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All Around the Town
by Mary Ann Sarchet

Continuing with editorial comments from the 1936 files of the Briscoe County News, we find a number of references to marriage which might serve to tip your "funny-box."

"After getting off to a slow start in 1936, the marriage business went on the boom this week with six weddings reported in and around this community. Cupid, after almost two months of slow hunting, threw down his bow and arrow, grabbed up a double barreled shotgun and went to work.

"Roy Bomar asks: 'Does the moon affect the tide?' No, only the un-tied!

"Charley Cowart stated there are two 'd's' in wedding. Dare and Don't.

"Frank Havran thinks an advantage women have over men is that women don't have to worry about their skirts getting baggy at the knees.

"Kemp Thompson is under the impression no matter how independent women have become, men continue to speak of old maidhood as though it were a state prison offense and of bachelorhood as though it were a decoration of legion honor.

"Blessed is 1936, Congress giveth and the Supreme Court taketh away.

"Tom Bomar says this country's just right. By the time summer is over we're so tired of hot weather that we're ready for cold weather and by the end of winter, we're praying for warm weather—yes, it's just about right.

"The Silvertown Owls lost their first conference game. And did mightily well to hold the heavy Flomot bunch as well as they did—considering the kind of playing shown by the visitors. The score was 21-0, and that means that the Flomot bunch did just about 21 times as much dirty work as they should have gotten away with. They held in the line, used their hands while running interference, and not content with that, they twisted necks, slugged and kneed every chance they got. They finally got one of their players put out of the game for roughness, but not until he had deliberately kneed several Silvertown players. The officials were perfectly OK—except they couldn't see very well, and didn't call what they did see. The Flomot coach is to be congratulated. He has developed a team of the dirtiest players I have seen. It sounds bad for a team to get beat and then lay it on to dirty work and loose officials. But rules are rules and Silvertown kinda had the idea that they were being used this year. Maybe not.

"The team will miss Captain Datis Martin next year, as well as Odell Gregg and Marvin Montague. I don't know whether any more regulars will go out or not. But in there will be Buster Allard, Vinson Smith, Frank Shaffer and Richard Brown, all of them good luggers, and Smith and Allard able to pass, run or kick. Up in the line Bill Norrid will be on end yet with those sticky fingers of his; Otis Gregg, Red Lee, Jack Haynes, Taylor Williamson, well I can't name 'em all but the more I think about it the more it looks like a Silvertown championship team next year. Power to you, fellows.

"Say 'Mr. Coffee,' or 'W. Coffee,' when you address the new county judge. Don't just say 'Coffee' or 'he'll be halfway down the street to a restaurant."

Some things don't change much, but in those 1936 papers we can certainly notice things that have changed. We noticed that farmers received 91c a bushel for their wheat and in Briscoe County yields were from 7 to 20 bushels to the acre. New Ford V-8's were listed at \$510.00 FOB Detroit, or \$25 a month with 1/4 per month finance plans available. Chevrolet's were advertised for \$495 FOB Flint, Michigan. Today wheat is selling for about \$1.25 a bushel and a comparable car is probably priced at about \$3500.00 at the factory. On the basis of a yield of 20 bushels to the acre, a farmer had to spend the income from 28 acres of wheat to buy a new car. In 1968, if a farmer raises 20 bushels of wheat to the acre, he has to harvest 140 acres before he has enough money in hand to buy a new car.

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BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

THURSDAY, JULY 11, 1968 SILVERTON, (Briscoe County) TEXAS VOLUME 60 NUMBER 28

Little League All-Stars To Play Friday Night

The final two games of the Little League season have been cancelled, and an All-Star game has been planned for Friday, July 12, at 7:00 p.m.

All-Stars from the Indians and White Sox will play against the All-Stars chosen from the Gold Sox and Blue Sox.



MAX D. GARRISON

Named Distinguished Student at A & M

Max D. Garrison of Silvertown has been named a Distinguished Student at Texas A&M University, according to an announcement by Dr. Wayne C. Hall, academic vice president.

The undergraduate honor is awarded to students who have excelled academically at A&M. Dr. Hall explained, by earning at least a 2.25 grade point ratio (out of a possible 3.0) during the most recent semester of the regular school year.

In addition to posting at least a 2.25 GPR, a student qualifying for Distinguished Student honors must have been enrolled for a minimum of 15 semester hours and have no grade lower than a "C". Distinguished Student ranking is limited to 10 per cent of A&M's undergraduate enrollment.

Garrison, a senior animal science major, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Garrison, and is married to the former Kay Strange. Both Mr. and Mrs. Max Garrison are graduates of Silvertown High School.

Allen Assigned To S.C.S. Office Here

Worth E. (Tony) Allen was recently assigned to the Soil Conservation Office in Silvertown.

Allen has worked for S.C.S. in Brownfield for the past 2 1/2 years.

Allen and his wife, Cecelia, are both graduates of Texas Tech. Mrs. Allen has been employed to teach in Silvertown High School next fall.

year by mail, and the price is now \$24.00 a year.

Specials advertised in 1936 included 10 pounds spuds, 25c; Texas oranges, 25c dozen; 20 pounds meal, 59c; 48 pounds flour, \$1.55; lettuce, 3 heads 25c; bananas, 19c dozen; tailored womens coats, \$19.75; furtrimmed coats, \$17.50; childrens coats, \$3.45 to \$5.95; dresses, \$5.95, \$7.95 and \$16.95; used cars from \$90.00 for a 1929 Chevrolet sedan to \$380.00 for a 1934 Ford Tudor; brown domestic, 12 yards for \$1.00; Big Smith mens overalls, \$1.19; Curlee summer suits, \$19.50; permanent waves, \$5.00 and \$3.00; mens work oxfords made of solid leather, \$1.98; silk linen, 59c yard; bemberg sheers, 67c yard; stockings, 78c to \$1.25; Canon towels, 15c to 50c.

