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WOODWORK



VIRGINIA KNAUER, director of the White House Office of Consumer Affairs, writes a consumer-related column which we sometimes reproduce, and one of her recent ones opened by posing this question:

"If you walked into your living room tonight and saw the draperies on fire, what would you do?"

Well, there are several possibilities. Here are some of them:

1. I would hunt up my wife and ask her if she thought new draperies would look nice in the living room.

2. I would look behind the draperies to see if one of the youngsters was hiding back there smoking a cigarette.

3. I would go to the garage, get my aluminum ladder, climb up on top of the roof and scream as loudly as I could for Orville Hill.

Virginia doesn't suggest any of these things. She says you first should get everybody out of the house as fast as possible, then call the fire department, and then, and only then, try to fight the fire yourself with a fire extinguisher.

I don't have one. Maybe at that point I should try to start a backfire in the hallway.

A NICE COUPLE in Waurika, Okla., Brick and Mary Lacy Snider, have converted to the offset method of printing their newspaper, and from the looks of it, they're going great from the first and won't have some of the problems we had when we first got into this method of printing.

In 1960 we converted the Sudan and Amherst papers to offset, and immediately starting printing the Anton and Shallowater papers by that process, too. Only trouble was, we were new at the game, and had to learn a lot of things the hard way, which brings to my mind the famous "Santa Claus" bride incident.

A very attractive young woman from Shallowater announced her marriage and sent us a good quality photograph of herself in wedding garb. And we loused it up by not exposing the negative long enough, and the picture came out very dark.

It was late at night when we were trying to run this paper, and we were just too exhausted to start over, but we kept looking at that dark picture, and after running about half the papers we needed I signalled for Jay House to stop the press. I had read somewhere that you could lighten an image on a printing plate by rubbing it lightly with a common pencil eraser, and I wanted to try this on the dark portions of the girl's face. I rubbed, and we started the press again. No change. I rubbed a little harder, and we tried once more. Still no change; her face was dark as ever. So we stopped once more.

"It's not going to work," I said, but I rubbed it much harder around the bottom part of her face. "Let's just finish running them as it is."

But that time it worked. Too good, because the bottom part of the girl's face disappeared and she appeared to have a large

Kermit Sorrells Named School Superintendent

Kermit Sorrells, Iraan High School principal the past four years and formerly a teacher in the Sudan Schools, was named superintendent of schools at a

PLANT X EMPLOYEES TO HAVE PARTY FRIDAY

The Plant X Swimming Party will be held Friday, August 11, at 7:00 p. m. at the Crescent Park Swimming Pool in Littlefield. Supper will be served. All Plant X employees and their families are urged to be present.

ENROLL NOW FOR JACK & JILL KINDERGARTEN
All interested in enrolling your 4 and 5 year-olds in Kindergarten please call Marge Nelson. 227-3972

Wedding Vows Read

Sandy Scott and Calvin Bandy, both of Lubbock, were united in marriage at 4:30 p. m. Wednesday, August 2, in Lubbock.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scott, Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. D.J. Bandy of Sudan.

The couple are making their home in Lubbock where he is employed by Associate Securities Inc. and she is employed by J.C. Penneys, both in the South Plains Mall.

white beard, just like Santa Claus. It looked terrible, and ridiculous, but we ran the rest of them that way, hoping she would never find out where the paper was printed. To my knowledge, she never did. She still may be looking for us, and we couldn't really blame her.

There was one sequel to this story. A couple of weeks later, one of the men associated with the business, Max Steger, who worked at Sears, commented that he sure was glad nobody around Sears knew he was connected with the newspaper. We asked him why.

"Because," he explained. "I just discovered today that one of my co-workers is Santa Claus' mother!"

