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Junior Rodeo Scheduled Here Friday July 19

Hico Riding Club will sponsor annual Junior Rodeo next Friday night, August 19, according to Rainwater, club president. The popular event will begin at 7 p.m., with a nominal admission fee being made. Fourteen divisions will be open to contestants in two age brackets. Competition will be among those 11 and over up to 18. Trophies will be awarded winners in each division, and ribbons will be given to five places in each division. Trophy will also be given to the all-around performer. Other details will appear next week.

Cheerleaders to Sponsor Special Benefit Show Monday Night, Aug. 15

Cheerleaders will sponsor a special benefit movie at Hico Theater next Monday night, August 15. Advance tickets for the special showing of "The Trouble With Girls," starring Haley Mills, may be purchased from any of the cheerleaders. In connection with the show, members of the Hico Tiger football squad will be introduced by Robert Lee, and a drawing for a toy tiger to be given away will be held. Proceeds from the show will go to the pep squad, part of which will be used to finance attendance at the recent cheerleader school.

Knudson in Washington

Wade Knudson is visiting this week in Washington, D.C. in the company of Col. and Mrs. Wade Knudson and family.

Plans Underway For School Opening Set August 29

Hico Schools will open for the 1966-67 term on August 29 at 9:00 a.m. with a general assembly. The school is almost complete, according to Supt. O. C. Cook. A list of faculty members and employees will be given in next week's paper.

The local schools have made application to participate in the Federal Secondary Education Act, and the special reading program will be stressed again this year.

J. C. Braune has been employed to teach special reading in elementary school. A teacher's aid will be employed to work in the school.

Mr. Cook said that a special in-service training meeting will be held Saturday, August 20 at 8 a.m. All teachers are asked to attend this meeting. Part of the time will be spent with Mr. Frank Walden, a consultant from the TE-AD company of Dallas. He will demonstrate the controlled reader. About 100 levels of work will be introduced this year in grades one through eight. It is planned to use reading labs in all grades, and as part of the English class work in the school.

Physical examinations will be required for all boys interested in football this Thursday, August 11 at 7 p.m. This requirement is set by League rules, and must be completed before a boy is eligible for football practice and games.

Senate Bill 130 passed by the Legislature requires all school personnel to have a certificate issued by a doctor revealing that the person has been examined for disease of tuberculosis. All personnel are urged to see their physicians and obtain this before Sept. 1. Also, this same bill requires that those students in the first



TEC SURVEY WORKERS—Norman Johnson of Hico is shown here registering in the Hamilton County Survey, currently underway in the county. Miss Barbara Parrish, center, and Miss Patty Pilgrim, both of Hamilton, were assisting with the registrations in Community Public Service Co. office. Misses Jayne Gardner and Jefflyn Dodson, also of Hamilton, are working at the second registration location, in First National Bank. Mr. Roy Eick of Texas Employment Commission is in charge of registration in the Hico area.

FOUND — ONE TOMB STONE

Local Constable Tom Odom is searching for someone who can offer identification of a grave marker, found on the spur road just west of Hico Cemetery.

The marker bears the inscription "P. H. Montague, Age 54 Years." All available records have been combed but thus far, no identity has been made.

Should anyone have information about the stone, they are asked to contact Odom.

15 Lettermen Expected For Opening Grid Drills Monday

Fifteen lettermen are expected to greet Hico coaches Robert Lee and Jimmie Ramage for start of drills in preparation for the 1966 football season Monday afternoon. First day drills are set from 4 to 7 p.m. Beginning Tuesday, the squad will meet from 6 to 9 p.m. daily for practice sessions.

First week drills will consist of conditioning only, with pads issued Monday, August 22 for the real head-knocking.

Physical examinations will be given all boys this Thursday afternoon at 6:30 at the school.

Two scrimmage sessions have been scheduled. The team will go to Itasca Friday, August 26, and Meridian will come here Friday, September 2 for another session.

The Tigers will open the season Friday night, September 9 at Glen Rose with the Class A Tigers.

The 33 squad members expected for the initial drills include nine seniors, eleven juniors, seven sophomores and six freshmen. Among the returnees are three all-district performers from last year, Dwain Gray, Barry Polk, and Ronnie Hefner.

Hico will play in a new district this year. District team members are Gorman, Bangs, May and Blanket.

The complete schedule for the 1966 season is as follows:

- Sept. 9, Glen Rose (there)
- Sept. 15, Stephenville B (here), Thursday
- Sept. 23, Godley (here)
- Sept. 30, Open Date
- Oct. 7, Lometa (there)
- Oct. 15, Riesel (here) Saturday
- Oct. 21, Santa Anna (here)
- Oct. 28, Gorman (here)
- Nov. 4, Bangs (there)
- Nov. 11, May (here)
- Nov. 18, Blanket (there)

SOMEONE TURNED THE LIGHTS OUT ON J. P.

Someone must have thrown the switch. That's what J. P. Rodgers thinks happened when everything blacked out last Thursday evening while he and his wife were sitting on their porch on Blueberry Hill. In a matter of minutes, however, both Hico doctors were there to ease his light coronary. He is grateful for the care which he is getting in the hospital.

120 Register First Two In TEC Job Skill Survey

Over 120 local people had registered at mid-morning Wednesday in the Hamilton County Survey currently being made by Texas Employment Commission.

Mr. Roy Eick of TEC, who is in charge of local registration, said that he was pleased with response thus far, and was hopeful that many more people would come in before the end of the week.

The registration period was originally set up for one week, but TEC officials said that they would stay longer if necessary, or would leave a supply of registration forms here.

The survey is primarily for the purpose of determining what resources are available in Hamilton County and this area, and information will be compiled into booklet form to be used in pursuing future industry.

Officials were quick to point out that they wanted everyone in this area to register, including those people at Carlton, Olin and Fairy, as well as those at Iredell, Duffau and Clairette, even though the latter three communities are not in Hamilton County.

Mr. Eick said "All residents are urged to participate in the labor

survey being made. Every citizen 16 years of age and older should register to assist in bringing industry to the area. There is no cost or obligation, and it takes only 10 minutes of your time. People should register even though they are presently employed or own their business. An enthusiastic public re-

sponse to the human skills inventory phase of this project will do more to insure its success than any other factor."

Area people may register at either of two locations, First National Bank and Community Public Service Company, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. each day.

Mrs. Petsick Named Interim President

Mrs. Lorraine Petsick, widow of the late Odis Petsick, president of Hico First National Bank, was named to succeed her late husband as president of the local institution in an interim capacity.

The action was taken at a regular meeting of the board of directors Tuesday night of this week.

Ellis Randals, veteran employee of the bank and cashier for the past 18 years, will be in charge of operations and management of First National.

In speaking for the board, Mr. Randals said that no major policy changes would be made, and that main interest of the present management would be to take care of the needs of the people of Hico and this area.

The directors didn't take action on filling the vacancy on the board, and Mr. Randals said that a special meeting would be called soon to name a new director.

THANKS FROM MRS. SEGREST

Dear ex-students, parents, teachers, and friends:

Thank each one of you for everything you did to make the special day a happy, successful one. This includes the committee who had a well-planned program and the ones who delivered it in a charming way; the ones who did the registering; Mrs. Johanson, the four girls, and any others who helped prepare and serve refreshments.

Thank you for the plaque, guest book, and for creating the "Mattie Segrest Math Award," and thank you for your cards, gifts, and you and my friends for the flowers. Thank you for your love, I am glad that so many came. This made my day a very happy one.

My best wishes and love to each one of you.

MRS. MATTIE SEGREST.

Duffau Baptists Slate Annual Revival Services August 14 Thru 21

Revival services at Duffau Baptist Church will begin August 14, and continue through Aug. 21.

Services will be held daily at 10 a.m. Monday through Friday, and at 7:30 p.m. Prayer meeting will be held daily at 6:45 p.m.

Rev. Joe E. Vaughn of Amarillo will be the evangelist, and Rev. John Miller is pastor of the church.

Local Girl Attending Farm Bureau Citizenship Seminar at Ft. Worth

Three high school students from Erath County are attending the fourth annual Texas Farm Bureau Citizenship Seminar August 9-13 on the Baylor University Campus in Waco, according to Chester Martin, president of Erath County Farm Bureau.

Attending the four-day seminar are Linda Grissom, co-sponsored by the Hico Civic Club; Jerry Jackson, co-sponsored by Stephenville Lions Club; and John Cunyus, co-sponsored by Stephenville Rotary Club.

Erath Farm Bureau is sponsoring the attendance of the students going from here.

Four nationally known educators and lecturers will address the more than 350 high school juniors and seniors. They are Dr. C. L. Kay, vice president, Public Affairs, Lubbock Christian College and winner of many awards including a special citation by former President Dwight D. Eisenhower; Dr. Clifton L. Ganus Jr., president and head of the Department of History and Social Sciences of Harding College at Searcy, Ark.; Herbert A. Philbrick, noted author, lecturer and former counter-

spy for the FBI; and W. Cleon Skousen, author of "The Naked Communist" and former FBI agent and chief of Policy of Salt Lake City.

Purpose of the seminar is to convey to students a better understanding of the American system of life. Emphasis will be placed on the economic, moral and social aspects of society in which they live—aspects envisioned by the founders of the Constitution and Bill of Rights.