FINAL SEASON STANDINGS

	W	L
Indians	9	2
Gold Sox	6	5
Blue Sox	4	7
White Sox	3	8

TOP PITCHING RECORDS

	W	L
Herbert Polley (Indians)	5	1
Carl D. Gallington (Gold Sox)	5	2
David Self (Indians)	4	1
Kelly Bomar (White Sox)	3	2

LEAGUE'S LEADING SCORERS

Herbert Polley (Indians)	24
David Self (Indians)	23
Carl D. Gallington (Gold Sox)	22
Clarence Ivory (Blue Sox)	19
Mike Montague (Gold Sox)	19
G. W. Perkins (Indians)	19
Gary Storie (Gold Sox)	19
Harloyd Vaughn (White Sox)	18
Ken Wood (White Sox)	18
Mike Griffin (Gold Sox)	17
Scott Hutsell (Indians)	15
Tommy Bullock (Blue Sox)	14
Kelly Bomar (White Sox)	13
Dee Arnold (White Sox)	12
Joe Caudle (Gold Sox)	12
Danny Perkins (White Sox)	11
David Strange (Blue Sox)	11
Barry Bullock (Blue Sox)	11
David Lewis (Gold Sox)	10
Barry Francis (Indians)	9
Ty McMurtry (Blue Sox)	9
Ken Sarchet (White Sox)	9
Brad Ziegler (Blue Sox)	9
Jeffery Johnston (Indians)	8
Jack Robertson (Gold Sox)	8
Darrell Crosslin (Blue Sox)	7
Emilio Cruz (White Sox)	6
Wes Fleming (White Sox)	6
Scott Garvin (Gold Sox)	5
Jeff Jones (Indians)	5

GOLD SOX 16—BLUE SOX 7

Carl Gallington was winning pitcher for the Gold Sox on July 2, as his team defeated the Blue Sox 16-7.

Mike Montague, Joe Caudle and

"TEXAS" Cast Finds Show Hard On Shoes

There is a saying in the Texas Panhandle that anyone who stays long enough to wear out a pair of shoes will stay here always. If this is true, the dancers in the "TEXAS" show which plays in the Palo Duro Canyon Amphitheatre will live here forever, because their shoes have already had to be resoled after seven performances.

Six thousand people have made their way to the Canyon to enjoy the magnificent colors, which are much more vivid than usual after the unseasonable rains which have come up most afternoons since the show opened its third season on June 28th of this year.

The triangles which honor the guest from the greatest distance each evening have gone to representatives of England, Germany, Switzerland, Australia and Nepal.

The first survey of the season taken Saturday evening, July 6, revealed that the composition of the audience was similar to that of previous years. Fifty-five per cent of the audience drove more than a hundred miles to see the production and half of these came from outside of the state of Texas. All of these figures show that the stunning musical drama by Paul Green which has attracted nation-wide attention since its opening in 1966 is proving equally interesting to third season audiences. About half of the cast has returned and new figures include several of the principal actors.

As before, a warm welcome and delicious barbecue dinner await the visitors. The dinner is \$1.75 and the child's plate is \$1.00. Seventeen hundred people have already been served this season.

Gallington each scored three times for the Gold Sox; Gary Storie and Mike Griffin each scored twice; Scott Garvin, David Lewis and Donnell Polley each scored once.

The Gold Sox made 16 runs on 8 hits and made 1 error.

David Strange was leading scorer for the Blue Sox, with two runs to his credit. Brad Ziegler, Tommy Bullock, Clarence Ivory and Barry Bullock each scored once.

Ty McMurtry was the losing pitcher.

The Blue Sox scored 7 runs on 3 hits and made 3 errors.

INDIANS 7—WHITE SOX 5

The Indians scored 7 runs on 4 hits and made 2 errors while defeating the White Sox 7-5 on July 2. David Self was the winning pitcher, and Ken Wood recorded the loss.

Herbert Polley led the Indian scoring attack with two runs, and G. W. Perkins, Self, Scott Hutsell, Todd McJimsey and Jeff Jones each scored once.

The White Sox scored 5 runs on 8 hits and made 2 errors.

Wood scored two runs, and Wes Fleming, Kelly Bomar and Harloyd Vaughn each scored once.

INDIANS 8—GOLD SOX 6

David Self, G. W. Perkins, and Barry Francis each scored two runs to lead the Indians in an 8-6 victory over the Gold Sox on July 5. Self was the winning pitcher.

Other runs were scored by Bill Reid and Ronnie Hale.

The Indians scored 8 runs on 4 hits and made 6 errors.

Carl Gallington was the losing pitcher.

David Lewis was leading scorer for the Gold Sox with two runs. Gary Storie, Jack Robertson, Mike Montague and Joe Caudle each scored once.

The Gold Sox scored 6 times on 7 hits and made 2 errors.

BLUE SOX 6—WHITE SOX 5

Clarence Ivory was the winning pitcher for the Blue Sox as they defeated the White Sox 6-5 on July 5.

Ivory also led the scoring for the winners with two runs. David Strange, Tommy Bullock, Barry Bullock and Darrell Crosslin each scored once.

The Blue Sox got 6 runs on 2 hits and made 6 errors.

The White Sox scored 5 runs on 4 hits and also made 6 errors.

Ken Wood scored three runs for the White Sox and Harloyd Vaughn scored twice. Vaughn was the losing pitcher.

INDIANS 10—WHITE SOX 1

The Indians scored 10 runs on 9 hits and made 2 errors while beating the White Sox 10-1 Tuesday night, July 9.

Herbert Polley was the winning pitcher.

David Self led the team's scoring with three runs. G. W. Perkins and Scott Hutsell each scored twice. Barry Francis, Jeffery Johnston and Polly each scored once.

Kelly Bomar was losing pitcher for the White Sox.

Ken Sarchet scored the only run of the game for the losers.

The White Sox got 1 score on 6 hits and made 4 errors.

GOLD SOX 10—BLUE SOX 8

Carl Gallington was the winning pitcher for the Gold Sox as they beat the Blue Sox 10-8 Tuesday night.

Gary Storie and Gallington each scored twice; Donnell Polley, David Lewis, Joe Caudle, Mike Montague, Scott Garvin and Mike Griffin each scored once.

The Gold Sox scored 10 runs on 5 hits and played errorless ball.

The Blue Sox scored 8 runs on 4 hits and made 1 error. Clarence Ivory was the losing pitcher.

Tommy Bullock, Barry Bullock and Ivory each scored twice for the losers. Ty McMurtry and Darrell Crosslin each scored once.



The Maddox Hereford Ranch at Miami, awarded this fancy registered Hereford heifer to the high individual judge at the Texas Junior Hereford Association field day held recently at West Texas State University. Wayne Maddox and his daughter Kay are shown here with sixteen-year-old Gary Martin of Silvertown, who was declared winner of the contest and the proud owner of a good foundation heifer plus a large trophy.

Billy Graham Film To Be Shown Here

The Billy Graham feature-length sound-color motion picture, "LUCIA" will be shown at 7:00 p.m. Sunday, July 21 at First Baptist Church in Silvertown.

This is the story of "LUCIA," coming to the motion picture screen with all of the pathos and poignancy that transcends its Latin setting, to embrace the spiritual needs that are common to every culture and clime around the world.

"LUCIA" was made in its entirety in Buenos Aires, directed by World Wide Pictures' President, Dick Ross. The fire and excitement of gaucho folk music, South America's unmatched scenic grandeur and the excitement that belongs to one of the world's largest cities, are all enriched by full color and authentic sound.

