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IN 1712, the British Parliament passed a law prohibiting the wearing of cotton or cotton goods. Later they gave up and decided to let folks wear cotton. The wool industry fought hard against it, though, putting out circulars and such opposed to cotton.

Among other things, the wool people claimed that wearing cotton fiber was immoral because its delicate quality "promotes erotic feelings in chaste women."

This is one of the more interesting bits of information in a booklet "Two Hundred Years of U. S. Cotton" which Nor-Am Agricultural Products, Inc. of Chicago has compiled in relation to the Bi-Centennial celebration.

It has lots of other things in it, like the invention of the cotton gin by Whitney in 1793, cotton's lowest price of 5 cents a pound in 1845, and highest of \$1 in 1973, a story about the boll weevil and the monument to the insect in Enterprise, Ala., and more.

Cotton has always been important around the Fourth of July. It is good for stuffing into the ears so as to drown out the firecracker noise.

THE HAG ON HOCKLEY says a generation ago most men who finished a day's work needed a rest; now they need exercise.

## SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY RECOGNIZED FOR PATRIOTIC SERVICE

The Southwestern Public Service Company has received an "Award for Patriotic Service" for its participation in the US Savings Bond Program. At the conclusion of the 1975 campaign, more than 93 percent of Southwestern's employees were participating through the Payroll Savings Plan. This is the highest percentage of participation of any company with over 1,000 employees in the public utilities industry for 1975. 1,665 of Southwestern Public Service Company's 1,781 employees are enrolled in the Payroll Savings Plan and during the recently completed campaign, 281 "new" savers were added to the program. The award was presented to Roy Tolk, chairman and president of SPS, by Leonard Cowden, treasury department representative. In accepting the award, Tolk said, "I'm tremendously proud of our employees and their response to the Savings Bond Program. It's typical of Southwesterners to come through as they did again this year."

## CHURCH MEMBERS ATTEND MEETING

"The United Force Building For Eternity" was the theme for West Texas's 45th Annual State Convention for the Church of God of Prophecy. The four day meeting, moderated by the State Overseer, Bishop Hector Ortiz, had 407 delegates representing each of the churches in the West Texas area.

Bishop C. S. Pennington was the representative from World Headquarters, located in Cleveland, Tenn. One of the highlights of the convention was the State Ministerial Banquet at the Holiday Inn. The convention climaxed with the appointments of pastors, followed by a consecration service for all ministers.

Rev. Wesley Brannon was re-appointed as pastor at the Sudan Church of God of Prophecy, and Green Underwood was appointed as the Assistant Pastor. Rev. Brannon was also appointed as the pastor to a new mission field work at Dimmitt.

Attending the convention held in Lubbock, from Sudan were Rev. Wesley Brannon, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Richards and Kerma Sue; Vesta Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Richards, Alvin Jr., and Steve; Mr. and Mrs. Green Underwood; Maudie Wood, Doris Reece, and Lisa Bishop.

## STAR ROUTE MAIL CHANGES MADE

Due to a change in schedule of the Star Route carrier, it will be necessary to get your outgoing mail to the Post Office by 4:25 p. m. for the next day's delivery in the surrounding area, according to Ken Minary, postmaster.

