had been hospitalized several

He was a retired farmer and had resided in Tahoka for the past 24 years.

Survivors include his wife, the former Jessie Lorene Bishop; four daughters; two sons; four sisters; five brothers and 11 grandchildren.



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MR. AND MRS. CLARENCE RATHEAL will be honored on their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, August 3 in the Pioneer Memorial Building in Crosbyton, Calling hours are from 2:30 until

Homerun Puts Giants Ahead

A home run in an extra inning by Donzell Minner of the Dougherty Giants put the ball club ahead to win over the Abernathy Astros in the Texas Teen-Age District Baseball Tournament being held in Matador this week. The Giants beat with a score of 6-5 and will be pitted

Hospital Notes

Margerita McCardo, OB, baby boy, admitted 7-29, continues treatment.

Dictoriana Herrera, admitted 7-24, continues treatment. Mrs. Mettie Carter continuestreatment

Don Ed Holmes continues Mrs. Sally Kimble continues

Nora Pope continues treat-Juliette Cook, admitted 7-

19, dismissed 7-24. Nedra Childs, admitted 7-20, dismissed 7-23.

Mrs. Reyes Topia, admitted 7-21, dismissed 7-24. Carolyn Williby, OB, baby girl, admitted 7-24, dismissed

Peggy Hardin, OB, baby boy, admitted 7-25, dismissed 7-27. Lydia Patrick, admitted 7-25, dismissed 7-25

Sarah Winton, admitted 7-28, Laura Burns, admitted 7-18.

against the Matador Blues tonight (Thursday) at 8:30. Winner of this game will be eligible

to play in regional competition next week in Monohans. Martin and Co., Red Sox of Floydada was beat by the Matador Blues to a score of 13-4 in their game Tuesday night. The Red Sox will play the Abernathy Astros tonight at 6:30

SPIDER,

FROM PAGE 1

dieldrin or 2 percent chlordane household spray inside the home and spray around windows, door facings and other places where the spiders may hide.

VOTE, FROM PAGE 1 Charley Pernell and Gerald

Lakeview, Precinct 15, V. W. Bradshaw and Don Harrison; Goodnight, Precinct 17,

Mrs. Jack Pigg and Mrs. Webb Taylor; Northwest Floydada, Precinct 19, Sid Brown and R. R. Ferguson; Sterley, Precinct 21, Boyce Moseley and Leslie Ferguson; Southeast Floydada, Precinct 23, Claude Weathers-

bee and Mrs. V. D. Turner. On the special canvassing board are Ben Ayres, chairman and Arthur Barker Jr., J. R. Belt Jr., and Alton Higginbotham.

ICE CREAM

CENTER NEWS

CENTER July 28 - It's still not. The temperature Sunday at sunrise was 78 degrees. A letter from south of San Antonio says it's hot there too. The usual there for July this year is 104, 102 or 100 plus degrees, so we are not alone.

Mrs. Plumlee is home from the hospital since last Wednesday. Some of her callers Sunday were Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Green.

Mrs. Tony Balios and three children of Lubbock visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Frank Dunn.

Mrs. J. D. Welborn and Mrs. Dunn attended funeral services Tuesday morning in Pampa for the Parks triplets, which were born Sunday, the 20th, and died the same day. In the afternoon Mrs. Dunn and Mrs. Welborn came back by Le Fors where they visited in the home of Mrs. Welborn's brother, Milton Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Frizzell are in Olton this Monday for the funeral of Leaman Bryant, a nephew of his. Our sympathy is with all bereaved.

The Bob Thompsons were in Post for the July 20th weekend, visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Battey were hosts at a birthday dinner Sunday honoring three of the party. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Warren andfamily, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Alldredge and family, and Mrs. Ola War-Sunday evening guests at the

Thomas Warren home after church were Mrs. Ola Warren. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Battey, and Mrs. Ozell Chappell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Huckabee, and Miss Brenda Teague of Oregon; also Mrs. A. L. Spence, a long time ago Centerite who now lives in California, and who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Huckabee, and other relatives in this area. Miss Teague is the Huckabee's granddaughter, daughter of the former Margaret Huckabee.

Mrs. Green and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ashton visited the R. H. Ashtons Sunday evening. Mrs. W. B. Parrack and a

DON'T WAIT



NEW EXPLORER OFFICERS OF FLOYDADA NO above officers were installed Tuesday night at plorer installation banquet held at Rogers Resta left to right, David Roberson, vice president secretary; Richard Hale, president and Steve Alle urer. Not pictured is Brad Hagood, tail twister. ly 30 guests attended including Bill Mayes of Ralls cutive officer, who was guest speaker and Jack Ch Boy Scout representative for the South Plains Ca

friend from Anson were in nice Arney also Plainview Wednesday. On the parental home return trip they visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Denison. Mrs. Parrack and Mrs. Denison are Amarillo visit

sisters. Thursday afternoon visitors in the J. E. Green home were Mrs. Kate Crabtree, Mrs. Alma Dunn, Mrs. Ola Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Battey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ross and Mrs. Green were among those attending the wedding of Lana Fair and Kenneth Bloys Saturday evening at the First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Miller of Plainview, former Centerites, visited in the Hal Thomas home Sunday, then all attended the Womack's Golden Wedding anniversary celebration.

Donna and Clarmon Booth were in Ft. Worth for the weekend visiting her brother and family, the James David Wel-They brought back borns. James' three girls to visit awhile with their grandparents and other relatives here. The girls' mother, Nancy is attending summer school at TWU. The local children and families - Bobby Welborn, Jo Ann and Roger Gooch, and Mrs. Eu-

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Crosbyton Thur 31 at 7:30. Shelby P., ale lor at Big Spring er.

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Airplan

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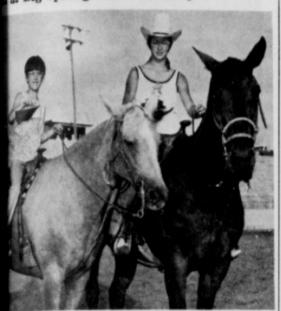
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QUART SIZE



GRAND CHAMPION gelding . . . Shari ows off her gelding which won Reserve mpion at the 4-H District 11 Horse at Big Spring last Thursday.



RACING WINNERS. . . Shari Johnson, er sister, Denise, left, won first and spectively, in barrel racing competi-District 11 4-H Horse Show in Big

NEWS by Mrs. Clyde Bagwell

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s. Clyde Bagwell y afternoon with Edell DuBois C.W. Payne. was by Wedand Mrs. Clyde orted that Mrs. of Texarkana at morning July ices were held day. Mrs. Jesthe stepmother Mamie Holland ers of Floydada. arter and chiland Harvey Irlo were here visited in the Walton Wilson, me and Mrs. Ru-

Zane Stovall 99 awn, and Sabrte spent Satur-

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afternoon with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kay Crabtree, Becky and Sammy

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Payne of Muleshoe visited here Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Payne and brother, C.J. Bullard visited his sister, Mrs. Kate Crabtree Sunday and had dinner with her.

Mr. and Mrs. E.W. Walls went to Plainview Saturday. While there they visited Mr. and Mrs. Dock Stephens and sons and Mrs. E.R. Walls.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burton w a patient in are expecting their son, Dick, home some time this week d Mrs. Cook from Camp Pendleton Calif. for a 20 day furlough. Dick has been gone five months stationed at Camp Pendleton in the Marines

> Sandra and Dianne DuBois of Tulia came Thursday and stayed until Sunday afternoon with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edell DuBois.

> Carl Nelson of Floydada visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ruey Irwin, Carl returned home Wednesday from Beaumont where he and Mrs. Nelson had gone 10 days before to visit their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Carthel, Mrs. Nelson remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy of Claude spent Wednesday night here with her mother, Mrs. W. B. Wilson and sister Mrs. Bill

Mrs. W.B. Wilson and Mrs. Bill Tye enjoyed a visit from and visited | three of Mrs. Wilson's nieces Sunday. They are Mrs. Ted Snead of Weslaco, Mrs. Leslie Surgerner of Arlington, Virginia and Mrs. Mae Garrett of Floydada.

FLOYD DATA

Mrs. Duane Lemons of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, is here caring for her husband's mother, Mrs. Ralph Lemons, during her recuperation from surgery last week. Mrs. Lemons was able to return home Monday from Lubbock Methodist Hospital. Her son is due to arrive Sunday from Milwaukee and he and his wife will remain for a longer visit.

4-H Group Wins In Horse Show

Ten Floyd County 4-Hyoungsters and their parents attended the District II 4-H Horse Show in Big Spring, Thursday July 24. They competed against 114 other youngsters from throughout the district in an effort to qualify for the state show. The ten from Floyd County were Danny and Jill Wheeler, Floydada 4-H; Ginger Henderson, Mona Henderson and J.H. Lane, Lone Star 4-H; Marcia and Sam Fortenberry, Shari and Denise Johnson and Gregg

Taylor, Lockney 4-H. These youngsters did an outstanding job in the halter performance classes to give Floyd County enough points to win the high point county title. In the halter classes Thursday morning, Floyd County won two of the eight classes. Shari Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.N. Johnson, won the Grade gelding 14 hands 3 inches and over class. In the champion class her gelding was named Reserve Grand Champion Gelding of the show. Jill Wheeler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheeler, won the Grade mare 14 hands 3 inches and over class. This allowed her to show in the champion mare class. Mona Henderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Deanie Henderson, placed second in the Registered mare, under 5 years of age and over class. Hersister, Ginger, placed third in the Registered gelding five years of age and over class. In the registered gelding under five years of age class Gregg Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor, placed second while Danny Wheeler placed third. Denise Johnson placed tenth in the Grade mare under 14 hands 3 inches class.

The showmanship class concluded the morning activities. This class was composed of twenty youngsters selected from the halter classes. Five Floyd County 4-H'ers were picked to show in this class, which was more than any othwere Ginger and Mona Hen-Johnson and Gregg Taylor, Ginger was third and Jill was fourth honor to show in this class because only showmanship abilities are considered, whereas the conformation of the horse doesn't apply here.

The afternoon activities were Western Pleasure, Reining, Pole Bending and Barrel Racing. There were approximately fifty entries in Western David Cole, consultant on spe-Pleasure with Gregg Taylor placing third and Ginger Henderson placing sixth, Shari and Denise Johnson placed seventh and tenth respectively out of

56 entries in Pole Bending. Highlight of the afternoon was the Barrel Racing. Out of 62 entries Shari and Denise Johnson placed first and second re-

spectively When all of the points were compiled, five Floyd County youngsters were in the top twenty going to state. Shari Johnson was the second high

> SCRIPTURE LESSON

"Love" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be heard this Sunday in all Christian Science churches. Included in the sermon is the statement: "And though I bestow all my goods to feed the poor, and though I give my body to be burned, and have not charity, it profiteth me nothing."

A correlative passage from the denominational textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, comments: "To love one's neighbor as one's self, is a divine idea; but this idea can never be seen, felt, nor understood through the physical sen-

Services at First Church of Christ, Scientist; 2202 Broadway, Lubbock, Texas, are open to all and begin at 11 a.m.

individual of the show out of 123 contestants. Ginger Henderson was sixth; Denise Johnson, ninth; Jill Wheeler, twelfth; and Gregg Taylor, fourteenth. These five youngsters made up one forth of the district youth going to the state show in August, which is more youngsters than any other District II county is carrying.

The fact that all of the youngsters had so much success points out several things. This type of activity requires months of previous work and concentration in order to win. Also, the entire family must work toward this outcome. As you read this article you may have noticed several brother - sister or sister-sister teams. These youngsters families have worked together to help them have this success. This is certainly one way of keeping the family together, while at the same time allowing the youngsters to excel in what they like to do. In this day of youth unrest this indicates that these youngsters are working toward the job of being tomorrow's leaders. All five are anxious to go to Sweetwater, August 14 - 16, for the State 4-H Horse Show. There will be twenty 4-H'ers from all of the twelve extension districts in Texas, plus 4-H drill teams and cutting horse contestants. The 4-H'ers from Floyd County are hoping to make a repeat of last yea when Floyd County was high point county from District II in the state show.

In Convention

Tommy and Johnny Farris representing the local First Christian Church, are attending and participating in the er county in the district. They | State Youth Convention now in session at Texas Christian Uniderson, Jill Wheeler, Shari versity in Fort Worth. Beginning on Wednesday, July 30, the annual convention was expected while Mona was tenth. It is an to draw over 800 young men and women from over the state to study and convention activities that will close with a 7 a.m. communion service on Saturday morning August 2.

