



# THE JAYTON CHRONICLE



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## The Jayton Jaybirds Lose to Bulldogs at Loraine Friday

The Jayton Jaybirds got dog bit Saturday night in Loraine, as they lost the game 6-0 before a big Loraine homecoming crowd. The statistics were pretty well even, as the Jaybirds had 10 first-downs to 12 for the Bulldogs. The Birds had 130 yards rushing to 191 for the Dogs. The Jaybirds completed 2 of 19 passes for 26 yards and the Dogs completed 1 of 5 for 5 yards. The Jayton team lost their one fumble, but picked up 15 Loraine fumbles. Jaybirds were penalized six times for a total of 68 yards and the Bulldogs had 8 flags for 80 yards.

## Early Day Kent County Pioneer Is Buried Here Tuesday

Services for Sarah Jane Goodrich, 95, of Jayton were held Tuesday in the First Baptist Church here with burial in the Jayton Cemetery.

Arrangements were by Lemmons Funeral Home in Plainview. Mrs. Goodrich died Saturday in a Plainview nursing home.

Born in Lampasas County, Mrs. Goodrich moved to Jayton and lived there until moving to Plainview in 1947. She was the last charter member of the First Baptist Church here. Survivors include three daughters, Lena Hamilton of Plainview, Bertha Clark of Springville, Calif., and Mrs. Helen Hale of Vancouver, Wash.; a son, E.L. Goodrich of Jayton; a half brother, H.H. Bellberry of Colorado City; a sister, Mrs. Mollie Stoneman of Anchove, N.M.; a half sister, Mrs. L.H. Martin of Lubbock; eight grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren and 14 great-great-grandchildren.

## Daylight Saving Time Goes Out Sunday

You may get to church early this Sunday, unless you fail to roll your clock back before you retire Saturday night. This will mark the end of daylight saving time for 1976.

People have a tendency to get confused as to whether to turn your clock up or back. There is a little cliché you remember, that will keep you straight, "Spring up, fall back." This is fall so you turn it back.

It's sure going to be good to get an extra hour of sleep this morning.

**GENERAL**  
President Ford has signed a bill that promotes energy conservation. The bill requires that all new buildings be designed to conserve energy. It also requires that all new buildings be designed to conserve energy. It also requires that all new buildings be designed to conserve energy.



Charles Arnold, No. 63, is playing left defensive tackle for the Jayton Jaybirds. Classified as a junior, he attended school in Jayton for five years. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Arnold of Girard. Charles played tackle last year and completed three seasons. Coach Richey states, "Charles had a late start for football this year, but has really made up for lost time. Charles is starting at our left defensive tackle and doing a good job."

## Plans Are Made For Jayton School Halloween Carnival

The annual Halloween Coronation and Carnival will be held Saturday, October 30, 1976. The coronation will begin at 7 p.m. in the auditorium. Admission will be \$1.00 for Adults and .25c for grades one through twelve. Following the Coronation, the carnival will be held in the Cafeteria and Gymnasium.

1976 candidates and class booths are:  
First Grade - Shawn Byrd and Melody Nuling. Booth - Horse Shoe Throw.  
Second Grade - Clay Benningfield and Lexie Rodgers. Booth - Candy Walk.  
Third Grade - Pat Hamilton and Naomi Capps. Booth - Musical Chairs.  
Fourth Grade - Tony Bryant and Shana Stanaland. Booth - Bowling.  
Fifth Grade - Tommy Trammel and Stacy Hilton. Booth - Popcorn and Popcorn Balls.  
Sixth Grade - Tim Bryant and Kathy Smith. Booth - Washer Throw.  
Seventh Grade - Mike Bagwell and Jane Hart. Booth - Football.  
Eighth Grade - Joe Eddie Segura and Karri Owen. Booth - Spook House.  
Ninth Grade - Jimmy Smith and Gayla Prince. Booth - Football and Basketball Throw.  
Tenth Grade - Ikey Dillashaw and Leela Hall. Booth - Drawing.  
Eleventh Grade - Billy Ballard and Barbara Baker. Booth - Cake Walk.  
Twelfth Grade - Kyle Jackson and Leann Kuenstler. Seniors have talent show and coronation ceremony.

## Kent County Has Received Early Frost

Frost has occurred in some areas of Kent County. Frost could possibly cause prussic acid poisoning in livestock grazing on certain pasture grasses and forage that have been frozen and wilted. Most dangerous plants are Johnson grass, Sudan grass and sorghum or hybrids of these plants.

The most dangerous time is following frost, when the plant begins to wilt. Livestock should not be allowed access to the wilted material until it has dried completely. This usually takes three or four days of good sunlight to thoroughly dry the plant material. New growth of plant material usually becomes non toxic within 10 days to two weeks following a rain.

Prussic acid poisoning acts very rapidly, frequently killing animals within a few minutes, although sometimes poisoned animals may live for several hours after symptoms develop. Symptoms may include a brief period of stimulation followed by depression and paralysis. Signs of colic may be present. Stupor, difficult breathing and frequent convulsions may result from poison on the brain centers that control respiration. Death is caused by suffocation, since oxygen remains in the blood and is not exchanged to the tissues. This also causes the blood to appear a bright red color, one of the diagnostic signs of prussic acid poisoning.

Hungry animals are affected more seriously by toxic material since large amounts of wilting feed are consumed in a short period of time. Animals that are fed hay or supplemental feed before grazing wilted feed are less likely to be affected.

**YEARBOOK SALES TO BEGIN**  
Sales for the 1977 Jaybird annual will begin Saturday, October 30 at the Halloween Carnival. Price will be \$7.50. Full payment will be required.



Sophomore Lex Dunham, No. 37, plays fullback, wingback, and defense striker for the Jayton Jaybird Jr. Varsity. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dunham, and they have resided in Jayton six years. Lex is active in basketball, track, and 4-H. Last year, Lex played wingback and defense halfback. He completed one tackle. His coach states, "Lex is one of our leaders on our J.V. this year and if he keeps improving should make the varsity next year."

## Nonagenarian Rites Are Held In Jayton Saturday Afternoon

Mrs. C.H. Meador, 91, of Jayton died at 3 a.m. Thursday at Fisher County Hospital. Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church.

The Rev. Truett Kuenstler, pastor, officiated. Burial was in the Jayton Cemetery, directed by Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Born July 3, 1885, in Callahan County, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Martin A. Rose. She moved to Kent County as a young girl, married C.H. Meador there April 27, 1907. She was a member of the Baptist church.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Martin of Jal, N.M.; and Marvin of Monroe, La.; four sisters, Willie Lee Greenwade of Roswell, New Mexico; Byrta Eastham of Midland; Myrta Love of Ranger and Minnie Dell Smith of Corsicana; a grandson; and three great-grandchildren.

## The Kent County Commissioners Court Holds Meeting

The Kent County Commissioners court attended to a variety of matters in its regular meeting here Monday.

According to court minutes, the following happened: A motion was made by W.H. Parks and duly seconded by George Taylor to approve all bills presented before the Court on this date. Vote on this matter was unanimous. Motion carried.

A motion was made by W.H. Parks and duly seconded by Sarah Byrd to approve the County Treasurer's Report for the period beginning the 1st day of July, A.D., 1976, and ending on the 30th day of September, A.D., 1976. Vote on this matter was unanimous. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Donnie Carriker and duly seconded by George Taylor to appoint Jackson East as presiding judge, to replace Johnny Hamilton, and Jarri Parker as alternate presiding judge for the absentee voting. Vote on this matter was unanimous. Motion carried.

A motion was made by W.H. Parks and duly seconded by Sarah Byrd to lease the surface of Section 24 and 25, Public School Land Block 74, and Section 5, Public School Land Block 75, Hudspeth County, Texas, to Hub Kypfer, Sierra Blanco, Texas, for five years at \$600.00 per year. Vote on this matter was unanimous. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Donnie Carriker and duly seconded by George Taylor to purchase on low bid from Goodall Ford a new truck for \$11,098.26. Vote on this matter was unanimous. Motion carried.

A motion was made by W.H. Parks and duly seconded by Donnie Carriker to table the bids received on dump beds until November 8, 1976. Vote on this matter was unanimous. Motion carried.

