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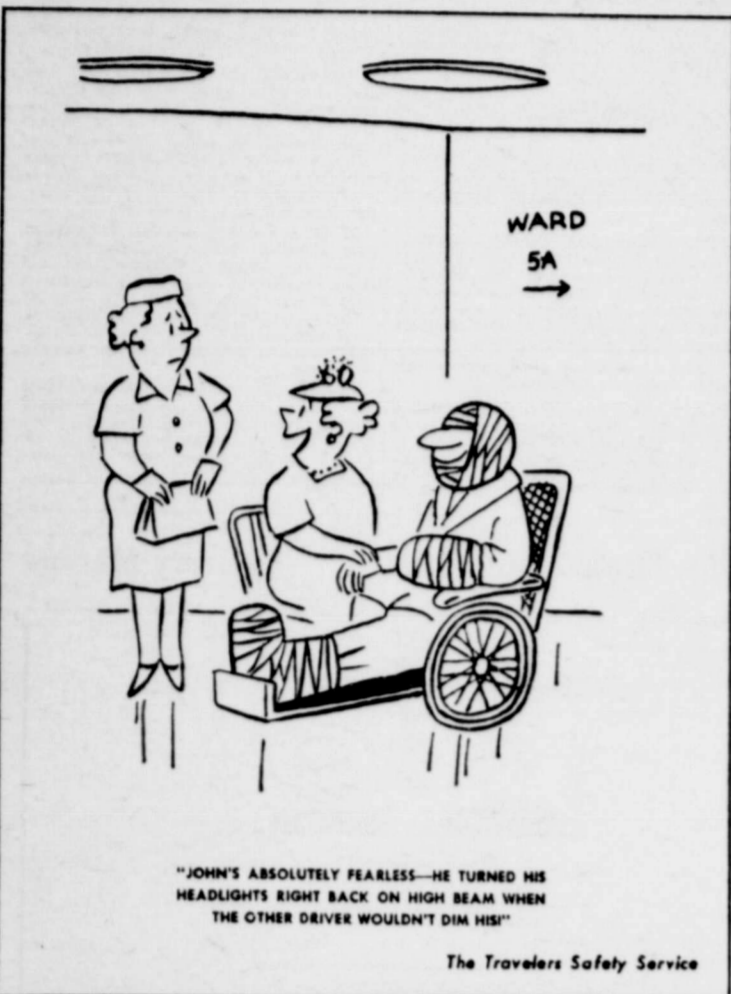
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## The Dishonor Roll by Jerry Marcus



The Travelers Safety Service

Bad manners on the highway helped to kill 37,600 persons in 1959.



AROUND THE COUNTY



ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

Reynolds Lee Foster is one of twenty-nine Texas 4-H Club members attending the 1960 session of the Texas State 4-H Council in Kilgore this week. The council is made up of the boys and girls who represent the twelve Extension Service districts in the state with one boy and one girl from each district plus five officers. Members of the state 4-H staff at College Station act as advisers to the group.

While in session on the campus of Kilgore Junior College, the group will plan the state leadership laboratory for club members at Bastrop. Preliminary plans for 4-H Round-Up next summer at College Station, and other activities held in conjunction with other groups.

Reynolds Lee left Monday for the session which started Tuesday. The meeting will end Saturday noon and Lee will return home Sunday.

A new provision of the wool incentive payment program has been announced in a letter from Lloyd Bergsma, Extension Livestock Marketing specialist.

Under the new provision, ranchers who do not shear their lambs before selling will receive a payment of 75 cents per hundred. This is aimed at discouraging unusual shearing of lambs.

The payment will be based on time of ownership of the lambs, just as the wool payment has been. If a rancher sells a lamb at 50 pounds, he will be paid for the 50 pounds. The person who buys those lambs and feeds them for example until they weighed 100 pounds would be paid for the additional 50 pounds of weight since that was all that he had put on the lambs.

The Texas cattle feeding industry continues to set new records with each reporting period. The latest report for the first six months of 1960 showed an increase of 12 percent above the same date in 1959. On July 1, 1960 there were 164 thousand head on feed in the state. During the same six month period, the 21 major feeding states showed an increase of only 4 percent. Present indications are that the increase will continue in

the state. Interest continues high and new facilities are going in at several places in the state. This development should be of interest to all since it provides a market for feeder cattle and grain, sorghum grain in particular, for the state.

More and more feedlots are going into operation in the Panhandle or High Plains area north of here. Largest in operation presently, and supposedly second largest in the United States, is the Lewter lots which are capable of feeding 25,000 head at one time. Now in operation on the edge of the feedlots is a packing plant which will be developed to handle many of the cattle from the pens.

Cattle and sheep men are faced with lower prices according to the livestock marketing specialist. Hog producers should see an upward trend in prices.