KNOTHoles IN THE WOODWORK: Average family income in Lubbock County, according to the Census Bureau, was \$8,248 in 1969, but surprisingly, the statewide average was higher at \$8,490. . . The same agency reports that nearly one in five (18 per cent) residents of Texas is of Spanish heritage, and that in 1970 the agency counted 58,690 housing units in Lubbock County and 51,149 had at least one TV set. . . American Automobile Assn. warns Texans to be wary of some bargain-priced new or late model used cars, because thousands of flood-damaged vehicles are being sold with no warning of their condition. Some were brought into the Southwest after being inundated in New England, which is just more reason for trading with one of the local dealers that you know will have nothing to do with a deal like that. . . Trolley fishermen should note that the game officers now have authority to remove all undated trotlines and those which have been in fresh water over 90 days.

meeting of the board of trustees recently.

The new superintendent of the Iraan Sheffield Independent School District was given a two-year contract effective July 1.

Superintendent Sorrells, 35, came to Iraan in 1968 from Baird, where he held the posts of elementary and then junior high principal. He is a graduate of West Texas State University with a master's degree also from the Canyon school. In addition Sorrells holds several hours of special training from Texas Tech and Hardin-Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. (Sue) Sorrells have three children, Sandra, 14, Phillip, 11, and David, 8.

GENEALOGICAL WORKSHOP SET IN LUBBOCK

The annual summer Genealogical Research Workshop presented by the South Plains Genealogical Society will be Saturday Aug. 19 at the Municipal Garden & Arts Center, 4215 University Avenue, Lubbock, Texas.

Hours will be 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. No admission fee is charged and everyone interested is invited to attend, states Mrs. Harold L. Russell, president.

Classes for beginning researchers will be held from 9:30 a. m. to 10:30 a. m. and from 1:30 p. m. to 2:30 p. m. These sessions will be held in the Studio of the Garden & Arts Center and will be in charge of Mrs. Robert Toland, SPGS vice president and Miss Dorothy Rylander, SPGS librarian.

Books, periodicals, maps and other materials will be supplied by members and friends of the Society for the day-long research workshop. Many of these are not in libraries and are only made available for public use during the annual SPGS workshops. A number of the recent book purchases by SPGS will also be brought from the Society's research collection in the Lubbock City-County for use at the workshop.

Family tree charts, census forms and other materials will be for sale at the registration tables. Sandwiches, coffee and

TOPS CLUB MEET

Tops 634 had seven members present when they met Monday afternoon at the Community Center with a five and one half pound total loss.

The TOPs song was sung to three-month queen Letha Gordon and runner-up Mary Tollett.

Members repeated the pledge and a hand full of dimes given to Letha Gordon, queen-of-the-week.



Mr. and Mrs. Byron West of Brownfield are parents of a baby girl, Heather Denise, who weighed 5 lbs. 12 ozs. She was born at the Littlefield Hospital, Littlefield.

Mrs. West is the former Teresa King.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. U.J. King, Sudan, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvern West of Baileyboro.

SWING WIDE THE GATES!



LET'S WORK TOGETHER

American scientists in both government and industry whose teamwork has successfully placed men on the moon, are now working on breakthroughs in solving such earth-bound challenges as the transportation problems of cities and suburbia and protection of the ecology.

These men of science and technology are achieving these advances through research and innovation. President Nixon has described this new effort as "a key to strengthening the economy and improving the quality of our life."

Dr. Willard M. Bright, president of the Kendall Company and chairman of the National Association of Manufacturers Science/Technology committee, says, "There is general agreement on directing technology to provide the basis of a better economic and ecological climate in this country."

Some barriers to progress are financial, others technical. Science is making progress in solving social problems through the application of basic technologies that are efficient, conserve energy and materials and meet the needs of society. The continued cooperative effort of government, educators, and industry is essential.

Homemakers Installs Officers

The Young Homemakers met Monday, August 7, at the home-making cottage with Mary Ann Gordon presiding.

Officers for the coming year were elected and are as follows: Mary Ann Gordon, president; Ruth Vincent, first vice-president; Jeannie Bartley, second

soft drinks will be available for lunch.