Miss Grissom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Grissom of Hico, will be a junior student in Hico High School this fall.

Vacation Bible School Set August 15-19 at Hico Church of Christ

Hico Church of Christ will conduct its Vacation Bible School August 15-19, with sessions each morning from 9 to 11 o'clock.

Themes for the five-day school will be "Following God's Son". Children and adults from ages 2 to 85 are invited to attend.

Superintendent for the school is Bro. Nelson Stark. Department teachers are as follows: Mrs. Jessie Connally and Mrs. Rosa Parker, pre-schoolers ages 2 and 3; Mrs. Sonny Christian, pre-schoolers ages 4 and 5; Mrs. J. T. Leonard, grades 1, 2 and 3; Mrs. Nelson Stark and Barry Christian, grades 4, 5 and 6; Mrs. C. L. Woodward and Mike Christian, teenagers; and Marvin Porterfield and Nelson Stark, Adults.

RETURN FROM VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rutledge returned home this past weekend following a week's vacation at Ruidoso, New Mexico. While there they toured points of interest in Clouderoft and White Sands.



THE WINNERS—This photo, intended for publication last week, shows all six winners in the Miss Reunion beauty pageant held Friday evening of the annual celebration. From left to right, they are Miss B-linda Christian, Junior Miss

Reunion, Miss Nancy Davis, first runnerup, Miss Vicki Polk, second runnerup in the junior division, Miss Denna Meador,

first runnerup, Miss Barbara Caszy, Miss Reunion, and Miss Nellye Wolfe, runnerup in the senior division.

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Clairette Community News

By MRS. LUCILLE MAYFIELD

Dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander were Rev. Robert Belew, pastor of the Methodist Church, Mrs. Nila Denton, James and Johnnie of Stephenville and Mrs. Myrtle Thompson. Mrs. Will Cranfill attended the Cranfill family reunion Sunday at Cranfills Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Salmon of Stephenville visited Sunday afternoon in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Roberson and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayfield.

Mrs. C. L. McEntire of Stephenville visited part of last week with her daughter, Mrs. Vada Noland.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayfield had supper Saturday night with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Mayfield and Terri.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hoffpouir and Mrs. Myrtle Thompson at-

tended the wedding of Sandra McAnally and Jim McVein in Fort Worth Saturday night. The bride is Mrs. Hoffpouir's granddaughter. They went to Fort Worth on Friday night and returned Saturday night.

Mr. Lem Hoffpouir visited his brother in a Houston hospital last Tuesday.

One inch of rain fell here Sunday morning, making the remainder of the day cooler.

Len Johnson of Kingsville visited from Friday until Tuesday with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson.

Some from Clairette attended the funeral service for Mrs. Ola Gollightly, 72, of De Leon last Wednesday. Burial was made in the Clairette Cemetery. She grew up here and was the daughter of the

late Dr. J. T. and Mrs. Plemons, former residents here. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Locke, two grandchildren of Hamilton, a sister, Alma Plemons of El Paso.

Mrs. Hub Alexander and Nola Lee visited Mrs. Willie Wolfe of Dublin Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall of Muleshoe visited friends in this area Saturday. They were in Hamilton visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cornelius and family.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Partain were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kinsey and Mrs. Johnny Hagerty of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Noland spent Sunday in Weatherford with their children. Their granddaughter, Linda Noland returned home with them for a visit.

Mrs. Dona Wolfe spent the weekend at Bryan with relatives and saw her grandson, Larry Phillips receive his doctorate degree from A&M.

Duffau Community News

By MRS. PASCAL BROWN

Mrs. C. B. Burgan and daughter, Hester Higgins of Stephenville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Head and Jeff Monday. Jeff returned home with them to spend the night.

Scott Allen of Stephenville visited at the Paschal Brown home Friday morning.

Mr. E. E. Phillips and Mrs. C. B. Burgan were business visitors in Stephenville Tuesday.

Mrs. John B. Fouts and Steve visited at the Paschal Browns a while Thursday night.

Scott Allen of Stephenville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Festel Elkins Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lane are proud parents of a son born Saturday week at Hico Hospital.

Mrs. John B. Fouts and Steve visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Christopher Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Robinson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Brown Saturday night.

A shower was given at the Duffau school Saturday night honoring Mr. and Mrs. Burl Stratton, the former Sandra Elkins. Many useful gifts were received. Cookies and punch were served by the hostesses, Irene Giesecke, Ollie Roach, Bess Stipe, Merlina Herrin, Wanda Lindsey, Ollie Davis, Velma Bowie, Lucy Naul and Lucille Brown.

Bro. Henry Walker of Abilene

preached at the Church of Christ Sunday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Scott and children of Fort Worth, Mrs. Junior Briles and children of Bedford were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Talley during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Naul and children of Dallas were visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Brown during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Stratton of Dublin were Saturday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Festel Elkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Aron Naul and children of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Naul and children of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Naul of Stephenville were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naul.

Aodis Land of Mineral Wells visited with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Land and family during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bob Power of Fort Worth are proud parents of a daughter, Kimberley Ann, born July 26.

We received around .3 inch of rain Sunday morning.

Mrs. George Bowie is a patient in the Hico Hospital. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Helen Allen and Scott of Stephenville were visitors at their farm here Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ray Kelso and Durward Ray of Corpus Christi were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Burgan. They all spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Dub Howard and family at

Granbury, and visited Six Flags on Sunday.

Everyone is urged to attend a business meeting at the Duffau School Friday night, August 12 at 7:30. Entertainment will be furnished.

Relatives who visited with Mrs. A. J. Jordan last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jordan of Cisco, R. R. Jordan of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stidham of Fort Worth.

DAUGHTER FOR POWERS

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Power of Aledo are announcing the arrival of a baby daughter, born July 10. The little lady weighed six pounds at birth, and has been named Kimberly Ann. Mr. and Mrs. Power are former residents of Hico.

Mrs. Ludie Hudson of Dallas visited last week in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Talley and other relatives and friends.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966. HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 79 proposing an amendment to Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding Section 1-d to provide that all land owned by natural persons designated for agricultural use shall be assessed for all tax purposes on the consideration of only those factors relative to such agricultural use.

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

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

"Section 1-d. (a) All land owned by natural persons which is designated for agricultural use in accordance with the provisions of this Section shall be assessed for all tax purposes on the consideration of only those factors relative to such agricultural use. 'Agricultural use' means the raising of livestock or growing of crops, fruit, flowers, and other products of the soil under natural conditions as a business venture for profit, which business is the primary occupation and source of income of the owner.

"(b) For each assessment year the owner wishes to qualify his land under provisions of this Section as designated for agricultural

tax. The additional tax shall equal the difference between taxes paid or payable, hereunder, and the amount of tax payable for the preceding three years had the land been otherwise assessed. Until paid, there shall be a lien for additional taxes and interest on land assessed under the provisions of this Section.

"(c) Upon receipt of the sworn statement in writing the local tax assessor shall determine whether or not such land qualifies for the designation as agricultural use as defined herein and in the event it so qualifies he shall designate such land as being for agricultural use and assess the land accordingly.

"(d) Such local tax assessor may inspect the land and require such evidence of use and source of income as may be necessary or useful in determining whether or not the agricultural use provision of this article applies.

"(e) No land may qualify for the designation provided for in this Act unless for at least three (3) successive years immediately preceding the assessment date the land has been devoted exclusively for agricultural use, or unless the land has been continuously developed for agriculture during such time.

"(f) Each year during which the land is designated for agricultural use, the local tax assessor shall note on his records the valuation which would have been made had the land not qualified for such designation under this Section. If designated land is subsequently diverted to a purpose other than that of agricultural use, or as soil, the land shall be subject to an additional

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966. SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 19 proposing an Amendment to Section 49-d, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, declaring state policy regarding optimum development of water reservoirs; providing for the use of the Texas Water Development Fund under such conditions as the Legislature may prescribe by General Law in the acquisition and development of storage facilities and any system of works properly appurtenant thereto; providing for the sale, lease or transfer of such facilities under General Laws; providing for long-term contracts for water storage facilities; authorizing the issuance of an additional \$200,000,000 in bonds by the Texas Water Development Board upon a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the elected members of each house; providing that anticipatory legislation shall not be invalid because of its anticipatory character; providing for the necessary election, form of ballot, and proclamation.

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

Section 1. That Section 49-d of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended to read as follows:

"Section 49-d. It is hereby declared to be the policy of the State of Texas to encourage the optimum development of the limited number of feasible sites available for the construction and enlargement of dams and reservoirs for conservation of the public waters of the state, which waters are held in trust for the use and benefit of the public. The proceeds from the sale of the additional bonds authorized hereunder deposited in the Texas Water Development Fund and the proceeds of bonds previously authorized by Article III, Section 49-c of this Constitution, may be used by the Texas Water Development Board, under such provisions as the Legislature may prescribe by General

Law, including the requirement of a permit for storage or beneficial use, for the additional purposes of acquiring and developing storage facilities, and any system or works necessary for the filtration, treatment and transportation of water from storage to points of treatment, filtration and/or distribution, including facilities for transporting water therefrom to wholesale purchasers, or for any one or more of such purposes or methods; provided, however, the Texas Water Development Fund or any other state fund provided for water development, transmission, transfer or filtration shall not be used to finance any project which contemplates or results in the removal from the basin of origin of any surface water necessary to supply the reasonably foreseeable future water requirements for the next ensuing fifty-year period within the river basin of origin, except on a temporary, interim basis.