Cattle slaughter was up 28 percent in Texas in May from the same month in 1959. The United States showed an increase of 11 percent. This increase will keep a downward pressure on prices of slaughter cattle. The above average range conditions in many areas will bring about increased marketing of grass fat cattle this fall.

Large supplies of stocker and feeder cattle will be available this fall. With supplies considerably above last year, feeders will talk lower prices.

Slaughter lamb prices will feel the pressure of seasonally increased supplies and lower beef cattle prices. Outlook is not good for an increase in wool prices either.

The Rev. John Gibbs and family are in Kerrville this week at Mt. Wesley. Mrs. Gibbs is attending a school of missions.

The bank employees moved into the corner portion of the new bank building the first of this week, which is the part the bank will occupy. The office portion on the west is to be used as a rental space.

Directors are planning on having an open house and dedication of the new building early in September, it is said.

## Voters--

In this issue of the News-Record there appears the full text of the four Constitutional Amendments to be voted on at the General election on November 8. So that you may be fully informed, we urge that you read each proposed measure in its entirety, and study all of them carefully before you vote.

A brief digest of the four proposed amendments follows:

Number One on the ballot (HJR 39)—Authorizes the Legislature to create hospital districts co-extensive with Lamar County, Hidalgo County and County Commissioners Precinct No. 4 of Comanche County, and sets forth certain powers, duties and limitations.

Number Two on the ballot (SJR 6)—Increases the maximum permissible interest rate on bonds hereafter issued by the Veteran's Land Board to three and one-half per cent.

Number Three on the ballot (HJR 3)—This bill is what is known as the "Annual Salary Bill" for Legislators. It provides for an annual salary of not to exceed \$4,800 for each legislator, and a per diem allowance of not to exceed \$12 a day for the first 120 days of each regular session and for 30 days of each special session as maximum compensation for members of the Legislature. Also it limits the regular session to 140 days.

Number Four on the ballot (HJR 6)—Authorizes the Legislature to classify loans and lenders, license and regulate lenders, define interest, fix maximum rates of interest, and provide for a maximum rate of interest of ten percent per annum in the absence of legislation setting maximum rates of interest; provides that the rate of interest shall not exceed six per cent per annum in contracts where no interest rate is agreed upon; provides for the right of appeal and trial de novo in the event of cancellation of or refusal to grant any permit.

## Additional Work Might Increase Your Social Security

"Social Security benefits can be increased in some cases by additional work after a person first applies for benefits," Floyd B. Ellington, manager of the San Angelo social security office announced today. "But certain requirements must be met before the benefit amount can be refilled."

If a person continues working during the year he first files for social security, he may request that his benefit amount be refilled to include the total earnings for that year. There is no definite amount he must earn in the year, but it must increase the average earnings figured at the time of filing.

Another type of recomputation has a definite earnings requirement—earnings must exceed \$1200 in a calendar year after the year the person first filed for benefits. Even though the earnings exceed \$1200, the benefit cannot be increased unless the work since filing would raise his average earnings.

Ellington emphasizes that it is better to check with your social security office and be sure, rather than to guess whether work after retirement will increase your benefit amount. Write your local office and include the amounts of your earnings in each year beginning with the year of filing up to the present, as accurately as possible and the effect on your present check can then be determined.

## Widows Get Full Social Security Benefits at Age 62, Says Ellington

"Widows should apply for social security benefits as soon as they are 62", Floyd B. Ellington, Manager of the San Angelo District Office advises. "It would be even better if they applied a month or two before they are 62. Of course no one should delay, but widows in particular

## Methodist Laymen Plan Retreat

Over 600 Laymen are expected to attend the Laymen's Retreat to be held at the Mt. Wesley Methodist Assembly, Kerrville, Texas, August 12-14, 1960 according to plans announced by Mr. James Walker of Seguin. Conference Lay Leader. Speakers for the Retreat will include Bishop Paul V. Galloway, resident Bishop of the San Antonio-Northwest Texas Area; the Rev. Murray Dickson, Missionary to Bolivia; Dr. Ennis B. Hill, pastor of the First Methodist Church, San Angelo; and the Rev. Barcus Moore, pastor of St. Luke's Methodist Church, Corpus Christi.

Bishop Galloway, who will be in charge of the Service of Holy Communion at 6:00 a.m. on Sunday, Aug. 14 and preach at the 10:45 hour of worship on Sunday, was elected and consecrated a Bishop in the Methodist Church at the recent session of the Jurisdictional Conference held in San Antonio. He is a native of Arkansas and held pastorates in that state including assistant pastor at Fort Smith, Arkadelphia Circuit, Manila-Dell Circuit, Swifton Alicia Circuit, and others. He had been appointed to the Tulsa, Oklahoma Church for the eleventh year just prior to being elected to the office of Bishop.