Mrs. Russell states that if University Avenue is under construction by Aug. 19, the Garden & Arts Center may be easily reached from 46th Street which borders K. N. Clapp park on the south.

vice-president; Nell Ingle, secretary-treasurer; TuTu King, reporter; Geneva Newman, historian.

Mary Ann Gordon and Nell Ingle were elected to represent the Sudan Young Homemakers to run for district office in Plainview, September 9.

Jana West was nominated "little sister."

Plans were finalized for participation in the flea market Saturday, August 12 in Littlefield.

Nell Ingle served refreshments of donuts, Brownies and iced tea

COFFEE HONORS MISS KAREN DOTY

The home of Mrs. Dick West was the setting for a bridal coffee honoring Karen Doty, bride-elect of Billy Wayne Gore, Saturday morning, August 5.

Jana West registered guests, and Rene Markham and Shelley Hargrove presided at the serving table.

Punch, coffee, coffee cakes and fruit tidbits were served from crystal and silver appointments. The table was covered with a white cloth edged in lace and centered with a white and turquoise, the bride-elect's chosen colors, floral arrangement.

The hostesses gift was the floral arrangement and a vacuum cleaner.

Joan Harper and Jo Gaye Doty assisted the honoree in opening

gifts. Hostesses were Mesdames G. C. Ritchie, Glenn Cardwell, Gerald Chisholm, Richard West, J.B. Hargrove, Leonard Pierce, Billy Hanna, B.J. Markham, Billy Chester, J.A. Graves, Audrey West, Waymon Bellar, Glyn Williams, Nolan Parrish, Floyd Seymore, Leroy Young, Dexter Baker, J.W. House, Jr., B.A. Beauchamp, Jr., W.E. Blume, R.C. Williams, D.W. Williamson, Raymond Harper, Edwin Harper.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. J.C. Wells of Muleshoe, Mrs. Claude Patton of Lubbock, Mrs. Hugh Gore and Mrs. Billy Gore of Circle Back.

The Doty-Gore wedding is planned for Saturday, Sept. 2 at 7:30 p. m.

FOOTBALL WORKOUTS BEGIN AUGUST 14

Coach Jim Warren has announced that all high school football boys, who had physicals Tuesday night at 6 p. m. at the South Plains Hospital at Amherst, are to begin workouts Monday, August 14.

Warren comes to Sudan from Plains and will be assisted this year by Gary Campbell, Bob

ICE CREAM SUPPER TO BE HELD MONDAY

An ice cream supper for high school football boys, coaches, and parents will be held Monday, Aug. 14, at 7:30 p. m. in the Community Park. The supper is sponsored by the Sudan Booster Club.

SS News

"The prompt delivery of social security checks to more than 25 million beneficiaries is one of the vital jobs of the Social Security Administration," John G. Hutton, manager of the Lubbock office said today.

Most delays are due to a change of address which was not reported to the social security office.

"Some checks are returned even though a forwarding address was left at the post office because checks can not be forwarded for an indefinite period of time," Hutton said.

The Social Security Administration uses the latest methods to insure the prompt delivery of benefit checks but some checks are lost or delayed every month. Any beneficiary whose check has not come by the sixth of the month should notify the office promptly by calling 747-3711, Lubbock, Texas.

A signed form may be required before any action can be taken. In the majority of cases if the check is returned because of an incorrect address it can be re-mailed within 10 to 14 days providing the social security office is notified of the correct address.

The delivery of checks actually involves three different agencies. The Social Security Administration furnishes the name, amount, and address on the check to the Treasury Department. The check is printed by the Treasury Department and forwarded to the Post Office Department for mailing. Prompt notice of changes of address and non-receipt is necessary if checks are to be delivered timely.

Do not delay filing a social security application if you are disabled reminds Frank Upp of the Lubbock Social Security Office. Upp states that although there is a full six month waiting period before disability payments can begin, the claim should be filed early so there will be no delay in the receipt of the first check.