## Pep Rally Held

A Pep Rally was held at 3:30 p.m. Friday, in the school gymnasium.

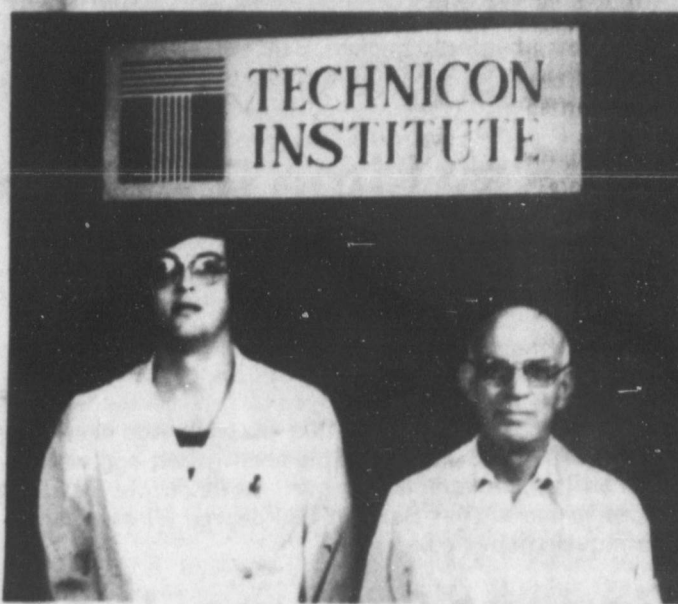
The skit occurred at a local drive-in theatre. Popeye was the star of the movie. Olive Oil (Judy Browning) could not decide whether she would cheer for Popeye (Jim Cockburn) the Jaybird, or Brutus (P.E. Cleveland). Brutus thought he settled the matter after he stuffed Popeye in the trash box and placed Olive on the railroad track. Thanks to his spinach, Popeye leaped unharmed from the box, fought and won a battle against Brutus, and rescued Olive Oil.

The Juniors won the spirit stick. The pep speech was presented by Oran Hamilton.



Robert Partridge, wearing jersey No. 54, is a sophomore who plays guard, linebacker, and noseguard. He weighs 140 pounds. Residing in Jayton two and one-half years, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Partridge. Robert played guard and noseguard last year. Coach Richey comments, "Rooster as we call him, is one of the best workers we have. He should make a good one." Other activities of Robert's are basketball, tennis and band.

## Bruce Boland Gets Technical Training At Tarrytown, N. Y.



TARRYTOWN, N.Y.--Formal training at the Technicon Institute on automated laboratory techniques was recently completed by Bruce Boland (l) and Sterling Oakes (r).

Training in the operation of the Technicon SMA 6/60 analysis system included theory, functional modes, maintenance and troubleshooting of the automated instrument.

Boland and Oates are both Medical Technologists in the laboratory at the V.A. Hospital in Amarillo.

Technicon is an international leader in the design, manufacture and marketing of automated instruments and systems for laboratory analysis. More than 30,000 students have attended Technicon Institute's training courses since 1959 when the first instructional programs began.

## Election Tuesday

Tuesday, November 2-14th through the General Election in Texas and throughout the nation. Kent County voters will be voting at the usual voting places, in each precinct.

Voters are asked by County Clerk Zana Sherer to bring your blue registration slip if you have it handy. It will save you some time.

### WRITE IN SPONSORED

Several local people are sponsoring a write-in vote for the office of Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of place 2. Don Yarbrough, the nominee of the Democratic party primary, is now under indictment by a grand jury and has several civil suits pending against him. It is very likely that if he is elected, he will be disqualified. Persons running against him are Sam Houston and Tom Loran. To vote for either of these, a person will need to scratch out the name of Yarbrough, and write the other name in the Write-in column.

### ELECTION FILM TO BE SHOWN

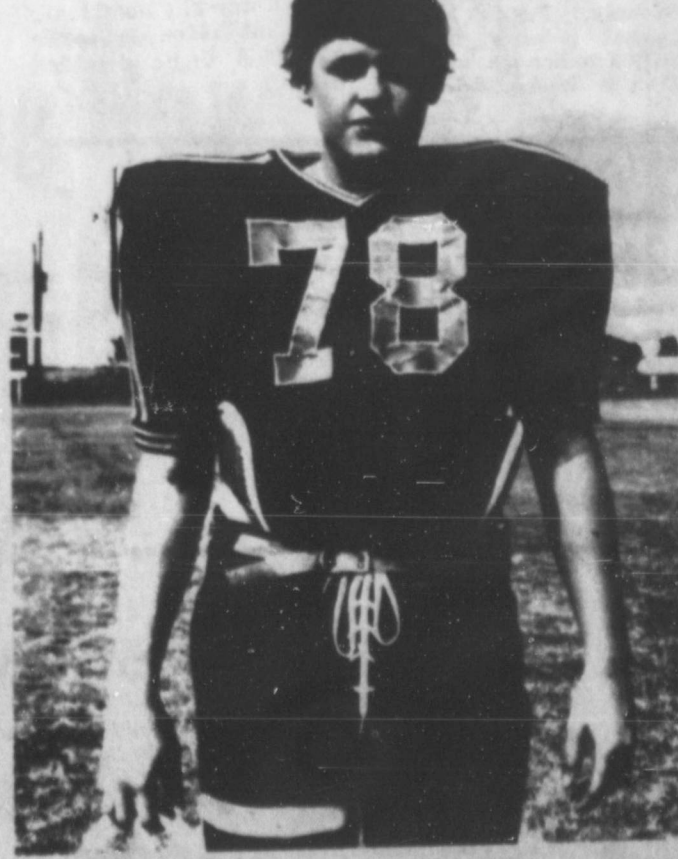
A film will be shown in the County Court room on November 1, 1976, at 3 o'clock P.M. for all Presiding Judges and Clerks that will be holding the elections on November 2, 1976.

### COUNTY OFFICES TO BE CLOSED

Due to the election laws the County Offices will be closed on election day, November 2, 1976.

### CHEMICAL TESTS

President Ford has signed a law requiring the testing of chemical products for public safety before they are offered for sale.



Playing tackle and weighing 200 pounds, Larry Luna can be seen wearing jersey No. 78. Classified as a sophomore, Larry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Luna. He has lived in Jayton all his life. His coach says, "We are glad that Larry came out for football this year. Larry is a little behind because he has not been out for football, but the way he works at it he could make the varsity starting spot next year."





Favorite Recipes of Opal Richards

### Orange Fluff Pie

Favorite Recipe Of GEORGE MAHON, 19th Dist. Texas Congress of the United States, House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

- 3/4 cup sugar
- 1 envelope gelatin
- 1 cup water
- 3 eggs, separated
- 6 ounce can frozen orange juice
- Pinch of salt

Place 1/2 cup sugar, gelatine, salt and water in double boiler. Place over direct heat and stir until gelatin dissolves (3 to 6 minutes). Beat egg yolks and add to mixture. Cook in top of double boiler until mixture coats spoon (about 15 minutes). Remove and add orange juice. Chill until it begins to thicken. Beat egg whites and other sugar. Fold in and put in pie shell. Put whipped cream and almonds on the top.

### Key Lime Pie

- 6 egg yolks, beaten slightly
- 1 can sweetened condensed milk
- 1/2 cup lime juice
- 6 egg whites
- 4 tablespoons sugar
- 9-inch baked pie shell

Combine egg yolks and milk; mix well. Add juice and blend well. Turn into baked pie shell. Beat egg whites until stiff. Gradually add sugar. Swirl on pie, sealing edges to pie shell. Bake in 300-degree F. oven until meringue is honey-colored.

### Banana Caramel Pie

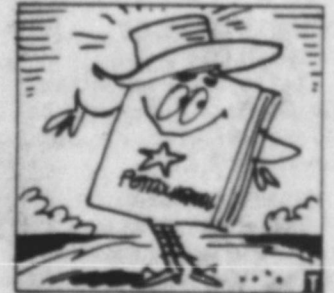
- 1 cooked pie crust
- 1 can sweetened condensed milk
- 2 to 3 bananas
- 1 1/2 pint whipping cream, whipped
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- Silvered almonds, optional

Remove the paper label from can of sweetened condensed milk. Boil unopened can in water for 2 1/2 hours to caramelize. Add more water as the boiling water evaporates. Slice bananas and arrange over crust. Spoon caramelized milk over bananas. Mix vanilla with whipped cream then spread evenly over pie. If desired, garnish with silvered almonds. Refrigerate several hours before serving.