"Fulfill Your Ministry" is the general theme of the meeting, and the only adult speaker scheduled will be Rev. K. cial ministries for Christian Churches in Texas. He is minister of Donley Drive Christian Church in Dallas. Rev. Johnny Moore, Slaton, will lead an encounter group on "Coffee House Ministry" on two after-

Throughout the Assembly,

the Covenant Players, a protroupe, will present short plays. Emphasis will be made on the medium of drama. Wednesday night, a play, "Even The Hater," will be presented

Local Youth **Participating**

fessional religious drama by the TCU theater arts students. This will take the place of a keynote address, normally used by many conventions. Thursday, the entire group will attend the Casa Manana in Fort Worth to see "West Side Story." In one of eight simultaneous Encounter sessions on Thursday and Friday afternoons, the youth will study the local Community Action Program on a bus trip through the inner city. They will also study a Block Partisanship Plan in which church members in middle and upper income brackets team with residents of disadvantaged areas to work on urban prob-

Tommy Farris has just completed a year as a District Executive Officer for the youth of this area, and Johnny is beginning a year in the same capacity as an Executive Officer of the CYF. The boys traveled to Fort Worth with youth from the Lubbock churches, Plainview, Slaton and Paducah.

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Since 1958, the State has spent approximately \$10 million developing the Texas Water Plan. The time has come for Texans to decide whether this investment is to bear fruit or be thrown away.

Amendment No. 2 (HJR 9) will ask the voters of Texas to give the Texas Legislature the authority to authorize the Texas Water Development Board to sell up to an additional \$31/2 billion in bonds over a 40-50 year period in

increments as needed. No bonds are expected to be issued before 1975 for construction of the proposed system or until Texas has secured an out-of-state supplemental water

The adoption of Amendment No. 2 will put Texas in a much stronger position for seeking the federal assistance necessary for the project, since the Legislature and the citizens will have expressed readiness to provide financing for their proportionate share of the cost in implementing the Texas Water Plan.

All phases of the Texas economy have a major stake in water development. The plan carefully points out that every source of earning a livelihood or living from one's earnings is dependent on a supply of good quality water in adequate amounts.

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GENE COLLINS JR., President

To Amendment

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MRS, KENNETH BLOYS

Friday Evening Wedding Read For Lana Fair, Kenneth Bloys

kerchief belonging to a friend,

Penny McClintock, and some-

thing blue was the traditional

maid of honor. Bridesmatrons

were Vickey Owens of Allen,

Texas, Shelia Faulkenberry,

Floydada, sisters of the bride

and Myra Higginbotham of Wel-

lington, a cousin. Each was at-

tired in a floor length dress of

blue satin styled with empire

waistline and trimmed with

pearls at the neckline. They

carried cascade type bouquets

was flower girl, and Debbie

Morton, Dumas, the bride's

David Bloys was his broth-

er's best man. Ushers were

Charles Owens, Allen, Tex .:

Don Faulkenberry, Floydada;

Jerry Mickey Plainview and

Larry McCain, Lockney. Randy

Mickey, Plainview, the groom's

Groomsmen were Steve

Puckett, Kreis McIntosh and

Keim Smith. Other attendants

included Mike Mickey, Plain-

view, Zane and Terry Jones of

Following the ceremony a re-

ception was given by Mr. and

Mrs. Mummert. The bride's

table was covered with a lace

cloth and held a three tier cake.

The centerpiece was formed

from the bouquets of the bri-

For traveling to Corpus

Christi the bride changed to an

offwhite linen dress with

matching coat and brown acces-

from her bridal bouquet.

sories. She wore the orchid

be at home on Route 3, Floy-

dada in the Sandhill Commim-

ity, where the bridegroom is

engaged in farming. Both are

graduates of Floydada High

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Durham of

Birmingham, Ala., are parents of a son born July 29, James

Wesley Durham weighed six

pounds and 14 ounces at birth.

His mother is the former Jean

Fortenberry of Cedar Hill.

Durham is court reporter in

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Cephus Fortenberry

of Cedar Hill and Mr. and Mrs.

C. E. Durham of Crowell, Mrs.

Vonnie Fortenberry of Cedar Hill is among great grand-

Mrs. Joe Giles of Floydada and

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Lina-

weaver of Salina, Kans. Great grandmothers are Mrs. Annie

Henderson of Seymour and Mrs.

Mary Counts of Waxahachie,

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Birmingham.

After August 1 the couple will

cousin, was ring bearer.

Floydada.

dal attendants.

cousin, was junior usher.

Miss McClintock served as

wedding garter.

The Calvary Baptist Church thing borrowed was a handin Floydada was the setting Friday evening, July 25, at 8 o'clock for the wedding of Miss Lana Elaine Fair and Kenneth James Bloys. The couple were married by Rev. Hollis Payne, before brass candelabra joined together with white satin ropes, which formed an archway of light, high on the pulpit rail. Brass urns holding commodore foliage and altar baskets of white glads and blue tinted ponpoms completed the scene.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Gordon Mummert of Floydada and the granddaughter of of white Marguerite daisies Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Rogers and trimmed in blue to match their dada, and Mrs. Mary Mathis of Amarillo. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bloys of Floydada and grandson of Mrs. Ludie Sanderson, Sandhill, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shipman of Plainview.

Rev. and Mrs. Hollis Payne sang "More" and "The Twelfth

The bride, given in marriage by her stepfather, wore a formal gown fashioned from bridal taffeta overlaid with Alencon lace. The Sabrina necklinewas enhanced by scallops and the long sleeves terminated to petal points at the hands. The bouffant skirt fell into a brief chapel train and was accented by tiers of lace and net in the panel front. Her shoulder length veil of illusion was caught to a crown of seed pearls and she carried a Bible which belonged to her late father, A. K. Fair. It was covered with white satin and showered with white Sweetheart roses centered by a Catalya

For something new the bride wore a diamond and pearl drop pendant, a gift from the groom. Something old was the ruby engagement ring belonging to her Grandmother Rogers; some-

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For further information contact:

> JACK MCPEAK 355-8196 3700 Mockingbird,

****************** Mrs. Taylor Entertains With Coffee

Mrs. Annie Taylor entertained with a coffee Tuesday morning, July 25, for Mrs. Carolyn Hamilton, Mrs. Sally Galloway, Mrs. Iva Jewell Bonner and Mrs. Joyce M. Jelks.

Mrs. Hamilton has been employed by the Floydada School Board and will teach at Andrews Ward.

Mrs. Jelks is the daughter of Mrs. Taylor and is librarian in the Houston school system.

Miss Bennett Honored With Gift Shower

Miss Rotha Bennett, bride elect of Louis Moore, was honored Saturday afternoon with a gift shower in the home of Mrs. Pete Hickerson.

Guests were received by Mrs. Hickerson and presented to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Wayne Bennett and the prospective bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Tom Moore, all of Floydada, Brenda Moore, sister of the groom to be, registered guests

Mrs. Dick Guest and Mrs. Tommy Assiter presided at the Victorian table which was laid with a cutwork cloth. The centerpiece was a floral arrangement of blue and green flanked by lighted green tapers, Punch, coffee and cookies were served from silver and crystal appointments.

Hostesses were Mmes. J. D. Woody, W. K. Birchfield, Charley Cross, Ollye Jordan, A. M.

Hickerson, Dennis Dempsey, Dick Gues, Bill Yandell, Bates Their gift was cookware.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Carthel, Richard Watson of Irving were Port Arthur, are the parents read July 12 at 6 o'clock p.m. of a son, Nelson Byars, who in the Rock Creek Baptist was born July 22 weighing sev-Church at Mineral Wells, The en pounds. The mother is the double ring ceremony was per-Grandparents are Mr. and

Mrs. A.C. Carthel and Mr. tist Church in Poolville, Tex. and Mrs. Carl Nelson of Floy-The bride is the daughter of



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former Shirley Nelson.

MRS, CHARLES EDWARD MARINO

Candlelight Ceremony Read For Suzanne Collier, Marino

ed in a candlelight ceremony at zanne Collier and Charles Ed-

Engagement Of Miss Brewer,

er of Floydada announce the en- uate of Floydada High School marriage of their daughter. Jeanne, to Owen R. Whitsitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. R.

The couple plan to marry the latter part of September.

Whitsitt of Plainview

Owen Whitsitt Is Announced Mr. and Mrs. David E. Brew- Miss Brewer is a 1969 grad-Caprock Hospital. Her fiance, a graduate of Plainview High School, is serving in the U.S.

Navy and is stationed at Le-

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Wedding vows were exchang- 26, in Beaumont, by Miss Suward Marino. Rev. Paul Brown and Rev. Rocco Perone officiated at the double ring cere-

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Collier and Mr. and Mrs. E. Marino of Beaumont Mrs. Jack D. Jarett, sister of

the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Bruce zanne Zimmerman of Houston.

Tammi Jarrett, niece of the bride, and Kacy Maze, cousin of the bride, served as candlelighters. Flower girls were Terri Jarrett, niece of the bride, and Dawn Doga, cousin of the groom Ring bearer was Todd Jarrett, the bride's ne-The bride's attendants were

attired in floor length gowns of turquoise sorrento. A band of white daisies enhanced the empire waistlines. Large bows attached the floating back panels. The bridesmaids carried wicker baskets filled with daisies and cascading greenery.

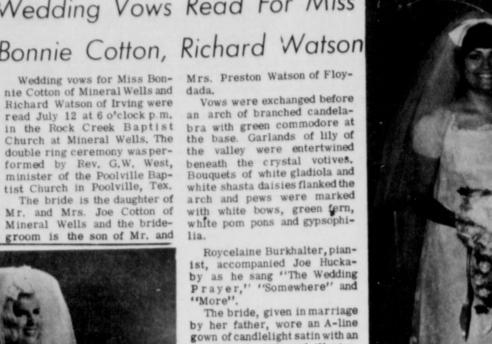
B. J. Tullier attended his cousin as best man. The groom's twin brothers, Carl and Carroll Marino, served as WEATHER

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Dorsey, Cecil Jackson, Elmer Wedding Vows Read For Miss McClung and Miss Vernie Mc- Bonnie Cotton, Richard Watson

formed by Rev. G.W. West, minister of the Poolville Bap-

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cotton of Mineral Wells and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and



overlay of appliqued illusion,

accented by a scalloped neck-

line and short puffed sleeves.

dlelight illusion formed a train.

She carried a cascade of white

sweetheart roses centered by

a white glamellia. Small clus-

ters of gypsophilia highlight-

Paso, was her sister's matron of honor. Jan Ellyn Jackson,

Dallas was bridesmaid and Mrs. Steve Johnson of Abilene

They wore floor length A-

line dresses of yellow silk

shantung styled with scooped

necklines and short puffed

sleeves. Each carried an identical nosegay of yellow pom

pons and white daisy type

Dennis King of Denton serv-

ed as best man and ushers were

Russell and Randell Cotton,

Mineral Wells, brothers of the

Mrs. Mike Mitchell of El

ed the arrangement.

was bridesmatron.

Petty of Irving.

Her floor length veil of can-

MR. AND MRS. RICHARD WATSON

A reception immediately fol- registered guest lowed the wedding. Bouquets of For travel to the bridal attendants formed to an offwhite the centerpiece for the serving coat dress with table, which was skirted with cessories. yellow organza edged in white lace. The three tiered wedding home in Irving cake was decorated in yellow. a graduate of Presiding at the table were University, is Mrs. Jack York, Mrs. Kenneth Dallas Indeper Gullespie and Mrs. Johnnie trict. Her hi Kuhn of Perrin and Mrs. Billy tending North

bride. Groomsmen were Eddie Maddux of Mineral Wells, Ramsey of Dallas and Larry Mrs. Edwin Ramsey of Dallas Motor Freight

pany. The groom recieved a Guests were seated by Jack BBA degree in marketing from D. Jarrett, the bride's broth- Lamar Tech and is a sales reper-in-law, Mike Galiano, Wil- resentative for Burroughs Corliam Norfleet, and Bob Jones poration.

On Friday night, the groom's of Lubbock, cousin of the bride. Following the ceremony, a parents were hosts at a rehearcatered champagne reception sal dinner in Mont Leon's Gold was held in Mont Leon's Le Room. Attending the dinner Chateau Room, Members of the were members of the wedding houseparty were Mrs. Billy B. party and out of town wedding Henry of Houston, Sandy guests, which included Mr. and Broach, Mrs. Carl Accardo, Mrs. Eldon Jones, Bob Jones, Mrs. Bill Gerberman, and Mr. and Mrs. James Maze and Claudie Walters. Miss Vana Kacy, and Mrs. Jerry Moore, Duke presided at the registry all of Lubbock; and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Julian of Austin.