A disability application should be filed as soon as it becomes apparent that the impairment will continue for one year or longer.

For more details as to how you may qualify for social security disability payments, call or write the Lubbock, Texas social security office.

Crane and Tommy Essex. He states that some 51 boys are expected to participate in high school football out of the top four grades this year and that he is acquainted with most of the boys.

Workouts will be held twice a day from 7:30 to 9:30 a. m. and from 5 to 7 p. m. Under a new ruling, workouts are to be held in shorts and shoes only the first four days with other equipment to be issued Friday, August 18. Players for positions will not be named at the present time but will be named later according to ability.

Warren also states that the Hornets will have one open date, November 3. A new rule for all schools from 6-man through 4-A schools is that they have at least one open date a year.

Two scrimmages will be held, one with New Deal, here, with the date to be decided. The Hornets will go to Lubbock Cooper on Friday, Sept. 1, game time at 5 p. m.

The first game of the season with Amherst, here, will be held September 8. Other games are as follows:

Sept. 8,	Amherst,	H
Sept. 15,	Plains,	T
Sept. 22,	Anton,	H
Sept. 29,	Shallowater,	T
Oct. 6,	Springlake*,	H
Oct. 13,	Hart*,	T
Oct. 20,	Bovina*,	T
Oct. 27,	Vega*,	H
November 3,		Open
Nov. 10,	Farwell*,	H
Nov. 17,	Kress*,	T

#District Games
Game time 8 p. m. till time change, then 7:30 p. m.

SURVEY SLATED

A number of households in this area will take part in a nationwide survey on employment and unemployment to be conducted the week of August 14-18 by the Bureau of the Census, Percy R. Millard, Director of the Bureau's Data Collection Center in Dallas, announced today.

The survey is taken monthly by the Bureau for the U.S. Department of Labor. The households interviewed are scientifically selected to represent a cross section of all households.

Statistics on conditions in the labor force from month to month provide a continuing measure of the economic health of the country. In June, for example, the Nation's unemployment rate dropped to 5.5 percent. The decline, from 5.9 percent in May, brought the jobless rate to its lowest level in more than a year and a half.

Information supplied by individuals participating in the survey is held confidential by law and is used only to compile statistical totals.

Personals

Recent visitors in the M.C. Engram home were Mickey and Rocky Popejoy from Sunray, Mrs. Roy Engram, Todd and Lisa from Camron.

A longtime resident of Sudan, Lynn (Killinsworth) Powers, and sons, Rappy and James, of Redlands, Calif. were visitors in the home of Edith Williams this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lance are vacationing in the Colorado mountains at Fun Valley.

NAMES OF ELECTION OFFICERS RELEASED

Appointed election judges and their terms has been released by County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioner's Court, Lamb County, Texas Mary Beth Willey.

Election judges terms shall begin on August 1, 1972, and shall be in effect until said judges are reappointed or replaced by the Lamb County Commissioners Court in accordance with Article 3.01(a) of the Texas Election Code as described below:

Art. 3.01 APPOINTMENT OF ELECTION OFFICERS

(a) For County Elections. The Commissioners' Court at its July term shall appoint from among the citizens of each election precinct one qualified voter as presiding judge of elections held at the expense of the county in that precinct and one qualified voter as alternate presiding judge, each of whom shall continue to act until his successor is appointed. Whenever a vacancy arises in either of such offices, the Commissioners' Court may fill the vacancy at any regular or special term of court. All orders appointing judges and alternates shall be entered of record. Each presiding judge shall appoint two qualified voters, who are residents of the precinct, to serve as election clerks, and shall appoint, for each election as many additional clerks as he deems necessary for the proper conduct of the election; not to exceed the maximum number authorized by the Commissioners' Court. The Com-

missioners' Court shall fix the maximum number of clerks which may be appointed for each precinct, and may fix different maximums depending on the type of election. The clerks shall be selected from different political parties, when practicable.