Note: The time is here when we will be thinking about our holiday baking. Readers who would like to share their favorite recipes with others are invited to send in your recipe and it will be published.

### Understanding ENERGY

**Texas Petrochemicals**  
Texas' petrochemical industry packs an economic punch far in excess of its share of the state's oil and natural gas feedstocks. An article in *Context*, the Du Pont Company's current affairs magazine, points out that although the state's 101 petrochemical plants use only about 7 percent of the energy content of Texas' oil and gas, they account for 60 percent of the country's basic petrochemical capacity.



The Texas petrochemical industry employs 60,000 persons and supports jobs for 300,000 others in related trades and services. The Arthur D. Little research organization estimates that nationwide, Texas' petrochemical industry supports nearly 3 million jobs and \$128 billion in finished products—

equivalent to about 13 cents of every dollar in the entire United States gross national product.

Simply stated, the petrochemical industry converts oil and gas into raw materials from which thousands of fabrications throughout the country make other products.

As such, the industry is responsible for 80 percent of the nation's rubber, 75 percent of its paints, 50 percent of the fibers used for clothing and carpeting, nearly half of the country's fertilizers, and many of its herbicides and pesticides.

**TALKS OPENING**  
MEXICO CITY--The Panama government has reported negotiations with the United States on a new canal treaty in an apparent effort to divert attention from economic problems of the regime of Gen. Omar Torrijos.

**Fashion**  
Party clothes this season are shown in shimmering silks, satins and sheers. One attractive garment features a side-slit floral tunic made of rayon georgette over silk crepe de chine pants.

## Kent County Rest Home News

Thursday morning singers for the sing-song were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hahn, Ruby Matthews, Mrs. Gene Louder, Mrs. Willie Rudder, and Grace and Amos Fincher. We were pleased to have Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Phipps from Oklahoma City. They are the parents of Grace Fincher.

Visitors during the past week were: Rev. Gene B. Louder, pastor of Jayton Methodist Church, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Meador of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Meador of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith of Corsicana, Mr. and Mrs. John Love of Ranger; Mr. and Mrs. John Berry of McCaulley, visited Mrs. Grice; Thelma Rudder of Clarendon, visited her father, Charlie Lewis.

Visiting Darvin Hill Sunday were Keliye Hill, his daughter. Other visitors were Alfa Grice and sons, Bobby and Brian.

Visiting Mrs. Sam Johnson Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rodgers of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Dink Johnson of Post.

VI Hall and Bessie Pearson visited Bula Page Sunday. Thanks to Mrs. Hazel Williams for the sheets and rags.

### SHOWER HONORS MRS. JAMES H. SMITH

Mrs. James H. Smith was the honoree at the baby shower given Saturday afternoon in the community center in Jayton, beginning at 4 o'clock.

The serving table was covered with a white lace cloth with a blue underlay. It was centered with an unusual centerpiece created from one dozen diapers, folded into the shape of a cake and pinned in front with two diaper pins and decorated with pastel bows. It was flanked by squeaky toys which was a gift to the honoree. Strawberry ice cream punch, served from a crystal punch bowl, and assorted homemade cookies were served.

The hostesses presented Mrs. Smith with a diaper bag and a large baby blanket and several items of baby clothes. Those serving as hostesses were: Mmes. Ed Murrell, Jimmy Byrd, James Luna, Carroll Johnson, R.G. Hall, R.E. Hall, Ben Boland, Larry Rider, Loyd Reed, Bill Vencil, Howard Goswick, J.O. Kidd, Charles Bryant, Frank Barbee, J.A. Kidd, Joe Hunnicutt, James Abbott, Joe Hutchinson, Bill Sartain, Bill McMean and Harold Shipp.

### JAYTON H.D. CLUB MEETS

The Jayton Home Demonstration club met Thursday afternoon October 21 in the Kent County Courthouse at 2:30.

Mrs. Nellie Fuller was in charge of the program. She spoke on the subject, "Keeping the Bad Bugs Out Naturally." During her talk she used posters to emphasize what she was speaking on.

Mrs. Don Wilson, president, presided over the meeting. She was in charge of the recreation which was in the form of putting of a small puzzle together by each member. Mrs. Fuller gave the thought for the day. Roll call was answered with those in attendance giving the name of a state capital beginning with the first letter in their last name.

Mrs. Fuller gave the county council report. Announcements were made that the 4-H food show would be on November 29 and the Jayton club Thanksgiving dinner on November 18. The decorations chairman for the dinner will be Mrs. Ben Boland with Mrs. Nellie Fuller and Mrs. Bennie Smith, co-foods chairmen.

The president announced that a check was presented to the organization for having placed second in the Jayton homecoming parade with their float which featured a large white and blue three tiered cake with a 50 on the top and a sign stating that the Home demonstration clubs in Texas were 50 years old. The first place float went to the Kent County State Bank and third place to Nolan Grice.

Mrs. Roberta Stanaland, County Home Economics Extension Agent, announced that the senior citizens Christmas bazaar would be on December 11 in the Community Building in Jayton.

The year books for the remainder of the club year were filled out.

Mrs. Robert Koonce will be hostess for the November 4 meeting, at 2:30 in the afternoon.

### ATTEND FUNERAL HERE

Relatives attending the funeral of Mrs. C. H. Meador Saturday afternoon at the Jayton Baptist Church were: her son and wife Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Meador of Jal, New Mexico; her grandson and wife Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Meador of Hobbs, New Mexico; her great grandchildren Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fowler, A. Duquenne, New Mexico; Allen and Sandy Fowler of Abilene; her sisters Mrs. Willie Lee Greenway and children Bernard, Mary and Byacye, Roswell, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Harris Eastham, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. John Love, Ranger; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith, Corsicana; her sister-in-law Mrs. Joe Rose and daughter Mrs. Madge Leagan, Afton; her nephew D.H. Rose, Midland; her sister-in-law Mrs. Loyce Simpson and son A.B. Simpson, Girard; her great nephew Rev. Ron Meador, Stamford and his mother Mrs. Elvis Joe Meador, Aspermont.

Among the out of town friends attending the funeral were: Mrs. L.D. Morehead, Peacock; Mrs. William A. Corder, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Corder and Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Corder all of Fort Worth.

### LINK-UP CANCELED

MOSCOW -- Two Soviet spacemen had to cancel a link-up with an orbiting space laboratory because of a failure in their space-ship's control system and returned to earth, Tass reported.

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### GIANT "WAKE UP AMERICA" BICENTENNIAL RALLY SLATED

A giant "Wake Up America, Land That WE Love" Bicentennial Rally, sponsored by the Revival Fires Ministries is slated for Saturday Evening, November 6 at the Lubbock Coliseum on Texas Tech Campus in Lubbock. The services will begin at 7:30 p.m. with a thirty minute singing concert preceding the starting time.

Appearing on the patriotic program will be Cecil Todd, speaker for the nationally televised "Revival Fires" program, the Good Twins and Special Guest Tom Netherton, one of the most popular singers on the Lawrence Welk T.V. Show.

Everyone in attendance will be given a duplicate copy of the Declaration of Independence signed on July 4, 1776 with the story of "What Happened to the Men Who Signed It!" Also, two flags will be on display for the occasion. (1) Our beloved American flag. This flag was flown over our nation's capitol on one of the first days of this year purposely for the Revival Fires-sponsored "Wake Up America" Bicentennial Crusade. (2) A replica of the authentic "Betsy Ross 1776 American Flag."

Todd said, "The purpose of the Bicentennial Rally is to bring freedom-loving Americans together and to emphasize our rich spiritual heritage as a nation that was preserved up to our 20th birthday" and for which Todd believes, "it is our only passport to continued freedom into our third century!"

Todd recently was invited to the White House and met with President Ford for more than an hour to discuss national and international developments as they relate to Christian broadcasting and will have a report of this meeting at the rally.