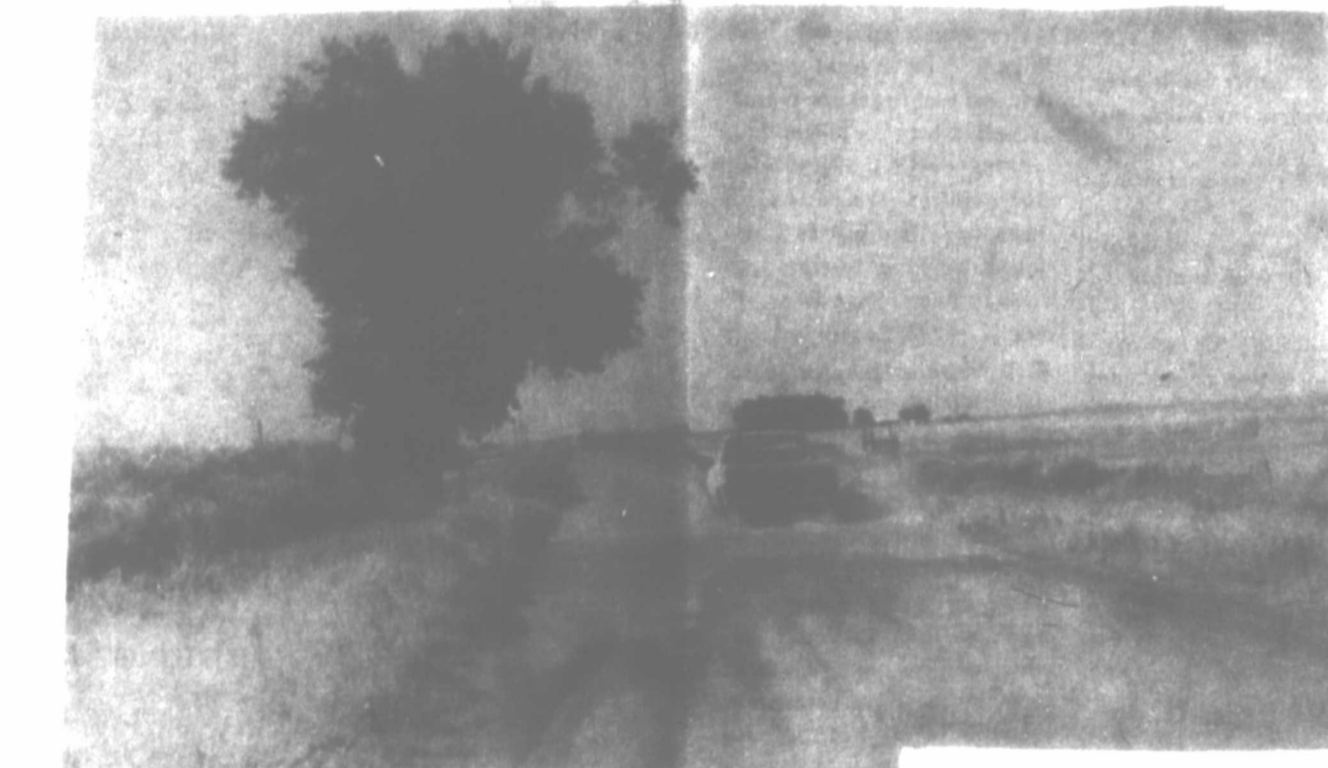
## Babe Ruth

Monday night the Sudan Jr. Babe Ruth team was defeated by Security State Bank, Littlefield, 18-17, after being tied 17-17 at the end of regulation play. Victor King was on the mound for Sudan. The first three up for the visitors were put away fast when they hit the ball to third baseman who in turn fired it to first for three outs.

Pitching for Littlefield was Richard Davilla who walked two Sudan batters, struck out one, and allowed nine hits, and five scores in their half of the first inning. However, the Sudan lead of 5-0 was short-lived as SS scored 10 runs in the second inning to none for Sudan.

S. Ritchie went in to re-

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WATER RUNS OVER Hiway one half mile south of Nichols Gin for the first time since 1951. The water came from hail and an eleven inch rain at Lazbuddie and Oklahoma Lane.



SHARON BURTON



ELAINE KING



SUSAN CARDWELL



PHIL KENT



LUTHER ROBINSON



MITCH CHESTER

## Named To Who's Who

Several Sudan High School students have been informed that they have been chosen by the Merit Selection Committee to receive honorary award recognition and to have their biography published in the appropriate volume of the Ninth Annual Edition of WHO'S WHO AMONG AMERICAN HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS, 1974-75.

This is a nationally recognized honor, awarded to juniors and seniors who have demonstrated leadership in either academics, athletics, extra-curricular activities or community service. Recommendations are received from virtually every category of organization involved with students, including high schools, churches, scholarship agencies, civic and service clubs and youth program sponsors at the national and local levels.

While the number of students selected annually varies from school to school, on a national basis, less than 4% of the junior and senior class students are featured in WHO'S WHO each year. Students recognized are eligible for scholarship grants of \$1,000 sponsored by the ECI Scholarship Foundation and funded by the publishing company. Over \$50,000 has been awarded to qualified students through this program to date and a minimum of \$25,000 will be awarded this year. Among the local students nominated are:

Sharon Burton, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scott. Some of her achievements

are: Class President for her Freshman year, Sharon is an active church worker, she was on honor roll her Freshman year and she has been a library aid for 2 years. Sharon worked as an office aide one year, was in the FHA and Pep Club for 3 years, she has been a member of the basketball team for 3 years, and was Honorable Mention for the All-District team of 1974-75. Sharon ran track 3 years, and played tennis one.

Sharon plans to attend South Plains College upon graduation from SHS in May of 1976, and plans to major in Physical Education.

She is serving as librarian during a summer program at Sudan Schools. Elaine King, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U. J. King. Some of her qualifications are: 3 years in the SHS Band, she has been active in church work, has been on honor roll, and has also served as an office aide. Elaine was in the Junior play this year, she has been a member of FHA for 2 years, and was recently elected publicity chairman for the coming year. Elaine has been a member of FTA one year, and she was also in the Pep Club one year.

Upon graduation from SHS in May of 1976, Elaine hopes to attend Draughn's Business College.

Luther Robinson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Price. Some of the activities which Luther participated in at Sudan High School were basketball where he was a member of the varsity squad 2 years; a member of varsity football

team 2 years; in the senior class play; track during his senior year going all the way to state in the 880 and placed second there when it was only the fifth time he had run the event. Luther has received a full track scholarship to Wayland Baptist College where he plans to enroll in the fall.

Mitch Chester, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Chester. Mitch has been president of his class each year in high school; all phases of the band program for three years; junior and senior class plays; two years in Student Council; four in FFA; one in FTA and was president that year; football, four being elected to the all-district team as Most Valuable Back on defense; basketball two years; track three years; tennis three years winning district once; class favorite four years; and named Outstanding Student and presented the Citizenship award as a senior. He also won first place in an art show with an oil painting.

Mitch plans to attend Texas Tech University, Lubbock, in the fall and major in Agricultural Science.