No. 5 Sudan - Community Building; Coleman Terrell, Presiding Judge, Rt. 2, Sudan; Delvin Batson, Alternate Presiding Judge, Highway 303, Sudan.

No. 7 North Sudan - Farmer's Coop Gin Office; Curtis Savage, Presiding Judge, Rt. 2, Sudan; Mrs. Dick West, Alternate Presiding Judge, Sudan.

No. 8 Amherst - City Hall Vernon Stagner, Presiding Judge, 401 Henderson Ave., Amherst; Delvin Batson, Alternate Presiding Judge, Rt. 1, Amherst.

No. 11 Beck Gin - Beck Gin Office; Mrs. Floyd (Blackie) Seymore, Presiding Judge, Rt. 2, Sudan; Mrs. Emery Blume, Alternate Presiding Judge, Rt. 2, Sudan.

Special Canvassing Board for Absentee Votes: Mrs. Frank Rogers, Presiding Judge, 610 E. 11th, Littlefield; Tom Hilburn, 1404 Cherry Blossom Drive, Littlefield; Mrs. Bobby G. Rogers, 700 Crescent Drive, Littlefield.

going surgery at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock but is expected to remain in intensive care unit possibly until Thursday. His daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bonner Markham of Amarillo visited him Monday with Mrs. Markham staying to be with her parents and Trina there a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Williams, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Williams and Ellen attended the annual Seymour reunion in Lubbock recently. They met Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams and family of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hill and James of Lubbock there.

Mrs. M. M. Gann is in the University Hospital, Room 213, where she was in intensive care two days and nights suffering heart failure. A son and daughter, Chubby Gann and family of Fresno, Calif. and Mrs. Tommy Nichols of Cutler, Calif. are here to be with her and visiting with their brother, Mr. and Mrs. Delma Gann.

Mrs. Keith Glover visited here



BENNIE KAY MILLS

September Wedding Planned

Mr. and Mrs. Bob J. Mills, Littlefield, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Bennie

Kay to Richard Allen Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allan Miller of Amherst.

47,500 PEOPLE SEE "TEXAS" THIS SEASON

47,500 people have heard the call of the bugle, have thrilled with the lightning, and have followed the drama of the seventh season of the "TEXAS" production which plays in the Palo Duro Canyon each summer evening except Sundays. This season will extend through August 26.

More than a third of the audience, some 450,000 attending since 1966, is returning to "TEXAS" after seeing it before, and one of the professors at West Texas State University attended 40 times last year.

To be sure of a seat when you come to "TEXAS", call 806-655-2182 or write Box 268, Canyon, Texas 79015 to ask for information, to make reservations, and to buy tickets.

over the weekend.

Rev. Hazel House recently returned home from Dallas, where she attended the summer session

of studies at Perkins School of Theology, SMU. Enroute home she stopped in Bowie and Newport to visit relatives, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Wall and Orlan, John Langston, and Mr. and Mrs. John C. Carter.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Edna Bellamy were her granddaughter, Jamie Bellamy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Ed Bellamy of Eules and her niece, Shelly Davis of Muleshoe.

Mr. Dalton Wood, Terry, Vondell and Juanel spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jay House in Bula.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Chester

DAVE LLEWELLYN



Family Secret

"The family that prays together stays together." That's not just propaganda. Statistically, families that have regular daily times of religious activities have fewer than one divorce for every 1,000 marriages.

Yet the implication I think this slogan intends us to draw is false. "If your family is falling apart, start praying together."

American families, according to sociologists, have been on a trend of more individual activity and increasingly less time spent together. Is the good of "praying together" not in the prayer but only in the getting together? It depends on the family.

Prayer is no panacea. The precept that "prayer changes things" is true only if there is a God Who listens and responds to prayers. A family which doesn't know God may or may not benefit from getting together and "praying" about their needs and attitudes.

