

All Around the Town



by Mary Ann Sarchet

TEN BEST, WORST TEXAS LEGISLATORS NAMED

Named by "Texas Monthly" as the ten best legislators following the 65th Legislature were John Bryant, 30, liberal Democrat, Dallas; Ronald Coleman, 36, liberal Democrat, El Paso; Ray Farabee, 44, conservative Democrat, Wichita Falls; Lance Lalor, 30, liberal Democrat, Houston; Lynn Nabers, 37, conservative Democrat, Brownwood; Jim Nugent, 55, conservative Democrat, Kerrville; Wayne Peveto, 38, conservative Democrat, Orange; A. R. (Babe) Schwartz, 50, liberal Democrat, Galveston; Max Sherman, 42, conservative Democrat, Amarillo; John Wilson, 37, moderate Democrat, LaGrange.

Included in the "ten best" was the state senator who represents the people of Briscoe County, Ray Farabee. About this Legislator, "Texas Monthly" said: All the cliches fit this rising Senate star: observers describe him as conscientious, hardworking, smart, fair, independent, someone who does his homework. These qualities apply to at least a score of legislators; yet there is something about this soft-spoken, scholarly-looking senator that sets him apart: an air of inner strength, of incorruptibility, which suggests that a true legislative craftsman may be in the making.

"Earned his spurs by soundly thrashing Senate heavyweight Babe Schwartz in the floor fight over medical malpractice. Their clash was the session's most dramatic moment; the veteran with the wisdom and skills accumulated over two decades against the upstart newcomer in his first major test. Senate historians may mark Farabee's victory (he carried the doctor's amendments to a trail-lawyer-backed compromise bill) as the moment the torch was passed to the upcoming generation of senators.

"Carried a small but important legislative program, including a bill to provide a method of financing the revitalization of blighted downtown areas. Conceived, drafted, and passed a "natural death with dignity" bill for terminally ill patients; it was one of the few major bills to become law without the help of organized support—mainly because Farabee lobbied it through the House himself. Also carried a crucial worker's compensation bill that required delicate handling in both houses.

"One of a regrettably small handful of senators who can't be seduced, coerced, or otherwise convinced to support sleazy bills (voted against loan sharks, insurance sharpies, and the more out-rageous realtor positions). If he has a flaw, it's that he is still unsure of himself. Showed signs last session of resisting the logrolling and pork barreling so prevalent in the appropriations process; performed well on the Finance Committee again but no longer seemed willing to question the system. Like Max Sherman, tends to be less conservative than his district (though neither is a liberal by any stretch of the imagination) but, unlike Sherman, hasn't learned how far to follow his instincts."

Selected as the "ten worst" Texas legislators were Tom Creighton, 50, conservative Democrat, Mineral Wells; Bob Davis, 35, Republican, Irving; Charles Evans, 38, conservative Democrat, Hurst; DeWitt Hale, 60, moderate Democrat, Corpus Christi; Glen Kothmann, 49, liberal Democrat, San Antonio; Tom Massey, 46, conservative Democrat, San Angelo; Chris Miller, 51, liberal Democrat, Fort Worth; Bill Presnal, 45, conservative Democrat Bryan; Joe Robbins, 42, Republican, Lubbock; Clay Smothers, 42, conservative Democrat, Dallas.

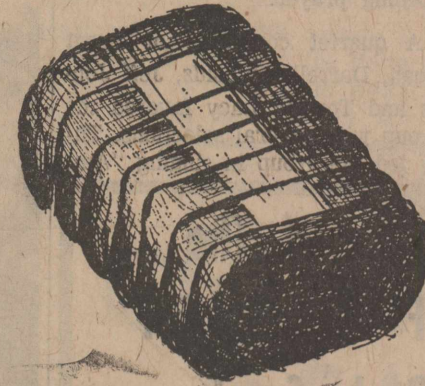
The term "furniture" is used to describe those who, by virtue of their ineffectiveness or indifference, were indistinguishable from their desks, chairs and inkwells. It is used to identify the most inconsequential members listed as "new furniture" in the House are William Blanton, Carrollton; Betty Denton, Waco; Tom Martin, George West; Pete Patterson, Brookston; Lou Nelle Sutton, San Antonio; Robert Valles, El Paso. Listed as "used furniture" are Jim Clark, Pasadena; Tony Garcia, Pharr; Joe Hernandez, San Ant-