The rally is non-denominational and many congregations from throughout the city and the area will be participating.

Admission will be free but because a capacity crowd is expected, those with tickets will be admitted first. Advance tickets can be secured by calling 1-806-797-3097 or 1-806-799-4783 locally or by calling 1-417-624-0749 in Joplin.

### A 3-Year Supply

In a major shift, the General Services Administration announced recently a new policy in its strategic stockpile program. The change, backed by President Ford, is to increase the supply of strategic materials from a one-year to a three-year supply.

Implications of this policy change include a revised outlook that a long war is possible. Previous planning had anticipated only a short nuclear conflict.

General Leslie Bray, head of the Federal Preparedness Agency in the G.S.A., says the new program will mean lower stocks of twelve materials not now considered so vital, or short, unchanged reserves of eight and increased stockpiles of 72.

Bray refused to estimate how much the new stockpiling program would cost. He also found no conflict between what appears to be different policy planning in G.S.A. and the Pentagon, where the emphasis of late has been on a shorter war.

The three-year stockpile policy program is sound, since it prepares for either eventuality, while the present 1-year stockpile might prove insufficient in a prolonged emergency. Thus the public and Congress should support the new Ford Administration program.

Congress will no doubt receive various pressures from producers and those concerned with market disturbances; the public interest, however, requires more than a one-year stockpile of critical materials.

## Can we afford four more years without effective leadership?

There is a critical decision to be made on November 2nd. It goes far beyond the question of which Presidential candidate can govern with integrity and honesty. We must determine which candidate has the ability and strength to lead our country out of economic chaos, and the vision to see that all Americans—not just the powerful and influential—have a better future.

During the past two years, the middle class has paid far too dear a price for a President lacking that ability.

Since Gerald Ford took office, the unemployment rate has risen 50%, from 5.5% or 5 million people, to 7.9% or 7-1/2 million jobless Americans.

Today's inflation rate of 6% is higher than it was at any time between the

Korean War and the inauguration of Richard Nixon.

The 1968 food dollar is now worth 57¢.

Mr. Ford's budget will account for the largest single deficit and more than 1/3 of the public debt incurred during our entire 200-year history.

Real GNP has actually declined during each of Gerald Ford's two years in office.

And who is most affected by these distressing statistics? Not the Washington establishment, or the economic elite courted by the Republicans. The burden falls on the person who can least afford it: the average American.

Jimmy Carter means to change all that. As President, he will make government responsive to your needs.

**Tax Reform:** "The average family in this country actually pays a higher proportion of their income in taxes than the average family that makes more than a million dollars a year. That's disgraceful. We need to move toward a truly progressive and simplified tax system, with reduced tax rates for the average American."

**Economy:** "We'll never have a balanced budget nor an end to the inflationary problems as long as we have 7-1/2 million people out of work. Employment needs to be the major thrust of the whole domestic policy of our government."

**Efficiency in Government:** "We now have in the

federal government the most bloated, confused, wasteful bureaucracy ever created. There's no way to get an answer out of Washington and no way to understand what's going on there. We need to reorganize completely the executive branch of government, making it fair, efficient, effective, and responsive to our people's needs."

**Housing:** "No government that cared about our neighborhoods would stack the tax deck against them. A landlord can let a building run down and make a good living on tax breaks. But when a home owner spends a little hard-earned money fixing up his home, the assessor raises his taxes. And the FHA no longer

cares about families getting started in their own homes. I intend to restore the FHA to the time when, for a down payment, a family could get a mortgage which the government would insure."

**Health Care:** "We need a nationwide health care delivery system which will make adequate health care a right for all people."

**Jimmy Carter has the strength to take charge of our government. If you are tired of paying the high price of Republican ineffectiveness, you have only one choice on November 2nd, and that choice is for change.**



**Vote for JIMMY CARTER. A leader, for a change.**



## ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson East visited in Shallowater Sunday with his brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Bob East and children. They attended church at the Shallowater United Methodist Church in which Rev. Jimmy Uwing is the pastor. He is a former pastor of the Shallowater United Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Long had as their recent guests their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Long, Steve, Tim Tom of Lubbock and her sister Mrs. Juanita Bilbrey Abilene and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Parks of Dallas. They were in the Jayton community to attend the high school homecoming activities.

Mrs. Vaughn Paul of Willis Point and Mr. and Mrs. K. Kearney of Claremore, Oklahoma are visiting with their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Goodall. They are also with their father, Henry Smith, who is a resident of the Aspermont Rest Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cleveland of Etter, near Dumas, are visiting with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Cleveland and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Harrison of Kermit visited last Wednesday evening with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Harrison.

Rob Harrison of Knox City was in Jayton last weekend for homecoming and visited with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison and sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Reeve and Stacy.

Mrs. Janet Carriker and son Christopher visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Carriker.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Schafer and children Trena and Tracey, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Smith of Lubbock visited the Lynn Schafer home during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Mayer of Aspermont were supper guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Mayer, Friday night.

Weldon Carriker of Irvin visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Carriker and attended the Jayton high school homecoming activities recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Carr received word Thursday last week of the arrival of a new grandaughter. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Troy Carr of Brenham. The new arrival has one brother Jason.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rudder left Saturday for Denver, Colorado to visit with their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Don Browning and children.

Mrs. James Luna visited her sister Mrs. Edward Johnson in Stamford, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Brown of Ingleside visited Mr. and Mrs. Rex Carr Saturday, on their way to visit her in Lubbock.

Several Jayton residents have been enjoying going to the movie in Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Carr visited in Lubbock with her sister and niece and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McIntine and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McAllister recently.

Henry Smith, father of Mrs. R.G. Goodall was taken to the Aspermont Nursing Home following a stay in the Aspermont hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pankey of Jacksboro, spent Saturday night and Sunday with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pankey, Gary, Charles and Kathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark A. Geeslin, David and Minette spent the weekend in Stephenville with Mark's parents Mr. and Mrs. Mark Geeslin. While there, Minette visited with Rena Bural who is a student in Tarleton State University. Rena is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bural of Girard.

Mrs. Lena Powell returned Monday to her home in California after visiting several days with Jayton friends.

Mrs. Oleta Moore spent Friday and Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.S. Floyd in DeLeon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hall and Melody attended the Stamford High School homecoming on Friday and Saturday.

Those that were visiting in the home of Mrs. Oleta Moore were her sister-in-law Mrs. Edna Boyd of Graham, her sister-in-law and husband Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Cann of Odessa and her daughter and grandchildren Mrs. Carlos Bass, Terry, Dana and Tori.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Koonce had their granddaughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Doug Hoskins and son Jeremy of Odessa as their guests during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brooks attended the Fall East Plains Section meeting of the Assemblies of God Churches at the Spur Assembly of God Church on October

## Jimmy Carter for President



## Jimmy Carter for President

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Visiting last week in the home of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Fincher were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Phipps of Oklahoma City.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Fincher and her parents attended a family reunion of Mrs. Phipps family in Idalou.

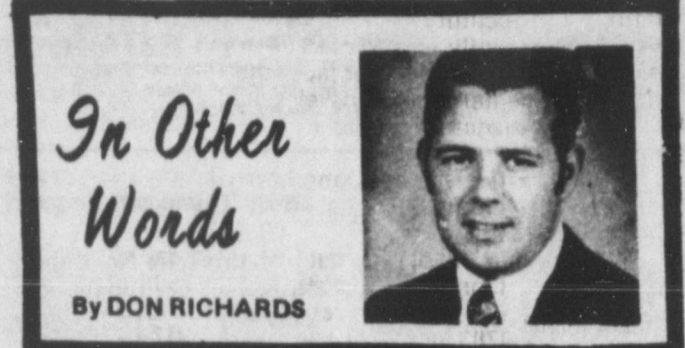
Also attending the reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Gwyn Fincher of Lawton, Oklahoma. The Fincher's son and wife, who visited them from Saturday until Monday.

Jess Hall is home and doing well after having been a patient in the Aspermont hospital. He and his wife stayed several days in the home of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Moore in Aspermont before returning to their home in Jayton.