The program will begin with Registration at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, August 12, and will conclude with the noon meal on Sunday. Although laymen from each of the 342 churches in the Southwest Texas Conference are encouraged to attend the entire program, they may attend any portion of the program. Visitors are cordially invited to attend. In addition to the messages there will be discussion groups. Song Services will be under the direction of Henry Holloway, director of music of Laurel Heights Methodist Church of San Antonio.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week were—

D. P. Glass  
Fannie Copeland  
Mrs. J. O. Longshore  
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week—  
Mrs. Sam Sanchez  
Amelia Gaitan

Memorials given to the Sterling County Hospital in memory of Mrs. Tom Blair by—  
Mrs. Lura McClellan, Mrs. May Carper, Mrs. G. G. Ainsworth, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Carr and Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Barrett

## To Be 96 August 18

Miss Fannie Copeland will be 96 years old on August 18. A resident in the Sterling County Hospital, a party will be held for her and all her friends are invited to visit her that day, said Mildred Emery of the hospital.

In case of fire Dial 2121.

## CARD OF THANKS

We express our thanks for the flowers, cards, food and all nice things done at the death of our mother.  
May God bless all of you.  
The family of  
Mrs. T. J. Blair

should be careful to apply for benefits promptly."

A woman's benefit based on her own account, or on the account of a living husband is reduced if she applies before age 65, but a widow's benefit is different. Widows' benefits are not reduced and the full amount is paid at age 62.

"So, if you are a widow", Ellington explained, "And we once paid you a lump-sum or monthly benefits, you should apply again when you are 62. In fact, you can speed your first check by applying a month or so before."

## Sheriff Jim Cantrell Sworn in as Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector

Jim Cantrell was sworn in as the sheriff, tax collector-assessor here last weekend. He took the place vacated by Bill Green, who moved to Everton, Arkansas.

Jim, ex-highway patrolman stationed here, had won the Democratic nomination here in May, and would have taken office January 1st in the regular course of events.

Jake Martin is still acting as deputy for the present.

## SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS

"How large will my social security benefit be when I retire" This question is asked frequently, according to Floyd B. Ellington, manager of the San Angelo Social Security district office.

Workers nearing retirement age are especially interested in the answer to this question, but it is equally important to all workers. Persons making plans for their retirement income need to know how much their social security benefits will be in deciding the amount of supplemental income they will need from other sources. Ellington pointed out that Congress intended for social security benefits to form only the base on which other retirement income could be built.

Listed below are two examples of monthly retirement benefits. A retired worker who has been earning an average of \$150 per month will receive \$73 per month benefit. His wife, at age 65, will receive an additional benefit of \$36.50.

Retired workers who have been earning an average of \$300 per month will receive a \$105 benefit. He, his wife and their minor child will receive \$210.

Persons who work in covered employment or who are self-employed should ask the social security district office for more information concerning the amount of their benefits, Mr. Ellington concluded.

MODERN 3-rooms and bath, nicely furnished, rent reasonable. Phone 8-3921 anytime except between 9 and 12 a.m. and 2 and 6 p.m.

Delbert Hopper has bought the El Paso Gas service station here from John Brock and is operating it.

## The Sterling City Lions Club members met at the community center Wednesday for the regular weekly luncheon.

Mrs. Stanford Perrett, a niece of R. P. Brown's, gave a program with some of her poetry readings.

Lion W. R. Brooks reported on ways and means of applying for a permit to build a dam, and the procedure called for in petitioning the Board of Water Engineers for a permit to impound public waters of the State of Texas.

The prize went to R. P. Brown. Guests present were R. T. Caperton, Mrs. Perrett, Col. Lin Douthit and Jim Cantrell.

## Notice to Creditors of the Estate of Addie C. Pearson, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the Estate of Addie C. Pearson, deceased, were granted to William Egan, Jr., on the 11th day of April, 1960, by the County Court of Sterling County, Texas.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to said administrator within the time prescribed by law. His Post Office address is: 2227 Hillburn Street, in the City of Dallas, Texas.

(Signed) William Egan, Jr. Administrator

## Buy Robert Lee Paper

John King of Big Spring has bought the Robert Lee Observer, a weekly newspaper, from the owner Kirkpatrick. He took over on August 1st. He and his family moved to Robert Lee Sunday.

King has been the national advertising manager for the Big Spring Herald for several years. Before that he was employed by the San Angelo Standard-Times and the Sheep & Goat Raisers Magazine.

Mr. and Mrs. King are well known in Sterling City, and frequently visit friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. King and their daughter, Debbie, spent Wednesday night here visiting the W. R. Brooks family. Mr. and Mrs. King were on their way to Pecos to attend the West Texas Press Association meeting this week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. Norman Durham and their three little daughters of Stillwater, Oklahoma, visited Mrs. D. C. Durham and the Roy Morgans.