Following a wedding trip to The bride was complimented Acapulco, the couple will make recently with two bridal showtheir home at 1509 South Post ers in the Floydada area. Mrs. Oak Lane, Apt. 103, Houston, Joe Hennig, Mrs. Dale West, The bride, a graduate of Floy- Mrs. Dale Robertson, and Mrs. dada High School and Lamar Vernie Moore were hostesses State College of Technology, is at a get-together and shower at employed by Tenneco Oil Com- the home of Mrs. Hennig in

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hearing has been

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS addressed to the Mayor and City Council of Floywill be received at the City Hall until 7:30 p.m., 1969 and then publicly opened and read for furnishing r, material and equipment, and performing all work the construction of 11 blocks of street paving. sals shall be accompanied by a cashier's or certiupon a national or state bank in the amount of five of the total maximum bid price payable without the City of Floydada, or a bid bond in the same m a reliable surety company, as a guarantee that bidnter into a contract and execute performance bond days after notice of award of contract to him. The must be enclosed in the same envelope with the bid.

out check or bid bond will not be considered. essful bidder must furnish performance and payment the forms which are attached hereto in the amount the contract price from an approved surety company permit from the State of Texas to act as surety or

ty or sureties acceptable to the Owner. t is reserved to reject any and all bids and to waive lity in bids received.

specifications and bidding documents may be securthe office of the City Manager, City Hall, Floydada, or the of McMorries & Associates, 6300 Canyon Drive, dress Route 1, Box 826, Amarillo, Texas 79106, on Twenty (\$20.00) Dollars.

CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS By: Jimmy Seay, Mayor



MRS, ROBERSON, Merchant Of The Week.

LAKEVIEW NEWS by Mrs. Bagwell

LAKEVIEW, July 28 - Several folks from a distance attended the homecoming at the Lakeview School House Sunday. The crowd was not as large as homefolk had hoped it would be but all attending enjoyed the day and the meeting with old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hansen of Rochester, New York, who had been here since July 15, left for home Friday. Last Monday night a group went to White River Lake where they enjoyed boat riding, skiing and fishing and had a cookout. This was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Hansen. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. McClintock, and Penny, Dayne Golightly, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harrison, Kim, Gail and Rex, Hulen Carthel, Mr. and Mrs. Max Harrison, Debbie and Tracy and

Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dunavant went to Idalou Sunday where they enjoyed a fish dinner and visited for the afternoon with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Redding, Rebecca and Mathew. Others there were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Redding and children of Crosbyton.

After church Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dunavant visited her mother, Mrs. E.

T. Williamson, Mrs. B.J. Hambright, Kathy and Todd visited Mrs. A.L. Smith and her grandchildren, Jody and Tye Hunter Smith Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. A. L. Smith has been keeping her

grandchildren during the daytime hours for several days. Mrs. J.H. Watson of Lub bock came Sunday to spend a week with her daughter, Mrs. Rudolph McCurdy and family and her son and family, Mr.

and Mrs. Millard Watson. Mr. and Mrs. B.H. Wheeles visited in the Rudolph McCur-

dy home Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith brought their baby home Tuesday from a Plainview Hospital. The little girl had gained the five lbs. she was required to weigh before she could leave the hospital. She was born Ju-

ly 6. Jim Hall of Cleburn came last Monday to get his mother Mrs. H.L. Hall, Mrs. Hall had been here two weeks in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Thur-

ston and family Mrs. Joe Andrews, Jeff and D'Lene of Lovington, N. M. came Friday and stayed until Saturday afternoon in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thurston. Mrs. Andrews returned home but the children, Jeff and D'Lene, remained for a longer visit with their grand-

parents. Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Mc. Curdy were host and hostess at supper for Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Stewart and the revival team of First Baptist Church,

Crosbyton, Friday night,

Mrs. Earl Edwards visited Monday with Mrs. Joe Thurs-

Mrs. Viola Brown and Owen Crump, the latter of Kingsland, visited in the home of Mr. and

Mrs. A.L. Smith Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Nelson of Borger, who were down to attend the homecoming Sunday at Lakeview School, visited later in the day with Mrs. R.L.

Nichols in Floydada. Saturday Mrs. Joe Andrews of Lovington, N.M. visited Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wilkes. Sunday visitors in the Wilkes home were, Mr. and Mrs. Tody Cardinal of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. B.B. Wilkes also of Lockney, Mrs. Joe Thurston and grandchildren, Jeff and D'Lene An-

drews and Mrs. Ned Bradley. Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Smith and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Jackson, Tal and Tiki of Spearman spent last weekend at Red Ri-

ver, N.M. Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Montgomery and Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Williams and Shelley all of Lubbock and Rex, Vickie, David and Mike Wojtek of Oklahoma City enjoyed a cookout at the ome of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lloyd and family.

Sunday dinner guests in the Fred Lloyd home were David Robertson, Tommy Mojica, and Ruth Fitzgerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Keesee of Lubbock came for a visit Sunday afternoon in the Fred Lloyd home. Mr. and Mrs. Keesee are parents of Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Battey and children visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Allen and Debra in Floydada and had dinner with them. Mrs. Fred Lloyd visited Mrs.

Johnny Lloyd Wednesday morn-Visiting Nancy Lloyd Sunday afternoon were Kim Harrison

and Kathy Hinsley. Tuesday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Alexander were Mr. and Mrs. John Hambright of Olton. Saturday visitors in the Leonard Alexander home were Dr. and Mrs. R.E. Cogswell Plainview, and Rev. and Mrs. Elys and children and Jer-

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Anderson and children visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry

Battey and children. Roxanne Lloyd was among a group of young folks from First Baptist Church Floydada who went to Palo Duro Canyon Friday night to see "Texas." Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bishop

of Floydada visited Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bishop and family. Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson of Turkey visited Mr. and Mrs.

V.W. Bradshaw and Mrs. Ellen Smith Wednesday night, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Johnson of Lubbock spent the day Sunday in the Bradshaw home. Mr. and Mrs. Sid Brown

of Floydada visited Thursday evening with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bishop and family and had supper with them. Tommy Walker was a Thurs-

day dinner guest in the Howard Bishop home. Tommy is home on furlough from the Army. He will be sent overseas soon.

Wednesday morning Mr. and Mrs. Travis Gentry and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Turner and family, went to Tres Ritos, N.M., on a camping trip. The Turners went on to other places in New Mexico and the Gentrys went to Albuquerque where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gentry and new son, Ricky, returning home late Friday. Tammy remained in Albuquerque and came home with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Gen-

try on Sunday. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Travis Gentry attended the Gowen family reunion at Stamford.

Mrs. Viola Brown and Owen Crump visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Hambright.

W. H. Bunch had surgery Thursday at the Crosbyton Hospital. He returned home Satur-

Saturday night visitors in the W.H. Bunch home were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harrison.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Martin of Clovis, N.M. and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Martin of Cleburne, who were here to attend the homecoming, visited Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Bunch

Sunday night visitors with and Mrs. Dennis Dempsey of Floydada,

the homecoming, Mr. and Mrs. view and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harrison visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Harrison, Kathy and Todd Hambright

spent Wednesday, Thursday and Friday with their grandmother Mrs. Viola Brown. Edmond Brown and sons, Rex and Scott, went to White River

Friday fishing; they were joined by Harold and Shawn Verett. Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Brown had a fish fry at their home.

rett and Shawn and Mrs. Viola

Brown. Mr. and Mrs. John Hambright of Olton visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. W.

M. Hambright. John Cherry of Crosbyton visited last week with Rex Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lloyd took her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Breed to Palo Duro Canyon Friday night to see "Tex-

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Britton, Mitchell and Delwin of Smyer spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Breed, and all attended the homecoming on Sunday at the

Lakeview School house. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Breed of Levelland attended the reunion and also visited for a short time in the B.L. Breed home. Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Ham-

bright visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Odell Breed and family

Jeaneva Hamm of South Plains spent Thursday night until Saturday afternoon with Shirley Breed,

Billy Brown of Truscott spent Saturday until Monday with his cousins Nancy and Monte Williams.

FLOYD DATA

Mrs. W.J. Wilks accompanied Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Norris. Katrinia and Jon, Mrs. B.L. Burnett and Susan Patton all of Carlsbad to Memphis, Texas Saturday where all attended the Dennis family reunion. The Carlsbad visitors returned home Sunday.

FLOYD DATA Vance and Brad Turner, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Turner Norman, Okla., are here visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. V.D. Turner and other relatives.

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The hand-twisted loaf

Fagans Visit In Hawaii

Mrs. Pearl Fagan and grandchildren, Vicki and Larry Fagan, returned home last weekend from a vacation trip to the Hawaiian Islands. The trio were fortunately in that they reached their planeterminal on Friday, the 25th., as the same plane they returned home on was hi-jacked two nights later in Midland and flown to Cuba.

The trip was sponsored by combined Airlines; arrangement of transportation, hotels, sight seeing, meals and time schedules were planned ahead.

Several tours of the islands were on the program. One in particular was an all day trip called "The Circle Trip of Oahu". Tours of all eight islands were by bus, plane and boat, 850 miles by plane; 60 miles by bus and six miles by boat made up the all day trip. A trip to Pearl by boat was

a historical feature and numerous local sightseeing trips along with dinners and cultural entertainment was also en-The Fagans found the people well educational and cultured

friendliness and the custom traditional "leis".

and they were welcomed with

FLOYD DATA Mrs. W. J. Wilks returned home recently from Irving where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Mary Day and family. She accompanied Mary Pearl Cowan as far as Ft. Worth, Miss Cowan was in that area to visit a brother, who recently underwent surgery.

Dr. K. C. Patzer spent the past weekend at Atlanta, Ga., where he attended a Grostic Research Class

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FLOYDADA GIRLS PONY EXPRESS wins second place trophy in the Girls World Championship Pony Express Tournament held Friday and Saturday nights in Canyon. Jan Manes and Gale Fawver rode with the group in order to complete the eight in number since some of the regulars were unable to attend. Riding with the team were Jean Harris, Diane Harris, Rhonda Bennett, Shelia Watley of Crosbyton,

Kay Willingham of Ralls, Cherryl Parsons, Pam Patterson, Pam Breed, who is Queen of the Pony Express and Cynthia Patterson, Pictured are Rhonda Bennett, alternate Queen and holding the trophy, Kay Willingham, Cherryl Parsons, Cynthia Patterson and Pam Patterson. The Floydada Boys and Girls Pony Express teams will be entered in the District 1 tournament in Lubbock August 3. (Staff Photo)



Newspapers Giving Support To Adoption Of Amendment 2

AUSTIN - Newspapers from Mr. and Mrs. Bunch were Mr. every region of Texas are lending overwhelming support to the adoption of proposed Con-Late Sunday afternoon after stitutional Amendment No. 2, William E. Berger, campaign Travis Dunn and Jean of Plain- director of the Governor's Co-

mmittee of 500, said today. "These newspapers, large and small, most often represent the majority of the grass roots opinion in their areas,

Berger said. "A small but vocal group of dissidents has only recently stepped forward to oppose the Texas Water Plan," Berger added. "This opposition has been based upon emotionalism and misinterpretation of facts. Almost no one among the 'a-Others enjoying this meal ginners" holds any position of were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ve- responsibility in the field of

government or water supply. "The overwhelming support by the Texas press is a strong indication that the people who most closely watch the current events in this state will not be swayed by emotionalism and will continue to take their stand

on facts," Berger said. Berger cited several of the typical statements made in the editorials endorsing the proposed amendment which will appear on the August 5 special

election ballot. Austin American - Statesman: "Defeat of the water plan as a result of sectional and factional squabbling would court future disaster."

Lamesa Press - Reporter: "Each and every governor of Texas during the last 20 years has agreed on this issue, and it is supported almost unanimously by the House of Representatives and the Texas Sen-

Beaumont Enterprise: "The plan is sound when considered

from every angle." Wichita Falls Times: "The water plan thus calls for an average rate of expenditure annually that is about half of what is now being spent just by the state on highways.

Gainsville Daily Register: 'Texans by their vote on August 5 will determine whether or not they are willing to

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now while there is till time." A sampling of the newspapers editorially endorsing the plan includes: Beaumont Enterprise, Gainsville Daily Register, El Paso Times, Wichita Falls Times, Longview News, Midland Reporter-Telegram, Port Arthur News, Lamesa Press - Reporter, Austin American - Statesman, Amarillo News, Waco Times Herald, San Antonio Express, Lubbock Avalanche-Journal, San Antonio Light, Dallas Morning News and the Dallas Times Herald.