Ernest Goodrich formerly of Brownfield recently moved to Jayton. He is a former Jayton resident.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor for Sunday dinner were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Browning of Girard; their sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Taylor and Gate, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Taylor and Buffi of Red Hill and her nephew and family Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Browning and Regina.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Fincher and their son and his wife Mr. and Mrs. Gwyn Fincher of Lawton, Oklahoma visited with their daughter and sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Moots in Post Sunday night.



America's obsession with the law has created many milestones in law enforcement, but not all of them have been for the good of those they are trying to protect. Some well-meaning writer of words has often gone a little overboard and we continue to pay the price.

For instance: Teenagers are forbidden by law to duel with water pistols on Sunday in Massachusetts. A girl can't take a bite from her date's hamburger in Oklahoma.

These are just a couple of samples of legislation, still on the books, in the United States pertaining to teenagers, according to Keynote, a publication of Kiwanis' teen-branch, Key Clubs International.

For instance: Teenagers cannot spin yo-yos in Memphis, Tenn. on a Sunday. In Massachusetts, youngsters cannot eat peanuts in church.

But in Winchester, Mass., church is the only place where tightrope walking is permitted.

One cannot pretend to "smoke" candy cigarettes in any school within the limits of Miriam, S.D. You can't even buy them in Asher, N.D.

**WHAT IS A FIREMAN**

He's the guy next door.

He's a man's man with the sharp memory of a little boy who never got over the excitement of engines and sirens and smoke and danger.

He's a guy like you and me with warts and worries and unfulfilled dreams.

Yet he stands taller than most of us. He's a fireman. He puts it all on the line when the bell rings.

A fireman is at once the most fortunate and the least fortunate of men.

He's a man who savors life because he has seen to much death.

He's a gentle man because he has seen too much of the awesome power of violent forces out of control. He's man responsive to a child's laughter because his arms have held too many small bodies that will never laugh again.

He's a man who appreciates the simple pleasures of life...hot coffee held in numbed, unbending fingers...the flush of fresh air pumping through smoke and fire convulsed lungs...a warm bed for bone and muscle compelled beyond feeling...the comradeship of brace men...the divine peace of selfless service and a job well done in the name of all men.

He doesn't wear buttons or wave flags or shout obscenities and when he marches, it is to honor a fallen comrade.

He doesn't preach the brotherhood of man.

He lives it.

## Russell Wright Is Honored at Vial

Russell Wright of Girard recently returned from National Farm Life's Annual Meeting in Vail, Colorado. Wright was honored as one of the company's top five producers. He received an additional diamond for outstanding production in the "Millionaires Club." He was also recognized as one of the company's elite members of the "President Cabinet."

Wright's personal interest and dedication to his clients earned him the company's coveted "Crusader Award" and has qualified him for a number of the industry's awards, known as the National Quality Award and the National Sales Achievement Award. For the past year he has served as Scribe to the Knights of the National Farm Round Table organization.

Hard work and dedication has seen Russell Wright's philosophy and National Farm Life would like to express their appreciation for the outstanding work he has contributed to the life insurance profession.

## The Clover 4H Girls Learn Useful Things

The Clover Girls 4-H girls in preparation for the food show have learned many useful things. At the first meeting Vanessa Fowler gave a demonstration on Measurement Abbreviations and Kitchen Safety. Kim Partridge demonstrated the different ways to prepare hamburgers and salads, Missy Chaney gave a demonstration on the vitamin contents of the different fruits and Sally Sumner will give a demonstration on comparative shopping.

The girls have prepared Hamburgers with lettuce wedges and thousand island dressing, Fruit Salad with Poppy Seed Dressing and sticky buns. They have learned the correct way to fix a place setting and enjoyed playing the vitamin game. Adult leader, Judith Fowler has been meeting with this group.

French fried potatoes were not invented in France but in Belgium. Then their popularity spread to the north of France.

**LIONS CLUB HEARS TALK ON CRIPPLED CHILDRENS CAMP**

The Jayton Lions Club met Monday, October 25 in the Jayton Cafe for their regular bi-monthly luncheon meeting.

Lion Boss Bill Parks presided over the meeting. Prayer was offered by Rev. Gene B. Louder. The group joined in saying the pledge to the American flag.

Odell Harrison gave a short talk on the Lion's Club crippled Childrens Camp of Texas, located at Kerrville, in which his son Roy John attended at two different times.

A meal of pork chops or meat loaf, beans, potatoes, salad, hot rolls-butter, chocolate or butterscotch pie and coffee or tea was served.

There were approximately 15 in attendance including Pete Cleveland of Etter, near Dumas, guest of his son Preston and Bill Coe, an official with the West Texas Utility Company from Stamford guest of James Hall.

The club will have their next meeting on Monday November 8, at which time Howard Freemyer will be in charge of the program.

**MRS. EULA FULLER HONORED WITH 81ST BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION**

Mrs. Eula Fuller was honored when several of her friends gathered at her home on her 81st birthday, Monday, October 18 for a noon dinner party.

The group presented Mrs. Fuller with a birthday cake. A delicious covered dish dinner was served along with the cake.

Those in attendance were: Mrs. Ruby Branch, Mrs. Ruby Matthews, Mrs. Laura Fuller, Mrs. Willie Rose and Mrs. Lena Powell.

Another celebration was held honoring her birthday last Sunday when family members gathered at Mrs. Fuller's home for Sunday noon dinner.

Those in attendance were her three daughters, Mrs. Verda Mae Todd of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Charles Dibrell and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Davis of Jayton and several of her grandchildren and great grandchildren Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davis and Regan of Old Glory; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reynolds and Heather, Midland and Dusty Hicks of Lubbock.

## Flu Vaccine Death

On fateful October 13th news reports revealed ten states had cancelled swine-flu vaccine programs. Deaths had been recorded in at least three at that time, which were, in the opinion of some, a result of inoculation. This was denied by program officials and, in most cases, inoculations have resumed.

This turn of events is noteworthy because some experts warned months earlier that there's no longer evidence a swine flu threat exists. It was charged, also, that mass inoculation was sold to the Congress and public in a panic atmosphere, on dubious evidence.

Once such a huge program is set in motion, it is embarrassing and costly (for some) to stop it. But if, as critics of the massive program charge, more people will die from the vaccine than from swine flu, on the basis of the latest indications and evidence, the program should be carefully reevaluated.

All medical opinion expressed has been well-meaning and it must be assumed (though profit is involved for some) that all concerned have placed the public interest first. The public, and newspaper editors, have a difficult time assessing the situation when the medical profession is itself split on the issue.

But certainly, the latest tragic events indicate caution for some, in seeking the vaccine, until the overall picture is clearer.

## Alternates To Public School Financing Given

AUSTIN--The Special House Committee on Alternatives to Public School Financing, of which Representative W.S. "Bill" Healy of Paducah is a member, this week proposed sweeping revision of the manner in which Texas public schools are funded.

The proposal, which will be submitted to the 65th Legislature in January, is highlighted by the following provisions:

1. Increase the state share of the Foundation School program to 100 percent.
2. The committee recommends no new taxes at this time. Money for funding the Foundation School Program should come from the projected available funds.
3. Place a limit, or "cap" on local school districts' enrichment of the Foundation School Program, as discussed during the meeting.
4. Enact a two-year moratorium on local districts' property tax increases, require a mandatory property tax reduction, and allow property tax increases only if approved in a referendum by local voters as discussed, eliminating Subsection (c) (3) on page 6 of the proposed legislation.
5. Revise the equalization aid formula, amended by Rep. Torres.
6. Local referendums necessary to raise property taxes will be held on the same day as school board elections.
7. The Committee intends for the proposed legislation to be permanent, not just for the 1977-78 biennium.

The Chairman of the Committee, Representative Tom C. Massey of San Angelo, remarked that "Representative Healy is to be commended for his diligence and dedication on the Committee during the past several months. His contributions have been instrumental in the development of a plan that will benefit the children and taxpayers of this state for years to come."