"Under such provisions as the Legislature may prescribe by General Law the Texas Water Development Fund may be used for the conservation and development of water for useful purposes by construction or reconstruction or enlargement of reservoirs constructed or to be constructed or enlarged within the State of Texas or on any stream constituting a boundary of the State of Texas, together with any system or works necessary for the filtration, treatment and/or transportation of water, by any one or more of the following governmental agencies: by the United States of America or any agency, department or instrumentality thereof; by the State of Texas or any agency, department or instrumentality thereof; by political subdivisions or bodies politic and corporate of the state; by interstate compact commissions to which the State of Texas is a party; and by municipal corporations. The Legislature shall provide terms and conditions under which the Texas Water Development Board may sell, transfer or lease, in whole or in part, any reservoir or works associated system or works

which the Texas Water Development Board has financed in whole or in part.

"Under such provisions as the Legislature may prescribe by General Law, the Texas Water Development Board may also execute long-term contracts with the United States or any of its agencies for the acquisition and development of storage facilities in reservoirs constructed or to be constructed by the Federal Government. Such contracts when executed shall constitute general obligations of the State of Texas in the same manner and with the same effect as state bonds issued under the authority of the preceding Section 49-c of this Constitution, and the provisions in said Section 49-c with respect to payment of principal and interest on state bonds issued shall likewise apply with respect to payment of principal and interest required to be paid by such contracts. If storage facilities are acquired for a term of years, such contracts shall contain provisions for renewal that will protect the state's investment.

"The aggregate of the bonds authorized hereunder shall not exceed \$200,000,000 and shall be in addition to the aggregate of the bonds previously authorized by said Section 49-c of Article III of this Constitution. The Legislature upon two-thirds (2/3) vote of the elected members of each House, may authorize the Board to issue all or any portion of such \$200,000,000 in additional bonds herein authorized.

"The Legislature shall provide terms and conditions for the Texas Water Development Board to sell, transfer or lease, in whole or in part, any acquired storage facilities or the right to use such storage facilities together with any associated system or works necessary for the filtration, treatment or transportation of water at a price not less than the direct cost of the Board in acquiring same; and the Legislature may provide terms and conditions for the Board to sell any unappropriated public waters of the state that might be stored in such facilities. As a prerequisite to the purchase of such storage or water, the applicant therefor shall have secured a valid permit from the Texas Water Commission or its successor authorizing the

acquisition of such storage facilities or the water impounded therein. The money received from any sale, transfer or lease of storage facilities or associated system or works shall be used to pay principal and interest on state bonds issued or contractual obligations incurred by the Texas Water Development Board, provided that when moneys are sufficient to pay the full amount of indebtedness then outstanding and the full amount of interest to accrue thereon, any further sums received from the sale, transfer or lease of such storage facilities or associated system or works may be used for the acquisition of additional storage facilities or associated system or works or for providing financial assistance as authorized by said Section 49-c. Money received from the sale of water, which shall include standby service, may be used for the operation and maintenance of acquired facilities, and for the payment of principal and interest on debt incurred.

"Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this Amendment, such Acts shall not be void by reason of their anticipatory character."

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, 1966, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the issuance of an additional \$200,000,000 in Texas Water Development Bonds and providing for further investment of the Texas Water Development Fund in reservoirs and associated facilities."

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

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FOURTH POUND MORTONS Tea 29¢	8 OUNCE PICKLE AND Pimiento Loaf 25¢
308 SIZE DELMONTE GOLDEN Corn 6/\$1.00	SHURFRESH Oleo 2/39¢
12 OUNCE D.A.K. Lunch Meat 39¢	SHURFRESH Biscuits 3/25¢
303 SIZE AUSTEX SPAGHETTI Meatballs 23¢	12 OZ. SHURFINE Orange Ju. 3/\$1
REGULAR DUNCAN HINES Cake Mix 3/\$1	SHURFROST FRUIT Pies 29¢
HALF GALLON Clorox 29¢	ALWAYS FRESH FROZEN Rolls 25¢
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Items of Interest From Iredell . . .

MRS. VINITA BLAKLEY
RESIDE SERVICES HELD
WALNUT SPRINGS FOR
JOHNELLE SPENCER
 Reside services for Miss Johnelle Spencer were held at Oak Hill Cemetery at Walnut Springs Saturday at 2:00 o'clock. Miss Spencer was a resident of Lubbock at the time of her death. She was a retired nurse. Church Minister T. E. Beck was in charge of the service, assisted by H. E. Jackson of Iredell. Spencer is survived by two sons, Mrs. Dixie Ray of Stephenville and Mrs. Dell Tidwell of Hico, also one brother, Grady of Raton, New Mexico.

children of Bedford were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tyn Davis and Jimmy. A3c and Mrs. Jerry McPeak left Wednesday night for Tucson, Arizona where he will be stationed for several months.
 Mrs. Kate Chaffin and Mrs. Ila Bates were weekend visitors in Devine in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Flanary.
 Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sawyer and Marlene of Mexia are spending their vacation with relatives and friends in Iredell.
 Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Obie Dunlap were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davis and family of Bedford. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cosper of Clifton, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ogle and sons

of Burleson.
 Mrs. Bill Jackson and daughters, Triza and Tammy were recent visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Strong.
 Mr. and Mrs. Oran Phillips of Dallas were Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. Vinita Blakley.
 Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dunlap were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dunlap and daughters of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Dunlap and son and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dunlap and David of Dallas, Mrs. Rosa Sumerlin of Hico and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Sawyer of Waco.
 Mrs. Gladys Lundberg has again opened her cafe in Iredell, and will appreciate her old customers and new ones to call on her.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley accompanied by Mrs. Bill Bradley, Joe and Ann of Celina, were recent visitors in Kansas City, Missouri and attended a ball game while there.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cooper were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cooper and family at Lakeside Village.
 Miss Kay Williamson of Dallas was a weekend visitor in the home of her father, Mr. R. J. Williamson.
 Mrs. Fannie Dawson returned from the Hico City Hospital Sunday, having been a patient there since Tuesday. Other patients in the hospital there from Iredell are Mr. W. E. Boyd Sr., Mr. T. M. Tidwell, and Mrs. Rilla Tidwell.
 Among those attending the Home Demonstration Club picnic on Thursday at Clifton were Mmes. Loyal Carr, Ed Laurence, Jack Sanders, Chubby Howard, Tom

Olin Community News

By MRS. CYRUS KING

Rev. and Mrs. Neal Schooley of Fort Worth were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Knapp and Leana.

Mrs. J. P. Merritt, Elaine and Jerry Beth spent Saturday with Mrs. Rufus Patterson of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eubanks and son of Carlton visited Tuesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Chew and Lester.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. James and Scott Moreland, and Mrs. Mark Wheeler of Hamilton attended the wedding of Graham Henry Wall of Evant, held in the Methodist Church Saturday night. Mark and A. E. are cousins.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Parker spent Sunday at Lake Whitney boating and skiing, celebrating Mrs. Parker's birthday. Others there to help celebrate were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Foster and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams and family of Cedar Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Oglesby of Hamilton, Judy and Cindy Foster of Cedar Hill came home with the Parkers to spend the week.

Mrs. A. C. Odell, Morse Samford of Dallas and Carolyn Powell of Kopperl left Friday for a weekend visit with Mr. and Mrs. Elton Samford at Round Rock.

Miss Mae Phillips of Hico was a Saturday visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus King.

Mrs. Bertha Taylor spent the weekend with her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knapp, Marty and Larry of Hico.

Sue James of Irving spent Wednesday

and Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. James.
 Mrs. Dock Clepper of Roanoke, Mrs. Jerry Chew and daughter of

Meridian and Mrs. Dewell Chew spent the weekend in Weldon with Jerry Chew.

Mrs. Dock Clepper returned home Sunday afternoon, accompanied by her son, Johnnie, who had spent the week with the Chew family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. James and grandson, Scott Moreland attend-

ed the rodeo in Cleburne Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Trammell were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Guest at Hamilton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ables spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Ables at Hico. They are ill at this time.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13 proposing an Amendment to Sections 2 and 4 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to repeal the provision making payment of the poll tax a requirement for voting and so as to authorize the Legislature to provide for the registration of all voters.

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

Section 1. That Section 2 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended, effective February 1, 1968, by deleting the following language:

"and provided further, that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before offering to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing that said tax was paid before the first day of February next preceding such election. Or if said voter shall have lost or misplaced said tax receipt, he or she, as the case may be, shall be entitled to vote upon making affidavit before any officer authorized to administer oaths that such tax receipt has been lost. Such affidavit shall be in writing and left with the judge of the election. The husband may pay the poll tax of his wife and receive the receipt therefor. In like manner, the wife may pay the poll tax of her husband and receive the receipt therefor."

provided, however, that before offering to vote at an election a voter shall have registered annually, but such requirement for registration shall not be considered a qualification of an elector within the meaning of the term 'qualified elector' as used in any other Article of this Constitution in respect to any matter except qualification and eligibility to vote at an election. Any legislation enacted in anticipation of the adoption of this Amendment shall not be invalid because of its anticipatory nature.