Also, the Nederland Review, Houston West Side Reporter, Diboll Free Press, Dallas White Rocker, Burleson Star, Alvarado Bulletin, Groesbeck Journal, Copperas Cover Courier, Fort Worth Westside Independent, Wylie News, Corpus Christi Voice-Chronicle. Sabinal Times, Kingsville Record-News, Mission Times, New Braunfels Herald, Lock-

hart Post - Register, Yoakum Herald - Times, Petersburg Post, Brown County Gazette, Miami Chief, Kress News, Crosbyton Review, Fredericksburg Radio-Post, Quanah Tribune - Chief, Hondo Anvil Herald, Friona Star, Orchiltree County Herald, Seguin Enterprise, Tulia Herald, Hooks Reporter, Arlington Citizen-Journal and Floyd County Hesperian.

The Progressive Farmer, one of the state's largest farm pulbications, has also been supporting this issue.



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Hot, humid weather continues here, but our community received over three inches of rainfall during Sunday and Monday of last week, and this past Friday night a shower of one quarter inch fell in some parts of our area. All the farmers are busy until late at night, working in the fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Karr arrived home Sunday night from Ballinger where they spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burks, who formerly lived in South Plains.

One hundred were present for Sunday School at the Baptist Church with more coming in for church. Visitors included Gena Pigg, from Lone Star, and Dee and Dickie Julian of

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry were hosts for a Sunday dinner with guests the Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Trice, John Mark, Renda, Ruth, Beverly Kinnibrugh, and the singer, Eddie Turner from Hale Center,

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harper from McAllen visited here Wednesday with her brother, Murray Julian and family, They had spent several days in Lubbock last week and were up here for the wedding of their granddaughter, Olivia Jackson, whose wedding to Michael Wilson took place Saturday night in Lubbock. The Harpers lived in this vicinity for twenty years.

Mrs. John Kinnibrugh finished her six weeks of summer school at West Texas University July 11, and will graduate at the Civic Center Auditorium in Amarillo August 21, receiving her degree at this time. She drove back and forth to Canyon the past years working on her degree, and the last two weeks got an apartment there, and had the children, Beverly and John Mark with her. Arlaine Hamm spent several days there with them, also,

Twelve GA girls and their sponsors spent part of last week at the Plains Baptist Assembly. Everyone received much good from the camp, although it was so very hot there. Sponsors. Mrs. Kendis Julian, Mrs. Travis Young and Renda Trice accompanied the girls. Those who attended were Cari Roberts. Darla Milton, Donna Powell, Teresa Stewart, Donette Marble, Debbie Scott, Wanda and Kathryn Powell, Pam and Cam Probasco, Dee Julian, Lori Young. The group spent from Monday until Wednesday at the

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Jones and children, Debra and Steve from Arlington, were guests here the past week at the parsonage with Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Trice and children. Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Steve and John Mark Trice went to Palo Duro to see the "Texas". Mrs. Jones is the sister of Rev. Trice.

The First Baptist Church at Silverton held a revival last week from Wednesday on, Rev. Carlos McLeod, and Rev. Floyd C. Bradley were among the speakers. Several from here attended services, including Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Trice, Mrs. Bryant Higginbotham, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Calahan and Mrs. L. T. Wood, Mark Reeves, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reeves, was baptized Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cranford from the Silverton Church of Christ were Monday night supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. George Weast.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavoy Kinnibrugh from Seymour arrived here Thursday to spend the night with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. John Kinnibrugh and family, and Friday night they were guests of another brother, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvin Kinnibrugh and family. Mrs. J. R. Spivey of Truscott has been here the past week visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Sylvin Kinnibrugh and family

Mrs. Bryant Higginbotham and Mrs. Johnney, West from here were among guests who attended the miscellaneous bridal shower for Miss Shirley McClung, in Floydada Saturday afternoon, in the home of Mrs. L. D. Smith! Miss Mc-Clung is the fiancee of Billy Jack Darden, and the couple plan to marry August 9 at the First Baptist Curch in Floy-

We offer our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Jay Frank Parks of Pampa, and to Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Parks here in South Plains on the loss of the infant daughter and two infant sons of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Frank Parks. The babies were born July 20 in the Highland General Hospital in Pampa, and died soon after birth. The funeral for the infants was held Tuesday morning at the Baby Garden of Fairview Cemetery in Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Parks spent most of the week in Pampa

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Higginbotham of Wellington spent Friday night here with his mother, Mrs. Bryant Higginbotham. Myra Higginbotham was here to attend the wedding of Miss Lana Fair and Kenneth Bloys which took place in Floydada Friday night. She was a bridesmatron in the wedding procession. The Higginbothams bought them a new home last week, and Saturday morning returned to Wellington where they are busy

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Julian Deneen Johnson. Those who spent the past weekend in Beaumont where they attended the wedding of Miss Suzanne Collier and Charles Mareno, both of Beaumont. Mrs. Julian was a bridesmatron in the wedding which took place on Saturday night. Miss Collier was formerly a Floydada resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Gilly and family returned home Thursday evening, after a vacation of over a week up at Pagosa Springs, Colorado, where they enjoyed the baths at the hot springs. Fred Fortenberry carried the mail on the Quitaque Route while they were gone.

Wednesday night Mr. and Mrs. George Weast had supper with Mr. and Mrs. George Beedy in Plainview and spent the evening playing games of 42.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Jones and son, who have been stationed in Columbus, Georgia, arrived home this past week to see his folks, the Dock Jones of Floydada, and will spend the coming 28 days here and in Lubbock before he goes to Vietnam. Mrs. Jones will reside in Lubbock where she will attend Texas Tech in the fall.

Lecia White, daughter of Mrs. Lynn Pennington of Roswell spent several days this nast week here with her aunt. Mrs. Robert Reeves and fam-

Mrs. J. P. Taylor went to Flomot Sunday afternoon to visit an old friend, Mrs. Lois

Mrs. John Kinnibrugh, John Mark and Beverly will go to Gilliland this week to spend the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Burgess.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roberts. Cari and Terry are home from their vacation in Phoenix, Arizona, and Sunday they had dinner in Lockney at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Epperson. With them from Chickasha, Okla. were Mrs. Roberts' brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Epperson and children. Last week guests here at the Roberts home were his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roberts. He is in the Navy, and just returned from a base at Cuba. He is to go to Albany, Georgia and will be retiring in four years from the

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Myers with boys, Douglas and Larry, left Saturday for Hubbard, where they will spend at least part of their vacation with her parents, Mrs. Jim Baker and family

Rhonda Fortenberry from Sunray was here to spend the night Wednesday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry and attended prayer meeting with them.

Mrs. Frank McClure and Mrs. Murray Julian visited with Mrs. Sylvin Kinnibrugh and Melissa and Mrs. J. R. Spivey of Truscott Friday, July 25. The occasion was Mrs. Kinnibrugh's birthday. They all enjoyed cake and punch together.

Mrs. Jack Douglas and Don and Mrs. J. P. Taylor and Katie visited Friday in Lone Star with Mrs. Wayne Pigg, who is sister to the above ladies. Mrs. Douglas is from Albuquerque. N.M. and came with her children for the Merrell family reunion last Sunday. She has been

visiting relatives since. Mrs. J. E. Dickson of Fort Pierce, Fla. came Thursday to spend the night and left Friday morning for Albuquerque, N.M., where she will be visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C Auman. She visited here with the Murray Julians, her aunt and uncle. Thursday night they all enjoyed a cook-out with other guests, Mr. and Mrs. Kendis Julian, and girls, and Dee

and Dickie Julian. The top 4-H horsemen in each of the 20 South Plains counties in District #2 of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service competed in Big Springs last Thursday, Competing 4-H'ers from our area were Shari John-

Three Area Communities Here Hold Annual Reunion

Former and present residents of the Lakeview, Mt. Blanco and Pleasant Hill communities met Sunday, July 27, at Lakeview School for their annual reunion.

were selected out of the 122

entries there to go to the State

4-H Show in Sweetwater Oct.

14-16 are Shari Johnson with

reserve champion gelding; bar-

rel racing winner, and her sis-

ter Denise will also go to

State. Gregg Taylor, grandson

of the J. P. Taylors, got a

3rd in Western pleasure, and

2nd in Halter, also gets to go to

State competition at Sweetwa-

ter. Shari and Denise are the

daughters of Mr. and Mrs. L. N.

Johnson, and we congratulate

We congratulate Mr. and

Mrs. Bryan Karr on the birth

of a new grandson, born to

their son, Mr. and Mrs. Elton

Karr of Los Angeles, Calif.,

July 19. He weighed six pounds

and ten ounces. So far they have

not selected a name. He has two

older brothers, Bryan Elton and

Bruce. We will include his

name when we have learned it.

hope to get off this week for

Cuchara, Colo, in the mountains

west of Walsenburg, where they

plan to spend two weeks on a

and Shanna of Canyon spent the

weekend here with their par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond

Upton and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell

Johnson of Floydada, They had

Sunday dinner with the Uptons.

na Kay, Jo Betsy and Ladena

Hopson of Plainview, children

of her sister, Mrs. Dean Hop-

son, while she and her husband

were gone to Killeen to a funeral

over the past weekend. They

were all Sunday School visitors

Mrs. Keith Marble was hos-

tess at a Cub Scout breakfast

Friday morning with helpers,

Mrs. Glenda Ford, Mrs. Pat

Stewart and Mrs. Pat Wood.

Keith Marble and Buck Ford

cooked bacon, eggs and biscuits

for the Cub Scouts, and they

were all served their meal in

the yard at the Marble home.

Those who were present were

Brett and Mike Marble, Terry

Roberts, Matt Probasco, Len

Wood, Kirk Young, Ricky and

Mike Ford, Monty Smitherman,

Ronnie Stewart and Curtis Bell.

Boys who will be Cub Scouts

this coming year were Dwayne

Marble, Mark Beedy and Blake

Nursing Home

Visitors

Visitors in the Nursing Home

this week included Mrs. George

Wexler, Martha Marsh, Gary

Hill, Mrs. J. C. Odam, Alma

Ruth Nelson, Mrs. Jim Hall,

Mrs. C. B. Lyles, Mrs. S. D.

Hunter, Mrs. Emily Potts, Mrs.

Ella Reue, Karan Cox, Nila

Bryant, Mrs. John A. Lloyd,

Sheryl Burns, Donna Brand,

Lou Williams, Mrs. Earnestine

Pleasant, Dorothy Faye Fuller,

Mrs. Earl Baker, Gladys Full-

er, Blanche Lide, all of Floy-

of Rosamond, Calif.; Mrs. J. D.

Chandler, Madera, Calif; Ca-

thy Cox, Amarillo; Mrs. Frank

Jordan, Oklahoma City; Mr.

and Mrs. S. K. Porter, Lub-

bock; Miss Elizabeth Jordan,

Oklahoma City; Ona Mae Mo-

Murray and Mr. and Mrs. Lee

Allen of Canyon; Judy Helbert

of Plainview; Mrs. Arthur Che-

ves, Kress; and Mr. and Mrs.

J. D. Palmer of Roaring

The Church of Christ held

services for residents Sunday

afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe

them all,

The noon meal was served and a wonderful fellowship was enjoyed by all. Guests came from as far as

Long Beach, Calif. A business meeting was held and the following officers were elected: president, S. V. Adams; vice president, Willie

Bunch; secretary - treasurer, Mrs. Mable Andrews. The group voted to have their next reunion in July of 1971 at Lighthouse Electric.

All present would like to ex-

press their appreciation to the group that made this reunion possible. Out of town guests were as

follows: Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Mitchell, Waco; Lovell L. Jones, Canyon; Carl and Terry Miller, Farwell; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Breed, Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Warner Johnson, Brownwood; Mr.

and Mrs. J. T. Cardinal, Lock-

ney; Guy Smyth, Slaton; Mattie

Manis, Portales, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Martin, Cleburne; Billy Brown, Truscott; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Andrews, Aiken; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Nelson, Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Britton, Mitchell and Del-

win, Lubbock: Mr. and Mrs. Lee Allen, Canyon; Selman Mercer, Lorenzo; Mrs. Odessa Cage, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Travis Dunn, Jean Dunn, and Mrs. Patsy Brock, Terri and Tina,

Plainview: Harrol Palvador, and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Martin, Amarillo; Cloyed G. Ball, Clovis, N.M.;

Zula Ball Mobley, Clovis, .M.; Orville Mobley, Clovis, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Martin, Clovis, N.M. Ona Mae McMurray, Canyon; Floyd Whisenant, Lamesa; Chris Andrews, Littlefield; and Mr. and Mrs. Singletary, Long Beach, Calif.