The Committee, which was held a series of public hearings throughout the state since last February, was appointed by House speaker Bill Clayton to determine if there were alternative sources of revenue other than the ad valorem property tax for financing Texas public schools. In appointing the Committee, Speaker Clayton stated that the Committee had the greatest responsibility of any committee in recent legislative history. The blue-ribbon panel included Representatives Massey; Fred J. Agnich of Dallas; Roy M. Blake of Nacogdoches; Wilhelmina Delco of Austin; Frank Hartung of Houston; W.S. "Bill" Healy of Paducah; Dan Kubiak of Rockdale; Camm Lary, Jr. of Burnet; and Ruben Torres of Brownsville.

In the course of the hearings, the Committee found that there is widespread concern that ad valorem taxes are forcing people off their land and out of their homes. At the same time, the State Comptroller has projected a surplus of approximately \$2.6 billion which will be available for appropriations by the Legislature over the next two years. The Committee determined that education should have first call on the available funds for the dual purpose of relieving ad valorem taxpayers and equalizing educational opportunity throughout the state.

Nothing is sillier than silly laughter. You can't beat this bromide: "An honest man is the noblest work of God." -Catullus.

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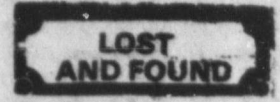
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## Farm-facts

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**TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**  
 John C. White, Commissioner

**Good News For Citrus Lovers . . . Crop Production Forecasts . . . Wheat Pasture Outlook.**

If you like citrus, a report from the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service should make you happy.

Texas' 1976-77 citrus crop based on Oct. 1 conditions is forecast at 17,700,000 boxes. This year's production is expected to be five per cent more than a year ago and 49 per cent above the small crop of 1974-75.

Grapefruit production is set at 11,500,000 boxes, seven per cent above last season's crop. Production of all oranges is expected to total 6,200,000 boxes, the same as a year ago. Early and mid-season oranges are forecast at 3,800,000 boxes and Valencia oranges are forecast at 2,400,000 boxes.

Citrus trees are currently in good condition.

Nationwide, grapefruit production is forecast at a record crop of 75,700,000 boxes; this is a 13 per cent increase over a year ago. Orange production is estimated to be 12 per cent above last year.

**COTTON PRODUCTION FOR TEXAS** is now forecast lower than a month ago due to weather conditions. Sorghum and corn estimates are unchanged from a month ago.

Upland cotton production is now estimated at 3,000,000 bales, down four per cent from a month ago but still above the 1975 production.

Sorghum production is unchanged at 318,000,000 bushels. This is 15 per cent below last year, however. Harvest of the crop is now about 75 per cent complete.

Corn production is still set at 161,000,000 bushels, with record yields reported.

Peanut production is set at 27,000,000 pounds, which is 77 per cent under a year ago.

Peanut production is now forecast at 475,850,000 pounds, which is three per cent more than last year.

Rice production is now expected to be four per cent more than a year ago.

**PROSPECTS FOR WHEAT PASTURE** in Texas are good in most areas due to recent rains. Very little grazing has been available until recently.

Range and pasture conditions have improved in most areas due to rains. Winter grazing on the High Plains is expected to be limited because the rains came too late to allow ranges to fully recover from the drought.

### EXTENSION RETIREES TO BE HONORED

Twenty-two staff members of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service who have retired during the past year will be honored at a special recognition banquet at the Ramada Inn in College Station Oct. 28 at 6:30 p.m. Each retiree will receive a special plaque

sponsored by the County Judges and Commissioners Association of Texas. Heading the list of retirees is Dr. John E. Hutchison who retired on Feb. 29 after serving as director for 18 and one half years. Among the retirees are three specialists, three district agents and 15 county agents.



"If the good Lord had intended for everyone to have a good job; He wouldn't have made fellers like us."

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## The Budget

The federal budget is today so vast no one really knows how much the nation is spending and how much it needs. Officials at the Office of Management and Budget recently confirmed spending during the July-September quarter was running perhaps \$8 billion less than anticipated.

So many are spending this money, or can spend it, that officials at the bureau and Treasury really don't know how much that has been made available will be spent.

One theory about the less-than-expected spending is that bureaucrats padded their requests this year, expecting sharp cuts, and really didn't need all they asked—and in some cases received.

Another theory is that reduced inflation lowered agencies' actual needs. Another is that politics entered into some decisions to withhold funds. Another is that many payments have merely been postponed, that defense contractors especially have been unable to maintain anticipated schedules.

The intriguing point is that no one really knows why the federal government spent billions less in the July-September quarter than had been provided by Congress! The bureaucracy has grown so large it is, to a degree, out of control.

## Mail Delivery

In Rochester, New York, the Paul Brennans operate a letter-delivering service. They deliver about 600 a day for ten cents each and deliver them the day they're mailed.

The Brennans say they have never had a complaint and have never lost a customer. They irk the U.S. Postal Service, are quick to knock present postal delivery standards.

Threatened with court prosecution because the U.S. Postal Service enjoys a monopoly on first class mail delivery, the Brennans say they welcome it. And they have the support of New York Senator James Buckley.

All of which seems to suggest the Postal Service might utilize such private systems in the future. If not, and the alternative is steadily rising rates, perhaps Congress should enact legislation allowing small, one-city or one-county companies to deliver local mail only.

It just might be done better and more economically by small companies in each locality, and seems at the least an idea worth considering.

## Financial aid at UT

AUSTIN, Texas (Spl.) — If you are planning to attend The University of Texas at Austin next year, now is the time to begin plans for financial assistance, according to the UT Office of Student Financial Aid.

Prospective students are encouraged to obtain financial aid applications in November to avoid the rush of spring applicants. Deadlines for a variety of student aid from scholarships to work-study programs and loans are Feb. 15 for the 1977 Summer Session and March 1 for the 1977-78 Academic Year.

Applications and additional information are available by writing: The University of Texas at Austin, Office of Student Financial Aid, UT Station, Box 7758, Austin, Texas 78712.

School teachers are reaping the reward of the no-discipline theories about children.

## Answers To Sports Quiz

1. New York Yankees and Cincinnati Reds.
2. Foreman.
3. Miller Barber.
4. Fran Tarkenton.
5. Sparky Anderson and Billy Martin.

### IT'S AMAZING!

THE ENERGY VALUE OF ONE OUNCE OF BREAD IS SUFFICIENT TO ENABLE A PERSON TO WALK A MILE!

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AMONG THE EARLY AMERICAN INDIANS WHO REGARDED BEavers AS SACRED, THE PENALTY FOR SLAUGHTERING THESE ANIMALS WAS DEATH!

BECAUSE MUTTON WAS FIRST USED AS MEAT BY FALLING MANLY MEN WHO WERE CALLED MUTTON PIE!

IN PARTS OF MANCHURIA BRIDES ARE COMPELLED TO WEAR IRON SHOES FOR THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF THEIR MARRIAGE, SO THEY WON'T WANDER AWAY FROM HOME!!

WHY PERISH SUPERSTITIOUS NATURES BELIEVE THAT IF ONE SLEEPS WITH A PIECE OF BREAD UNDER THE PILLOW AT NIGHT IT WILL CHASE AWAY EVIL SPIRITS AND BRING GOOD LUCK!

## ONE MINUTE SPORTS QUIZ

1. What teams met in the World Series?
2. Who won the bout between George Foreman and Dino Dennis?
3. Name the winner of the San Antonio-Texas Open Golf Tournament.
4. Who holds the record in the NFL for career completions?
5. Name the managers of the Reds and Yankees.

**Trust To Lust**  
 Most people don't have to be led into temptation—they can find their own way.  
 —Line, Cedar Rapids.

**Irish Wit**  
 For every woman who makes a fool out of a man there are a hundred who make a man out of a fool.  
 —Irish Digest.

**Strom Thurmond, Senator (R-SC):**  
 "I think by November, President Ford could conceivably carry every Southern state."

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 Sunday School, 10 a.m.  
 Morning Worship, 11 a.m.  
 Training Union, 6 p.m.  
 Evening Worship, 7 p.m.  
 Wed. Prayer Meeting  
 Choir Practice, 7:30 p.m.
- CATHOLIC CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY**  
 Mass 9:00 Saturday Evening  
 Rev. Malcolm Neyland
- CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
 Jayton, Texas  
 James Abbott, Minister  
 Sunday School, 10 a.m.  
 Morning Service, 11 a.m.  
 Evening Service, 6 p.m.  
 Wed. Prayer Meeting, 7:30
- CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
 Girard, Texas  
 Ray Robertson, Minister  
 Morning Service, 10 a.m.  
 Evening Service, 6 p.m.  
 Wednesday Evening Bible Classes, 7 p.m.
- FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
 Jayton, Texas  
 J.C. Owen, Pastor  
 Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
 Youth Meeting, 6 p.m.  
 Evening Worship, 7 p.m.  
 Wed. Prayer Meeting 8 p.m.