But the real impact of "LUCIA" is to be found in its intimate, utterly honest treatment of an individual's emptiness and frustration apart from the filling of the "God-shaped vacuum" with which all mankind is born. With this newest of the Billy Graham Films, "LUCIA" enters into the area of domestic discord and the romantic triangle—and what the Bible has to say in resolving the emotional problems that are the hallmark of 20th Century living.

As long as you live you will never forget "LUCIA." The public is invited to attend this showing.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Comfort of Jackson, Mississippi, have been guests of her aunt, Mrs. L. C. Yates, during the past week. They accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Stephens to Palo Duro Canyon and to Liguish Falls while they were visiting here, and left for home Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Henderson had as their guest from Thursday through Sunday their sister-in-law, Mrs. H. E. Henderson of Sherman. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Newton of Dallas also visited their uncle and aunt on the Fourth of July, visited at Boyce City, and returned here Sunday. Other Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Henderson were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson and family of Canyon; Mr. and Mrs. James Henderson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Lowrey.

Sp4 Norberto Garcia is home on a 30-day leave before returning to Germany August 1 for seven more months of duty. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Santos Garcia.

4-H Dress Revue To Be Staged July 18

The Briscoe County 4-H Dress Revue will be held Thursday, July 18, 1968, in the Silvertown School Cafeteria.

Mrs. Marvin Montague is chairman for the Dress Revue this year, and Mrs. Gordon Lowrey is her assistant.

Miss Doris Lesh, assistant Hale County Home Demonstration Agent, and a Hale County adult leader will serve as judges. The records will be judged in advance by Sherry Mullin, Floyd County Home Demonstration Agent.

The junior clothing demonstrators will be judged beginning at 4:30 p.m., and the senior clothing demonstrators will be judged beginning at 6:00 p.m.

The Dress Revue will begin at 9:00 p.m., and will be open to the public at that time.

Briscoe Golfers To Hold Tournament

The Briscoe County Golf Tournament will be held at the Tule Lake Country Club at Tulla Saturday and Sunday, July 13-14.

This will be a 36-hole handicap tournament, with 18 holes to be played July 13 and 18 holes to be played July 14. Entry fee is \$10.00.

Briscoe County golfers who are interested in entering the tournament are asked to contact Joe Grabbe or Lonnie Drewry.

Warren Thomas Buried At Clayton

Warren Thomas, a former Silvertown resident, died in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo last Thursday, and was buried Saturday at Clayton, New Mexico.

Mr. Thomas was born in Cook County in 1895, and moved to Briscoe County with his family in 1897. He lived here until the early 1930's, when he moved to New Mexico.

Survivors include his wife, three daughters and seven grandchildren. He was a brother of Mrs. Lee Deavenport of Silvertown, Mrs. Beth Joiner of Clarendon, Mrs. Lonis Kindall of Lockney and Zerrill Thomas of Lamar, Colorado.

Women's Softball Teams Meet Monday

Two women's softball teams were organized here Monday night and played several innings in spite of ominous weather. Several 13-year-old girls, are interested in organizing teams of their own, played with the women to fill out the two teams.

The women are planning to play softball on Monday nights at 6:30 p.m. for the next few weeks. More players are needed to fill all positions, and anyone who would like to play is invited to join the group at the ball park next Monday evening.

RETURNS TO UNITED STATES

Lester Grabbe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warner Grabbe, has returned to the United States to visit at home after having been out of the country for four years.

Grabbe has been attending school in Hertz, England. He has visited other countries while abroad, and worked one summer as a news projectionist in a railway station in Germany soon after leaving the United States.

He plans to continue his education at Ambassador College in Pasadena, California.

FRED MERCER NAMED TO WATER BOARD

The appointment of Fred Mercer to the official board of the Upper Red River Flood Control and Irrigation District has been made by Governor John Connally and confirmed by the Senate.

Others appointed to the board are Orville Settiff of Turkey, O. R. Stark of Quitaque and Carl Hill of Parnell.

Enjoying boating, golf, swimming, softball, fireworks and picnicking at Tule Lake on the Fourth of July were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haley Hill, Greg, Michael and Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Durham and Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. John Schott and Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Eddleman and Blaine, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sarchet and Ken, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fleming, Wes, Annette, Scotti and Cary. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill, Brad and Brian of Tulla.

ADDRESSES OF 1948 GRADS BEING SOUGHT HERE

An effort is being made to get the address of each member of the graduating class of 1948 of Silvertown High School. If anyone has even one address of someone who was graduated with this class, it will be appreciated if you will contact Mrs. Roy Younger or Mrs. Ray Teeple.

An effort is being made to contact all the class members in regard to a class reunion which is to be held during the school homecoming which is being planned August 9-10 during the Silvertown Rodeo.

TRAIL RIDE HELD FOR GOLDEN SPREAD APPALOOSA HORSE CLUB FAMILIES

About twenty families of the Golden Spread Appaloosa Horse Club gathered at the ranch of Wayland and Flo Fitzgerald Saturday, July 6, for a trail ride in the canyons west of Silvertown.

At 6:00 p.m. a meal was served in the yard of the Fitzgerald home. Fried chicken was cooked in an open kettle by Guinn Fitzgerald, Calvin Shelton and John D. Turner.

Families who raise Appaloosa horses in the Golden Spread are members of the Golden Spread Club. Wayland Fitzgerald is president of the club, and Flo Fitzgerald is secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes were in Lubbock Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Overmyer and children. Ronnie Overmyer was at home on leave from the Navy, but was to return to his ship Monday. They visited Mr. Overmyer, who is in a Lubbock hospital.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lark Miller and Judy on the Fourth of July were Mrs. Cleo Misner and children of Russell, Kansas; Mrs. Lorene Bedwell of Quitaque; Mrs. Steve Miller and Mrs. Jerry Miller.

Mrs. Lillian Mayfield is a patient in the Plainview Hospital.

Mrs. Flora Roglitz of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Hampton of Fort Worth visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Smith from Wednesday through Sunday.

Larry May of Silvertown and James Cathey, manager of Pioneer Natural Gas Company offices in Silvertown, Quitaque and Turkey recently attended a two-week Army Reserve Camp at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

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Flow Of Rural People To Urban Centers Was Topic Of Discussion

How to check the flow of rural people into urban centers was discussed at a regional meeting of the Farmers Home Administration June 25-28 in St. Louis, according to L. J. Cappleman, Texas State Director for the agency.

Agency leaders attending the meeting represented 18 states. Mr. Cappleman said that the Farmers Home Administration will loan about \$1.3 billion during the coming year to create jobs in rural America, improve rural housing, strengthen family farms, develop needed rural community facilities.