Those present from the Floydada area were:

Mr. and Mrs. Roe Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Willis; Wesley Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lloyd; Mrs. Thelma Jones; Mr. and Mrs. James Lee Nichols, Tammie and Ricky; Levis Gilliland; Evelyn Huggins; Sharron Huggins;

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R. M. Battey; Mrs. Charlene Alldredge; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Bunch; Odell Breed; Mrs. Viola Brown; Holt Bishop; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hambright; Mr. and Mrs. Brentz Breed; Mr. and Mrs. Charley Wright; Gary Hill; Mrs. Leota Odam; Kathy

Fortenberry Reunion Set For Saturday

The annual Fortenberry reunion will be held Saturday, August 9 in the American Legion Hall in Lockney. The meeting is to start at 10:30 a.m. Meat, bread and drinks will be furnished according to Mary Dorris of Gamerco, New Mexico, secretary-treasurer.

FLOYD DATA

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson have been Mr. and Mrs. Larry Glassmoyer and children of Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Robertson and Mrs. Jim. Pyke and sons, Jimmy and Mark of Lubbock. The group spent several days at points of interest in New Mexico. The Glassmoyer children, Melissa Dee and Christopher Guy, returned home with their parents after visiting their grandparents here for the past three weeks.

sheriff of Floyd County.)

candidates for nomination for the office of sheriff and tax collector. Under the old general election law Bud had been beaten by a narrow margin two years before.

In this race for the nomination they ran right down to the wire and the count showed a tie vote. It was, as said, the first primary election held in the county after the passage of the law.

of two things:

duct the drawing. The latter was the easy way

HOMER STEEN..... REMEMBER Untieing A Tie Vote

The Texas Almanac says the Terrell Election Law was passed by the legislature in 1906, so that has to be the year I am writing about. (And I should put in here I

guess, that it must not have been intended by the fates that Bud Broyles ever would be R. M. (Bud) Broyles and S. B. McCleskey were opposing

The Democratic convention the year previous had elected Judge J. N. Stalbird, of Lockney, chairman of the County Democratic Executive Committee. So it was his job to get his executive committee together, canvass the vote, and certify the results. Also, as it so happened in this case, if there were a tie, do either one

First, get the opposing candidates together and in their presence determine by lot which should have the nomination: or second, pass the matter to the district judge of the district in which the county is located, and let that authority canvass the results and con-

to pass the buck but somewhat

of Texas T ferred the effective. the first and h ith the first county, so far a d 1969. got the candi Cleskey and Mr gether and let the plum. The slips of paper said "sheriff," blank.

Mr. McCleskey riff" and was cer nominee, his nam ballot for the

and he was elect fice in Novembe How do I know ton of a boy hang court house. Is hall, watched and he drawing was held; treasurer's office, 53 cotton was wide open and could see and hear

to be seen and hear Later I was apre man and the old me his strawboss, went on I became man and served so or thereabout, But time I do not recall a tie vote to deal county or precine



families are those in teen work."

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stitution substantia nent, tog can be co

THOSE WHO ARE AGAINST SAY: The Texas Water Plan may prove unfe economically and physically. Payment of int principal on a bond issue of such magnitude ma too great a drain on the financial resources in the state. In addition, the plan makes no altr vision in the event it proves impossible to use

The Texas Water Plan may destroy the benature by reducing the supply of fresh with coastal areas where the salt water tides meet the fresh water from the rivers. This may pro bays in which the fish that compose the commercial fisheries cannot live. Areas for not fishing, as well as coastal bird sanctuaries, may

AMENDMENT NO. 3 viding that the lieutenant governor and the sp FOR OR AGAINST the constitutional ame the House of Representatives shall receive as by the legislature, not to exceed one-half the the governor; providing that the legislature s salary of the other members, not to exceed ceived by a district judge from state funds; and

This proposed amendment to Section 24, All would provide for the following changes: The annual salaries of the lieutenant gover the Speaker of the House of Representatives in

half the annual salary of the governor. 2) The annual salaries of the other member legislature would be set by the legislature at an not to exceed the annual salary paid by the sal

district judge. 3) Members of the legislature would recirl diem of \$12.00 for each day of all regular and

sessions of the legislature.

tenant governor receives the same annual st diern, and mileage as a legislator, except when as acting governor. Then he receives the same a the governor. The per diem of \$12.00 a day to tors is presently limited to the first 120 days 140-day regular session of the legislature and days of each special session. These salaries and

The present salary of legislators, including tenant governor and the Speaker of the House. in 1960 and is inadequate for today. If no relief it is possible that within the near future no one able to serve who is not financially independent offices of the lieutenant governor and the Speake House carry additional responsibilities, so it seems er that their salaries should be proportionately SEE AMENDMENTS,

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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ELECTION, AUGUST 5, 198

LEAGUE NONPARTISANSHIP

The League of Women Voters of Texas is a nonpartisan organization that works to promote political responsibil ity through the informed and active participation of all citizens in government. The League does not support or oppose any political party or any candidate. It does publish and distribute factual information to help citizens to cast an informed vote. The League does take action on selected governmental issues which it has studied and which are in the public interest.

ABSENTEE VOTING

you are a qualified voter and expect to be absent from the county on election day, or if you are ill or physically disabled and cannot appear at the polls in

person, you may vote absentee - Absentee voting begins on July 16.

- Absentee voting by personal appearance at the county clerk's office ends August 1. - Application for a mail ballot may be made to the

county clerk's office through August 1 - A marked ballot must be postmarked before midnight, August 4, and be received in the county clerk's

office by 1:00 P. M., August 5. FIFTY YEARS OF A GREAT IDEA

The League of Women Voters was organized in 1920 as an outgrowth of the suffrage movement. The idea was that a nonpartisan organization such as the League could provide citizens with the political education and experience which would assure the success of our democratic

form of government. The League has become a nationally recognized institution of reliable research and information. Through its Voters Service activities, such as this Voters Guide, the League has reached millions of citizens with nonpartisan information on candidates and issues.

As part of the observance of its FIFTIETH ANNI-VERSARY, the League is conducting a nationwide fund raising campaign. Greater resources will enable the League to extend its services to more people, and to deal more adequately with the problems of today's

AMENDMENT NO. 1

FOR OR AGAINST the constitutional amendment to repeal the obsolete, superfluous and unnecessary sections of the constitution. This proposed amendment would delete from the

Texas Constitution some 52 sections in 10 articles.

These sections have become obsolete because of the

passage of time, because they have been declared invalid by the courts, and because some originally were meant to operate for only a short time. Some examples of the sections to be deleted are: -The provision that the legislature, at its first session

after the adoption of the constitution, enact effective vagrant laws. (Sec. 46, Art. III) -An amendment adopted in 1909 validating all school

districts already formed. (Sec. 3a, Art. VII)

Provisions for the taxation of property in unorganized counties. (Sec. 12, Art. VIII) -The so-called "County Home Rule Amendment." adopted in 1933, and since declared unconstitutional by the Attorney General because it conflicts with other

provisions of the constitution. (Sec. 3, Art. IX) -All provisions of the article governing the establishment of railroads in the new State of Texas, except for the section added in 1890 that permitted the establishment

of the Railroad Commission of Texas. (Art. X) -All the provisions of the article dealing with Spanish and Mexican land titles granted prior to November 13,

1835. (Art. XIII) The section giving public lands to the heads of families for homesteads. (Sec. 6, Art. XIV) -The provision that deprives any citizen participating

Art. XVII -The section providing annual pensions not to exceed \$150 a year to veterans of the war between Texas and Mexico, and to signers of the Declaration of Independ-

in a duel of the right to vote or to hold office. (Sec. 4,

ence for Texas. (Sec. 55, Art. XVI) -The amendment authorizing the 1936 Texas Centennial celebration. (Sec. 60, Art. XVI)

THOSE WHO ARE FOR SAY:

While there are many provisions in the Texas Constitution that are unnecessary for effective and responsive. government, the deletion of many of the antiquated superfluous, and unconstitutional ones now included would be a significant step toward the goal of achiev ing a constitution that meets the needs of a modern and growing state.

The Texas Constitution is one of the longest state constitutions in the United States. Undue length, coupled with outmoded provisions, tends to have an adverse cumulative effect on the nature of a document. According to a 1960 Texas Legislative Council report, the Texas Constitution can be cut down almost one-third, without lessening its effectiveness, just by removing those provisions that are no longer pertinent

THOSE WHO ARE AGAINST SAY: A constitution may be used and valued for purposes other than the fundamentals of government. The Texas Constitution is a dignified record of much of the colorful early history of the state.

Even though many of the sections of the constitution are not applicable to today's needs in government, they do not detract from the basic fundamentals of government as contained in the constitution. Removal of those sections that have been declared unconstitutional is not necessary because they cannot be applied anyway.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

FOR OR AGAINST the constitutional amendment broadening the powers of the Texas Water Development Board and the purposes of the Texas Water Development Fund; eliminating the interest limitations on Texas Water Development Bonds; raising the authorized amount of Texas Water Development Bonds by \$3,500,000,000; extending the maturity schedule on Texas Water Development Bonds; eliminating the procedures for curtailment and the curtailment date of financial assistance to be provided by the Texas Water Development Board.

The Texas Water Development Board and the Texas Water Development Fund were created in 1957 when Section 49c, Article III, was adopted. The Water Development Board was authorized to issue bonds in the amount of \$100 million, at 4 percent interest, for the purpose of making funds available to river authorities, conservation and reclamation districts, interstate compact commissions, and municipal corporations for the conservation and development of water resources. The legislature could authorize the issuance of an additional \$100 million in bonds for these purposes. Section 49d, Article III, adopted in 1962 and amended

in 1966, provided for the issuance of an additional \$200 million in bonds to provide for the optimum development of water storage facilities and systems for the filtration, treatment, and transportation of water. This proposed amendment adds a new Section 49d-1

to Article III. The powers of the Texas Water Development Board would be broadened to permit the implementation of the Texas Water Plan as proposed by the Texas Water Development Board. The major provisions of the plan include:

1) coordinated planning and management for full and effective development of water resources within the

2) transfer of surplus water from wet to dry areas within the state: 3) re-use and reclamation of water wherever possible;

4) possible importation of water from outside the

state (from the lower Mississippi River below the point

The Texas Water Development Board, with the approval of two-thirds of the legislature, would be authorized to issue an additional \$3.5 billion in bonds, with maximum interest rates to be set by the legislature. The proceeds are to be deposited in the Texas Water Development Fund. The fund would be used for the purposes set out in Sections 49c and 49d, and, in addition, for the development of water resources and facilities both in the state of Texas and out of the state. The Texas

Water Development Board may receive grant into contracts with the federal government, of foreign governments, and others for the aqua development of such water resources and haid THOSE WHO ARE FOR SAY:

It is estimated that by the year 2020 the sources now available to the state will be fully ted. Underground water supplying irrigation to will be depleted by 1985, resulting in a price. loss to the state. Total water requirement for clude 12 million acre-feet annually for munical dustrial use, as compared to 2.5 million acre 1960. Over 16 million acre-feet will b annually for irrigation needs, as compared million in 1960. The Texas Water Plan providible, comprehensive, long-range guide for extra meeting these needs as the population goes economy expands.

The adoption of this amendment is a necessi implementing the Texas Water Plan to provide water for the state over and beyond the next The issuance of \$3.5 billion in bonds, at a within the 50-year period as approved by the would cover the state's share of the estimated that the water plan is to cost in 1969 dollars.

River water because of the opposition of t bordering the river.

endangered. Further studies of the effects of on nature need to be made.

the 120-day limitation on per diem for regular

set by the legislature at an amount not to exa

Presently, all legislators, including the Spectral House, receive an annual salary of \$4,800. are fixed in the state constitution and can be only by constitutional amendment.

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Alford said the 1969 research and promotion projects have yielded excellent results, "especially in terms of what our

dollars bought." More and more firms which manufacture and distribute cotton products in heavy volume have joined CPI in full-season advertising and merchandising programs. The cooperation is paying off - 84 per cent of the manufacturers reported they sold more of the advertised cottons than they had expected.

In many instances, CPI funds were used to "prime the pump," thus beginning a flow of expenditures for cotton promotion. In one instance, CPI funds of \$18,350 triggered a \$262,000 advertising campaign by a major manufacturer.