Susan Cardwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cardwell. Susan has been in band for three years at SHS; active in church work; served as an office aide, junior class play, annual staff, FHA, FTA, Pep Club, basketball manager three years, Student Council representative. She plans to attend Texas Tech upon graduation from SHS in May of 1975.

Phil Kent, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kent. Phil has been active in the

## AREA COTTON BLOOMS LATE

Those little white blooms on the High Plains' chief crop—cotton—will be appearing much later than usual, says a USDA Agricultural Research Service agronomist at the Agricultural Research and Extension Center, Lubbock. It was reported that squares

have been found by Sudan-Amherst area producers by as much as two weeks ago.

Dr. J. D. Bilbro, based at the Lubbock station, cites a recently completed three-year study measuring the relationship of maximum and minimum air temperatures and first bloom dates for High Plains cotton for his conclusions. He stated that the sub-normal temperatures were a factor to delay blooming of May-planted cotton. Add to that the effects of hail, blowing sand, diseases and insect attacks, for the total delay of about 10 days to two weeks.

## SENIOR CITIZENS TO MEET JULY 11

The Sudan Senior Citizens will meet Friday, July 11 at the Community Center at 2:30 p. m.

A representative of Ranch Headquarters of Texas Tech will give a slide presentation.

## BAPTIST YOUTH TO LEAVE FRIDAY FOR SUPER SUMMER '75 IN FT. WORTH

Sudan youth of the First Baptist Church will leave Friday at 5 a. m. on the church bus for Fort Worth and the Texas Baptist Youth Evangelism Conference.

Miss America, Shirley Cothran, will give her Christian testimony to about fifteen thousand teenagers July 4 at Tarrant County Convention Center, Fort Worth, at the opening session. She is a native of Denton.

The conference is sponsored by the 2.2 million-member Baptist General Convention of Texas.

Grady Nutt, a Baptist preacher-turned-comedian, also will appear on the program Friday evening. Nutt

## BAKE SALE SET

Epsilon Sigma Alpha will sponsor a Bake Sale from Monday through Saturday of next week (July 7-12). Anyone desiring to place an order for baked goods may call Nancy Davis at 227-6451, or any other ESA member.

band program since a freshman in high school; been on the honor roll for three years; one year as library aide; two years in National Honor Society; junior class play; one year as teacher's aide; one year in FFA; three years in FTA.

Phil plans to attend Texas Tech and major in Business. Several other junior and senior students at SHS were nominated for this honor. Their pictures along with a biography will appear in future issues of this newspaper. Upon their completion of certain forms and after final editing, their biography will be published in WHO'S WHO 1974-75, as well as reinforce their credentials for college and employment applications.

Baseball's regular season of play will come to an end this week for most teams, and some of the All-Star teams will begin preparation for upcoming tournaments.

The winners in different leagues are: Fire Department 1 of Amherst in Pee Wees, with Sudan Astros second. The Amherst Cubs won the Little League title. The BGC Pump-Marcum Olds Jr. Babe Ruth team of Littlefield was leading in that league early this week, and Morton is leading in the Sr. Babe Ruth division of baseball, with Sudan and Muleshoe tied for second place at that time. Sudan has a record of 8-5 and providing Morton lost one of their remaining games and

Sudan won the rest of theirs, the Sudan team could come in first. However, Muleshoe would also have to lose a game.

All-Star teams have been selected in Little League, 13-year-old Jr. Babe Ruth, and Sr. Babe Ruth. The Jr. Babe Ruth 13-year-old team had a practice session Wednesday afternoon. They are coached by Ed King of Sudan. They will be known as Littlefield Jr. Babe Ruth in the All-Star Tournament at Olton July 7-12 where they will meet Olton Monday at 8:30 p. m. (A bracket appears elsewhere in this newspaper.) Members of this team are: Henry James and John Chester of Sudan; S. Bearden, A. Mills, B. Enloe and C. Thompson of Amherst; D. Duentes of Security State, Littlefield; L. Perez, N. Rangel, T. Williams and H. Huey of Ware-Richey, Littlefield; T. Oakley, M. Melton, and D. Garcia of Antoin; J. Rodriguez and R. Torres of BGC Pump-Marcum Olds, Littlefield; and A. Conteras and Bradley of Littlefield Tasty Taco.

The 14-15-year-old Jr. Babe Ruth All-Stars from Sudan are Victor Ray King, Rick Hill and Joel Williams. This tournament will be played at Dimmitt July 14-19 with the Littlefield team clashing with Muleshoe in Game 1, Monday at 6 p. m. The winner will play Plainview who drew a "bye" on Tuesday at 8:30 p. m. The losers will play at 6 p. m. Tuesday. A bracket may be found elsewhere in this issue.

Little League All-Stars are David McClelland, Mark Cantrell, Jackie Johnson, and Jerry Johnson of Amherst Cubs; Mike Hill, Joey Bellar, Dan Messamore, and Billy Scott of Sudan Angels; Odell Johnson, Timmy Williams and Jean Muller of Sudan Dodgers; James Price, Randy Roberson and Chadd Schroeder of Amherst Braves. Alternates are Jeffery Lemer and Mike Smith.