The text of this Section, as so amended, is shown below, marked through by a broken line and with the new language underscored:

"Section 2. Every person subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications who shall have attained the age of twenty-one (21) years and who shall be a citizen of the United States and who shall have resided in this State one (1) year next preceding an election and the last six (6) months within the district or county in which such person offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; and provided further, that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before offering to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing that said poll tax was paid before the first day of February next preceding such election. Or if said voter shall have lost or misplaced said tax receipt, he or she, as the case may be, shall be entitled to vote upon making affidavit before any officer authorized to administer oaths that such tax receipt has been lost. Such affidavit shall be in writing and left with the judge of the election. The husband may pay the poll tax of his wife and receive the receipt therefor. In like manner, the wife may pay the poll tax of her husband and receive the receipt therefor."

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The text of this Section, as so amended, is shown below, marked through by a broken line and with the new language underscored:

"Section 4. In all elections by the people, the vote shall be by ballot, and the Legislature shall provide for the numbering of tickets and make such other regulations as may be necessary to detect and punish fraud and preserve the purity of the ballot box; and the Legislature may provide by law for the registration of all voters in all cities containing a population of ten thousand inhabitants or more."

The text of this Section, as so amended, is shown below, with the deleted language marked through by a broken line and with the new language underscored:

"Section 4. In all elections by the people, the vote shall be by ballot, and the Legislature shall provide for the numbering of tickets and make such other regulations as may be necessary to detect and punish fraud and preserve the purity of the ballot box; and the Legislature may provide by law for the registration of all voters in all cities containing a population of ten thousand inhabitants or more."

Sec. 3. If any other Amendment to Sections 2 or 4 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, being for a different purpose, is adopted at an earlier election or at the same election, the adoption of this Amendment shall not be construed as nullifying any change made by such other Amendment.

Sec. 4. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1966, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR repealing the poll tax as a requirement for voting."
 "AGAINST repealing the poll tax as a requirement for voting."

Sec. 5. If the foregoing Amendment is adopted, the proclamation of the Governor declaring the adoption of the Amendment shall set forth the full text of the amended Sections, as amended herein and as amended by any other proposed Amendment which is submitted by the 59th Legislature and which has been duly adopted prior to such proclamation.

Sec. 6. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this Amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

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- Squash lb. 15c
- Good Fresh Yellow Meat lb. 4c
- Melons—Ice Cold lb. 4c

cups to add to 1 1/2 pounds of meat. Also, add two tablespoons of grated onion, 1 1/2 teaspoons salt, fourth teaspoon pepper and for flavor—a light touch of bacon drippings.

Combine the ingredients and then spread on thick slices of bread or buns. Place on a shallow pan and broil under the flame for 10 to 15 minutes, until the meat is brown.

What a delicious, open-face sandwich this makes! Enough for 8 servings. Double the recipe for a crowd.

For a real gourmet dish, top the sandwich with large slices of fresh tomatoes just as the meat begins to brown. Sprinkle with Parmesan cheese and broil another five minutes. Garnish with sprigs of mint or parsley.

Another favorite way to combine potatoes with ground beef calls for baked potatoes. Cut potatoes in half lengthwise while they are still hot and firm. Remove some of the potato and mix with seasoned ground beef. Spread this mixture on the potato halves with faces up. Place under broiler. Cook until the meat is brown. Garnish with strips of pimiento.

When you serve these ground beef and potato dishes, there is practically no waste, as all the meat and all the potatoes, even the peeling are eaten.

There would be fewer food problems among teenagers if more young people realized that well-balanced diets contribute to shiny hair, clear skin, good posture and correct weight.

Research shows that six out of 10 teenage girls and four out of 10 teenage boys in the United States have diets lacking calcium, ascorbic acid (vitamin C), and vitamin A.

Teens' eating habits are responsible for this deficiency. Many of these young people skip breakfast, ignore milk or don't get enough of it, try fad dieting, and eat snacks low in calcium, ascorbic acid and vitamin A.

Parents and friends influence what teenagers eat. If teenage leaders choose nutritious snacks, the rest of the gang may eat better. And at group get-togethers, parents can encourage teenagers to serve fruit juices and other foods high in essential nutrients.

Young people admire vigorous, popular people and wish to be like them. But all too often, teenagers don't realize that such persons maintain a well-balanced diet.

Parents have a major role in teaching pre-teens and teenagers which foods are rich in nutrients essential for good health and vitality and those foods which provide only empty calories.

LEAVES FOR GERMANY

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Donley were at Fort Sill, Oklahoma last Wednesday to visit with their son, Tommy, who left Thursday for Germany where he will be stationed with the U.S. Army for approximately 18 months.

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Civic Club to Meet

Hico Civic Club regular meeting will be held next Wednesday at the usual place and time. All members are urged to attend.

Harold Walker at VA Teachers' In-Service Education Workshop

Harold Walker, vocational agriculture teacher in Hico High School, is participating in the In-Service Education Workshop for teachers of Vocational Agriculture, being held this week at Hotel Texas in Fort Worth.

Conference workshops to be developed include: Recent Trends in

Methodist Youth Reorganized Recently

Youth of First Methodist Church met recently at the home of the pastor, Rev. Hubert Taylor, and organized for fellowship and activities. Because of the spread in ages, two groups were organized to be known as Junior and Senior Youth Fellowship.

The junior group elected as its leaders, Lee Ramage as president, Lucy Stearman, vice-pres., Charlotte Meek, secretary, and Alan Ross, treasurer. Mrs. Hubert Taylor and Mrs. Bill Meek are counselors.

Jim Lackey was elected president of the senior group, Cathy Cryer vice-president, and Cherry Ramage secretary-treasurer. Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ramage are counselors.

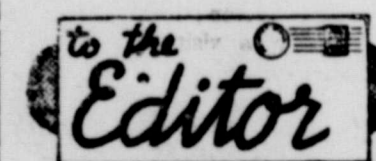
Former Hico Resident, Clem Leroy White, 81, Buried at San Angelo

Clem Leroy White, 81, of 44 W. 25th St., San Angelo, died at 7:05 a.m. Sunday, July 24 at Lewis Emergency Hospital after an illness.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. July 26th in San Angelo, with Rev. M. R. Webb, pastor of Faith Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens.

Mr. White was born Sept. 26, 1884 in Bell County. He was the son of the late Charles and Ella White. He was married to Laura Ann Martin at Hico July 15, 1906. He lived in Hico most of the time until he moved to Galena Park in 1943. After retiring as a general contractor and carpenter, he moved to San Angelo in 1947.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Paul of the home and Charles White of Amarillo; two daughters, Mrs. L. T. Johnson of Conroe and Mrs. C. W. Davidson of Grant, Okla.; two brothers, O. E. White of Amarillo and I. V. White of Arcadia, Calif.; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Pallbearers were Russell Sutton, Donald Land, Wayne Yarborough, Clarence Davidson, Bob Schambles, and Ralph Connally.



What kind of a world are we living in? It seems more turbulent than did the world of Jesse James. Somebody recently killed eight student nurses. Another gunman killed more than a dozen persons in Austin, Texas, our home state. Seemingly there is very little security here or abroad.

The philosophers tell us that each and every event has a cause or causes back of it. Well, what is in our world that is causing these freak, terrible incidents? Is it lack of law enforcement? Seemingly some authorities don't think so. Is it lack of parental control of youth? Is it because of the mad scramble for wealth? Is it because we in late years have come into closer contact with the world abroad? Have we adopted a different and lower standard of conduct from abroad? All these and other potential causes seemingly are operating together and are bringing about a state of affairs that eventually could bring a conditions that are even worse than those now operating in our society.

We don't want this to come to our society. Why? Because our hard-earned progress of the past likely would be lost—maybe forever. We can—we must, do something about it.

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Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ross attended the presentation of "Flower Drum Song" at Casa Manana Tuesday night.

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CLUB and SOCIETY PAGE

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Helping Hand Class Enjoys Regular Social

The Helping Hand Class of First Methodist Church met in Fellowship Hall Tuesday afternoon for its regular business meeting and social.

Opening prayer was given by Mrs. Edna Clepper, and Mrs. Andy Hutton presented the devotional.

Mrs. Effie Ross, president, presided during the business session when the group voted to donate \$50 to the Lord's Hour and \$10 to the nurses fund.

For recreation, Mrs. Myrtle Loden conducted an interesting quiz game.

The hostesses, Mrs. Loden and Mrs. Ross, served a refreshing orange drink to those present.

Brenda Harcrow was a visitor, and members present were Mrs. Grace French, Mrs. Mamie King, Mrs. Lillian Shook, Mrs. Stella Stringer, Mrs. Mattie Gamble, Mrs. Cora Wright, Mrs. Ruth Poote, Mrs. Nettie Meador, Mrs. Clepper, Mrs. Loden, Mrs. Hutton, Mrs. Wilena Strepy, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Zuella Strother, and Miss Florence Chenault.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Putty, Joy and Tony, have returned to their home in Hico. Mrs. Putty underwent eye surgery at St. Joseph's Hospital in Fort Worth July 26 and is recovering nicely.