"The main drive in all Farmers Home Administration programs is to strengthen the economy of rural America, to make it a place that will attract rather than repel people," Mr. Cappleman said.

He estimated that four million people would benefit from the services of the Farmers Home Administration in fiscal 1969.

The Farmers Home Administration, through 1,600 county offices located in rural areas in all states, provides development credit accompanied by management aid. Funds advanced by the agency are used to help low-income ru-

ral families obtain needed resources and raise their incomes, and to help disadvantaged rural communities obtain modern community facilities.

As of December 31, 1967, the agency reported losses of less than one percent on funds advanced through current programs. Loans outstanding total \$4.2 billion.

NEW BABY

A baby boy weighing nine pounds and four ounces was born June 7 in Vallejo (California) General Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence E. Norris.

The baby was named Eron Carl, and is the first child for the Norris family, who live at 932 Virginia Street in Vallejo.

Grandparents are Mrs. Mart Norris of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Elton C. Fortenberry of Vallejo.

Mr. Norris, known to his friends here as "Butch," is employed by Abbey of the Chimes Mortuary.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Chappell Sunday included their grandson, Lester Grabbe, who has been attending school in England, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Grabbe, Susan and Rhonda, Jimmy Myers, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chappell and family, all of Silverton, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Chappell and family of Amarillo.

Tropical Fish Show To Be Feature Of South Plains Fair September 25 - 30

An open tropical fish show will be featured at the 51st annual Panhandle South Plains Fair in Lubbock September 25-30 under the auspices of the South Plains Aquarium Society.

A similar show was a top attraction at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo last year and drew a number of visitors from the Lubbock area. Keeping of tropical fish is one of the fastest-growing hobbies in the nation.

Teddy Givens, 2608 E. Bates Street, Lubbock, will serve as show chairman.

Entry blanks may be obtained from Givens or at pet shops. Deadline for entering the show is September 7. Entry blanks may be mailed to the South Plains Aquarium Society, Box 6036, Murreyhill Station, Lubbock 79413.

Tank competition includes display, aquarium beautiful, novelty and special effects classes.

A limit of 25 pair of fish for species competition has been imposed, but any number may be placed in a community tank. An entry consists of a pair of fish. In livebearing fish, a male and female will constitute a pair. In egg-laying fish where sex is easily distinguished, fish will be paired male and female. In other egg-laying fish, two fish will constitute a pair. Male bettas will be judged separately as well as rare fish which are usually considered as "loners" and individual specimens of other fish of quality and size.

A separate class will be automatically established for any species when three or more entries are received for that class. When fewer than three entries are received, the show committee will place such fish in a logical class for ease and facility in judging.

The fish in any tank will be eligible for species competition, provided they are so entered by the exhibitor.

Trophies will be awarded to the best tank in each of the classes, in addition to a trophy for aquarium beautiful. Trophies also will be awarded to the best fish in the following categories: livebearer, characin, catfish, carp, minnows, tooth carp, anabantids, including bettas, cichlids, including angels, miscellaneous and family.

Other trophies to be awarded include breeders, sweepstakes, and best fish in show. First, second and third place ribbons also will be awarded in each class of fish and tanks.

An entry fee of \$1 will be charged for each tank entered.

Junior competition will be based on the same criteria as the senior division.

This new fair feature is one of many slated for the 51st annual exposition this year.

Headlining the Fair Park Col-

iseum show will be Pat Boone, television, motion picture and recording star. He will team up with the Baja Marimba Band, Lee Castle and the Jimmy Dorsey orchestra, humorist Don Rice and twirler-juggler Diane Shelton, for the biggest stage show ever presented at the fair.

Ticket prices remain unchanged at \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50. Performances are scheduled at 3:00 p.m. Monday, Friday and Saturday, and at 7:30 p.m. nightly. Children 12 years and under will be admitted to matinees for one-half price, and all tickets purchased prior to the fair opening will be accompanied by free gate admission passes.

Mrs. Carol D. Davis, Alex and Max are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley and Connie, and other relatives. The Davis family is living in Germany, where Major Davis is stationed. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graham, John and Andy of Lovington, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Norland Dudley and family of Hart have been recent visitors in the home of their parents and grandparents, the Milton Dudleys. Mrs. Davis and the boys are spending a few days in Hart with the Norland Dudley family.

Orlin Grabbe of Pasadena, California, is spending a week here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Grabbe, Lester, Rhonda and Susan, other relatives and friends. His mother and brother, Lester, met Orlin at the plane in Amarillo Monday.

NEWS FROM THE COUNTY AGENT'S DESK

Years ago hogs went to market weighing over 400 pounds. Emphasis then was on fat because lard was in demand for high-energy diets.

Today's ideal hog is marketed at 200 pounds, and is mostly lean pork. Research has helped farmers make the change by developing lean-type strains of hogs and feed rations which allow producers to grow the types demanded by the modern market.

Too, the tough, stringy range steers our grandfathers knew and the overly conditioned beef animal of the fat stock shows of the past have both given way to a faster gaining, moderately finished meat animal.

In the early years of this century, a milk cow did well to produce 4,000 pounds of milk per year. The national average for all

LACKEY REUNION

The Lackey Family Reunion will be held beginning at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 13, at the Shelter House in the city park in Plainview.

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cows today is more than twice as high.

Production per cow in the Texas Dairy Herd Improvement Association herds is over 11,000 pounds per cow and climbing. Better care and disease control account for part of this gain. But feeding and breeding knowledge pioneered by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the Land-Grant Institutions, such as Texas

A&M University, account for much of the increase.

Despite the progress made to date, important work still remains to be done in areas such as feed efficiency; prevention and control of diseases and pests; marketing efficiency, and price determination. Thus, the need for continued research is evident from the farmland on through all marketing and retail outlets in the country.



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My View Of HEMISFAIR '68

by Mary Ann Sarchet
I'm not writing this article to tell you about our vacation—even though we did have a wonderful time. Since HemisFair will be open until October, I thought it might be of interest to share our view of the fair with those who may be planning a trip there—to help others profit from what we learned the hard way.

We loved the HemisFair—what we saw of it—but if I could go again, with the knowledge that I now have, there are several things I would do differently.

I would stay at the same place—LaQuinta Motor Inn, which is located on Commerce Street directly across the street from the HemisFair. We didn't move our car all the time we were in San Antonio because the places we wanted to visit were within walking distance, and we liked this convenience. LaQuinta serves guests by reservation only, but I don't think you'd find it too hard to get accommodations there. We made our reservations the day before we left for San Antonio. The room rate of \$18.00 was the same as is charged at the Holiday Inn in San Marcos, where we had originally planned to stay and drive to San Antonio each day.