This tournament will be played at Plainview July 14-15 at Plainview. Hudson Cantrell of Amherst and Don Noles of Sudan will coach. The Sr. Babe Ruth All-Star picked from the Almo League recently by coaches are: Sudan—Carroll Leger, Kyle Martin and Mitch Chester. Amherst—Richard Holley, Stanley Miller, Webster Johnson.

Cotton Center—Ray Grubay, Tommy Horsford, Morris Applewhite, Troy Burnett, Dimmitt—Brad Glen, Travis Hampton Jr., Harold Love, Tim Hucks, Rafael Navarro, Larry Robb.

Littlefield—Bill Turner, Ronald Farmer, Lonnie Twitty. Morton—David Dunson, Billy Joyce, Leo Joseph Ricks, Ruben Marins, Steven Polvado, Rickey Darrell Lewis, Muleshoe—Dusty Davis, Gary White, Kyle Kimbrough, Olton John Deere—Keith Kniffer, Ruben Saldvira, Mark Barton, Harold Loyd Jr., Olton Hi Plains—Mark Stroebel, Jim Waters, Kevin Workman, Jimmy Parkes, and Shane Haska.

Two Sr. Babe Ruth teams will go to the State Tournament at Graham from the Almo League. The West Team will be composed of members from Amherst, Littlefield,

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Dexter Baker was taken to the Littlefield Hospital this week and reported to be in serious condition due to an illness.



**MANOR NEWS**

R. A. Burdett and Carl visited their wife and mother, Lorene Burdett during the week. Mrs. Susie Lynch of Lubbock also visited with her.

Charles and Viola Jones and David, visited this week with Charles' mother, Etta Jones. Mrs. Jones accompanied her daughter, Dorothy Abbott, to see Ora Smith of Littlefield.

W. L. Key spent some time here at the Manor with John Butler and Jay Liles.

Bertha Vereen, Pat Walsh, Rev. and Mrs. Gene Louder and son Monty of Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Maxwell and granddaughter Debra, and Miss Ruby Mince of Sudan, all visited Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Slate.

Everett Nix took Sunday off to have dinner with the Raymond Nix family in Sudan.

Hattie Doss had visiting her this week Ruth and Cindy Ham, Lucille Fox, Hubert and Winifred Dykes, and others.

Mrs. Lura Fife was busy entertaining company this week including Bertha Vereen, Ruth and Claud Ham, Sandra Franks, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Newman of Tucumcari, N. M., T. W. Fife, Quinelle Pickrell and Jo Withrow.

How often does anyone have the privilege of celebrating a person's 92nd birthday? All of us enjoyed doing just that very thing on June 27th with Maud Bennett. Mrs. Bennett's daughter and granddaughter, Irma and Gayle Clayton of Amarillo brought the party to us.

Refreshments were served from a table covered with a pink tablecloth and the centerpiece was an arrangement of long-stemmed red roses. The napkins, cups and plates were in a co-ordinating rose pattern.

Mrs. Bennett was presented gifts from her family, and everyone sang "Happy Birthday".

Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Bennett of Abbeot, and John Worth Bennett of Gosal Junction, Colo.

All the students of Abbeot Manor love to have visitors. If you could come by to visit or would bring any type of program, we urge you to do so. You are always welcome at our home.

**BABE RUTH**—Believe King in the third inning of play. The visiting team five more runs after having six get on base on walks and five hits. The locals scored once in this inning and the score was 15-6. SS scored again in the fourth. Sudan had five big runs to cross the plate in the fifth to up the score to 16-11, SS leading. Sudan scored two more times in the sixth as the excitement grew.

M. Jones replaced Ritchie on the mound. He allowed three hits, two walks, and struck out two in his first inning, the seventh. Pablo Trevino also went to the mound in this inning for SS. He allowed Sudan seven hits, struck out two, and the third batter hit a fly which was caught to retire the side for the inning following four scores to tie the game 17-17, and forcing an overtime.

Jones, still on the mound for the hosts, walked one and then struck out one man, allowed five hits with one man coming in to score and breaking the tie. In Sudan's time at bat in the overtime, they had three quick outs. However, Coach Ed King stated (Continued on Page 4)

11:17) And again, "By faith the world was put to flight after (Abraham) they had been "entirely for seven days." (Hebrews 11:3) It means doing anything that is required to get to God. It means building an ark in the middle of the desert in a land where they had never heard of rain, if that is what God wants. It means offering up your only son on the altar of sacrifice if that is what God wants. It means taking a fully equipped army, straight from several victories, and marching them march around a city for seven days looking foolish if that is what God requires. We have faith when we realize just at General told King Saul, "...to obey is better than to sacrifice..." (1 Samuel 15:22)

Faith without works (of obedience) is dead said James in Chapter 2:26. Notice also James 2:22: "You see that faith was active along with his works, and faith was completed by works." Our obedience to God's commands shows our faith in God. The word believe and the word faith in the New Testament are the same word in the Greek language. Some would have us believe that only a mental believing will save us that just saying "I believe" is all that is required for fellowship with God. But James says "show me" your faith. (James 2:18) "What does it profit, my brethren, if a man says he has faith, but has not works? Can his faith save him?" Saving faith is doing anything God wants us to do!

(As stated that comments on these articles are welcome and appreciated. They may be sent directly to him, or in case of this newspaper.)