Visiting in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Hubert Taylor during the weekend and helping Mrs. Taylor celebrate her birthday were their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Taylor, Michele and Danielle and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Taylor and Paul of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Eugene Forsythe and daughter, Jane of Mexia were weekend end visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carman. Mrs. Bill McCoy of Dallas was also a visitor in the home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gleaton Observe Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gleaton observed their 50th wedding anniversary with a quiet celebration in their home this past Sunday.

Helping them celebrate and visiting in the home over the weekend were their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Abell and David, and a friend, Ann Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Abell and Doyle David, all of Ralls, also Mr. and Mrs. T. Dean Rodgers and Rebecca of Houston. Other visitors in the home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Nabers Gleaton and daughters of Comanche, and Mrs. Johnny Roberson of Gustine.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook of Fort Worth were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frazier Crow and Mrs. L. C. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ott of Electra were weekend visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, Mrs. Myrtle Blakley and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Casey and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Hubert Taylor were in Copperas Cove Monday to visit with Rev. and Mrs. Gene Chamness. Rev. Chamness was formerly pastor of Dublin Methodist Church.

Gary Duncan of Denton spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Buster Duncan and Linda.

Mr. and Mrs. John McClammy and Doug of Everman were recent visitors in the homes of their parents, Jim Jameson and Mr. and Mrs. Les McClammy.

Irene Crow of Fort Worth was a recent visitor here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Ernestine Williams of Rule is visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Baker and Mrs. A. Lott.

Mrs. Hanshaw Honored At Pink & Blue Shower

Mrs. Lynn Hanshaw was honored at a pink and blue shower, given last Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Donald Hefner.

Co-hostesses for the courtesy were Mrs. Eddie Lee Putty, Mrs. Henry Hill and Mrs. Wayland Wootton.

The serving table was laid with a white net cloth underlined with white and centered with a pink and blue floral arrangement which featured a white feathered stork. Novelty diaper mint cups of net were also used in table decorations, and favors of miniature stork pins decorated the cake squares.

Miss Kay Jackson presided at the table.

Guests were received by Mrs. Hefner and the honoree, and the guest register was kept by Miss Marger Wolf.

Miss Elizabeth Bruner assisted at the gift display. Approximately 80 guests called or sent gifts during the appointed hours.

ENJOY TENNESSEE VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hicks, Sandena and Nancy enjoyed a vacation trip to Tennessee last week. They toured the Smokey Mountains and points of interest in Chattanooga and Memphis, where they boarded a river boat for a trip down the Mississippi River. They also had the pleasure of attending the "Grand Ole Opry" in the Ryman Auditorium at Nashville.

MOVES TO HICO

Mrs. Viola Guthrie, formerly of Eastland, moved here this past weekend. She is making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wright.

Vernon Wright of Dallas was a Sunday night and Monday visitor in the home of his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wright and Mrs. Viola Guthrie.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson were Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Cook and Katherine and Paul Ray Simpson of Fort Worth. Mrs. Cook is the former Becky Simpson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson Jr. of Levelland. They were all visitors in Hamilton Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Box, Carolyn and Donna. Carolyn accompanied the Cooks home for a visit. Randy Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simpson of Fort Worth, also accompanied them home following a visit here with his grandparents.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ables July 31 were Rev. and Mrs. Neal Schooley and David of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Felkins and Barbara and Mr. and Mrs. Don Johnson, Gary and Steven of Stillwater, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schooley and Jim of Oklahoma, Mrs. Wilma Gillespie of Kansas, and Darlene and Diane Abels of Everman. They all attended services at Olin Baptist Church, and ordination service Sunday afternoon for Rev. Schooley.

VACATION AT RESORT RANCH
Mrs. Conda Salmon was accompanied by her grandchildren, Alan, Barry and Pam Ross and her daughter and children, Mrs. Monette Dove, Marqueta and Dale of Cherokee to the Seven Acre Resort Ranch near Wimberly last week where they enjoyed a three-day vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Stipe, Cinda, Charlotte and Cheryl of Baton Rouge, La. have been spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stipe. They all visited Six Flags on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conda Salmon and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cook were in Fort Worth Monday night of this week to attend the presentation of "Flower Drum Song" at Casa Manana.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clepper were Mrs. Dock Clepper and Johnny of Roanoke and Mrs. Lillie Moore of Mineral Wells, sister of Mr. Clepper.

Hi-Lo Bridge Club Entertained in Parks Home Last Friday

Members and a guest of the Hi-Lo Bridge Club were entertained Friday afternoon of last week in the home of Mrs. Steve Parks.

A dessert plate and coffee was served to the guests preceding bridge play.

Mrs. Buddy Randals was a guest, and members present were Mrs. James Cryer, Mrs. Frank Duncan, Mrs. Robert Lee, Mrs. Marvin Marshall, Mrs. Rusty Roberson and Mrs. Bruce Slaughter.

Following bridge play, Mrs. Roberson was winner of high score and Mrs. Lee won second high.

Friday Bridge Club Meets in Meador Home

Mrs. E. V. Meador was hostess in her home last Friday afternoon when she entertained members of her bridge club with a party.

Party snacks were served during bridge play.

Present were Mrs. W. F. Hafer, Mrs. Sandy Ogle, Mrs. Harold Walker, Mrs. Sarah Reeves, Mrs. M. I. Knudson, Mrs. Jimmie Ramage, Mrs. Charles Dayton and Mrs. Ray Cheek.

Mrs. Knudson was winner of high score and Mrs. Walker won second high.

ELLIS FAMILY ENJOYS VACATION TRIP TO COAST

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ellis accompanied three of their children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ellis, Mike and Suzanne, Mr. and Mrs. James Rainwater, Janie, Jo, June, Jean and Joy, and Billy Ellis, Sherry, Randy and Terry, all of Fort Worth, on a vacation trip to Corpus Christi Tuesday of last week, where they all remained until Tuesday night of this week. They were joined during the weekend by two daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle O'Neal and Mrs. Jerry Needham, Hal and Trina of Cleburne.

While there, the group enjoyed camping out, fishing, swimming and sightseeing to points of interest in the area. Mr. Ellis retired from his duties with Grady Hooper on August 1.

OUT OF TOWN RELATIVES AND FRIENDS ATTEND DURHAM FUNERAL

Among the out of town relatives and friends attending funeral services for Ivey Durham recently included the following: Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hollingsworth of Coleman; Mr. John C. Hollingsworth, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hollingsworth Sr., Kingsville; Mr. and Mrs. James P. Coleman, Paris; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Durham, Hereford; Mr. James Ivey Durham, College Station; Mrs. N. D. Bartlett III, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coffman, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gillespie, Victoria; Mr. John A. East, Slaton;

Also Mr. and Mrs. Morris W. East and family, Mrs. Ethelyn Hicks, Mr. Robert L. East, Miss Mertie Little and Mrs. K. C. East, all of Fort Worth; Mrs. Joe S. Little, Dublin; Mrs. Alma Belle Dunn, Stephenville; Mrs. Jimmie W. Cox and Mr. Calvin Winters of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cobb of Fort Worth; and Miss Mary Eva Durham of Austin.

Friends from out of town attending the rites were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goughly, Tyler; Mr. and Mrs. George Goughly, Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Burden, Clifton; Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Butler, West Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. Y. B. Jackson, Coleman; Miss Margaret Gregg, Mrs. Ella Neece and Mrs. Marjorie Whitaker, all of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hull and family, Mr. Ernest West, Miss Melba West, Mrs. Joe Vrana, Miss Rosaline Kinard, Mrs. Josephine D. Harvey, Mrs. Bernice White,

RETURN FROM VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Von Scott, Devona, Jon and Tanja returned home this past Saturday following a week's vacation trip to scenic points of interest in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Parks, Carolyn and Dianne of Fort Worth were weekend visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Seago.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ross vacationed at Lake Buchanan from Thursday until Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Don Ross and children of San Antonio are visiting here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Higginbotham.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mingus visited Sunday in Godley with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lambert, and is Cleburne with Mr. and Mrs. Les King.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to take this means to say "Thank You" to each of you for your prayers, words of concern, cards, visits and flowers during my past three eye surgeries. May God bless each of you.

Mrs. E. L. (Joyce) Putty, 16-1tp.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cruzan and Mr. and Mrs. Max De Hay, all of Waco; Mrs. Mabel Saunders, Mrs. Jean Oswald and Mr. Allen Armstrong, all of Meridian; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. West of Waco.