CPI's research efforts put heavy emphasis on development of improved durable press finishes for cotton products, and several new processes are being evaluated for commercial

Through CPI research, substantial progress was made in assuring more dependable and uniform stands of cotton, and



said today.

have not paid a household em-

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"Special attention of house-

hold employers is invited to

this requirement," King said.

"If you have paid your maid,

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Internal Revenue Form 941

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If you need help write, visit,

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ficiency of herbicides, thus reducing the quantity needed.

Tests have demonstrated that Temik, a systemic insecticide developed under a CPI program, gives long-lasting boll weevil control with in-furrow applications. Research is now under way to enhance the effect with a slow release formulation.

The Trustees will receive an interim report from a management consultant firm on a study aimed at ensuring that CPI's program operates with maximum effectiveness.

son of Levelland visited over the weekend in Floydada with her sister, Mrs. Jerry Campbell and family and with an aunt, Mrs. Vernon McPeak and fam-

SOCIAL SECURITY Dillard-Love Reunion Held Most employers make quar-

terly reports of wages paid to The annual Dillard and Love their employees for the emreunion was held July 20 in the ployees' social security credit. Shelter House at Plainview The report for the second quar-Park. There was a good repreter of 1969 (April-June) should sentation of relatives attending be filed with the Internal Revefrom Houston, Wichita Falls, nue Service by July 31, Mancie Oklahoma, New Mexico and va-King social security manager rious sections of area counties.

During the business all of-Exceptions to this requireficers were re-elected with the ment are: 1) agricultural emexception of one. H. M. Reeves ployers, who file yearly rewas elected president; Rev. ports in January, 2) govern-ment and non-profit employ-Lonnie Bowlen, vice-president; and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dilers whose organizations are lard, secretary and treasurer. Following the bountiful meal not under social security, and 3) household employers who

served at the noon hour. Rev. Bowlen and Mrs. Corene Spilman furnished music and gospel numbers.

The reunion will be held on the same date at the same place in 1970.

Fair Catalogs Ready In August

The Floyd County Fair Catalogues are expected to be printed by August 10th and ready for distribution shortly thereafter, according to members of the Fair Board at their recent monthly meeting.

Plans were reviewed at this time for a nightly gate prize of \$100. President Jerry Williams also stated that rules for the Rabbit Show had been prepared and would be included in the catalogue.

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of a legislator is not limited to the few may be appropriated for state assistance payments in any one year to \$80 million, would insure that Texas the year that the legislature is in session. could participate fully in federal programs and would king a living for his family, he is called upon have sufficient funds to care for its needy. stituents in their dealings with state agencies

population growth and inflation will mean smaller paybeen cut 50 percent, and if more funds are not made available, further cuts will have to be made September 1, the beginning of the fiscal year. The supplemental appropriations provided for in this amendment will enable Texas to provide for its needy for the next two fiscal years. The \$80 million maximum for public assistance will not be available until the next budget is adopted in 1971

THOSE WHO ARE AGAINST SAY: Only the fundamental principles of public assistance should be included in the state constitution. As in other budget items, it should be left to the discretion of the legislature to make the necessary appropriations finding alternatives to our present system of public

FOR OR AGAINST the constitutional amendment to remove the constitutional interest rate limitations, subject to limits imposed by the legislature, for bonds issued pursuant to constitutional authority.

64 to Article III. It would remove the present constitutional limits on interest rates to be paid on bonds issued as provided for in the constitution. Instead, it would permit the agency issuing the bonds to set the interest rates, but within limits fixed by the legislature.

The present maximum interest rates on bonds issued by such agencies as the Texas College and University Systern, or the Texas Water Development Board, is set by the constitution at 4 percent; and on those of the Veterans Land Board at only 3½ percent. By giving the legislature authority to set maximum interest rates more in keeping with the general economy, bonds issued by

a sufficient sum of money be kept in reserve each year to pay the principal and interest on those bonds for that fiscal year. If interest rates are not kept at a reasonable level, the cost of servicing these bonds will

AMENDMENT NO. 7 FOR OR AGAINST the constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for payment of assistance to surviving spouses and minor children of governmental officers, employees, and agents, including members of organized volunteer fire departments and

Section 51d, Article III, adopted in 1966, gave the legislature the power to provide for the payment of assistance to the surviving wives and minor children of law enforcement officers, custodial personnel of the Texas Department of Corrections, and full-paid firemen

may be officers of the state or of any city, county, district, or other political subdivision.

THOSE WHO ARE FOR SAY:

game wardens, and guards in the Texas Prison System who are killed in the line of duty are assured of certain survivors' benefits for their wives and minor children. Provision should be made for the payment of these same benefits to the families of all public employees who

are engaged in extra hazardous duty. Organized volunteer firemen and policemen in orgenized reserve units who serve without pay are deserv-ing of this protection for their families. Assurance of such assistance could be an added incentive for many citizens to join these dedicated and conscientious public

THOSE WHO ARE AGAINST SAY:

Many of the public employees who will come within the scope of this amendment are employees of local governmental units. Provision should be made for the of such employees

limits on the amount of assistance that the legislature may provide for surviving families. With more groups of governmental employees becoming eligible for survivors' benefits under the provisions of this amendment, costs to the state government could become burdensome.

FOR OR AGAINST the constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for additional loans to students at institutions of higher education under the Texas Opportunity Plan.

In 1965, Section 50b, Article III, was adopted. It created the Texas Opportunity Plan Fund for the purpose of making loans to students attending any college or university, public or private, in Texas. The Coordinating Board of the Texas College and University System was authorized to issue and sell general obligation bonds in an amount not to exceed \$85 million at a maximum interest rate of 4 percent. The money received was deposited in the Texas Opportunity Plan Fund. Legislation enacted in 1965 provided the terms for repayment

of the loans with interest. This proposed amendment, a new Section 50b-1, would authorize the Coordinating Board to issue and sell an additional \$200 million general obligation bonds to continue financing the Texas Opportunity Plan. The

In operation slightly over 2½ years, it has financed some 90,000 loans. The rate of default has been practically zero. It is anticipated that within the next four years over 200,000 more loans will be needed by Texas youth.

potential as productive Texas citizens. THOSE WHO ARE AGAINST SAY:

of these programs are not being used to the fullest ex-

FOR OR AGAINST the constitutional amendment to provide for annual legislative sessions.

This proposed amendment to Section 5, Article III, would provide for annual sessions of the legislature. When convened in odd-numbered years, the legislature would be limited to a session of 140 days, as is now provided in Section 24, Article III. The functions and responsibilities of the legislature in this session would be the same as those in the present biennial session, except that it would make appropriations and adopt a budget

for one year only. When convened in even-numbered years, beginning in 1972, the legislature would be limited to a session of 60 days. It would enact legislation only on emergency matters as specified by the governor in messages to the

budget for one year only. The governor would still have the authority to call a special session in case of an emergency.

1971, through August 31, 1973. Annual sessions would permit more intelligent planning of state finances. The business of the state has grown far beyond what can be accomplished in limited sessions of the legislature held every two years. Annual sessions would allow more time for proper consideration of the state's legislative matters. Also, annual sessions would permit the legislature to give attention to emergency problems that are now allowed to wait until the next biennial session,

THOSE WHO ARE AGAINST SAY:

held only when needed and thus at lesser expense than a regular session of longer duration.

should have sufficient time to study state problems and to propose legislation to solve these problems.

constituents at home, to speak before civic plan new legislation, and to serve on various mmittees that meet between sessions. The islator estimates that he spends from 20 to 40 ek, year-round, attending to state business. he paid for the work he does sed amendment permits flexibility by authlegislature to set its own salary within the an existing salary structure that can be changes in the economy. This framework,

HO ARE AGAINST SAY idment was proposed as a measure to provide with a salary that is commensurate with the do. However, if adopted, it is likely to atdidates for office who are more interested in 's for the aco those who have a real desire to serve their state. urces and faci estitution is not to set a specific salary, this amendment should provide for more reasons on the salary that legislators may fix for themate will be ful he substantial salary increase made possible by ing irrigation for dment, together with an extended per diem

while the legislature is in session.

AMENDMENT NO. 4

, can be considered as just one more example and government spending at a time when there or economy in government. lough legislators may not be overpaid now with of \$4,800 a year, it would seem that the total for the two-year period should be sufficient tion for the few months of concentrated work

time, acts as a built-in restraint on the legis-

AGAINST the constitutional amendment to onprofit water supply corporations from taxsent Section 2, Article VIII, provides that the may exempt from taxation certain public used for public purposes. Such public property thurches and church property, nonprofit ceme-

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as been no uniformity in the manner in which profit water associations have been taxed. The been a great inequity in the amount of taxes each association—from nothing to several hun-dollars a year. If these water associations are ue to give service and to be a factor in stabiliz-opulation of rural Texas, the legislature should authority to exempt them from taxation.

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nce and/or medical care.

AMENDMENT NO. 5 AGAINST the constitutional amendment pro assistance to and/or medical care on behalf of aged, the needy blind, the needy disabled, dy dependent children and their caretakers; g Eighty Million Dollars (\$80,000,000) as the amount that may be paid per year from of for assistance only; allocating and appro-ditional sums supplementing current legislapriations for assistance grants; and authorizing ture to enact such laws as may be necessary that federal matching money will be available

oposed amendment to Section 51a, Article III, m \$60 million to \$80 million the maximum state funds that may be appropriated by the in any one year for financial assistance to the d, the needy blind, the needy disabled, and the endent children. provides for the following supplemental appro-

from the Omnibus Tax Clearance Fund to the

Internet of Public Welfare for public assistance from September 1, 1969, through August 31, 600,000 for Old Age Assistance; 500,000 for Aid to the Permanently and Totally

,900,000 for Aid to Families with Dependent

HO ARE FOR SAY: stance payments in Texas to those too old, 9. or too handicapped to support themselves hager to meet the basic human needs for food, and shelter. Only 25 percent of the amount that for public assistance are the same from for public assistance payments comes from The remaining 75 percent is provided on a basis by the federal government. Adoption of dment, raising the ceiling on the amount that

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in matching machine use to

Research on the proper combination of herbicides and herbicide practices indicates more efficient, and less costly, weed control. CPI-sponsored research has also indicated ways that use of the proper wetting agents can further increase ef-

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thomp-

With the present maximum on appropriations, normal ments to the needy. Aid to needy children has already

for public assistance. The practice of including in the constitution the maximum amount that may be appropriated in any one year has made it necessary to resubmit Section 51a to the people time and time again. Poverty cannot be cured with vast sums of money alone. Present public assistance programs, costly as they are, provide only minimal payments to recipients. Figures from the State Department of Public Welfare show that in March, 1969, the average monthly payment to the aged was \$73.00; to the blind, \$71.91; to the totally disabled, \$59.60; and to families with dependent children, \$85.93. More effort should be directed toward

assistance so that the amount of money available may

be used to better advantage AMENDMENT NO. 6

This proposed amendment would add a new Section

THOSE WHO ARE FOR SAY:

these and other agencies will sell more readily. THOSE WHO ARE AGAINST SAY: The constitution requires that from the sale of bonds

certain organized police reserve units, who have hazardous duties and are killed in the performance of those

who are killed in the line of duty. This proposed amendment to Section 51d would authorize the legislature to extend these benefits to the survivors of other groups of governmental employees in dangerous positions. The amendment specifically includes members of organized volunteer fire departments, and members of organized police reserve or auxiliary units who have the authority to make arrests. These

Under present state law paid policemen and firemen,

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appropriate local governmental unit to pay at least a portion of the cost of survivors' benefits for the families This proposed amendment should place constitutional

AMENDMENT NO. 8

maximum interest rate will be set by the legislature.

The Texas Opportunity Plan has been highly successful.

They should not be denied this opportunity to secure a college education, thereby insuring to the fullest their

Tuition at state supported colleges and universities is minimal. With an economy that is ever more prosperous, it should not be necessary to underwrite the cost of an education for these students. Furthermore, there are many student loan programs available from banks, industry, foundations, and the federal government. Many

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legislature, and would make appropriations and adopt a

THOSE WHO ARE FOR SAY: Texas government is big business. While big business may plan for the future, it does not make financial obligations as far in advance as required of Texas government by constitutional law. For example, the legislative Budget Board will begin work on a new budget in October, 1969, to cover the period from September 1,

or that necessitate the calling of a special session.