Norman is a professor of bacteriology at Oklahoma University at Stillwater.

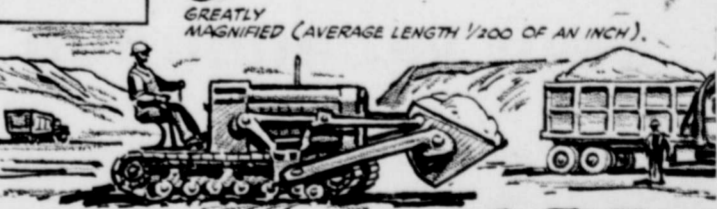
In case of fire call 8-2121.

## IN THIS WORLD

DIATOMS ARE FOUND TODAY MOST ABUNDANT IN THE COLD WATERS OF THE ARCTIC AND ANTARCTIC.

DIATOMACEOUS EARTH, FOUND IN STRATA 1,000 FEET THICK IN CALIFORNIA, AND USED FOR MANY THINGS SUCH AS INSULATION FOR BLAST FURNACES AND FILTERS FOR LIQUIDS IS ACTUALLY THE FOSSIL REMAINS OF MICROSCOPIC MARINE ORGANISMS KNOWN AS DIATOMS.

GREATLY MAGNIFIED (AVERAGE LENGTH 1/100 OF AN INCH).



DIATOMITE IS WIDELY USED TODAY IN PORTABLE FILTERS FOR LAWN SWIMMING POOLS TO KEEP WATER POLISHED AND CRYSTAL CLEAR.



THANKS TO THESE LITTLE CREATURES THAT LIVED AGES AGO AND THE RESEARCH IN WATER FILTRATION EQUIPMENT OF LOMART INDUSTRIES, WATER IN LAWN SWIMMING POOLS CAN BE KEPT HEALTHY AND CLEAR THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER.

CLEAR WATER (DIATOMITE) POOL FILTERS CAN TRAP ALL BACTERIA AS SMALL AS 1/100 OF A PINPOINT.

**WANTED BY THE FBI**



**JOSEPH CORBETT, JR.**

Corbett, one of the FBI's "Ten Most Wanted Fugitives," is wanted for escape from the California Institution for Men, Chino, Calif., where he was serving a 5 years' life sentence for murdering an Air Force sergeant. A Federal warrant was issued at Los Angeles, Calif., on March 21, 1960, charging him with unlawful interstate flight to avoid confinement for murder.

A white American, born on October 25, 1928, at Seattle, Wash., Corbett is 6 feet 1 inch to 6 feet 2 inches tall and weighs 160 to 170 pounds. He has light brown hair, hazel eyes, a fair complexion, a medium build, and has worked as a clerk-typist, laborer, warehouseman, laboratory technician, and alkyl-resin cooker for a paint manufacturer. His two upper front teeth slant inward and he wears glasses, reportedly being extremely nearsighted and capable of seeing only close objects without them. He has a mole under his chin and a C-shaped scar on his right thumb.

Corbett, once a premedical student, is interested in scientific matters, avidly reads technical and travel books, and is intensely interested in firearms and target practice. He reportedly has a superior general intelligence and generally lives quietly and neatly but becomes erratic when drinking alcoholic beverages.

Convicted of second-degree murder, he is considered armed and dangerous.

Anyone having information concerning him should immediately notify the nearest office of the FBI, the telephone number of which can be found on the first page of local telephone directories. **apo 881209-**

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**Seventeen Hundred Acres**

At Fairplay, Colorado has been sold but it is back on the market again at a bigger down payment. More money per acre. It just might sell now. I thought all along that it was too cheap, the down payment was too low but the land is still the same.

1760 acres, permit on the forest for 75 head. Plenty of water, 200 acres of meadow land, no house fenced. This will graze 250 head of two year olds and put on plenty of gain, five months. Then get them out or you might have to put snow shoes on them so they can get out.

For more information write doughBelly Price  
Taos, New Mexico

SEE me for your cedar posts, hay and general hauling. Jake Sparks, phone 8-3411.