The scenic river walk on the San Antonio River, the Arneson River Theater, LaVillita, the Alamo and Joskes (one of the largest department stores in the state) are located within about five or six blocks of LaQuinta. We enjoyed eating Mexican food at Casa Rio, and climbed aboard a river boat (for 25c) for a ride to the river entrance to HemisFair. We didn't realize how much we were getting for our money when we started, but we got to see a lot of the river tour in addition to being ferried to the fair. A Mexican woman, who told us she

was born in San Antonio and had lived there all her life, was taking friends on the river tour and in a most friendly way she told us some of the history and side-lights of attractions along the river. We could tell that she loves her city, and wanted us to see it and know it like she does. When I remarked that I was surprised the boat would take us so far when we had only paid fare to the gate of the HemisFair, she confided that the river tour was one place where people really get their money's worth.

The most important change I would make would be to plan to stay at HemisFair at least two full days—three, if possible. We spent 1½ days and a night there, and weren't able to see nearly all of it. This world's fair has been advertised as "compact," and on only 96 acres of land, but woe be to the visitor who tries to see a much larger fair! It is packed with things to see and do on two levels!

We didn't find the HemisFair guidebooks to be as helpful as the free pamphlets which were available at LaQuinta. The guidebook shows the layout of the grounds but doesn't have the buildings marked to tell the visitor what is contained in each of the various shapes on the map. It is mostly devoted to materials and instructions on building your own model of the Tower of the Americas.

After our first half-day at the fair, we went back to the motel or hotel or whatever it actually is, and planned our next day's activities—as we should have done in the first place.

We especially enjoyed the free puppet show at the Coca Cola Pavillion and the free magic show (not pulling rabbits out of hats) at the Bell Telephone Pavillion. Ken enjoyed operating the computers at the IBM Pavillion which are educationally programmed and give the visitor an idea of their use as a teaching aid. You can put your birthdate into the computer, and it will tell you how many years, months and days old you are (for free) and what was going on in the world on the day you were born. Ken also enjoyed playing tic-tac-toe with a computer (also free) which never loses a game, and the free movie at the IBM Pavillion which is a glossary of computer terms and illustrates how computers receive, store and return information to the operator. There was another free movie on the development of the atomic bomb at the Alive Pavillion that Ken liked.

It takes quite a while to see the Texas and United States Pavilions. We missed the movie in the three-part theatre which is a part of the United States Pavillion, and my brother tells me that this was one of the most impressive shows at the fair.

We went to the Kino-Automat and saw a movie in which the audience took part in shaping the outcome. Each chair in the theatre is equipped with two computer buttons, and two corresponding buttons on a wall panel at the end of each row of seats enables you to pick out your light from the lights that represent the other people on your row. (You can see how the person sitting next to you voted without having to peek across at his chair-arm.) The movie is stopped five times and continues in the way the majority of the people in the audience choose. This show, like many of the other shows at HemisFair, combines live acting on the stage with the movie.

Charles and I also went to see Les Poupees which is an adult puppet show. It is produced by Sid and Marty Krofft, who also produce the puppet show at the Coca Cola Pavillion. They are from a long line of puppeteers, and the mastery and costumes of the puppets is just fabulous. However, it is their fondest hope that

everyone who sees the show will go home and tell everyone that it (Les Poupees) is a dirty show so everyone will want to see it—and I honestly didn't think it was that dirty. If two or three scenes and some topless puppets had been left out of the show, it would have been suitable for the family. The puppets represented movie stars, Pearl Bailey, Bridgett Bardot, Dean Martin, Frank Sinatra, Liberace, and others—and the stars themselves did the dialogue for the puppets. Members of the audience were invited backstage after the show and are given an opportunity to learn a little more about how a puppet show is produced—one of the ice-skating puppets had 42 strings on it. What surprised me more than anything when I saw the puppets up close was how small they are. On the stage built to their dimension they look larger.

If you just want to see one puppet show at HemisFair, go to see the one at the Coke Pavillion and save your \$2.00 admission to Les Poupees. Anyone would get a bang out of the children's show, in which the costumes are also striking. Black lighting is used, producing an eerie effect on white articles in the audience.

There is a wax museum at the Lone Star Beer Pavillion which you could enjoy on the money you save by not going to see Les Poupees. The figures are so lifelike that it is unbelievable. Sound effects are used in many of the displays in the pavillion and others at the fair.

Food at the fair can be had either reasonably or unreasonably. There is good food at moderate prices and there is some at high prices that isn't so good, but I think you find that almost anywhere. We didn't have to wait in line for tickets, admission or food. Our Bonus Books didn't prove to be a saving because we didn't use all our coupons.

The Fiesta Island rides are mostly for adults—not many are geared to the interest of young children. Most of the game booths, I am convinced, are probably gyms—but aren't they everywhere?

We enjoyed our ride on the mini-monorail, but were disappointed that we could not disembark at any of the stations along the way; rather, we had to continue our ride to the station from which we had started. We'd see things from the monorail that we wanted to go back to, and when we began hunting for those places we couldn't find them. You need a plan.

The skyride is nice, but was a disappointment because the fare was a one-way ticket. It costs \$1.00 round trip but they sell you a 50c ticket. I don't think I've ever gotten on a skyride anywhere else that didn't take you back to where you started without your purchasing another ticket.

There are free water skiing exhibitions, sponsored by Mercury, and there is a lagoon ride on the San Antonio River which has been re-routed through the HemisFair. There is an Aztec Show, which we missed, but which I understand from Jack Robertson is pretty good—think he saw it twice!

Ford presents a more realistic interpretation of the Car of Tomorrow, in my opinion, than General Motors does. Maybe this is because Ford's dream car is for tomorrow or the day after, and the General Motors dreams are for next week.

One thing that really impresses me at Six Flags, Aquarena, HemisFair or other places where young people have summer jobs: the young men and women are so neat, pleasant, nice looking and anxious to see that everything goes well for visitors. It serves as a reminder of the caliber of youth to be found in America—our hope for tomorrow—and is especially impressive in contrast to the long-haired, unwashed, unshaven

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lark Miller and Judy during the Fourth of July holi-

—terrible—hippies that inhabit a joint across Commerce from the fair.

IN CORPUS

We find that Corpus Christi is a nice vacation place for people who like the seashore and it is also a very beautiful city. We have stayed twice at the Sandy Shores, which is a Master Host Inn, and we enjoy it very much. They have one of the nicest private beaches in Corpus and a large fresh-water pool with slides. They have a nice restaurant which serves good food and also has an outdoor service window for those desiring to eat outside.

The place is located on the ship channel, and you can see barges bringing in their loads all during the day as well as ocean-going vessels entering and leaving port. We have seen numerous large foreign ships as well as American ships and tankers, and it is such a thrill to watch them slip silently by while the tug boats toot and maneuver into position to turn the ships around in the turning basin.