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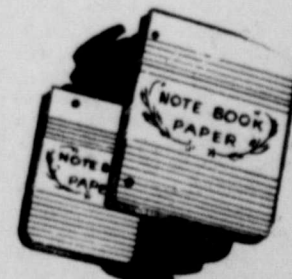
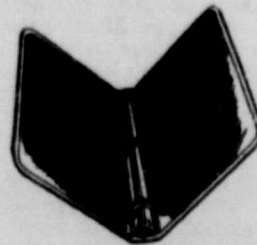
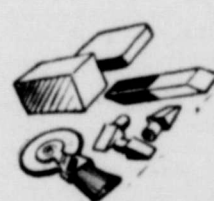
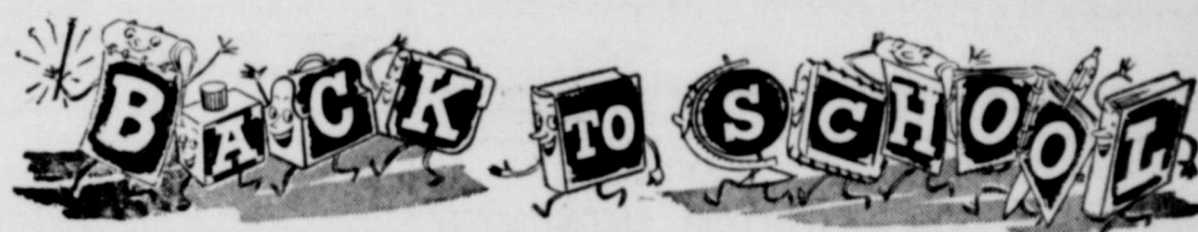
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HICO, TEXAS

Mrs. Marvin Porterfield returned home last week from the Hamilton Hospital and is much improved.

Jerry Richardson and Jimmie Sellers, who are employed in Fort Worth and Arlington spent the weekend with homefolks.

Fairy Community News

By MRS. EUNICE DANIEL

We received .8 inch of rain at our home in Fairy at midnight Saturday. However the rainfall was heavier at other points near Fairy. More than an inch was reported at the Albert Masons. One and a half inches at the Carl King and J. H. Davis farms. Seems the rain helps for a short time but the ground is so dry and hot they only cool the air for a time.

Grasslands are firing up and we notice some have taken precautions by having maintainers scrape a space inside their pasture fences and some had the outside next to highways scraped, which will be a great help in case of a carelessly thrown cigarette or match.

The maize harvest will soon be underway, but most of it right around Fairy is hardly ready yet. We learn that Ovie Brummett has combined a ten or 12 acre plot of maize that he had fertilized which made almost 5000 pounds per acre. David Massingill on the Leon River had a five acre plot on which he used commercial fertilizer and irrigated that harvested 5000 lbs. Some of the dirt stock tanks are getting low and we notice quiet a number of dead trees, especially mesquite.

Mrs. T. R. Parks returned home late Sunday from Fort Worth where she had been visiting her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Truett Turner and Bobby, and helping relatives in the care of her brother-in-law, Ercy Parks, who is a patient in Harris Hospital. She reported doctors as saying he was doing well. He was expected to undergo more repair Tuesday and thought he might be able to leave the hospital by the last of the week, but we feel sure it will be some time before he is able to be up and about. Glad to hear he is holding his own after such serious surgery.

We extend our sympathy to the R. V. Barnett family in the death of her father, Mr. Westmoreland of Dublin, who passed away last week. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at Dublin, with burial at Seagraves.

Mr. and Mrs. Laymon Newton and sons, Phillip, Stanley and Michael of Rochester visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis last Sunday weekend. The boys remained for a visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Davis

and Mrs. Newton of McGirk. Their mother came for them last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Arrant and family of Dallas visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Arrant. Their children, Debra and Michael, and a friend, Carol Woolard of Dallas returned home with them following a weeks visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jackson visited Sunday afternoon in the home of her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Thompson at Evant.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Price of Austin visited Sunday with her father, P. L. Cox and Mrs. Cox. Mr. Cox spent two days in Hico Hospital last week but glad to report him some better. The Prices also visited in the home of her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers, Jimmie and Janice attended the annual Sellers reunion last Saturday night and Sunday at the tabernacle in the Carson Sellers pasture. The writer attended Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Jones and Donald Ray of Houston spent the weekend at their home at Lanham and attended the Sellers reunion. Their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Bullard and children of Arlington visited with them and the C. H. Bullards and attended the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harold Perry of Waco visited during the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Willeford and Delia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anglin and little niece, Waydonna Anglin of Lubbock spent Sunday night in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers, Jimmie and Janice. Mrs. Anglin is the former Stella Sellers. They were here for the Sellers reunion.

Mrs. Myrtle Blakley of Hico visited Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Percy.

Mrs. Ernest McCoy, who has been a patient in the Hico Hospital the past two weeks due to a heart attack and also a stroke is improving, and we hope will soon be able to return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and Janice, and the writer and Mrs. Ruth Cunningham attended the REA meeting in Hamilton. A Mr. Rea of near Pottsville was the lucky person whose number was drawn for the color TV. A number of other electric appliances were given away. Mrs. Lester Smith of Lanham received one of the heaters. Bob Murphy, an attorney from Austin was speaker and kept the crowd laughing with his humorous jokes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dowdy and Derrick visited during the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goyno. Little Robbie McDowell, who has been visiting his grandparents has also returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Goyno are spending a few days at DeSota this week. They will be returning to their home there later this month where she will teach again.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Parks and daughters of Fort Worth visited during the weekend with his mother and brother, Mrs. M. E. Parks and Audie. Melody Leonard also visited in the home to be with her cousins.

Our sincere thanks to the Shepherd family, who took up a collection at the Shepherd reunion at Clairette recently for the care of the Shepherd lot at the Fairy Cemetery. Allie Shepherd came by our home Monday and left \$10. They make the donation each year.

Work was completed at the cemetery last Thursday. We worked off some 90-odd lots and a number of single graves. We have some 12 or 15 lots that are not under care. We wish so much relatives could see the need of supporting these lots to where they could also be worked along with others. But do appreciate those who are making it possible to keep our cemetery, for without their support we would be unable to do so.

Mrs. Edwin Guinn and Mrs. Wil-

lie Turner assisted us in hoeing the lots. Our thanks to them. They are wonderful helpers and we appreciate their help.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Percy and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Turner attended the watermelon festival at DeLeon Saturday night and reported a nice time.

Miss Bernice Turner of Killeen spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Turner. On Sunday all attended the Farris reunion at Mother Neff Park. Little Kurtis and Rhonda Turner, children of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Turner of Killeen returned home with their grandparents for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Turner and Keith of Killeen visited during the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and the Willie Turners, and attended the Sellers reunion.

Rev. Bob Hamilton of Ft. Worth filled an appointment at the Baptist Church Sunday in the absence of Rev. Bob Ray. His wife and children accompanied him. They were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Parker.

While at our home Monday, Allie Shepherd stated that his wife had

recovered sufficiently from a broken leg to have had the cast removed last week. One of their daughters and family have been visiting them and all went to Houston last weekend where they visited another daughter and visited the Astrodome which covers 9 acres of ground, and stated it was a beautiful sight to see.

All of the children and families of Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Gardner

spent the weekend with their parents and attended the Carter reunion at Hamilton. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gardner, family and Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey of Arlington, Mr. Mrs. J. T. Dempsey of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Don Barnes, family of Neches. Mrs. Barnes and children are still visiting the home, while Mr. Barnes is in Fort Worth on business.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966. SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4 proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Texas by adding to Section 62 of Article XVI a new subsection to be denominated subsection (c), of said Section 62; authorizing the Legislature to enact laws establishing, subject to the limitations stated, a State-wide System of Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation benefits for the officers and employees of the counties and other political subdivisions of the state, and of the political subdivisions of any county.

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

Section 1. That Section 62 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a subsection (c) which shall read as follows:

"(c) The Texas Legislature is authorized to enact appropriate laws to provide for a System of Retirement, Disability and Death Benefits for all the officers and employees of a county or other political subdivision of the state, or a political subdivision of a county; providing that when the Texas Legislature has passed the necessary enabling legislation pursuant to the Constitutional authorization, then the governing body of the county, or other political subdivision of the state, or political subdivision of a county shall make the determination as to whether a particular county or other political subdivision of the state, or subdivision of the county participates in this System; providing further that such System shall be operated at the expense of the county or other political subdivision of the state or political subdivision of the county electing to participate therein and the officers and employees covered by the System; and providing that the Legislature of the State of Texas shall never make an appropriation to pay the costs of this Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation System.

"The Legislature may pro-

vide for a voluntary merger into the System herein authorized by this Constitutional Amendment of any System of Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Benefits which may now exist or that may hereafter be established under subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Texas Constitution; providing further that the Texas Legislature in the enabling statute will make the determination as to the amount of money that will be contributed by the county or other political subdivision of the state or political subdivision of the county to the State-wide System of Retirement, Disability and Death Benefits, and the Legislature shall further provide that the amount of money contributed by the county or other political subdivision of the state or subdivision of the county shall equal the amount paid from the income of each officer and employee covered by this State-wide System.