Silverton: Home of Scenic Lake Mackenzie

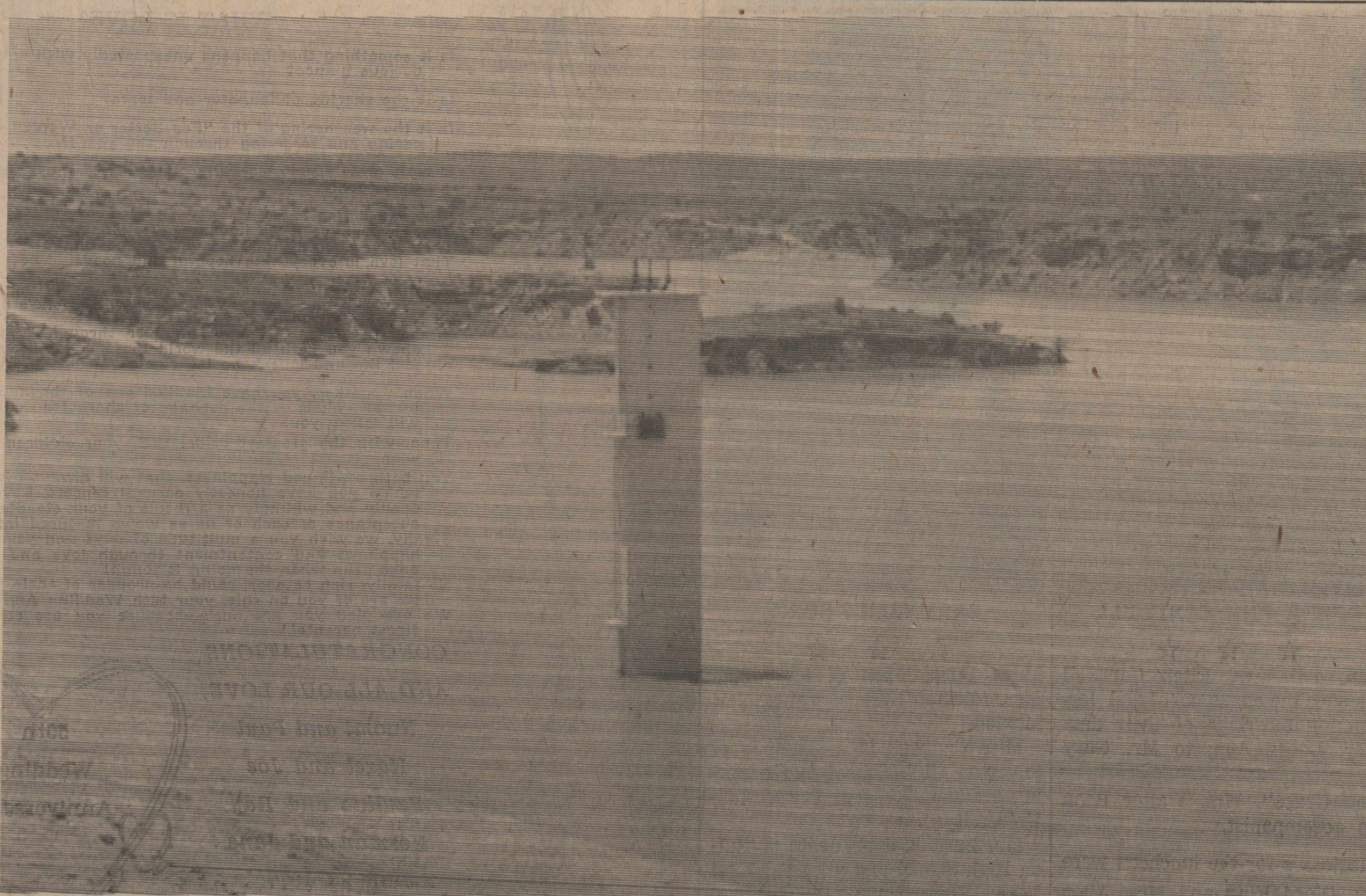


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Walleye Stocked in Lake Mackenzie

Twelve Texas lakes received 16.8 million walleye as Parks and Wildlife Department fish hatchery workers have completed stockings of the Predator Fish for 1977.