Perhaps they will become more sensitive and understanding, or perhaps they will become more argumentative and antagonistic. Either way, the people will cause the changes. Not prayer, because prayer depends on God.

God's Families
So what do praying families have that keeps them together? A trust in God. A practical trust in a personal God. They don't become only interdependent. They encourage each other to become God-dependent.

Strong families are a by-product of parents' faith in God, expressed and demonstrated to their children.

No secret for family success — rather, following a simple, ancient Biblical teaching.

"Hear, O Israel! The LORD our God, the LORD is one! And you shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your might. And these words which I am commanding you today shall be in your heart: and you shall teach them diligently to your sons and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the road, and when you lie down, and when you get up."

Not Government
A stable society requires either strong families or oppressively stringent governmental control. Sweden has chosen the government. Legislation now under consideration (and expected to pass), according to Christianity Today, (July 7, 1972, p. 36), will abolish legal marriage and will force all children into state-controlled day nurseries. The Minister for Church Affairs has taken an anti-family position, declaring, "The state will never permit Christians to split society."

Families are under attack, internally and externally. But families are God's chosen unit of society. We must reaffirm our commitment to families, both individually and nationally. And, to make it work, we must one and all reaffirm our faith in God. Copyright Dave Llewellyn 1972

Sunday School Lesson for August 13, 1972

and family were in Colorado recently.

Terry Chester returned home Wednesday from Amarillo where she visited in the home of the Jack Rileys.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Bandy, Cecie left over the weekend to visit relatives in Oklahoma, and in Washington, D. C. Tanya Chester accompanied them on the two week trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Worley D. Wiseman and Bruce of New Iberia, La. visited here last week in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Beavers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCollum and Chris of Galveston were recent visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Baker and family. Chris remained here for several days with his grandparents while Mr. and Mrs. McCollum visited in Calif.

Rev. and Mrs. Paul Gordon and Chris of Louisville, Ky are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Gordon and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Gordon and children.

Dr. and Mrs. Thurmon Bryant and boys are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Morris before going to Liberty, Mo. where he will be a professor in the William Jewell College there.

Glyn Williams is a surgical patient at the Methodist Hospital this week. He underwent surgery Friday when his left lung was removed. It has been reported that he will be in the intensive care unit for several days.

Larissa West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aubry West, is a surgical patient at the Methodist hospital this week and will be there for most of this week.

Mrs. Debbie Lind and Shane of Dallas are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Nix and other relatives this week. They plan to return to Dallas Friday.

Dewayne Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Phillips of Bula, visited during the weekend with his parents, and in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Ritchie and Debbie. He is stationed at Sheppard Air Base in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Rudd visited Sunday in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C.

Ritchie and Chresty Rudd. Their daughter, April, who had been visiting her grandparents during the weekend, returned home with them.

Mrs. Waymon Bellar and Mary Ann, Mrs. Reed Markham and Mrs. Sara Wood returned home where they visited their brother and son and his family, the H. A. Markhams.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Arnold over the weekend were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. Roy White of Ardmore, Okla. and Arnold's sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Quillin of Ft. Worth.

Parents of Mrs. Kenneth Noles, Mr. and Mrs. Tharp of Throckmorton, were weekend guests in the Noles' home and attended church services Sunday morning at the First Baptist Church. Also visiting in the Noles' home

was a nephew.

Mrs. Gary Chase and Heather of Lubbock were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Baker.

Mrs. Polly Kent has returned home after spending the summer in Norfolk, Va. with her son, Tim.

A slumber party honoring Jo Gaye Doty on her birthday was held Monday night in the home of Donna Provence. Others attending were Debbie Ritchie, and Debra Edwards.

Kathy Minyard, a summer graduate of Texas Tech left Sunday for Houston where she has accepted a teaching position in the Deer Park Schools. She will be Girls Basketball Coach in the High School. Pat Minyard accompanied her to Houston to help her move.