**Legal Notice**  
CITATION BY PUBLICATION  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: DARRELL IVAN RANDALL, RESPONDENT, Contesting:  
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 15th District Court of Lamb County at the Courthouse thereof, in Littlefield, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 1st day of August A. D., 1975, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 17th day of June A. D. 1975, in this cause, numbered 7835 on the docket of said court and styled in the matter of the marriage of Annette Randall and Darrell Ivan Randall and in the interest of Tamara Randall, a child.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: a petition to dissolve the marriage of Annette Randall and Darrell Ivan Randall and to appoint Annette Randall Managing Conservator of Tamara Randall. Take notice that you have the right to marriage counseling in this cause under the provisions of the Texas Family Code, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within sixty days after the date of issuance, it shall be returned unrecorded.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Littlefield, Texas, this 20th day of June A. D. 1975.

ATTEST:  
Ray Lynn Bell, Clerk,  
15th District Court  
Lamb County, Texas  
/s/ Connie Powell, Deputy.  
SRAL  
6-26-75

**THE BIBLE SAYS**

By Art Lynch  
"Without faith it is impossible to please him. For whoever would draw near to God must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him." (Hebrews 11:6)  
"Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen." (Hebrews 11:1) Faith is assurance and conviction! But what does it mean to have faith? Notice: "By faith Noah, being warned by God concerning events as yet unseen, took heed (he listened) and constructed (he obeyed) an ark for the saving of his household." (Hebrews 11:7) And again, "By faith Abraham obeyed when he was tested, offered up Isaac, and he who had received the promises was ready to offer up his only son..." (Hebrews 11:17)


**Bible Class Meets**

The Ladies Bible Class of Church of Christ met Wednesday morning when the topic was "NO". Art Lynch led in this discussion. Attending were Ethel Beale, Annie Withrow, Wanda Swart, Peggy Ray, Bette Withrow, Quinelle Pickrell, Edith Reed, Mae Fisher, Elsie Wilson, Arta B May, Opal McCaghren, Judy Lynch, Kay Wiseman, Sandra Franks, Nell Ingle, Rita Conley.