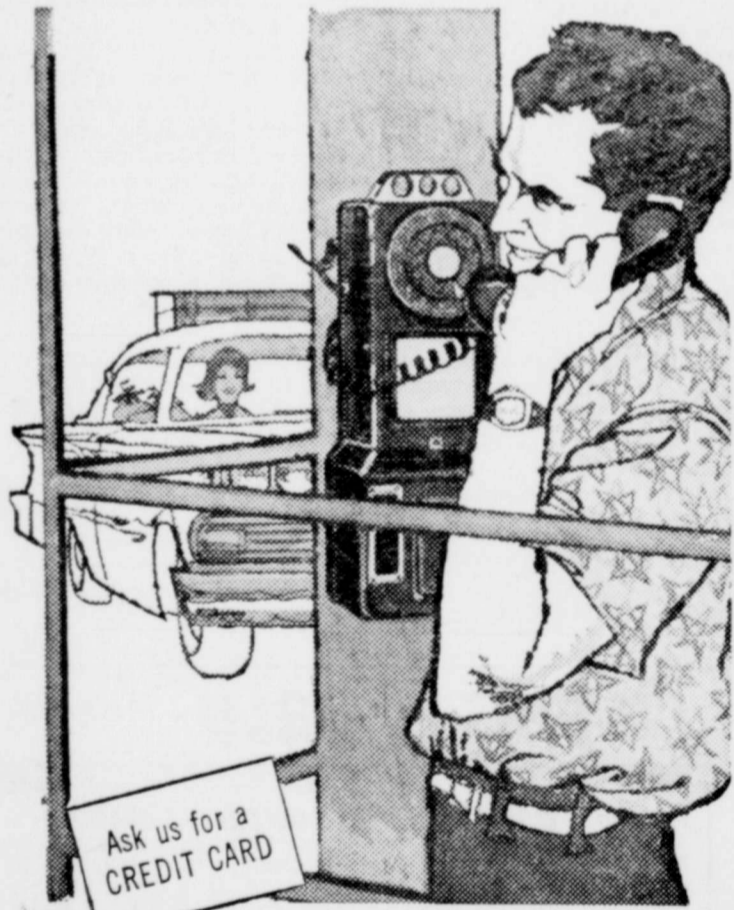
**MARY MORALES TO WED AUGUST 6**

Mary Morales of Sterling City and Joe Cadenhead of Big Spring will be married at the American Baptist Church in Big Spring at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, August 6.

A reception will follow in the church basenent.

The couple will make their home in Big Spring.

In Case of Fire Dial 8-2121



**Insure your vacation fun**

... phone ahead and be safe  
... phone home and be serene

Make sure the "No Vacancy" sign doesn't apply to you when you reach your chosen vacation spot. A phone call ahead will take care of it.

And—when you're there—phone back home regularly. That's the way to have peace of mind and to keep your finger on things.

So have fun and a good rest. Your telephone will help you both ways!

**GENERAL TELEPHONE SYSTEM**  
America's Largest Independent Telephone System



So many kind words have bounced back from my column telling how to make a "stovepipe stove" that it seems pertinent to pass along a similar idea. This one is about a stove you can carry in your pocket—unlighted, of course!

The cooking container is the package, and mine is the cup from an army mess kit. Everything, including fuel and a dozen or so rations of various instant hot drinks, packs inside—so this light and compact little stove is ideal for fishermen and other outdoor folks when on the prowl. The idea is a timely one, because a wide selection of hot drinks can be made quickly along stream or lake on cool spring days. We've even done it in a rowboat, while fishing!



The base of the stove is two "wickets" shaped from wire coat hangers with wire cutting pliers, as shown. These can be as small as four inches on a side, or as large as will fit into pocket or rucksack. Thread one through the loop in the other to form a firm support.

Fuel (if bits of dry wood are not handy) is a can of "canned heat", available for less than a quarter at any hardware or sporting goods store. This burns with a hot, safe flame, and can be used several times. Just put it under the wire stand; push the stand into the ground until the top is an inch or two over the top of the can; light up—and you're ready to go!

Fill the mess kit cup with water and bring it to a boil. Now, add a spoonful or so of your favorite instant beverage in powdered or granulated form, and a delicious hot drink is ready instantly!

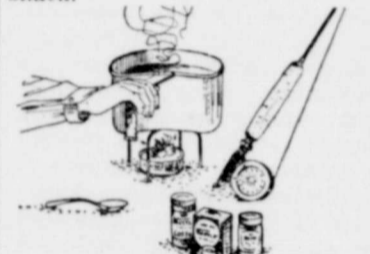
Experienced sportsmen select "Nescafe" because it is all pure coffee, with only the grounds removed. Light, compact and quick, "Nescafe" mixes instantly, so you don't need a spoon.

Another popular outdoor beverage is "EverReady" cocoa, because this pure, powdered cocoa has whole milk and sugar already in it, thus saving the trouble of carrying and mixing these ingredients. My favorite is a combination of the two—a teaspoonful of "Nescafe" plus two or three of "EverReady" cocoa. This "mocha" beverage is packed with flavor, pep and energy, for extra hours of exercise.

Tea lovers are happy with "Nestea"; excellent granulated tea without the leaves. A teaspoonful is enough for a large cup. To complete the instant beverage lineup, you can get chicken or beef bouillons, either granulated or in small cubes. These provide the quickest way to make clear soups, and are darn good, too.