Rates for a street-side room at the Sandy Shores is \$13.00, and there is good fishing for no cost except the price of bait within about five blocks.

You can go out to Mustang Island or Padre Island if you prefer the gulf-side to the bay, and the toll charge has now been removed. Even by ferry there is no charge now, and there is one of the best eating places (good food at reasonable prices) at Port Aransas (Island Bakery Cafe) that you will find anywhere.

day were his sister and family, Dr. and Mrs. Henry Peters and children of Oakland City, Indiana.

Miss Thornton Is Shower Honoree Here

Miss Lana Beth Thornton of Happy, bride-elect of Max Stevenson, was recipient of a miscellaneous shower, given at a tea Saturday afternoon from 3:00 until 5:00 o'clock, in the home of Mrs. Charles Cranford.

Miss Thornton, wearing a yellow crepe dress and a corsage of small white caryanthemums, received guests with her mother, Mrs. Dozier Thornton; her younger sister, Magalla, and the mother of the prospective bridegroom, Mrs. C. A. Stevenson.

A memory candle accented the table where the bride's book was placed, and Miss Kathy Self registered the guests which included the following from out of town: Mmes. Tom Fortenberry, George Taylor, Theo Griffith, Jeffie Griffith, Burl Underwood and daughter, Joelle G. C. Applewhite, Wyatt McLaughlin and Clyde Bramlett, all of Lockney; and Minnie Smart of Floydada.

Misses Linda Scott, Linda Sissney and Lena Merrell served from the refreshment table which was covered with a white lace cloth over green. A miniature bride and groom stood at the base of an arrangement of white gladioli and bells of Ireland. Table appointments were silver and crystal.

Co-hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Homer Sissney, John Pigg, J. L. Self, Jack Sutton, Marlin Jarnagin, Claude Allison, Bill Boling, Don Burson, Onar Cornett, Dick Garvin, Charles Grantham,

Ken Sarchet entertained a number of friends at a swimming party Saturday night. Attending

were Ken and Twila Wood, John and Amy Sharp, Mary Jo Thomas, Peggy Croft, Nanette, Suzette and Kimberly Fitzgerald, Darrell and Karen Martin, Becky and Barry Francis, Brett and Cris Gill, Wes, Annette, Scott and Cary Fleming, Kelly Bomar, Larry and Tommy Vines, Doris Cantwell, Jeanette Arnold, Debra and David Strange, Kerri Arnold, Kirk Durham, Sherry McJimsey and Danna Garvin.

O. C. Rampley, Kenneth Sharp, Obra Watson, Orville Turner, Ed-die Edwards and Bob Merrell.

Curtis Breedlove of Tulia has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald, this week.

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Picture Telephone Promotes Romance

The picture telephones at the Bell System Pavilion at HemisFair add a lot to the conversation—at least they did for apprentice seaman Carl Awildner and June Dukes of Lakeland, Florida.

Miss Dukes, a 17-year-old high school senior, was talking from the World's Fair to the Franklin Institute at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, when it all happened.

Suddenly, Awildner, who is stationed aboard the U.S.S. Mitscher out of New York, came into the picture.

Each liked what they saw and exchanged names, addresses, etc., beginning a pen pal relationship that could become the first romance to begin from a long-distance seeing-eye phone.

* NEW BABIES

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brannon are parents of a son, Cal Mack, born Tuesday in Swisher Memorial Hospital. He weighed eight pounds and twelve ounces.

The couple also have two other sons, Brent, 8, and Paul, 6.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Rowell and Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Brannon.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Young of Floydada, Mrs. P. D. Jasper, Mrs. W. A. Rowell and Mrs. J. W. Brannon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reid of 3024A Curtis Drive in Amarillo are parents of a son, James Warren IV, born Tuesday at High Plains Baptist Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reid, jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Jarnagin.

Miss Uglow Is Bride Of Fred C. Kellum

Dallas will be the home of Fred Chase Kellum and his bride, the former Miss Judith Elaine Uglow, after a wedding trip to New Orleans, Louisiana.

They were married Friday, June 28, in the First Presbyterian Church in Dallas, with the Rev. Donald S. Hauck officiating.

The bride, who is a senior at Texas Technological College, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Uglow, jr., of Dallas. She is a member of Alpha Lambda Delta and the Block and Bridle Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sheppard of Midwest City, Oklahoma, was matron of honor in the formal ceremony and Joe C. Kellum of Jacksonville, Arkansas, was best man. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

HUMOR ALONG WITH COST OF DEFEAT

A man in Beauregard Parish of Ward 3 ran for Police Juror and got defeated. He felt the defeat so badly that he wrote up the following article for publication in the newspaper.

Said he: "I lost four months Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen N. Kellum are parents of the bridegroom and attended the wedding. The bridegroom is a graduate of Texas Tech, where he belonged to Alpha Phi Omega and the Aggie Club.

Mr. Richard Sheppard of Midwest City, Oklahoma, was matron of honor in the formal ceremony and Joe C. Kellum of Jacksonville, Arkansas, was best man. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