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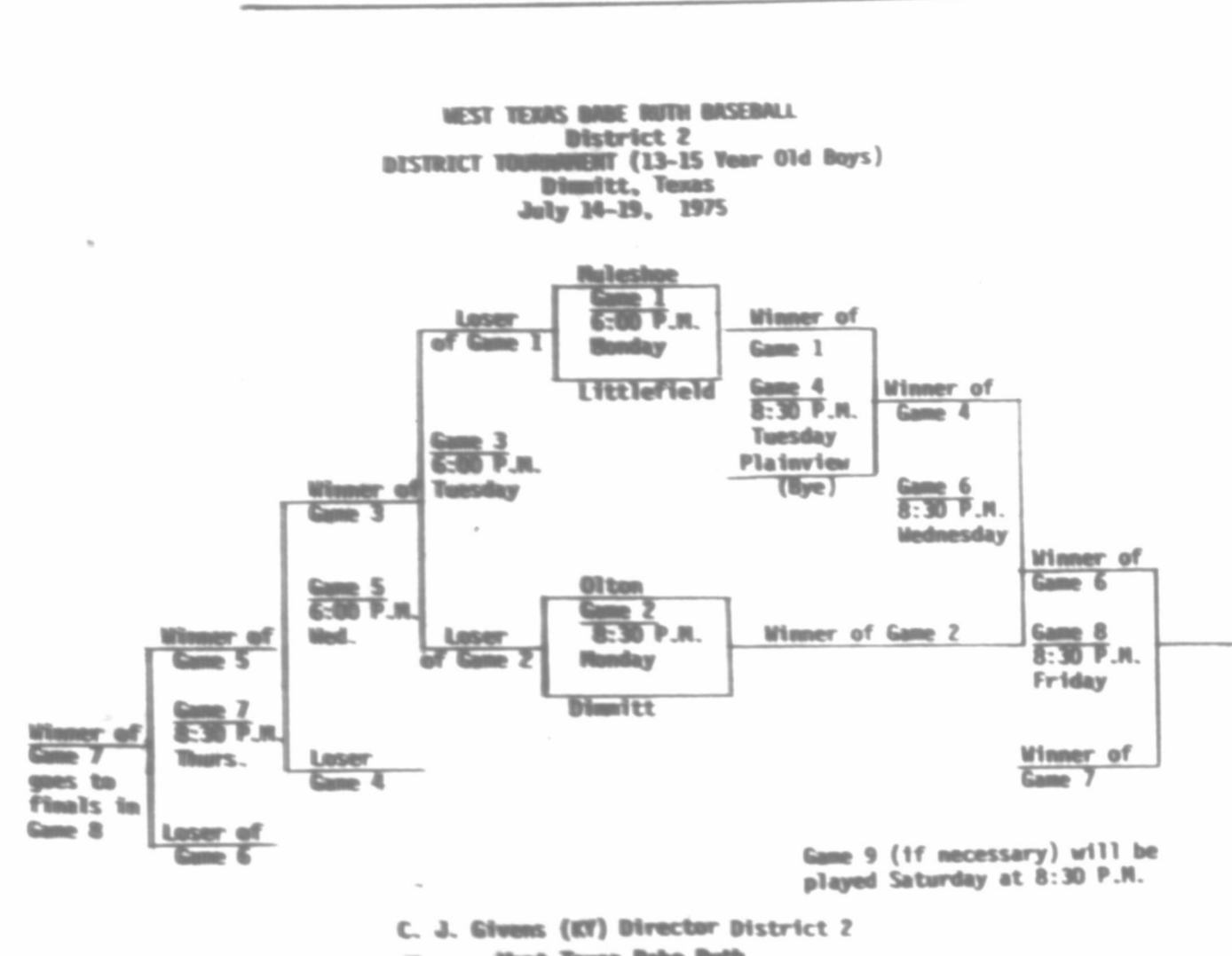
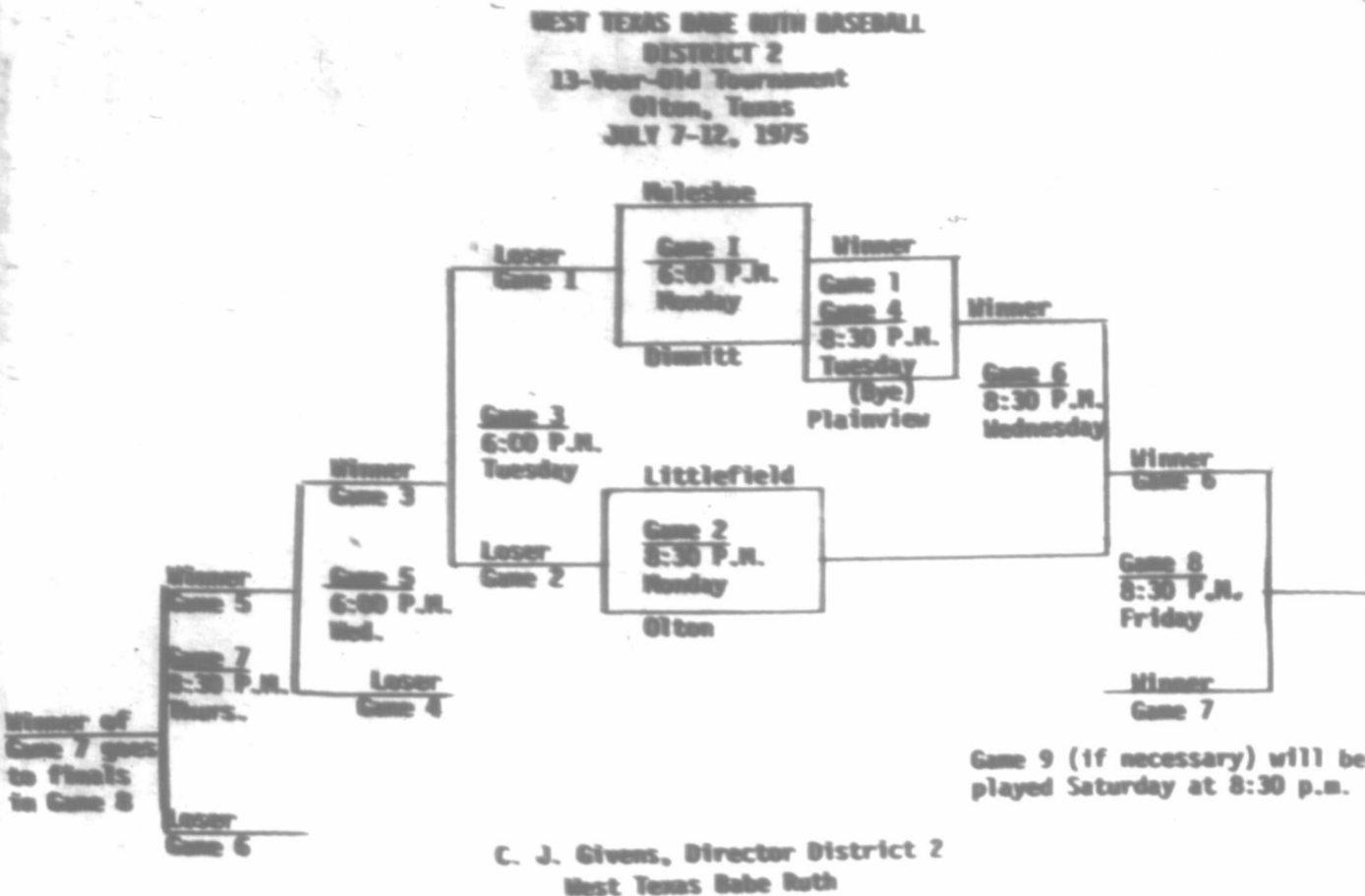


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MRS. J. Rite  
Funeral at 10:00 a.m. on July 27, 1975 at the home of Mrs. Rite in Clovis, N.M. Burial in Clovis, N.M. at the Clovis Cemetery. Mrs. Rite was born in Clovis, N.M. and died Tuesday, July 2, 1975, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rite, in Clovis, N.M. She was 85 years of age. She was a member of the Clovis Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her husband, Mr. Rite. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Rite, and her son, Mr. Rite. She was a member of the Clovis Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her husband, Mr. Rite. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Rite, and her son, Mr. Rite.