Majority of Walleye stocked this year were fry as they are easier and cheaper to produce and transport to lakes, requiring only a minimum of hatchery space and leaving ponds free for production of other species.

Of the 16.8 million total walleye stocked, only 15,750 were larger fingerling fish which require more time and feeding to produce. Lakes receiving Walleye fry included: Buchanan, 4.8 million; Stamford, 1.3 million; Mackenzie, 180,000; Brownwood, 1.5 million; Travis, 3.7 million; Moss, 341,000; Moss Creek Reservoir, 30,000; Sweetwater, 122,000; Amistad, 2.1 million; Cedar Creek Reservoir, one million; and Falcon, 1.7 million.

The 15,750 fingerlings were stocked in Alcoa Reservoir. Walleye production was short of expectations this year because out-of-state sources were unable to supply Texas with sufficient numbers of walleye eggs.

The department had hoped to receive eggs from both New Mexico and Nebraska this year, but only New Mexico was able to supply some 4.5 million eggs. As in past years, Lake Meredith in the Panhandle was the major Texas source of eggs for the walleye production program. Some 12 million larvae were produced from Meredith broodfish.

Adult broodfish from Lakes O. C. Fisher, Twin Buttes, Fort Phantom Hill and Diversion supplied the balance.

The 1977 stockings brings the total number of walleye stocked to 143 million since 1970.

The 15,750 fingerlings which went into Alcoa Reservoir were part

of the Parks and Wildlife Department's inland fisheries research program of predator diversity. Program director Nick Carter said Alcoa will have flounder, northern pike and hybrid striped bass stocked in addition to the already present native large mouth bass and catfish.

"Theory behind predator diversity," said Carter, "is that many predator fish in a reservoir tend to stabilize fishing quality over a long period of time. 'Fishing pressure is spread over more species instead of concentrating on one predator such as the largemouth bass. 'When more different predators are in the same reservoir it probably reduces the total pounds (standing crop) of a species but the overall poundage of predators is most likely increased. 'When factors adversely affect one predator species, other species may compensate by increasing. Carter said more different predators create competition for forage among the fishes and increase their chances of being caught by sport fishermen.

"Boycott Plainview" Petitions Circulated

The Briscoe County Citizens for Natural Weather met in Silverton Thursday night and in Quitaque Friday night to discuss plans to boycott Plainview merchants because of their support of cloud seeding and weather modification. Petitions are being circulated and are at local businesses and

banks in both towns, also at Rock Creek Grocery and Vigo Park Store. These petitions will be taken to Plainview city officials at a later date.

Local merchants are asked to support this campaign as it will mean more money being spent at home and more city tax dollars being kept at home.

Silverton's Mackenzie Water Authority taxpayers should keep in mind that cloud seeding could affect rainfall on the watershed area, thus limiting the amount of water that might accumulate in the lake, which is to be Silverton's future water supply. The large amount of water that the lake received, allowing boating and skiing came before the cloud seeding was permitted this year. Each person in Briscoe County is urged to sign a petition and to encourage friends and relatives in other counties to join in this effort.

Club To Sponsor Flag Wavers' Page

The Century of Progress Study Club will again sponsor the Flag Wavers' Page in the Briscoe County News on the Fourth of July. The money made from the sponsorship of this page has gone back into a Community Project each year.

This year the money received will be used to start a "Piano Fund" for the Senior Citizens Community Center.

Your name may be placed on this page for \$3.00. Mrs. L. D. Griffin is chairman of this project, and anyone desiring to have his name put on the page may contact her or any other member of the club.