The cans or jars in which these instant beverages are sold may be too large to carry. I save the plastic vials which certain fishing lures come in, and fill these from the kitchen supply. Several vials, plus the fuel, etc. all fit into the mess kit cup, thus making a very compact package. To keep out dirt and moisture, wrap the whole thing in a plastic envelope salvaged from grocery purchases.

While discussing compact foods, it may be interesting to pass along an idea a sportsman sent in recently. "Here's a simpler form of your 'energy bar' recipe," he writes. "Just heat a cup of any dry cereal with a king sized Nestle's 'Fruit n Nut' milk chocolate bar in a double boiler. When the chocolate melts, mix well and cool it in a muffin tin. Wrap the cakes in foil for a tasty outdoor snack."



The "energy bar" and the "stovepipe stove" mentioned above—plus many other outdoor cooking ideas—are described in a 28 page illustrated booklet obtainable without charge. Just mail a postcard to "Joe Bates, Jr., P. O. Box 414, White Plains, New York", and ask for a free copy of "The Easy Way To Outdoor Cooking". You'll get your copy promptly.

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

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1960.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6 proposing an Amendment to Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, increasing to three and one-half percent (3-1/2%) the maximum permissible interest rate on bonds hereafter issued by the Veterans' Land Board; 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 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, be amended by adding thereto the following:

"The foregoing notwithstanding, bonds hereafter issued by the Veterans' Land Board pursuant to the authority of this Section 49-b of the Constitution may bear a rate or rates of interest not to exceed three and one-half percent (3-1/2%) per annum."

"This Amendment shall become effective upon its adoption."

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, 1960, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Amendment to Section 49-b of Article III of the Constitution of Texas by adding thereto a provision authorizing the Veterans' Land Board to issue the bonds authorized under such Section to bear interest at a rate or rates not to exceed three and one-half percent (3-1/2%) per annum."

"AGAINST the Amendment to Section 49-b of Article III of the Constitution of Texas by adding thereto a provision authorizing the Veterans' Land Board to issue the bonds authorized under such Section to bear interest at a rate or rates not to exceed three and one-half percent (3-1/2%) per annum."

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 from the date set forth in said Amendment, and the Governor shall issue a proclamation in keeping therewith.

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

**The Dishonor Roll** by Jerry Marcus



Inattention is one of the chief causes of motor vehicle accidents.

**Chevrolets**  
New-Used   
Phone R. T. or Matt  
at GR 32501 (Bronte)  
**Caperton Chevrolet**  
IN BRONTE

**FOR Steak Dinners**  
  
**WILLIAMS CITY CAFE**

Interest Paid By A Bank Is **GUARANTEED**  
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TRY NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING. All successful businesses make advertising pay off for them. **IPTA**

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STERLING CITY, TEXAS

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**Social Security Should Be Paid on Household Workers**

Many housewives in this area may be depriving their household workers of social security protection according to a joint statement issued by S. Baker Mallett, Administrative Officer of the San Angelo Internal Revenue office and Floyd B. Ellington, Manager of the Social Security district office.

"Workers' earnings are credited to their social security account from reports of their employers, and most of the employers," Mr. Mallett said, "faithfully report these earnings year after year." Some household employers who only recently hired household help may not realize their responsibility, and their employees, in particular, should make sure they are protected. The next quarterly report is due by July 31.

"Postcard forms for checking your own account with social security are available at all social security offices and should be used as least every three years by all workers, added Ellington.

If statements returned by social security show that your earnings are not posted to your record, steps will be taken to correct the omission and make sure that your employers report promptly and properly.

"Most people need many years of social security credit to qualify for benefits," Ellington said, adding, "It's your social security; make sure you are protected."

**REWARD NOTICE**

A reward of \$500.00 will be paid by the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association to any person (other than law enforcement officers) giving information causing the arrest and final conviction of any person or persons found butchering or stealing any sheep or lambs or goats belonging to any Association member in good standing. When two or more persons give information, the above sum will be divided at the discretion of the Board of the Association. When two or more defendants are involved in a single crime, the total reward is limited to \$500.00, but the conviction of one defendant, even though the other defendants are acquitted, will entitle the claimant or claimants to said sum of \$500.00. All claims must be submitted within ninety (90) days following conviction. If, upon conviction, a defendant confesses other thefts, no additional reward will be paid. All decisions concerning the payment of such reward and the conditions of payment will be made by the Board of Directors of the Association.

**TEXAS SHEEP & GOAT RAISERS ASSOCIATION**

FOR Seven days a week we offer you friendly, courteous service. Drive in and see. Carter's Drive-In Grocery & Cafe. (Adv.)

**SPEED QUEEN AUTOMATIC LAUNDRY**

I have 12 coin operated washers and four Huebsch Dryers. Will install in a building 20'X40' minimum and sell for a very small down payment to business man, farmer or rancher. Good credit rating will be necessary. Write: CECIL NEWLIN, P.O. Box 5664, Eldorado, Texas.