## TREASURES

He walked a long time and rang many doorbells and "scared" a lot of people in order to acquire his Halloween treasures. He wants to sleep with his treasures beside him, where he can feel the sack with his hand.

These treasures somehow remind you that one of your responsibilities toward your adorable child is to teach him what *real* treasures are — friends, country, church, good deeds, family, love of God, and quality of spirit, to name a few.

That "Trick or Treat" bag somehow reminds you of that scripture in Matthew that goes, "Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth where moth and dust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal: But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal: for where your treasure is, there will your heart be also."

You know that the church will help you in this, so you vow again to be faithful to every service, thankful for all the wonderful workers there, asking God to help you and them.

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

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The country of Nepal was once described as a "yam between two boulders," since it is landlocked between India and China in the central Himalayas.

Have you ever met anyone who had nothing to complain about? Unfortunately, the man who knows he can control strong drink seldom does. Money isn't worth the effort, but we can't convince ourselves on the point.

# VOTE Nov. 2

I sincerely appreciated the many votes and splendid support that I received in the primary election and as your Democratic nominee for the office of District Attorney of the 39th Judicial District, I solicit the vote and support of all voters in Haskell, Kent, Stonewall and Throckmorton Counties in the General Election to be held on November 2nd.

Respectfully yours,  
Joseph Thigpen

[Pd. Pol. Adv. pd for by Pam Thigpen, Campaign Treasurer]

## MINUTE OF COUNTY FINANCES

### TREASURER REPORT OF

F.O. HARRISON COUNTY TREASURER OF KENT COUNTY

ITEMS	BAL. 6-30-76	RECEIPTS	DISB.	BAL. 9-30-76
County	\$ 11,327.93	\$ -0-	\$ 170.00	\$ 11,157.93
Int. Road	174,843.79	-0-	129,565.00	45,278.79
General	117,634.93	86,030.42	169,280.88	34,384.47
Ev. Sharing	22,795.33	8,635.00	8,339.50	23,090.83
Park & Lib.				
Int. & Skg.	14,044.56	-0-	-0-	14,044.56
Int. Road State	11,793.55	-0-	-0-	11,793.55
Community Center				
Police	322.40	51.80	118.60	255.60
Criminal Justice	503.36	107.50	-0-	610.86
Totals	\$353,265.85	\$94,824.72	\$307,473.98	\$ 140,616.59

KENT COUNTY HAS NO BONDED INDEBTEDNESS AS OF 9-30-76

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared F.O. Harrison, County Treasurer of Kent County, who being duly sworn, on oath, says that the within and forgoing report is true and correct.

*F.O. Harrison* County Treasurer

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25 Day of Oct. 1976

*Jana Shuer* Clerk  
County Court, Kent County Texas

### Party Politics

One would like to see a presidential campaign conducted without the all-too-prevalent smears and personal attacks. In the concluding presidential campaign it's clear that the nominees have a generally acceptable record morally and financially. There may have been some discrepancies in past campaigns; this, however, has been widespread in both major parties in the past. Recently there has been new legislation and the public spotlight addressed the problem. Last-minute smears and scandals are to be deplored in presidential campaigns, unless based on solid evidence or judicial proceedings beyond much dispute. Elections should be decided primarily on platforms, issues and programs—on philosophical differences. In the long run, if one party produces crooks, cheats and phonies, the public will find that out, and the proper penalty will be exacted at the polls.

### Car Chases

Americans spend much time in front of television sets and see much cops and robbers, shooting and chasing about, etc. Producers must slap together a who-done-it show different from all the rest each week. Eventually, with some dozens of shows weekly, ideas run out. To fill the hour, automobile chases have become almost as standard as they were in Buster Keaton's day, when the horseless carriage was new and hot stuff. A producer can use up perhaps five minutes' time with car chase scenes. And so we're confronted with chase after chase. So many nice cars are smashed up! There isn't any longer a possibility for originality in these continuing car chases. We've seen cars jump open bridges, crash into buildings, go through vegetable markets and run off highways into ravines—and do everything else. Fifty years of this is enough.

### INDUSTRIAL OUTPUT

The nation's industrial output failed to grow in September for the first time in 18 months, primarily due to the strike in the automobile industry, the Federal Reserve Board reported.

### ON AEROSOL SPRAYS

The Food and Drug Administration announced it plans to phase out uses of fluorocarbons in aerosol sprays to protect the earth's protective ozone shield.

Life is so arranged that the more you have, the more you want; that's what keeps man going.

## GENERAL ELECTION (ELECCION GENERAL)

(Condado de) KENT COUNTY, TEXAS

November 2, 1976 (2 de noviembre de 1976)

## OFFICIAL BALLOT (BOLETA DE MUESTRA)

### INSTRUCTION NOTE: (NOTA DE INSTRUCCION.)

Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by placing an "X" in the square beside the candidate's name. You may vote a straight ticket by placing an "X" in the square beside the name of the party of your choice at the head of the party column. (Vote por el candidato de su preferencia para cada candidatura marcando con una "X" el cuadro al lado del nombre del candidato. Usted puede votar por todos los candidatos de un solo partido marcando con una "X" el cuadro al lado del partido de su preferencia a la cabeza de la columna para partidos.)

November 2, 1976  
(2 de noviembre de 1976)  
GENERAL ELECTION  
(ELECCION GENERAL)  
NOTE: VOTER'S SIGNATURE TO BE AFFIXED ON THE REVERSE SIDE.  
(NOTA: FIRMA DEL VOTANTE SERA FIJADA AL LADO REVERSO.)

Candidates for: (Candidatos para:)	<input type="checkbox"/> Democratic Party (Partido Democratico)	<input type="checkbox"/> Republican Party (Partido Republicano)	<input type="checkbox"/> Raza Unida Party (Partido Raza Unida)	<input type="checkbox"/> American Party (Partido Americano)	<input type="checkbox"/> Socialist Workers Party (Partido de Trabajadores Socialistas)	Independent (Independiente)	Write-In (Voto Escrito)
President and Vice President (Presidente y Vice Presidente)	<input type="checkbox"/> JIMMY CARTER <input type="checkbox"/> WALTER MONDALF	<input type="checkbox"/> GERALD R. FORD <input type="checkbox"/> ROBERT DOLE		<input type="checkbox"/> THOMAS J. ANDERSON <input type="checkbox"/> RUFUS SHACKLEFORD	<input type="checkbox"/> PETER COMEJO <input type="checkbox"/> WILFRED MAERREID	<input type="checkbox"/> EUGENE J. MCCARTHY	
United States Senator (Senador de los Estados Unidos)	<input type="checkbox"/> LLOYD BENTSEN	<input type="checkbox"/> ALAN STEELMAN		<input type="checkbox"/> MARJORIE P. GALLION	<input type="checkbox"/> PEDRO VASQUEZ		
United States Representative, (Representante de los Estados Unidos), District No. 17th - District	<input type="checkbox"/> OMAR BURLESON						
Railroad Commissioner (Comisionado de Ferrocarriles)	<input type="checkbox"/> JON NEWTON	<input type="checkbox"/> WALTER WENDLANDT	<input type="checkbox"/> FRED RODRIGUEZ GARZA		<input type="checkbox"/> PAT O'REILLY		
Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 1 (Juez Asociado, Corte Suprema, Lugar 1)	<input type="checkbox"/> JACK POPE						
Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 2 (Juez Asociado, Corte Suprema, Lugar 2)	<input type="checkbox"/> DON YARBROUGH						
Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3 (Juez Asociado, Corte Suprema, Lugar 3)	<input type="checkbox"/> JAMES G. DENTON						
Presiding Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals (Juez Presidente, Corte de Apelacion Criminal)	<input type="checkbox"/> JOHN F. ONION, JR.						
Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals (Juez, Corte de Apelacion Criminal)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRUMAN ROBERTS						
Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals— Unexpired Term (Juez, Corte de Apelacion Criminal— Termino no Completado)	<input type="checkbox"/> W. T. PHILLIPS						
State Representative, (Representante Estatal), District No. 101 District	<input type="checkbox"/> W. H. (BILL) HEATLY						
Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeals (Juez Asociado de la Corte de Apelacion Civil)	<input type="checkbox"/> CHARLES L. REYNOLDS						
District Attorney (Fiscal) District 39th district	<input type="checkbox"/> JOSEPH THIGPEN						
County Attorney (Procurador del Condado)	<input type="checkbox"/> HOWARD FREEMYER						
Sheriff and Tax Assessor—Collector (Sheriff y recaudador de impuestos)	<input type="checkbox"/> R. G. GOODALL						LARRY WILLIAMS