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He married Oma Hanna June 3, 1911, at Longworth and moved to Morton in June, 1924, where he was a member of the First United Methodist Church. Survivors include his wife; four sons, Hugh Lytle of Elfrida, Arizona, Ray Lytle of Talihina, Oklahoma, Floyd Lytle of Danville, California and Maurice Lytle of Morton; three daughters, Mrs. Lola Mae Stephens of Silverton, Mrs. Verna Brown of Bledsoe and Mrs. Darlene James of Lubbock; 12 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. David Tipton, Susie and Dwain, vacationed at Lake Altus in Oklahoma last week. They visited his father, Chafe Tipton, at the Bivins Rehabilitation Center in Amarillo Friday.

Winners Named At First 4-H Horse Show Elimination

The first County 4-H Horse Show Elimination was held June 17 with 17 4-Hers participating. The high point individual was Rebecca Reid with 21 points closely followed by Susan Payne with 20 and Zane Reagan with 19. The total results are as follows:

REGISTERED MARES 5 AND OVER

Rebecca Reid, 1st, Grand Champion Mare; Jimmy Forbes, 2nd Reserve Grand Champion Mare.

REGISTERED GELDINGS 5 AND OVER

Zane Reagan, 1st; Robert Johnson, 2nd; Susan Payne, 3rd; Bill Settle, 4th; Cynthia Edwards, 5th; and Shane Smith, 6th.

REGISTERED GELDINGS 4 AND UNDER

Darrell Johnson, 1st; Lee Ann Murtry, 2nd; Stephen Stephens, 3rd; D'Anne Smith, 4th.

GRADE GELDINGS

Iva Johnson, 1st; and Cam Forbes, 2nd.

Grand Champion Gelding went to Zane Reagan; Reserve Champion Gelding went to Darrell Johnson.

SHOWMANSHIP

Rebecca Reid, 1st; Susan Payne, 2nd; Bill Settle, 3rd; Darrell Johnson, 4th; Zane Reagan, 5th; Lee Ann Murtry, 6th.

WESTERN PLEASURE

Rebecca Reid, 1st; Zane Reagan, 2nd; Jim Forbes, 3rd; Bill Settle, 4th; Darrell Johnson, 5th; and Shane Smith, 6th.

WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP

Jim Forbes, 1st; Rebecca Reid, 2nd; Zane Reagan, 3rd; Shane Smith, 4th; Bill Settle, 5th and Darrell Johnson, 6th.

POLE BENDING

Susan Payne, 1st; Cynthia Edwards, 2nd; Lee Ann Murtry, 3rd; Kimberly Fitzgerald, 4th; and Cam Forbes, 5th.

Susan Payne, 1st; Shelly Harris 2nd; Cam Forbes, 3rd; Kimberly Fitzgerald, 4th; Lee Ann Murtry, 5th; Cynthia Edwards, 6th.

The show was judged by Mike Brown, Assistant County Extension Agent, Floyd County.

The second horse show will be held this Saturday night, June 25, at 7:00 p.m. All 4-Hers should have their project record forms, photostatic copies of form, or registrations papers, or grade certificate and copies of health papers,

PLANTING ADDITIONAL ACRES PROBABLY WON'T AFFECT CROP HISTORY

It has been reported that some producers are planting additional acreage of some program crops in order to build a higher 1977 planting history. This has been brought about by rumors of pending legislation that could become effective for the 1978 crop year.

To people in ASCS in Washington it appears that acreage plantings for the 1977 crop will have very little if any beneficial effect on program benefits in 1978.

Both the Senate and House versions of pending legislation provide that in the event set aside is required, it may be a percentage of the preceding years' acreage planted for harvest. Both bills provide authority to adjust such acreage either up or down to correct for abnormal factors. The House Bill also provides that set-aside may be based on a percentage of acreage planted for harvest in the current year.

Producers are being encouraged to plant only those crops and acreages in 1977 which will, in their best judgment, assure them the greatest economic return. Planting in anticipation of future programs in proposed legislation would result in a economic disadvantage to them in both 1977 and 1978.

Mrs. T. W. Devenport Buried Sunday

Funeral services for Mrs. T. W. Devenport were conducted at 3:00 p.m. Sunday at the Church of Christ in Wellington, with Rev. Gaylord of Stanford officiating.