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

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1960.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3 proposing an amendment to Section 24 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas allowing an annual salary of not to exceed Four Thousand, Eight Hundred Dollars (\$4,800) per year and a per diem allowance of not to exceed Twelve Dollars (\$12) per day for the first one hundred and twenty (120) days only of each Regular Session and for thirty (30) days of each Special Session of the Legislature as the maximum compensation for Members of the Legislature; limiting the Regular Session to one hundred and forty (140) days; and prescribing the form of ballot and providing for the necessary proclamation and publication.

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

Section 1. That Section 24 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Section 24. Members of the Legislature shall receive from the Public Treasury an annual salary of not exceeding Four Thousand, Eight Hundred Dollars (\$4,800) per year and a per diem of not exceeding Twelve Dollars (\$12) per day for the first one hundred and twenty (120) days only of each Regular Session and for thirty (30) days of each Special Session of the Legislature. No Regular Session shall be of longer duration than one hundred and forty (140) days.

"In addition to the per diem the Members of each House shall be entitled to mileage in going to and returning from the seat of government, which mileage shall not exceed Two

Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$2.50) for every twenty-five (25) miles, the distance to be computed by the nearest and most direct route of travel, from a table of distances prepared by the Comptroller to each county seat now or hereafter to be established; no Member to be entitled to mileage for extra Session that may be called within one (1) day after the adjournment of a Regular or Called Session."

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 8th day of November, 1960, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment allowing an annual salary of not to exceed Four Thousand, Eight Hundred Dollars (\$4,800) per year and a per diem allowance of not to exceed Twelve Dollars (\$12) per day for the first one hundred and twenty (120) days only of each Session of the Legislature as the maximum compensation for Members of the Legislature and limiting the Regular Session to one hundred and forty (140) days."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment allowing an annual salary of not to exceed Four Thousand, Eight Hundred Dollars (\$4,800) per year and a per diem allowance of not to exceed Twelve Dollars (\$12) per day for the first one hundred and twenty (120) days only of each Session of the Legislature as the maximum compensation for Members of the Legislature and limiting the Regular Session to one hundred and forty (140) days."

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.

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

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1960.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6 proposing an amendment to Section 11, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to give the Legislature authority to classify loans and lenders, license and regulate lenders, define interest, fix maximum rates of interest, and provide for a maximum rate of interest of ten per centum (10%) per annum in the absence of legislation setting maximum rates of interest; providing that the rate of interest shall not exceed six per cent (6%) per annum in contracts where no interest rate is agreed upon; providing for the right of appeal and trial de novo in the event any regulatory agency cancels or refuses to grant any permit; providing for the necessary election and the form of the ballots; and providing for the necessary proclamation and publication.

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

Section 1. That Section 11, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 11. The Legislature shall have authority to classify loans and lenders, license and regulate lenders, define interest and fix maximum rates of interest; provided, however, in the absence of legislation fixing maximum rates of interest all contracts for a greater rate of interest than ten per centum (10%) per annum shall be deemed usurious; provided, further, that in contracts where no rate of in-

terest is agreed upon, the rate shall not exceed six per centum (6%) per annum. Should any regulatory agency, acting under the provisions of this Section, cancel or refuse to grant any permit under any law passed by the Legislature, then such applicant or holder shall have the right of appeal to the courts and granted a trial de novo as that term is used in appealing from the Justice of peace court to the county court."

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, 1960, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment giving the Legislature authority to classify loans and lenders, license and regulate lenders, define interest and fix maximum rates of interest; and providing for a maximum rate of interest of ten per centum (10%) per annum in the absence of legislation fixing maximum rates of interest."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment giving the Legislature authority to classify loans and lenders, license and regulate lenders, define interest and fix maximum rates of interest; and providing for a maximum rate of interest of ten per centum (10%) per annum in the absence of legislation fixing maximum rates of interest."

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

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

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1960.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 20 proposing an amendment to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto new Sections to be known as Sections 6, 7, and 8, to provide that the Legislature may authorize the creation of Hospital Districts co-extensive with Lamar County, Hidalgo County, and County Commissioners Precinct No. 4 of Comanche County, having certain stated powers and duties and subject to certain stated limitations; providing that any enabling Acts shall not be invalid because of their anticipatory character; providing for an election; prescribing the form of ballot and providing for the necessary proclamation and publication.

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

Section 1. That Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas be, and the same is hereby, amended by adding the following Sections which shall read as follows:

"Section 6. The Legislature may by law authorize the creation of a Hospital District co-extensive with Lamar County, having the powers and duties and with the limitations presently provided in Article IX, Section 5(a), of the Constitution of Texas, as it applies to Wichita County, except that the maximum rate of tax that the said Lamar County Hospital District may be authorized to levy shall be seventy-five cents (75c) per One Hundred Dollar (\$100) valuation of taxable property within the District, subject to district taxation.