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NOTICE

1972-73 SCHOOL BUDGET HEARING SET ON AUGUST 14, 1972.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Lindle McCarty recently visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lindle Fair and boys in Austin.

Mrs. Homer Doty returned home with her daughter, Mrs. Hoyt Renfro, Saturday, who lives in Muskogee, Okla. She will spend several days with the Renfro's before returning home.

Chresty Rudd returned home Sunday from vacationing and fishing at Lake LBJ and Burnett when he visited with his sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Rudd, Mr. and Mrs. Micky Rudd and Harvey Dale Rudd. His other son, Robbie, of Lubbock accompanied him.

The Tops Club regular meeting was held July 31 in the Sudan Community Center. Six members and one visitor were present.

The meeting was called to order and roll call answered by each member stating the number of pounds gained or lost during the week. Pounds lost totaled 5 3/4 and Letha Gordon was declared queen.



MORRIS KEMPER
Evangelist
Houston, Texas

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AT SUDAN

August 14-20

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DAILY 10:00 A.M. - 8:15 P.M.
SUNDAY 10:45 A.M. - 7:00 P.M.

CIVIL SERVICE NEWS

The Dallas area office of the U.S. Civil Service Commission is now accepting applications for Junior Federal Assistant positions in the North Texas area. These positions are grade GS-4 with an entrance salary of \$6544 per annum. To qualify, an applicant must pass a written test and have a minimum of two years of college or two years of responsible experience, or a combination of both. Persons interested in law enforcement or investigative positions are urged to file.

Application forms may be obtained from federal job information centers located at 1100 Commerce Street, Dallas, Texas, 75202, and 819 Taylor Street, Fort Worth, Texas, 76102. Persons residing outside the Dallas - Fort Worth area may request application forms by calling toll-free: 1-(800)-492-4400.



SHOWN above is the Wills Family who will be singing Sunday night, August 13, at the First Baptist Church. Services will begin at 7:00 P.M. and everyone is invited and urged to attend. The pastor, Rev. Eddie Freeman will be in a youth revival at the Parkview Baptist Church in Littlefield and all youth of our community are invited to attend these meetings each evening. He also announces that Dr. Roy McClung, President of Wayland Baptist College in Plainview, will fill the pulpit Sunday Morning, August 20.

Project "FIND" Underway

A nationwide campaign to identify and enroll older Americans eligible for Federal Food Assistance Programs was announced today at the White House by President Nixon.

Named to head the campaign-- Project FIND -- was Dr. Arthur S. Flemming, Chairman of the White House Conference on Aging and former Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare. Mrs. Nixon will be co-Chairman of Project FIND with Dr. Flemming.

Dr. Flemming said that this effort by the Federal government to locate Americans eligible for the Federal Food Programs, either food stamps or commodities, is the President's response

to the nutritional needs of older Americans recommended by delegates to last December's White House Conference on Aging.

The Social Security Administration will communicate the objective of Project FIND to all recipients of Social Security and Medicare in a mailing received by 27 million persons on August 3.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS:
Q: What is Project FIND?
A: Project FIND is a joint effort by several agencies of the Federal government supported by private volunteers to locate and enroll elderly persons eligible for Federal Food Assistance Programs.

Like Father, Like Son

Good or bad driving runs in families. Fathers with numerous traffic violations tend to have sons with similar records, according to studies made at two Michigan universities. The home environment seems to play a much more important role in shaping

Remember when a pie was set on the windowsill to cool rather than thaw?—Lois W. Matson, The Kiester (Minn.) Courier.
ing the habits of a young driver than the external forces of society ever can. Be aware of your driving habits, someone may be copying you!

WATER CONTROL REPORT

Without an underground geological formation known as the Ogallala Aquifer the plains of

West Texas would wither. Grazing lands and wheatlands could survive, but farmlands would be dependent upon the average 18 inches of rainfall a year -- not enough for the lush cotton, vegetable crops or even the feedlot industry on which the region thrives.