"It is the further intention of the Legislature, in submitting this Constitutional Amendment, that the officers and employees of the county or other political subdivision of the state or political subdivision of a county may hereafter be included in those systems regardless of whether the county or other political subdivision of the state or political subdivision of the county participates in the Retirement, Disability and Death Benefit System authorized by this Constitutional Amendment, or whether they participate in a System under the provisions of subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Texas Constitution as the same is herein amended."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at the General Election in November, 1966, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Texas Legislature to establish a State-wide Cooperative System of Retirement, Disability and Death Benefits for the officials and employees of the various counties or other political subdivisions of the state, or

political subdivisions of a county; authorizing the Legislature to provide for a voluntary merger into the system authorized by this Amendment by those officers and employees covered by the provisions of subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Texas Constitution as now existing or may hereafter be established; providing that costs of this System shall be borne by the counties and other political subdivisions of the state and political subdivisions of the county electing to participate therein and the officers and employees covered by the System; and forbidding the Legislature from making any appropriations for the operation of this System."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Texas Legislature to establish a State-wide Cooperative System of Retirement, Disability and Death Benefits for the officials and employees of the various counties or other political subdivisions of the state, or political subdivisions of a county; authorizing the Legislature to provide for a voluntary merger into the system authorized by this Amendment by those officers and employees covered by the provisions of subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Texas Constitution as now existing or may hereafter be established; providing that costs of this System shall be borne by the counties and other political subdivisions of the state and political subdivisions of the county electing to participate therein and the officers and employees covered by the System; and forbidding the Legislature from making any appropriations for the operation of this System."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes have been cast in favor of such amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have notice of said proposed Amendment and of said election published as required by the Constitution of Texas, and laws of this state.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 65 proposing an Amendment to Section 3-b of Article VII of the Constitution of Texas providing that school taxes theretofore voted in any independent school district or in any junior college district shall not be abrogated, cancelled or invalidated by a change in boundaries nor shall bonds voted, but unissued, be invalidated by such change; authorizing the levy of taxes after such change without further election in the district as changed; providing an exception in the case of the annexation or consolidation of whole districts; providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.

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

Section 1. That Section 3-b of Article VII of the Constitution of Texas be amended to be read as follows:

"Section 3-b. No tax for the maintenance of public free schools voted in any independent school district and no tax for the maintenance of a junior college voted by a junior college district, nor any bonds voted in any such district, but unissued, shall be abrogated, cancelled or invalidated by change of any kind in the boundaries thereof. After any change in boundaries, the governing body of any such district, without the necessity of an additional election, shall have the power to assess, levy and collect ad valorem taxes

on all taxable property within the boundaries of the district as changed, for the purposes of the maintenance of public free schools or the maintenance of a junior college, as the case may be, and the payment of principal of and interest on all bonded indebtedness outstanding against, or attributable, adjusted or allocated to, such district or any territory therein, in the amount, at the rate, or not to exceed the rate, and in the manner authorized in the district prior to the change in its boundaries, and further in accordance with the laws under which all such bonds, respectively, were voted; and such governing body also shall have the power, without the necessity of an additional election, to sell and deliver any unissued bonds voted in the district prior to any such change in boundaries, and to assess, levy and collect ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in the district as changed, for the payment of principal of and interest on such bonds in the manner permitted by the laws under which such bonds were voted. In those instances where the boundaries of any such independent school district are changed by the annexation of, or consolidation with, one or more whole school districts, the taxes to be levied for the purposes hereinabove authorized may be in the amount or at not to exceed the rate theretofore voted in the district having at the time of such change the greatest scholastic population according to the latest scholastic census and only the unissued bonds of such district voted prior to such change, may be

subsequently sold and delivered and any voted, but unissued, bonds of other school districts or consolidation shall not thereafter be issued."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1966, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Amendment to Section 3-b of Article VII of the Constitution of Texas providing that taxes or bonds previously voted in any independent school district or in any junior college district shall not be abrogated, cancelled or invalidated by any change in boundaries and authorizing the continuance of the levy of taxes after such change without further election.

"AGAINST the amendment to Section 3-b of Article VII of the Constitution of Texas providing that taxes or bonds previously voted in any independent school district or in any junior college district shall not be abrogated, cancelled or invalidated by any change in boundaries and authorizing the continuance of the levy of taxes after such change without further election."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast were in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution and be effective on and after the date of its adoption.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 48 proposing an Amendment to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing the method and manner for dissolution of hospital districts created under Article IX of the Constitution.

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

Section 1. That Section 9, Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended to read as follows:

"Section 9. The Legislature may by law provide for the creation, establishment, maintenance and operation of hospital districts composed of one or more counties or all or any part of one or more counties with power to issue bonds for the purchase, construction, acquisition, repair or renovation of buildings and improvements and equipping same, for hospital purposes; providing for the transfer to the hospital district of the title to any land, buildings, improvements and equipment located wholly within the district which may be jointly or separately owned by any city, town or county, providing that any district so created shall assume full responsibility for providing medical and hospital care for its needy inhabitants and assume the outstanding indebtedness incurred by cities, towns and counties for hospital purposes prior to the creation of the district, if same are located wholly within its boundaries, and a pro rata portion of such indebtedness based upon the then last approved tax assessment rolls of the included cities, towns and counties if less than all

the territory thereof is included within the district boundaries; providing that after its creation no other municipality or political subdivision shall have the power to levy taxes or issue bonds or other obligations for hospital purposes within the boundaries of the district; providing for the levy of annual taxes at a rate not to exceed seventy-five cents (75c) on the One Hundred Dollar valuation of all taxable property within such district for the purpose of meeting the requirements of the district's bonds, the indebtedness assumed by it and its maintenance and operating expenses, providing that such district shall not be created or such tax authorized unless approved by a majority of the qualified property-taxpaying electors thereof voting at an election called for the purpose; and providing further that the support and maintenance of the district's hospital system shall never become a charge against or obligation of the State of Texas nor shall any direct appropriation be made by the Legislature for the construction, maintenance or improvement of any of the facilities of such district.

Provided, however, that no district shall be created except by act of the Legislature and then only after thirty (30) days' public notice to the district affected, and in no event may the Legislature provide for a district to be created without the affirmative vote of a majority of the taxpaying voters in the district concerned.

The Legislature may also provide for the dissolution of hospital districts provided that a process is afforded by statute for:

(1) determining the desire of a majority of the qualified voters within the district to dissolve it;

(2) disposing of or transferring the assets, if any, of the district; and

(3) satisfying the debts and bond obligations, if any, of the district, in such manner as to protect the interest of the citizens within the district, including their collective property rights in the assets or property of the district, provided, however, that any grant from federal funds, however dispensed, shall be considered an obligation to be repaid in satisfaction and provided that no election to dissolve shall be held more often than once each year. In such connection, the statute shall provide against disposal or transfer of the assets of the district, except for due compensation, unless such assets are transferred to another governmental agency such as a county, embracing such district and using such transferred assets in such a way as to benefit citizens formerly within the district.

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, 1966, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment providing the method and manner for dissolution of hospital districts.

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment providing the method and manner for dissolution of hospital districts."

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

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Carlton Community News

By MRS. FRED GEYE

The Revival at the Baptist Church closed Sunday night with five additions by letter and three for baptism. Bro. Don Tatum of Bryson, evangelist, brought wonderful messages each service. There was also one addition by statement.

Mrs. Sherleen Sowell of Cleburne spent Thursday night with Mrs. Hattie Sowell and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Reeves.

Mrs. J. H. Tull and daughter, Mrs. Lillie Anderson returned home last week from a two-week visit in Abilene with her sons, Dr. Raymond Tull and family, and in Mid-

land with another son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Tull and her daughter, Mrs. Bessie Walton. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strickland and sons, Larry and Chuck of Graham were visitors last week with her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lunsford and Arlene. The boys also visited with their other grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sharp. Other visitors in the Lunsford home were their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lunsford and Jackie of Dublin.

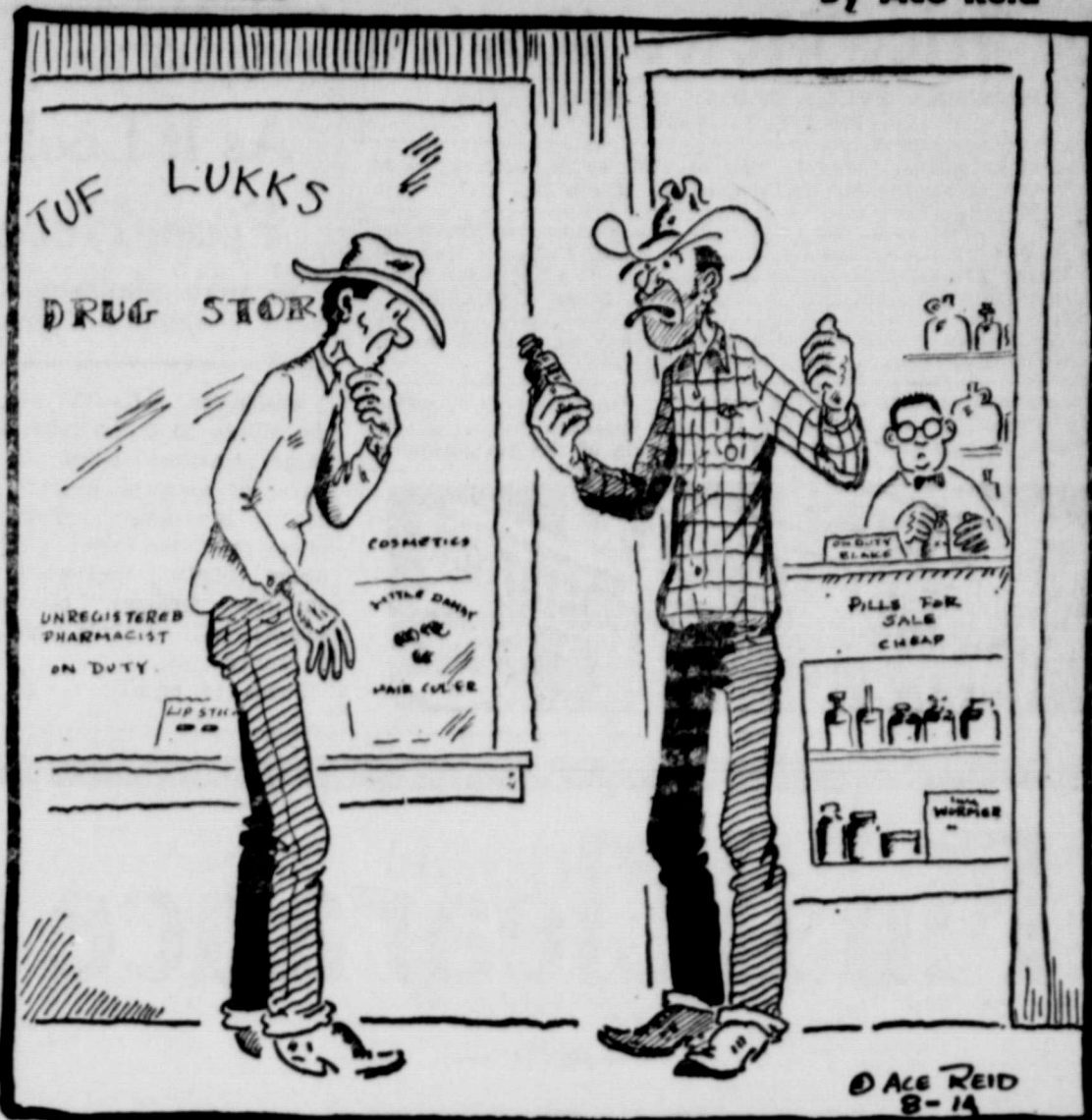
Mr. and Mrs. Terry Sharp of Dublin were weekend visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Watt Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Walton of Glen Rose were visitors Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Fred Geye and his sister, Mrs. Edgar Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodolph Short and