MRS. OLIVE Rite  
Funeral at 10:00 a.m. on July 27, 1975 at the home of Mrs. Rite in Clovis, N.M. Burial in Clovis, N.M. at the Clovis Cemetery. Mrs. Rite was born in Clovis, N.M. and died Tuesday, July 2, 1975, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rite, in Clovis, N.M. She was 85 years of age. She was a member of the Clovis Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her husband, Mr. Rite. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Rite, and her son, Mr. Rite.



**MRS. JESSIE RITCHEE**  
**Rites Held**

Funeral services were held at 10:00 a. m. Friday, June 27, 1975 at Sherwood Chapel in Clovis, N. M. for Mrs. Jessie C. Ritchie, 83, mother of George C. Ritchie, who died Tuesday, June 24 in San Jose, California.

Mrs. Ritchie, a former Sudan resident, had been residing in San Jose, for the past five years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Clovis, N. M. Reverend Malcolm Prince, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church in Gallup, N. M. officiated at the services assisted by Reverend M. V. Summers, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Sudan, Texas.

Survivors include two other sons, Robert B. Ritchie of San Angelo, Texas and Almon E. Ritchie of Amarillo, Texas, two daughters, Mrs. Opal Watkins of Rocky Ford, Colorado, and Mrs. Audrey Anderson of Crossville, Tennessee, 8 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. Burial was in Mission Garden of Memories in charge of arrangements. Pallbearers were two grandsons, Douglas Ritchie, San Angelo, and Steve Ritchie, Sudan, and Vernon Corley, Jr., Robbie Rudd, D. N. Corley, and B. A. Beauchamp, Jr.

**MRS. OLIN NIX, SR.**

**Rites Held**

Mrs. Olin Nix Sr., 83, of Lamesa, died about 2:10 p.m. Sunday at her home after an apparent heart attack.

Services were held at 3 p.m. Tuesday at the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Alvis Cooley, pastor, and the Rev. Newton Starnes of Sweetwater, officiating.

Burial was in Lamesa Memorial Park under direction of Branon Funeral Home of Lamesa.

Mrs. Nix was a native of Hays County and a 58-year resident of Lamesa.

Prior to her husband's retirement, he was engaged in the farm implement business. She had been a member of

**NOTICE**

**BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING**

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session of its regular meeting place in the City of Sudan, Lamb County, Texas, at 9 o'clock A.M., beginning on the 9th day of July, 1975, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in the said Sudan Independent School District, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1975, and any and all persons, interested, or having business with said Board, are here notified to be present.

DONE BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION OF Sudan Independent School District, Lamb County, Texas, at Sudan, Texas, this 18th day of June, A.D., 1975.

**Personals**

Mrs. J. S. Smith is a patient in the Amherst hospital.

Mrs. Elizabeth Walden was transferred from the South Plains Hospital in Amherst to the Methodist church for 75 years.

The former Martha Irene Stovall, she was married to Nix December 24, 1913.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Ernestine Carmichael of Portales, N. M., and Mrs. Hazel Braswell of Lamesa; four sons, Olin Jr. of Sudan, and J. D., Dennis and Garland, all of Lamesa; three sisters, Mrs. Robert (Theima) Merrick of Causey, N. M., Mrs. Lester (Minnie) Parsons and Mrs. Earl (Lilly) Esmond, both of Lamesa; two brothers, D. V. Stovall of Santee, Calif., and Marvin of Plainview; 19 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Tuesday. She is in Room 777.

Rev. Hazel House came to Sudan Monday morning from Andrews and went on to Amherst for a medical appointment. She was admitted to the hospital there for treatment.

Richard and Donita Wells of Pasadena, Texas spent the weekend here with their grandparents. After swimming Saturday afternoon in Littlefield with Donald Doty, they accompanied their grandparents to the Wayne Doty home for a cook-out.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells returned home Friday after a two-week stay at Brownwood. Ed Ray was honored Sunday for his birthday with a dinner, at the Sudan Community Center. Among those attending were Mrs. Ray; his daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Blevins of Lovington, N. M. and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Blevins

of Littlefield, and Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge Reddeman of Lubbock; his sons, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ray of Spade and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ray of Sudan; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren; a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ray and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Frank Ray, all of Portales, N. M.; and sisters, Bala Mae and Alma of Portales; several nieces and nephews; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Maxwell and great-granddaughter, Tasha Drum.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Martin Maxwell Wednesday were Harold Fox of San Jon, N. M. and his nephew George Hicks of Denver, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lowery of Muleshoe visited one day last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Nix and Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Minyard spent the weekend with their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Ken Isom in Durant, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dyer of Bandera spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. A. W. Ormand.

Visiting Mrs. Beulah Harper in Muleshoe hospital on Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Maxwell. They reported that she is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams and family visited in Sudan last week for a few days. They are away most of the time now for wheat harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Gordon and children attended the Taack family reunion in Lubbock during the weekend when some 75 members attended.

Corley Baker returned home recently from Barstow, California where he was with the Reserve for the last two weeks. While gone he visited in Las Vegas, Nevada also.

Mr. and Mrs. Corley Baker, Clinton Jones, Ronnie Gatewood and Mark Baker were in Ruidoso, N. M. during the weekend. Brian Baker visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ingle while his parents were gone.