This amendment could add to the confusion of state government and to the burdens of the legislators, since the proposed long regular session will be identical to the present biennial session in length and responsibilities; and the proposed shorter regular session will be limited to consideration of only budget appropriations and emergency matters submitted by the governor. Provision is already made for the governor to call special sessions to deal with emergency matters. These can be

There should not be constitutional limits on length and subject matter of legislative sessions. The legislature

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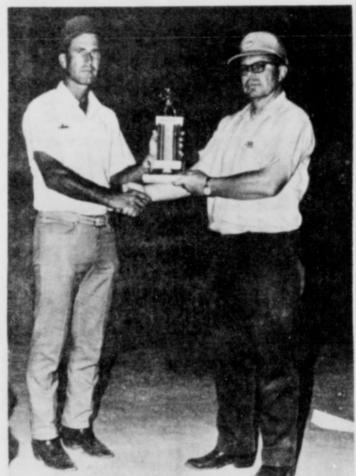
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SPORTING EVENTS



SECOND PLACE WINNERS... in Floydada Tournament were the National League All-Stars. They are left to right front row, Tony Soto, Dan seay, Bud Taylor, Carlos DeLeon, Buy Galloway, Johnny Rodriquez and Mike Ramsey. Front row, Greg Bishop, Blake Hickerson, McArthur Mitchell, Lyle Suggs, Rex Yeary and Billy Marricle. Coaches are Orville Marler, Buck Galloway and Buck Marricle.



A SECOND PLACE TROPHY . . . is being presented to Buck Galloway for his team, the Nation al League All-Stars who took second place in the Freshman Tournament. Robert Copelin is making the presentation. (Staff Photo)

LOCAL WOMEN

Five people from Floydada were among more than 200 church women who gathered at McMurry College in Abilene the week of July 28 - August 1 for the twentieth annual School of Christian Mission of the Northwest Texas Conference, United Methodist Church.

The school is sponsored each year by the Women's Society of Christian Service and the Wesleyan Service Guild of the conference. For several years now it has been held on the McMurry campus. The school attracted Methodist women from a wide area of West Texas, including the South Plains and Panhandle areas.

This year's school featured three studies: "Reconciliation in a Broken World," "Toward Understanding China and the Chinese People," and "Being Christian in a New Day." Study leaders included Mrs.

C. B. McGowan of Baton Rouge, La., Miss Maryruth Nickels of Dallas, Mrs. C. K. Burns of Crawford, Texas, Mrs. Oscar W. Low of Denver, Dr. Allen Lamar Cooper of SMU, Mrs. Robert C. May of Seagoville, Texas, and Mrs. Cecil Matthews of Canyon.

Mrs. Matthews is also conference president of the WSCS. She served as program coordinator for the school. Mrs.

Letter



Dear editor We rec'd, nice long letter from Price Scott of Buena Vista, Calif. written July 16th, by Air Mail, reached us eight days later. He wished it to be read at McCoy Reunion. Here is major portion of letter:

have 5 girls, two boys, all live near the Scotts. They have 22 grandchildren, 5 great-grandchildren. The Scotts moved from here to Buena Vista 27 years ago. They have been subscribers of Hesperian all these years.

He is getting along fine, physically and spiritually. Almost

81, wife, 78. She is frail but still gets around very well. They

Price said the 3 years of teaching at McCoy were the sweetest of all his teaching profession. He closed his letter by hoping to meet all the McCoy people in that greatest of all reunions in the distant future. One year ago, Price and Mrs. Sudie Thomas visited with us in tion was established at Har-

our home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Berry Mass.

Giants Win Tournament Friday night the National

Floydada won the Freshman Invitational Tournament held in Floydada, which ended on Saturday night. The team won three games to take the first place trophy. They were also presented a trophy for second place as league champs.

The Floydada National League All-Stars was presented a trophy for winning second place in the tournament.

The Red Sox received a trophy Saturday night for first place in winning the American League title at the close of the season.

Participating in the tournament were teams from Lockney, Matador, Silverton, the Floydada American League All Stars, Floydada Red Sox and Floydada Giants, coached by Freddie Morren and Bill Wom-

Tuesday night games were won by the National League All-Stars over Lockney 8-2. Winning pitcher was Flemming, losing pitcher was Colvin and Charlie DeLeon of the All-Stars hit one homerun. The second game was won by

the American League All-Stars 4-3 over Matador. Craig Hambright was winning pitcher, Carpenter losing pitcher.

The Giants took Post Thursday night in a 10-6 win with Joe Womack as winning pitcher and Tony Conner losing pitcher. Randy Pierce of the Giants knocked the only homerun. In the second game Silverton

took a close squeaker 3-2 over the Floydada Red Sox, Ken Wood was winning pitcher and

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Local Coaches

Annual School

Dallas from August 3 through

the 7th where they will attend

the world's largest coaching

school. Some 5,000 high school

coaches are expected to attend

the 37th annual affair. Officials

of the Association are predic-

ting a record crowd this year

for the lectures, clinics and all-

star football and basketball

Attending from Floydada will

be L. G. Wilson, Joe Paty,

Bill Grissom, Jim Pope, Don

Ford and Noel Loftin, Coach

Curt Chatham is attending the

New Mexico Coaching School in

in Dallas is set for Thursday

night, August 6. The series is

tied 12 games apiece but the

South has won the last six

games. The football game will

August 7. The North has a 21-

10-3 edge with seven straight

Roy LeMond of Post was dean,

and Mrs. C. B. Melton of Floy-

Attending the school from

Floydada were Mrs. W. L. Da-

vis, Mrs. Wilson Fowler, Mrs.

C. B. Melton, Mrs. Ben Whit-

dada was assistant dean.

played in the Cotton Bowl

The all-star basketball game

Albuquerque this week.

triumphs.

To Attend

FROM PAGE 1

Award along with seven other Texas newspapers.

The Workshop for teachers of Vocational Agriculture is to be held at the Terrace Motor Hotel, according to George H. Hurt, Director of Agriculture Education. Guest speaker for the opening general session Tuesday morning will be Herbert J. Head, General Marketing Manager, Ford Motor Company, Birmingham, Michigan. His subject will be centered around "Agriculture - the year 2000,"

Also on the agenda Tuesday morning is a welcome by Mayor Travis LaRue of Austin and remarks by Dr. J. W. Edgar, Commissioner of Education.

An important phase of the training session will be the eleven workshops conducted Wednesday and Thursday afternoons in subjects such as "Winter Feeding and Performance of Heifers," "Use and Safety of Herbicides", "Swine Management and Production," "Farm Credit," "Creative Teaching Innovations", and "Developing a Program in Off-Farm Agriculture Occupations."

The Second general session will start Thursday morning at 9 a.m. Guest speaker will be Reagan V. Brown, Extension Sociologist, Texas A&M Uniaker, and Rev. Melvin Mathis. versity, College Station. His

League All-Stars and the American League All Stars played a thriller with an extra inning played due to a tie ball game. The National team went ahead

thur Mitchell was winning pitcher and Greg Goen was losing

In the second game Friday night the Giants beat Silverton 15-4. Billy Marricle was win-

a former Floydada boy, was losing pitcher.

The championship game was ing pitcher played Saturday night with the Giants coming out as victors from the All-s

Stars 13-2. J winning pitcher was chalked up



COACH FREDDIE MORREN . . . receives first place trophy from Robert Copelin in behalf of his team, the Floydada Giants, who won the freshman tournament held in Floydada last week. The team also won a first place trophy for winning their league at the close of the season. (Staff Photo) league at the close of the season.



one to outfield to help run the score up 25-6 in favor of the women over the girls in their baseball game Saturday night. Mrs. Probasco hit four home runs for the womens team. Stephanie Arwine is seen as catcher.

subject will be "High on the Totem Pole." John R. Guemand trends in Agriculture Eduple, Assistant Commissioner

A Vocational Teacher."

The Vocational Agriculture

Teachers Association of Texas

will hold its annual meeting

August 6. The main speaker will

mon, from Mt. Vernon, Texas,

Friday morning George H.

Hurt, State Director, Agricul-

ture Education, will discuss

"What's Ahead in Vocational Agriculture." The meeting will

close on Friday with teachers

planning district and area in-

service education workshops,

Future Farmer and Young Far-

mer Activities for 1969-70.

Approximately 1158 agricul-

ture teachers are expected to

attend the meeting. The Voca-

tional Agriculture Education

program in the state is under

the direction of the Division of

Agriculture Education, Texas

Education Agency, with George

H. Hurt as Division Director,

Teachers meet annually for

training in new developments

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for Vocational and Adult Edu-cation, will discuss "How Recent Legislation Effects You as



TROPHY . . . presented to Jack Yeary as the Red Sox, winners of the American Making the presentation is Robert Copeli nament chairman. Members of the team man McCormick, Randy Fry, Tommy Mike Ramsey, Billy Fulton, Lyndan Morr Yeary, Jeff Robertson, Leon Barnes, Ton ter, and assistant coaches are Dallas Ra Don Robertson.

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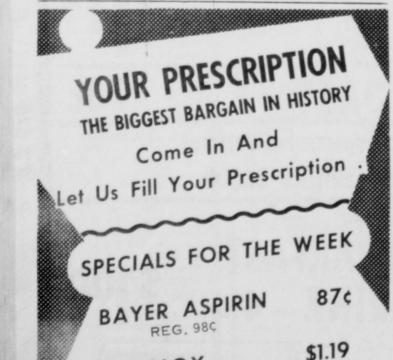
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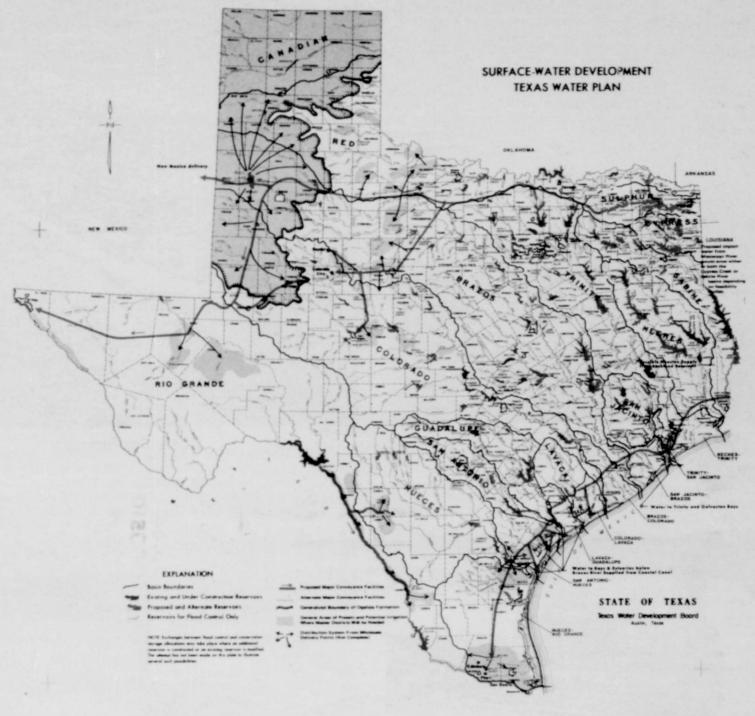
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Texas Water News



Texas' Future Hinges on Water **Amendment Ballot August 5**

Texas voters will ballot Aug. 5 on a constitutional amendment that would provide the State of fund bonds for Texas' share of the \$9 billion Texas Water Plan.

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

The Amendment-Number 2 on the ballot-authorizes an

increase in the Water Development Fund of \$3.5 billion; removal of the 4 per cent in-Fund's bonds and authorizes the rate to be set by legislative Dec. 31, 1982 cutoff date for use of the bond funds to assist state to develop their water resources; empowers the Water Development Board to contract with federal agencies, other states, foreign countries-such as Canada---and others for the development of water resources and the bonds would not be used for gifts or grants. They would

be repaid-with interest-by the users of water. The Texas Water Plan is based on the concept that all reimbursable costs of water developments would be repaid by those who

Water Development Board estimate that Texas, after a full development of its water resources, will have a shortage of 12 to 13 million acre feet 325,581 gallons.

To overcome this anticipated shortage, the Texas Water Plan proposes the importation of some 13 million acre feet of sur- power plants--possibly nuclear plus water each year from the lower Mississippi River to meet an estimated requirement of 32 million acre feet for growing

The immense Texas Water Plan proposes the construction 33.6 million acre feet of confeet of flood control-at an estimated cost (in 1967 dollars) of \$2.4 billion. Remaining costs would amount to some \$6.5

transstate transmission canals spanning north Texas and the Gulf Coast, connecting pipelines, pumping stations, and powered.