Write In Larry Williams  
For Sheriff

To Vote For Larry Williams There are Two Things to do—

First scratch out the name of R. G. Goodall

Second, write in the name of Larry Williams

[See arrows above]

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Next Tuesday, Nov. 2 is the date of the big national election. All the polls show that only about half of the qualified voters will take time to mark ballots.

This matter of voter apathy is having an influence on the American way of life, that no one is able to measure.

The most of the time many major decisions are made by small minorities because the majority stays home, and let the minority run things.

Just recently a minority of less than ten percent of the voters voted in a bond election in Hockley County. This gave a minority of about 7 percent of the people make this major decision.

Lets hope the people really turn out and vote this time and we get a true voice of the majority of the people.

People don't need any advice on how to vote. If they want Carter they will vote for him—or if they want Ford he will get their vote.

But there is a matter which is not getting very much attention and that is, the two amendments to the Texas Constitution which Texans will vote on this next Tuesday.

All Texans and particularly West Texans should favor these two amendments. They have to do with the Water program in our state.

People send us things. Sometimes they are profound. Most times they are clippings from other papers, or magazines. Some of the articles argue in favor of their particular political learnings. Sometimes they are just humorous.

This week we cleaned off a corner of our desk, and found four items readers had shared with us, and decided to in turn share with the rest of you.

A newspaper columnist reports this as one of the finest business letter stories ever heard. The letters, obviously written by an illiterate salesman, said:

"Dear Boss: I seen this outfit which they ain't never bot a dime's worth of nothing from us and I sole them a couple hundred thousand dollars worth of guds. I am now going to chawgo."

"Dear Boss: I cum hear and I sold them half a milyon," it said.

Both letters were posted on the bulletin board with a note appended by the company president:

"We been spendin' to much time hear tryin' to spel, insted of tryin' to sel. Let's watch these letters from Gooch who is on the rode going a grate job for us, and you go out and do like he done."

**FAULTFINDERS...**

They find fault with the editor; and say he should be shot; That columns are as peppy As a cemetery lot. They say he shows poor judgement; The jokes, they say, are stale. On upper floor they holler, On lower floors they wall; But when the paper is issued (We say it with a smile). If someone doesn't get one You can hear him yell a mile.

**DON'T I KNOW IT!!!**

The typographical error is a slippery thing and sly; You can hunt 'til you are dizzy, but it somehow will get by.

'Til the forms are off the presses, it is strange how still it sleeps; It shrinks down in a corner, and it never stirs or peeps.

That typographical error is too small for human eyes; 'Til the ink is on the paper, when it grows to mountain size.

The boss just stares with horror, then he grabs his hair and groans; The Copy reader drops his head upon his hands and moans.

The remainder of the issue may be clean as clean can be; But the typographical error is the only thing they'll see.

**SENIOR CITIZENS MEET**

The Senior Citizens organization for Kent County met Wednesday, October 20 in the Community center in Jayton, beginning at 10 a.m.

Table games including canasta, 42 and dominoes were played. Some of the women brought their hand work to work on during the time.

A delicious covered dish dinner was served during the noon hour.

Mrs. Kay Alburn and her assistant Rosa were in charge of the arrangements. All senior citizens of Kent County are urged to be in attendance, when the group meets each Wednesday at the center.

**WHO KNOWS?**

1. In the old Roman calendar, November was which month of the year?
2. How many Presidents were born in November?
3. Name the Presidents.
4. When was Lincoln elected President?
5. Name the flower representing November.
6. What is an amada?
7. Who invented the passenger elevator?
8. Where is the Eisenhower Museum located?
9. Define the phrase, "Errare humanum est."
10. What is the Ninth Commandment?

**NEW COTTON PROGRAM**  
The Agriculture Department has announced establishment of a new \$40 million line of credit to finance export of cotton to Korea.

**FLIGHT CHANGE**  
A federal fact-finding agency has recommended that most U.S. airlines change procedures used by their flight crews during bad weather landing attempts.

**BETS & SPORTS**  
The National Gambling Commission, drafting its final report, opposes legalized wagering on individual sports events such as football, baseball and basketball games.

**ON GRAIN LOAN RATES**  
Increased production loan rates for wheat and feed grains have been announced by the Ford administration.

**Terrible Situation**  
Bates--Gregg hasn't taken a vacation in years.  
Gates--He must be a hard worker.  
Bates--Just the opposite. His job is so easy that he hates to rest because it's too much like work.

**Torrid Talk**  
"Say, Pa!"  
"Well, what is it now?"  
"When deaf mutes say bad words do they get their fingers bummed?"

**Truth**  
Teacher: "As we walk out-of-doors on a cold winter's morning and look about us, what do we see on every hand?"  
Class: "Gloves!"

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD YOUTH HAVE HALLOWEEN PARTY**

The Christ Ambassadors, youth group, which meet each Sunday night at 6:30 before the evening worship services at the Jayton Assembly of God Church had a Halloween Party in the fellowship hall of the church Monday night, October 26.

The fellowship hall was decorated in the Halloween theme and was complete with a spook house, which was carried out in a very clever way.

Games were directed by Deb. Smith. Assisting with the entertainment was Mrs. Joe Gaston and Mrs. J. Owen.

The 14 in attendance enjoyed refreshments of chips, cookies and punch.

**TREAT 'EM WITH THESE Halloween**

Chili	Wilson 15 oz. No Beans	59c
Crackers	Sunshine Krispy 1 Lb.	49c
Cookies	Sunbeam	3 for \$1.00
Peaches	Shurline 29 oz.	49c
Antifreeze Coolant	Shurline 1 gal.	\$2.99
Flour	Light Crust 5 Lb.	79c
Towels	Delta Large Roll	49c
All kinds trick or treat candies		
Oleo	Parkay 1 Lb. Quarters	49c
Bologna	Gooch All Meat	89c
Bacon	Gooch 1 Lb.	\$1.29
Weiners	Gooch 12 oz.	69c
Sausage	Rath 1 Lb.	79c
Pizza	Totino's 13 1/2 oz.	\$1.09
Apples	3 Lb. Bag Delicious	59c
Shortening	Swift Jewel 42 oz.	99c
Hairspray	Style or Breck	89c
Bath Oil	Shurline 32 oz.	59c
Sue Pree Shampoo	16 oz. Reg. 69c Cream Rinse or Hand Lotion	39c

**Jayton Food Store**

**Register all hand-guns?**

Carter says yes.  
Ford says no.  
What do you say?  
Say it on Nov. 2nd.  
Vote for President Ford.

**D-DAY FOR DEMOCRATS**

**Nov. 2**



**Voters of the 101st Legislative District:**

You have seen many times the following test sentence for beginning typists: "Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their party."

Tuesday, November 2 is it for this year, though it should be amended by substituting "Democrats" for "men," because everybody 18 years of age and older, regardless of sex, is eligible to vote.

**W. S. (Bill) HEATLY**

I have two suggestions:

1. Be sure to vote. In case you plan to be away from home on election day, go to your County Clerk's office and cast an absentee ballot in the period prior to election day prescribed by law.
2. Vote a straight Democratic ticket!

I appreciate your support in the past and solicit your vote in the General Election. Call on me when I can be of service. I can be reached at my office in Paducah, except during sessions of the Legislature when I can be reached at my Austin office.