Jeff Gordon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Gordon, is visiting this week in Amarillo with his cousin, Wesley Thomas.

Mrs. Vera Thomas of Olney returned to her home Sunday from visiting here with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Gordon.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ritchie and Steve and here to attend the funeral of their mother, Mrs. Jessie Ritchie, were his brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ritchie and Doug of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ritchie of Amarillo, and his sister and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Watkins of Rocky Ford, Colorado and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Colletti of Pueblo, Colorado, their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Rudd and April and Mrs. Dewayne Phillips all of Lubbock, her brother, D. M. Corley of Albuquerque, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Corley, Bala, N. M. and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Corley, Jr. and John of Clovis, N. M. Also Reverend and Mrs. Malcolm Prince of Gallup, N. M.

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Assets and Liabilities		June 30, 1975	December 31, 1974
<b>Assets</b>			
First Mortgage Loans	\$ 5,484,334.48	\$ 5,375,918.96	
Loans on Savings Accounts	301,354.55	355,556.79	
Other Loans	4,405,453.24	4,435,921.84	
Stock in FHLB	76,000.00	76,000.00	
Accrued Interest Receivable	147,796.47	99,814.94	
Cash & U. S. Gov't Obligations	1,868,496.13	624,766.73	
Land, Buildings & Equipment	243,348.84	223,491.93	
Deferred Charges to Expense	36,455.64	24,214.83	
Other Assets	79,016.99	151,256.55	
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 12,642,255.76</b>	<b>\$ 11,364,942.57</b>	
<b>Liabilities &amp; Capital</b>			
Savings Capital	\$ 10,822,263.75	\$ 9,257,458.53	
Borrowed Money	630,400.00	1,011,900.00	
Loans in Process	12,774.27	19,246.89	
Borrowers' Trust Funds	52,271.20	37,784.66	
Other Liabilities	55,549.74	76,335.61	
Unearned Discounts	342,412.29	387,298.51	
Reserves for Payment of Div-Savings	169,865.48	-	
Capital, Surplus & Reserves	558,721.93	574,918.37	
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital</b>	<b>\$ 12,642,255.76</b>	<b>\$ 11,364,942.57</b>	

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### Card Of Thanks

I would like to thank each and everyone of you for the acts of kindness shown to me during my stay in the hospital and since my return home. I would like to thank you for the cards, prayers, and visits. May God bless each of you.

Cindy Moss

We would like to express our sincere appreciation and thanks to each one for your concern shown us at the loss of our mother and grandmother; for each expression of sympathy including prayers, calls, cards, visits, food, and flowers and other acts of kindness. A special thanks to Rev. Malcolm Prince and Rev. M. V. Summers. May God bless each of you.

The family of  
Mrs. Jessie Ritchie

### TOPS MEET HELD

When TOPS # 634 met Monday, June 30, at 3:30 p. m. in the Community Center, there were six members present. Roll call was answered with the number of pounds lost or gained. All members are urged to attend the meeting next week which will be a special meeting to celebrate the Fifth Anniversary of the organization.

The meeting adjourned with the reciting of the Tops Pledge in unison.

### PERSONALS

Donnie Nelson returned to his home here Sunday after vacationing with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Henderson of Whiteface. They went to Houston, Dallas and Texarkana. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nelson, went to Whiteface for him Sunday.

### ALL STARS BIRTHDAY

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### BABE RUTH

that each of his boys did a fine job, and it was a good game.

Two home runs were hit in the game by SS's Richard Davilla and one by Louis Willey. Scoring for Sudan were Moore, Chester, Poe and Ritchie with two each; V. King, and H. James, one each; Rick Hill, 3; and Joel Williams 4 for a total of 17. Sudan was at bat 46 times; SS 47.

The Sudan St. Babe Ruth team edged Abilene Sunday 1-0. Visiting Cotton Center defeated them here Tuesday night 7-5 which meant they had no chance for the title now. In this game, Craig Pickett and Kyle Martin pitched, and Pickett made a home run. Friday night they play at Malabar, and they meet Otton here Sunday afternoon for the final game of the year.

**GARAGE SALE**—Helen Williamson and 2000 can table set of two. Ties, watches, clothing, and books. July 3-4-5. 7-3-2p.

**FOR SALE**—1963 Ford Galaxy \$250.00. Call 246-3615 or 246-3483. 7-3-10p.

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<b>STEAK</b> CRUCK \$1.09	<b>EGGS</b> DOZ 59¢
<b>GOOD SAUSAGE</b> 12 OZ. 79¢	<b>SHURFRESH ICE CREAM</b> ½ GAL. 89¢
<b>FRANKS</b> 12 OZ. 69¢	<b>SHURFINE 16 OZ CAN CORN</b> 3 FOR \$1
<b>SHURFRESH BACON</b> LB. \$1.09	<b>SHURFINE 16 OZ CAN PEARS</b> 2 FOR 89¢
<b>CARNATION TUNA</b> 6½ OZ CAN 59¢	<b>PEACHES</b> LB 39¢
<b>Jif SAUCE</b> 18 OZ. JAR 69¢	<b>STRAWBERRIES</b> 3 FOR \$1
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