"Section 7. The Legislature may by law authorize the creation of a Hospital District co-extensive with Hidalgo County, having the powers and duties and with the limitations presently provided in Article IX, Section 5(a), of the Constitution of Texas, as it applies to Hidalgo County, except that the maximum rate of tax that the said Hidalgo County Hospital District may be authorized to levy shall be ten cents (10c) per One Hundred Dollar (\$100) valuation of taxable property within the District subject to district taxation.

"Section 8. The Legislature may by law authorize the creation of a Hospital District to be co-extensive with Precinct No. 4 of Comanche County, Texas.

"If such District is created, it may be authorized to levy a tax not to exceed seventy-five cents (75c) on the One Hundred Dollar (\$100) valuation of taxable property within the District; provided, however, no tax may be levied until approved by a majority vote of the participating resident qualified property taxing voters who have duly rendered their property for taxation. The maximum rate of tax may be changed at subsequent elections so long as obligations are not impaired, and not to exceed the maximum limit of seventy-five cents (75c) per One Hundred Dollar (\$100) valuation, and no election shall be required by subsequent changes in the boundaries of the Commissioners Precinct

No. 4 of Comanche County.

"If such tax is authorized, no political subdivision or municipality within or having the same boundaries as the District may levy a tax for medical or hospital care for needy individuals, nor shall they maintain or erect hospital facilities, but the District shall by resolution assume all such responsibilities and shall assume all of the liabilities and obligations (including bonds and warrants) of such subdivisions or municipalities or both. The maximum tax rate submitted shall be sufficient to discharge such obligations, liabilities, and responsibilities, and to maintain and operate the hospital system, and the Legislature may authorize the District to issue tax bonds for the purpose of the purchase, construction, acquisition, repair or renovation of improvements and initially equipping the same, and such bonds shall be payable from said seventy-five cent (75c) tax. The Legislature shall provide for transfer of title to property within the District.

"(b) The Legislature may by law permit the County of Comanche to render financial aid to that District by paying a part of the expenses of operating and maintaining the system and paying a part of the debts of the District (whether assumed or created by the District) and may authorize the levy of a tax not to exceed ten cents (10c) per One Hundred Dollar (\$100) valuation (in addition to other taxes permitted by this Constitution) on all property within the County and to the extent hereinabove provided for political subdivisions having boundaries co-extensive with the District.

"The County shall not thereupon levy taxes (other than herein provided) for hospital purposes nor for providing hospital care for needy individuals of the County.

"(c) Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such Acts shall not be invalid because of their anticipatory character."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1960, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to create a Hospital District co-extensive with Lamar and Hidalgo Counties, and co-extensive with County Commissioners Precinct No. 4 of Comanche County."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to create a Hospital District co-extensive with Lamar and Hidalgo Counties, and co-extensive with County Commissioners Precinct No. 4 of Comanche County."

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

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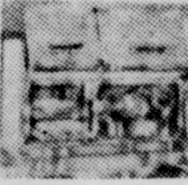
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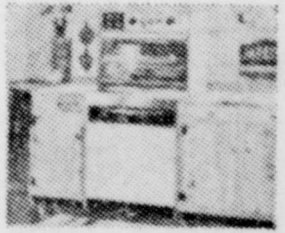
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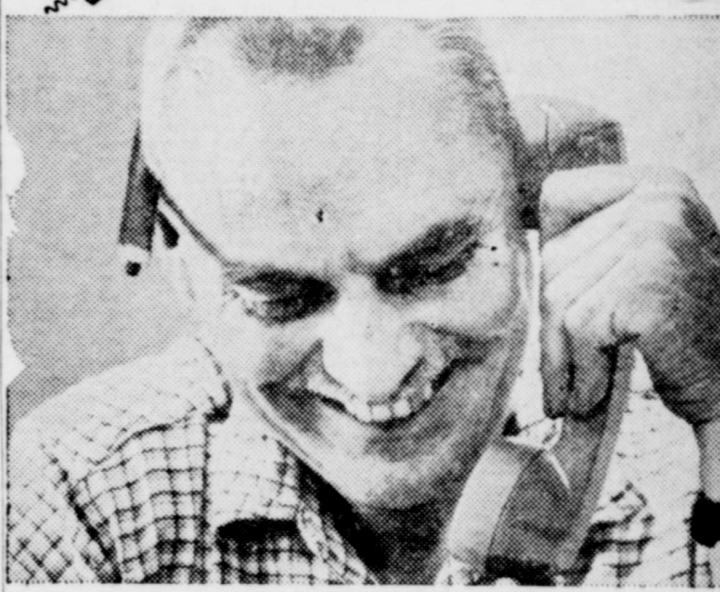
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