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"Them's tranquilizers. He said if I took enough of 'em, I'd forgit about sellin' my calves 2 months too soon and \$2 too cheap!"

two daughters of Straton visited last week with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Watt Sharp. Mrs. Lee McKnight and children of Waco spent Sunday with her parents and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Hob Thompson, Mrs. Lee Turney, and with her husband's mother, Mrs. Bill McKnight, and attended the revival Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stuckey of Waco were visitors Sunday with her mother and uncle, Mrs. Pearl Fisher. Other visitors were Otho Stuckey and daughter, Martha, and her grandmother, Mrs. Bettie Fisher, all of Carlton.

Bro. Billy D. Rudd and Jackie of Big Spring and Master Sergeant and Mrs. Garland Rudd and Mike of San Angelo spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rudd.

Master Sergeant Rudd leaves August 15 for Korea.

Thursday visitors in the home of Mrs. Zula Walton were a sister

and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Nina Slaton of Tulsa, Okla., and Mrs. Roy Skinner of Carbon. Mrs. Walton accompanied them to attend a family reunion in Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lumkin and children of Dallas visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cox and family. Mr. Lumpkin is formerly of Carlton.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Callan of Dallas spent the weekend with his sister, Mrs. Charley Dyer. They all visited Sunday afternoon in Stephenville with Mrs. V. O. Porter and Ben McCollum.

Mr. and Mrs. David Rudd of Brownwood and Mrs. David Rhoton and children of Big Spring spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rudd.

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PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1 proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas to establish the date on which newly elected Members of the Legislature shall qualify and take office.

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

Section 1. That Article III, Section 2, of the Constitution of Texas, be and the same is hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Section 3. The Senators shall be chosen by the qualified electors for the term of four years; but a new Senate shall be chosen after every apportionment, and the Senators elected after each apportionment shall be divided by lot into two classes. The seats of the Senators of the first class shall be vacated at the expiration of the first two years, and those of the second class at the expiration of four years, so that one half of the Senators shall be chosen biennially thereafter. Senators shall take office following their election, on the day set by law for the convening of the Regular Session of the Legislature, and shall serve hereafter for the full term of four years to which elected and until their successors shall have been elected and qualified."

Section 2. That Article III, Section 2, of the Constitution of Texas, be and the same is hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Section 4. The Members of the House of Representatives shall be chosen by the qualified electors for the term of two years. Representatives shall take office following their election, on the day set by law for the convening of the Regular Session of the Legislature, and shall serve thereafter for the full term of two years to which elected and until their successors shall have been elected and qualified."

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

Section 4. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for such election and this Amendment shall be published and the election shall be held as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Section 2. That Article III, Section 2, of the Constitution of Texas, be and the same is hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Section 4. The Members of

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WASHINGTON—

As It Looks From Here

By OMAR BURLESON, M.C.
17th District, Texas



Washington, D.C.—The news media shouts daily the crisis in our large American cities. In most issues of every newspaper is the report of racial strife, rising crime rates, the threat of air and water pollution, inadequate transportation facilities, overcrowded schools and hospitals and low treasuries.

ices to the great populations is an increasing challenge for city governments, and the natural result is for them to turn in desperation to the Federal Treasury for their money sources.

In the meantime, cities and communities aggressively compete with one another for new industry to provide jobs for their burgeoning populations and to generate new tax revenues. Cities of high industrial development work with business leaders to hold the business-industrial base which they already have, and to broaden it.

There are no answers in sight to the bulk of problems faced by our great cities, but it is apparent that millions of residents of the great metropolitan areas desire improvements in the quality of their living. Many of these people were attracted to the city in the first place because the economic opportunities in the rural and small towns appeared to be less and less attractive.

The fact remains that there should be increasing opportunity in such places as our great Central West Texas area. It should attract new business and industry on which a regional economy can be greatly strengthened. We have the people, the community leadership, the climate, the transportation structure, recreational facilities which afford a pleasant life of friendly cities and towns where families can put down roots and feel at home. We have the rich mineral and agricultural resources which provide the essential raw materials for numerous industrial enterprises.

The age old problem of water continues to be exactly that—a problem. But this handicap can and will be overcome because of

pure old necessity. The great Central West Texas area offers space unlike any other area in the State and, in fact, unlike any other area anywhere in the country, which has other resources to go with a place to expand.

The State Water Development Board, now in the process of holding hearings over the State, has said that Central West Texas and West Texas are not to share in the distribution of water within the State, but, rather, must look outside the State's borders for its water supply. With this suggestion and recommendation we can not agree.

Estimates of population as a basis of need were developed by a survey made by the University of Texas, which showed our immediate area not to be sharing in the increase in population as compared to other parts of the State. As was said to the Water Board holding its hearing in Abilene on July 18, it a matter of which comes first, the chicken or the egg. It is surely true that if we do not have water as a primary consideration along with other resources, our population and economic advances may not compare favorably with other areas in the State, but with water and the other natural advantages we have to offer, our area should advance and expand beyond the percentage ascribed to certain other areas.

The bidding for industry is already highly competitive between localities and will doubtless become more so. Not only is it competitive between neighboring communities, but it is competitive between regions and States. Some cities and towns have voted tax exempt bonds to provide facilities to attract industries, which has brought loud complaint from areas in the North and East from which industry is invited to move.

On the other hand it is possible that Congress may, in a year or two ahead, consider some form of incentive plan to assist new plant construction in the more rural and small town communities. Legislation may be proposed, providing Federal Income Tax incentive for such development, although there is no doubt it will draw opposition from Representatives from the large cities. There is precedent for it, set some years ago by Con-

gress in approving legislation to help disperse industries as prime targets in the event of nuclear attack. This theory could be applied to our normal economy. Local leadership and dedication to future development is the prime ingredient for success.

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New District Formed For Methodist Youth

With the desolving of the Gatesville District, Hico Methodist Church became a part of the Cleburne District. In the re-organizing of the district it was decided to group the churches of the district into four groups, or clusters with Hico becoming part of the Meridian Cluster. Eight churches make up this cluster, including Valley Mills, Clifton, Glen Rose, Morgan-Kopperl, Cranfills Gap-Lanham, Iredell, Meridian, and Hico.

Youth representatives from these churches met in Meridian to organize for activities and fellowship this past Sunday. Those elected to serve included Cathy Cryer of Hico as treasurer. Rev. Hubert Taylor, local pastor, will act as Cluster Counselor for the young people.

BOWLING ALONG . . .

By RUTH SALMON
League Secretary

The bowling pins weren't falling too good last week. It could have been because they weren't hit just right.

Pat Ross hit the high game with a 200. Ruth Salmon was second in line with the high series of 162-475. June Roberson came through with a 177 game and Alta Maye Hamilton was out-bowling her better half, Paul, with a 158-159.

Morse Ross came up with a 515 series. Jim Bullard a 196 game, Glenn Ross a 191, and Watt Ross a 491 series.

The Rebels took three points from Salmon's, F-W took three points from Gemini, and the Has Been took three points from the Tellers.

Team Standings:

Gemini 4	28 1/2	15 1/2
Salmon Shoppers	26	18
F-W Ranch	23	21
Has Beens	20 1/2	23 1/2
The Rebels	16 1/2	23 1/2
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