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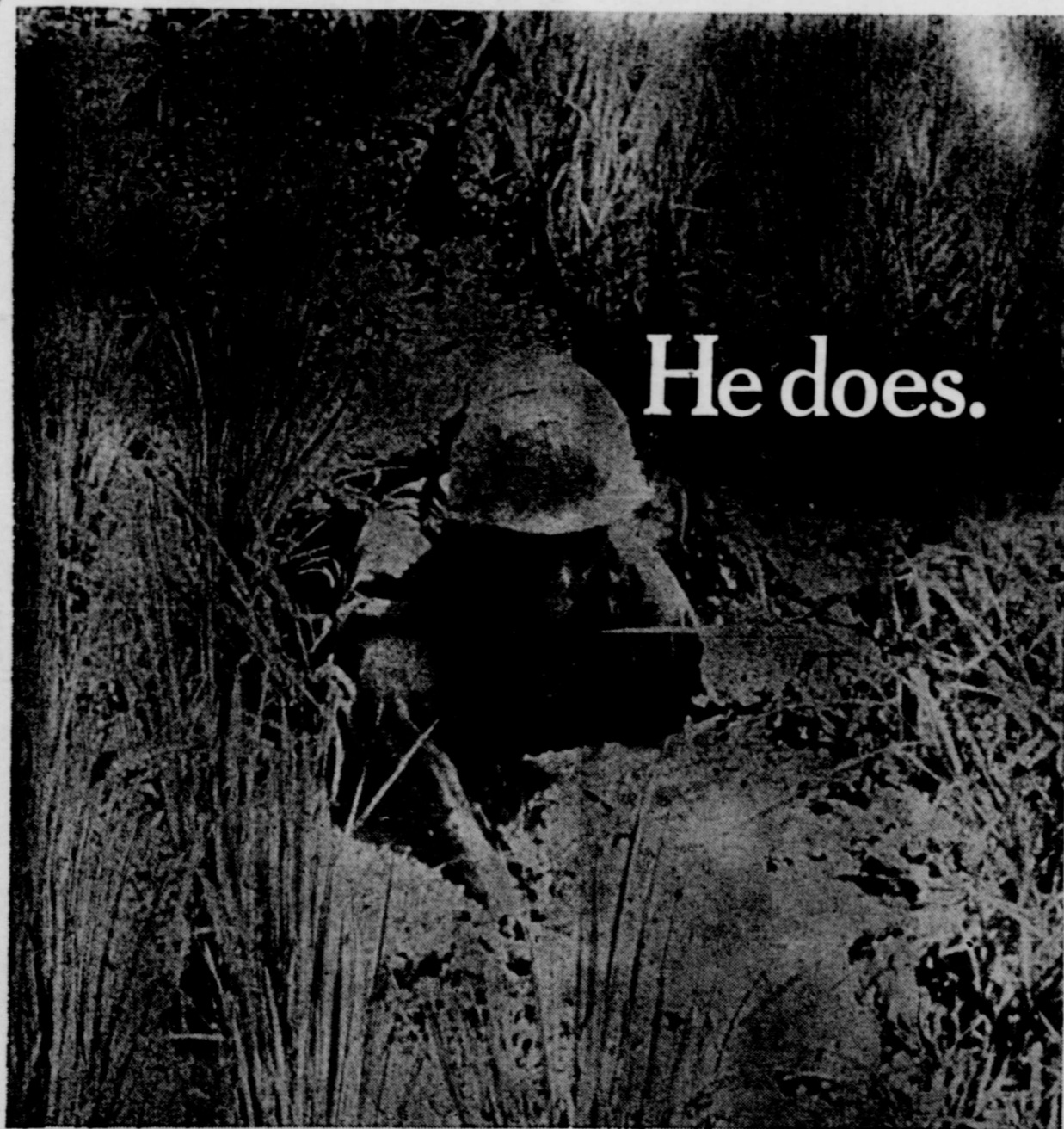
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School Finance

Texas' procedures for allocating State aid to local school districts discriminate against the larger districts and favor the rural districts, the Finance Subcommittee chairman for the Governor's Committee on Public Education has asserted.

The formulas now used for the distribution of more than \$600 million in State aid are irrelevant to present conditions, said Morgan Jones, jr., chairman of the Finance Subcommittee, in a report recently released to the 15-member committee.

Jones said the formulas "are shot through with loopholes and exceptions that have virtually destroyed all semblance of equality and fair distribution."

The Committee on Public Education is now studying the research reports from a pervasive study of the public schools of Texas to make recommendations for the public schools during the next decade.

In addition to the inequities in distribution of State aid, the research for the Committee has uncovered inequities in local school tax assessment procedures.

Glenn Ivy, Director of the Governor's Committee staff, clarified the kinds of inequities in a report

on finance:

"The larger the school district, the more it usually has to pay per student for support of the State Foundation Program, and the greater effort it makes for enriching the minimum program through higher salaries, more personnel, and other services," Mr. Ivy reported. "Most smaller districts have not used the leeway given them by the formulas to improve their programs from local resources."

Asserting that the State equalization formulas used to distribute State aid are discriminatory in terms of both school district size and taxing ability, Mr. Ivy used to illustrate study findings an example of two districts of near equal size:

One district, located in the core city area of a metropolitan county, has a population made up of ethnic minority groups, a tax base of less than \$6,000 per student, a family income level averaging below \$4,000, an average educational level of 6.4 years, a dropout rate of 32 percent over a six-year period, and an average high school senior test score of only 12.1—well below the State average score of 16.6.

The other district, located in the suburban area of the same metropolitan county, has a 97 percent Anglo population with average income and educational levels nearly twice as high as those of the core city district. It has a dropout rate of only 8 percent over the six-year period, and its seniors scored an average of 19.5 on educational development tests—well above the State average.

The core city district received \$217 per student in State aid in 1966-67, and the suburban district received \$221 per student. Obviously, the suburban district also had available much more local funds to enrich the school program for its students.

Charles Bartlett, a well-known tax and property appraiser, was retained by the Governor's Committee to estimate the value subject to property taxes in every school district in Texas. His report is now virtually complete, and preliminary findings indicate that county tax rolls are not a good measure for determining local ability to support education within each county.

Chairman Jones of the Finance Subcommittee has reported that local school districts are now collecting more than \$525 million a year in property taxes—or well over twice as much as the total yield of State and local sales taxes. "Yet, Mr. Bartlett's crew of appraisers have found almost unbelievably inefficient administrative practices in a majority of the school district tax offices," said Mr. Jones.

In reporting trends of expenditure for public education in Texas, Mr. Ivy noted that the total cost of public education in Texas for the 1966-67 school year was just under \$1.5 billion including construction costs financed from bond revenues. State sources provided slightly more than 41 percent of the total and local taxes produced a little more than 49 percent. Federal funds accounted for the 10 percent difference. For current operations, the State's share was more than 54 percent, compared to 34 percent local and 11 percent federal. Ninety-seven percent of all construction and debt service expenditures were paid for by local districts from local revenues.

During the past decade, the total cost of elementary and secondary education has more than doubled. In the 18 years since passage of the Gilmer-Aiken legislation, current expenditures for public education in Texas have increased to nearly five times the 1949-50 level. While enrollment growth has accounted for a part of the increase, expenditure per student has increased by more than 130 percent.

The major percentage jumps, reflecting increases in the State teacher salary schedule, occurred in 1954, 1957, 1961, 1965 and 1967.

"Although our investment in public education has been increasing much more rapidly than either our population or our total income in Texas during the past decade, we continue to rank somewhere in the neighborhood of 30th among the states on per capita for education and 34th on per capita income," said Mr. Ivy. "We rank in the same general area on measures such as percent of stu-

dents who graduate, median level of education, and percent of draftees rejected for the military service on mental tests. In adult literacy, we rank 44th."

In terms of the percent of school revenue from State sources, Texas ranks 14th in the nation. Texas ranks 35th in percent of revenue from local sources.

"Discussion in the past decades about who pays for education have centered around the State-local division of Foundation Program costs," Mr. Ivy pointed out. "It has almost become a matter of '80-20 or fight.' The State-local context of the argument is misleading. The issue is really how much revenue shall be raised from non-property taxes (collected by the State) and property taxes (collected by local districts.)"