The Ogallala is a water-bearing formation which furnishes irrigation water for agriculture and household and industrial water for cities, and the water in it is being used at an alarming rate.

Texas Tech University petroleum engineers have devised a new and fast system for putting water back into the Ogallala, and their 1972 studies indicate the aquifer has its own ability to purify the lake water used for recharge.

The information is valuable now and is important to any system of imported water.

The principal researchers, Petroleum Engineering Profs. Philip Johnson and Duane A. Crawford, use an oil field system for pumping the water from playa lakes into the ground before it evaporates. They have been concerned that pollutants in lake water could contaminate the underground formation.

Studies made this summer indicate, however, that even the

PUBLIC NOTICE
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Proposed
NUMBER 6 ON THE BALLOT (SJR 7)
General Election November 7, 1972

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
Section 1. That Article VIII, Section 1-b, of the Texas Constitution, be amended to read as follows:
"Section 1-b. (a) Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads as now defined by law shall be exempt from all taxation for all State purposes.
"(b) From and after January 1, 1973, the governing body of any county, city, town, school district, or other political subdivision of the State may exempt by its own action not less than Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) of the assessed value of residence homesteads of persons sixty-five (65) years of age or older from all ad valorem taxes thereafter levied by the political subdivision. As an alternative, upon receipt of a petition signed by twenty percent (20%) of the voters who voted in the last preceding election held by the political subdivision, the governing body of the subdivision shall call an election to determine by majority vote whether an amount not less than Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) as provided in the petition, of the assessed value of residence

homesteads of persons sixty-five (65) years of age or over shall be exempt from ad valorem taxes thereafter levied by the political subdivision. Where any ad valorem tax has theretofore been pledged for the payment of any debt, the taxing officers of the political subdivision shall have authority to continue to levy and collect the tax against the homestead property at the same rate as the tax so pledged until the debt is discharged, if the cessation of the levy would impair the obligation of the contract by which the debt was created."
Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1972, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment providing that the various political subdivisions of the State may exempt not less than Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) of the value of residence homesteads of all persons sixty-five (65) years of age or older from ad valorem taxes under certain conditions."

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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Proposed
NUMBER 10 ON THE BALLOT (HJR 68)
General Election November 7, 1972

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
Section 1. That Article XVII, Section 1, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:
"Section 1. The Legislature, at any regular session, or at any special session when the matter is included within the purposes for which the session is convened, may propose amendments revising the Constitution, to be voted upon by the qualified electors for statewide offices and propositions, as defined in the Constitution and statutes of this State. The date of the elections shall be specified by the Legislature. The proposal for submission must be approved by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each House, entered by yeas and nays on the journals.
"A brief explanatory statement of the nature of a proposed amendment, together with the date of the election and the wording of the proposition as it is to appear on the ballot, shall be published twice in each newspaper in the State which meets requirements set by the Legislature for the publication of official notices of officers and departments of the state government. The explanatory statement shall be prepared by the Secretary of State and shall be approved by the Attorney General. The Secretary of State shall send a full and complete copy of the proposed amendment or amendments to each county clerk who shall post the same in a public place in the

courthouse at least 30 days prior to the election on said amendment. The first notice shall be published not more than 60 days nor less than 60 days before the date of the election, and the second notice shall be published on the same day in the succeeding week. The Legislature shall fix the standards for the rate of charge for the publication, which may not be higher than the newspaper's published national rate for advertising per column inch.
"The election shall be held in accordance with procedures prescribed by the Legislature, and the returning officer in each county shall make returns to the Secretary of State of the number of legal votes cast at the election for and against each amendment. If it appears from the returns that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of an amendment, it shall become a part of this Constitution, and proclamation thereof shall be made by the Governor."
Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1972, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment revising provisions on the time and method of proposing amendments to the state constitution and the time and method of publishing notice of proposed amendments."

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