The 500-mile concrete-lined northern canal would begin in the upper Sulphur River basin

ward past Lubbock in the High Plains, turn south and west to the Trans Pecos where a pipemillion acre feet of water a year for northern and western Texas

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

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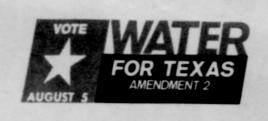






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AN OPEN LETTER TO THE CITIZENS OF TEXAS

The availability of an adequate supply of water has always made the difference between prosperity and want-between plenty and famine. For these reasons, water has played a major role in the Texas story--has been the essential element in placing a State known for wide open spaces in the position of sustaining the Nation's third largest population by 1985; a high rate of growth in business, industry and finance; and the Nation's third largest agricultural industry.

Our State's growth projections in these areas nearly defy imagination, and yet experts tell us that these projections and future prosperity cannot be realized unless giant steps are taken now to assure Texas' future water resources.

The Texas Water Plan was developed to make maximum use of the available water in our State and to provide for additional out-of-state water as needed. This work has taken place during all of our administrations as Governor of Texas. The plan comes to its first real public test on August 5 when you, the voters of Texas, are being asked to approve Constitutional Amendment No. 2, which will authorize the Texas Water Development Board to sell up to \$3.5 billion in additional bonds over a forty year period, in amounts as needed, and as authorized by a two-thirds vote of the State Legislature-money that will eventually be repaid by water users.

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

Sincerely,

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alupe and San Antonio rivers basins. Houston could be provided with additional surface each year to the valuable bay water from the Brazos, the San and estuary system and to wildlife refuges, thus maintaining and enhancing their sports, commercial and aesthetic value to Texas and to the nation.

The Coastal Canal would supply municipal and industrial water for the Corpus Christi-Timing of the developments Kingsville area and irrigation proposed by the Texas Water Plan is an extremely critical The Coastal Division would tactor, say Water Development also provide 2.5 million acre Board planners, "Our best feet of additional fresh water estimates indicate that by or before 1990 some of our metropolitan areas---Corpus

Christi, San Antonio, El Pasowill need supplemental water to meet their growing requirements," said Howard B. Boswell, executive director of

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

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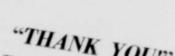
state will suffer economic losses in investments, banking, insurance, transportation,

markets for agricultural equipment and supplies, and the loss of population," he added. Texans old enough to vote in the Aug. 5 election remember well the drought of the 1950's and what it's like to be without

water. Water rationing was the rule in most Texas towns and cities. Lakes dried up. And farmers saw their land crack

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

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



Water For Agriculture

Water For Cities and Towns

The publishers wish to take this means of saying "thank you" to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, the Texas

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· · · Texas' Future

The 418-mile Coastal Canal and the Coastal Division would carry about 4.8 million acre feet

annually, plus the amount supplied to metropolitan Houston and San Antonio by

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from reservoirs in the Guad-

Jacinto, the Trinity and the

Neches river basins.

water for the Coastal Bend.

around Carrizo Springs.

Texas, Neither Is Financial Plan

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

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

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

The drought and floods through which Texas passed during 1950-57 gave impetus to planning the conservation and management of Texas' water resources.

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

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polls on Aug. 5. (Dallas News)

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

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

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

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

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But our leaders have come up with a sound, forward-looking

Among those actively engaged in working for the plan to provide

water needs in Texas at least until the year 2020 are Gov. Preston

Smith, former Governors John Connally, Price Daniel and Allan

Shivers, Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes and Speaker Gus Mutscher of the

Texas House. There are many others all over the state who know

Some conservationists who are concerned about ecological

changes of environment have voiced opposition. A few have even

intimated that Texas-especially West Texas-should not try to

grow in population, agribusiness and industrialization. This, we

The News agrees that wildlife, marine life and other assets

should be preserved and is confident that the sound leadership

involved in the Texas Water Plan will work toward that end without

First essential step toward acquiring 2020 vision is approval of

Amendment No. 2 on the ballot in the Aug. 5 election. Texans who

will be vacationing then should arrange to vote absentee for

Amendment 2; those who will be at home should be sure to go to the

Texas Water Plan which is so important for all parts of the state

ment, and reluctantly Texans must admit that in some ways the

Far West has been more foresighted than we have.

that it has been endorsed by many Texas leaders.

looking forward to future supplies of the essential element to

support people, growing plants and industrial plants-water.

authority assured the State's participation in the full development of its water resources for the benefit of all sections of

and distribution. This new

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Heretofore, the Water Development Fund was designed and used to develop the water resources of the State in piecemeal fashion. It is now proposed to achieve full development of our water resources in orderly fashion for federal agencies, other states, the benefit of the State's and foreign governments-such

State's water requirements to the year 2020.

O. Who will benefit from the Plan

A. The people of Texas Q. Will the Plan provide adequate water for Texas

A. Yes. Estimates indicate that Texas will need 32 million acre feet of water annually by 2020 for cities and towns, for industry, for agriculture, and for all other beneficial uses. The Plan provides for the full development of Texas' water resources and importation from the lower Mississippi River of 12 to 13 million acre feet of water each year to supplement the State's supplies.

Q. What is the cost of the Plan

A. About \$9 billion (in 1967 dollars)

Q. What is Texas' share of the costs

A. \$3.5 billion Q. Who will pay the costs

A. Those who use the water

Q. Where will Texas get the money to finance its share of the Plan

A. From the sale of Water Development Fund bonds Q. Will this be tax money

A. No. Although the investment in the construction of the Texas Water Plan will require support from the general revenue fund of the State for meeting bond obligations during the interim period between development of water supplies and development of local water user capacities. General revenue support will be particularly heavy during the 13 years (1978-1991) when it is estimated that an aggregate amount of \$630 million will be required to pay debt service. It must be remembered, however, that the general fund should receive income to repay these advances. Over the life of the Plan, about 50 years, the State will recover all of the expended funds.

Q. Will the bonds be issued at one time

A. No. The bonds will be issued, upon two-thirds approval of the Legislature, over a period of 40 to 50 years.

Q. Is this method of financing water development in Texas a new

A. No. In 1957, the voters of Texas amended the constitution and established the Texas Water Development Board and the Water Development Fund and authorized \$200 million in Water Development Bonds. In 1966, the voters increased the fund to \$400 million. Since then, some \$100 million has been loaned or committed to political subdivisions of the state for the development of water supply facilities

Q. Is the Fund used to provide gifts or grants

A. No. The funds loaned must be repaid the State with interest.

to provide import water from outside of Texas.

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

water resources. Funds from the sale of bonds will be used to provide the interim financing necessary for payment of \$2.3 billion of construction costs of that part of the Texas Water Plan allocated for municipal and industrial water; \$600 million would be used for carrying on the present program of the Board which provides financial assistance to political subdivisions of the state for development of their water resources; \$65 million

would be used by the Board for storage acquisition in reservoirs not associated with the Texas Water System: and \$500 million would be earmarked for contingencies.

The Amendment would also remove the present Dec. 31, 1982 cut-off date for the present program of financial assistance by the Board; it would empower the Board to contract with the

dwindling water resources and as Canada--for the development of water resources and facilities.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Look At It With 2020 Vision

resources, an era unequalled in the state's long history.

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

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

project costs (in terms of 1967 dollars) is \$3.5 billion. Federal and local funds would pay for the rest.

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

AN EDITORIAL: - ARLINGTON CITIZEN

TEXANS ON AUGUST 5 will determine the course our state will take into the next century. One course, begun nearly two decades ago and ready for action now, will provide adequate water resources to keep Texas moving ahead with vision and determination. The other leads to stagnation and decline because of an inadequate water

WHAT IS AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO?

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

By BILL McCLANAHAN

Dallas News Staff Cartoonist

SUPPLY

OF TEXAS

AMENDMENT 2

VOTE FOR

AUGUST 5

ELECTION

of the Plan.

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

TEXAS?

Yes With our current major THE PLAN?

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

Texas Water Plan a "Must" WHAT IS THE TEXAS WATER

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

WHO IS TO PAY FOR THE

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

WHY DOES TEXAS NEED A WATER RESOURCE PLAN?

WILL THE PLAN PROVIDE ADEQUATE WATER FOR

reservoirs (157), the proposed full development of our water resources (67 dams and reservoirs) and an imported supply of water, Texas can meet its water demands to the year 2020. WHO WILL BENEFIT FROM

Texas Water Plan.

Texas, Coastal, and Easter

form a dramatic part of the

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

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

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

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

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

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

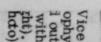
The Winter Garden area, southwest of San Antonio, can be served by conveyance of releases out of Amistad Reservoir on the Rio Grande. Water supplied from Amistad to irrigators in these areas will be replaced in the Lower Valley by deliveries through the Coastal Canal.

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

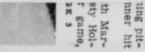
Subject to the results of feasibility studies, the Board proposes that design and construction begin in the following

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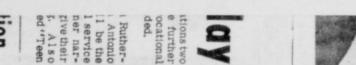
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GOV. PRESTON SMITH



GOV. JOHN B. CONNALLY





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

Texas and epitomize the sterling qualities of Texas leadership are manning the ramparts on behalf of Constitutional Amendment No. 2.

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

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

Speaking of his predecessors, Governor Smith said,

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

"The availability of an adequate supply of water has always made the difference between prosperity and want-

between plenty and famine. For these reasons, water has played a major role in the Texas storyhas been the essential element in placing a State known for wide open spaces in the position of sustaining the Nation's third largest population by 1985; a high rate of growth in business, industry and finance: and the Nation's third largest agri-

cultural industry. "Our State's growth prodefy imagination, and yet experts tell us that these projections and future prosperity cannot be realized unless giant steps are taken now to assure Texas' future water resources.

"The Texas Water Plan was

developed to make maximum use of the available water in our State and to provide for additional out-of-state water as needed. This work has taken place during all of our administrations as Governor of Texas. The plan comes to its first real public test on August 5 when you, the voters of Texas, are being asked to approve Constitutional Amendment No. 2, which will authorize the Texas sell up to \$3.5 billion in additional bonds over a forty year period, in amounts as needed, and as authorized by a two-third vote of the State Legislaturemoney that will eventually be repaid by water users.

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

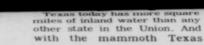
Chairmen of the Governor's Committee of 500, comprising leaders from all parts of Texas

Attorneys - Joe Kilgore, Austin Agri-Business - Harold Hinn, Dallas

Cities - Steve Matthews, Austin Contractors - Jim Richards, Austin

Coordination - Rep. Bill Clayton, Springlake County Officials - W. D. Henson, Dalhart

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Water For Texans

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... WATER PLANS

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

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

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

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

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

Projects proposed by the Plan meet local water requirements throughout the state and to provide flood control and other benefits to the area and to the state. Navigation, hurricane protection projects, upstream watershed-protection proContinued from p-4

.... GOVERNOR'S

Engineers - Howard R. Drew. Ft. Worth Farm and Ranch - Dolph Briscoe, Uvalde Finance - Ed Clark, Austin Investment Bankers - W. E. Tinsley, Austin Publicity - Harry Provence

Radio and TV - J. C. Kellam

Representatives - Rep. Gus Mutscher, Brenshaw River Authorities - Walter Wells, Waco

Senators - Lt. Gov Ben Barnes.

Texas Water Conservation Assn. - Joe Wheat, Woodville Theaters - John Reed, Austin Trade Associations - "Buckshot" Price, Austin

Treasury - Brad Smith, Austin Universities & Colleges - Earl Rudder, College Station Utilities - Beeman Fisher, Ft.

Worth Water Districts - W. D. Parish, Mercedes

Water Superintendents - Henry Graeser, Dallas Weekly Newspapers - George

Hawkes, Arlington Women's Activities - Mrs. Carl Estes, Longview

Outdoor Recreation - W. J (Billy) Disch, Jr., Austin Nat. Rivers & Harbors & Nat. Reclamation Assn. - John W. Simmons, Orange

Real Estate Developers - Jim Lindsey, Texarkana

grams, drainage of wetlands natural salinity alleviation projects, and phreatophyte control projects are included in the

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



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servoirs constructed or under construction. And these lakes

offer abundant opportunities for

recreation, be it fishing, water

skiing, swimming or just plain

loafing along their scenic

shores. The Texas Water Plan

proposes the construction of 67

major dams and reservoirs, or

alternates, during the next 50

years or so to provide water

needed by the people of Texas

for their cities and towns, their

industry, and for their agri-

culture. These reservoirs will

of East Texas stand to gain the Texas Water Plan. The Plan proposes the construction of 28 dams and reservoirs in this historic and exciting section of Texas in addition to the other facilities needed to provide water for Texans.

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

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

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

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

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

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



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