New Computers Have "Whisker" Memory

Thousands of tiny metal "whiskers" are the heart of a unique new computer memory.

The "rod" memory is a significant development in thin-film technology which is being widely used for the most advanced types of computers. Thin films are coatings of magnetic metallic substances only millionths of an inch thick. They have great potential in increasing the speed of computer memories and data storage systems.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Garvin, Reita and Kenny of Duke, Oklahoma, spent July 4 with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Garvin. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Garvin, Scott and Dara were also visitors in the L. B. Garvin home.

George W. Miller of Florida was a business visitor in Silvertown Monday.

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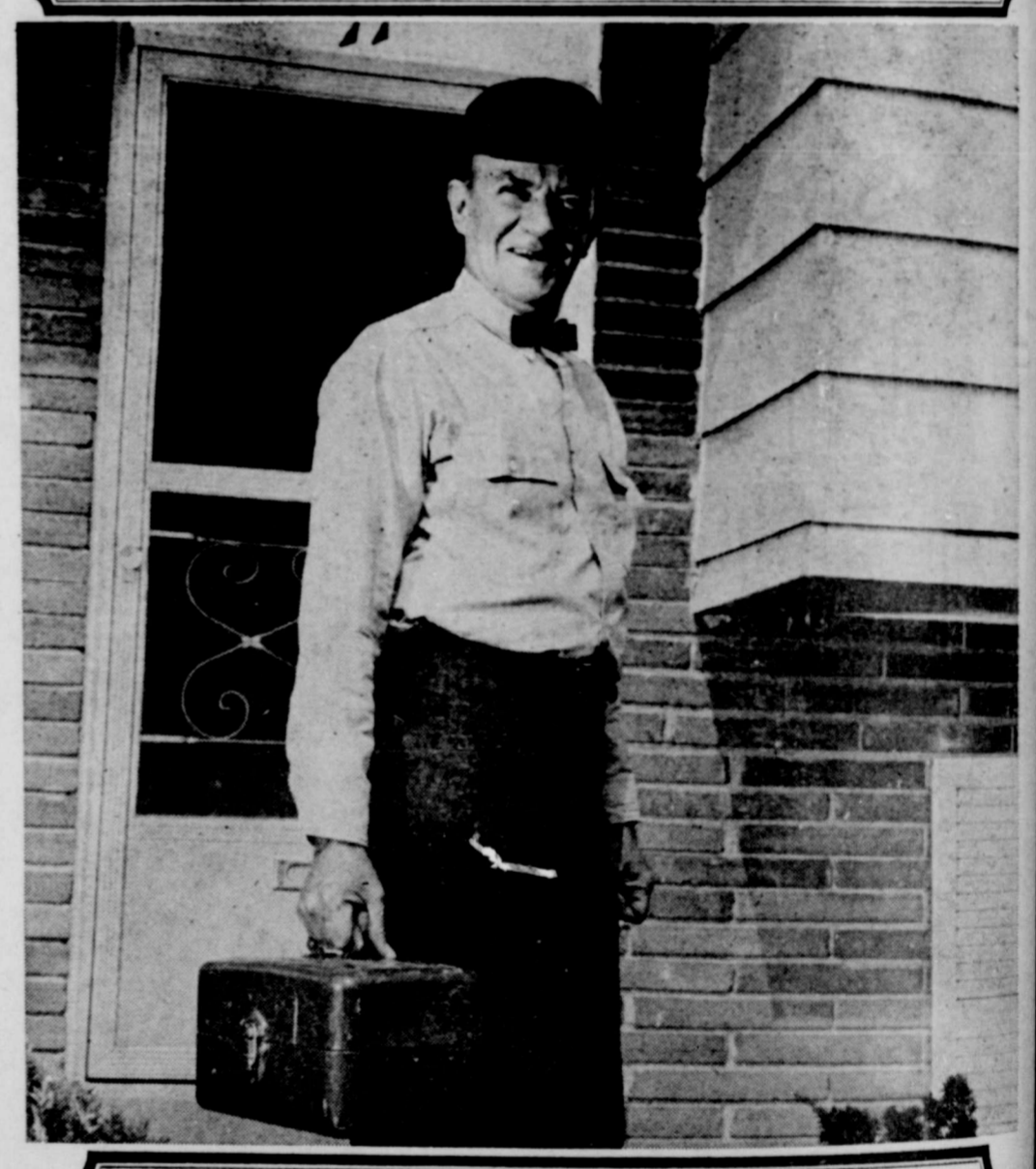


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NOTICE BY PUBLICATION TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF JOHN LEMONS BEAN, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the Estate of JOHN LEMONS BEAN, Deceased, that heretofore on the 8th day of July, 1968, Letters of Administration were issued to the undersigned as Administratrix of the Estate in Cause No. 729, in the County Court of Briscoe County, Texas, in probate, which proceeding is still pending and the undersigned still holds such letters issued as heretofore mentioned; and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to the undersigned respectively at her home in Briscoe County, Texas, near Silvertown, Texas, within the time prescribed by law. The undersigned's post office address is Silvertown, Texas, and the names and address of her attorneys are Stapleton & Miller, 101 North Main Street, Floydada, Texas 79235.

In conformity with law this notice is published in the Briscoe County News, a newspaper of general circulation in Briscoe County, Texas, the county in which said cause is pending, within thirty days after the appointment of the undersigned as said Administratrix. Dated this the 8th day of July, 1968.

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A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: A suit for divorce; as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Silvertown, Texas this the 9th day of July A.D. 1968. Attest: Bertha Pavlicek Clerk, District Court, Briscoe County, Texas (SEAL)

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dean Seaney and boys of Colorado Springs spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney.

WITNESSES SUSPEND MEETINGS TEMPORARILY

Local meetings of Jehovah's Witnesses have been temporarily suspended as the congregation, along with some 90 others in Texas, heads for San Angelo for a four-day Bible convention.

"The Coliseum in San Angelo has been transformed into a huge Kingdom Hall and our meetings will be held there," Von Tiffin, presiding minister, said. "Dramatizations, lectures and demonstrations will be used to teach and further equip Jehovah's Witnesses for their Bible educational work," Tiffin added.

The meeting, one of three scheduled in Texas this summer, opens today at 1:40 p.m. and is expected to attract over 5,000. The convention theme, "Good News For All Nations," and the program will be the same for like assemblies in Ireland, Scotland, England and Wales, as well as some 46 assemblies in the United States and Canada.

A grand climax will be reached at 3:00 o'clock Sunday, July 14, with the talk "Man's Rule About to Give Way to God's Rule." Watchtower official, L. M. Dugan, will be the featured speaker. All meetings are free and no collections will be taken. The public is invited.

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