Burial was at Arlie Cemetery, southeast of Wellington, and was directed by Kelso Funeral Home. A Wellington resident for 35 years, Mrs. Devenport was a native of Silverton. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include the widower, T. W. Devenport; four sisters, Mrs. Bruce Gibson of Turkey; Mrs. Elsie Cornett, Mrs. Neva Garvin, both of Silverton; and Mrs. Velma Hopson of Winslow, Arizona; one brother, H. R. Welch of Fort Sumner, New Mexico.

Relatives attending the services were Mr. and Mrs. Onar Cornett, Mrs. Neva Garvin, Mrs. M. L. Welch, Mrs. Wade Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Don Cornett, Kim and Mike, Mrs. Nannie Bomar, Carl Bomar, Mr. and Mrs. Don Burson Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Patton, Mr.

and Mrs. Lynn Welch, Ronald Welch, Mrs. Maxine Morris, all of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Welch, Dimmitt; Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Cornett and John Todd, Amarillo; David Cornett, Austin; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hatcher, Tulsa; Mr. and Mrs. Denny Welch, Tucumcari, New Mexico; Mrs. Bernice Welch, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Welch, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Gibson, Turkey; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bingham and family, Big Spring; and Jerry Bingham, Amarillo.

Friends attending from Silverton were Mr. and Mrs. Ware Fogerson, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Fogerson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brooks, Anne and Nelle Bryant and Mrs. D. H. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sarchet were in Amarillo for her appointment with her doctor Friday. En route home, they visited in the home of Mrs. J. M. Hill in Tulsa with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carson of Uvalde and Miss Teena Carson, who teaches in Weatherford. Mrs. Hill and the Carsons attended Friday night's performance of "Texas".

complete and ready to turn in on Saturday.

Lions Hold Meeting

At a stated meeting on the 16th of June, the meeting of the Silverton Lions Club was called to order by Lion Boss Ronnie Hester.

The Lions will operate the fire works stand again this year.

We will vote for a new Lions Queen at our next meeting on the 7th of July. Lee Ann McMurry has made a wonderful queen the past year. Thanks to Lee Ann from all of the Lions for all that she has done. We all wish for her the very best in the years to come.

The Lions voted to buy a barbecue grill and ask for a \$1.00 donation for a ticket. The proceeds will be given to the Senior Citizens to help restore the old Clinic Building. You may get a ticket from any of the Lions.

We have had some ladies to ask about a Ladies Lions Club. If you are interested, please contact a Lion and we will see if we can get one started.

Lee Clay, Reporter

Services Held For Burson Infant

Graveside rites were held for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Burson at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday in the Silverton Cemetery, with Ted Kingery, Silverton Church of Christ, minister, officiating.

Arrangements were handled by the Silverton Funeral Home.

The infant was stillborn at 5:00 a.m. Monday at Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulsa.

Survivors include the parents; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Burson of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Marlis Barker of Kerrville; and great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. True Burson and Mrs. Nannie Bomar, all of Silverton, Mrs. Birdie Stewardson, and Morgan Barker of San Saba.

ATTEND REUNION IN SAN ANGELO

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. May, their three sons and their families held a family reunion in San Angelo recently.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. O. E. May, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin May, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Breedlove and Alisha of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Larry May and Mrs. Heath, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Thurman May, and Mr. and Mrs. David May, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Orrin May, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sewell, William and Tona, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie May, Hobbs, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Bill May, Sherman and a friend DeLaine of Canyon.

All were there but one grandson and granddaughter and her family.

Lots of camping, boating and some fishing were enjoyed by everyone.

Mrs. John Crum returned home Saturday evening from Dumas where she attended the funeral of her second brother within two and a half months.

Sam Harbert passed away in Northwest Texas Hospital at 4:10 a.m. Thursday, June 16, and was buried Saturday in Dumas.

R. L. O. Riddell is a patient at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock following hip surgery two weeks ago.

Mrs. Jerry Miller was in Amarillo Friday for her doctor's appointment.

INCREASED FOOD STAMP BENEFITS TOLD

Households which were receiving rent or mortgage supplements from the Department of Housing (HUD) between August 5, 1974 and Urban Development and October 8, 1975 may be entitled to increased food stamp benefits.

The State Department of Public Welfare announced today that the housing supplements paid under Act of 1937 should not have been considered as income to food stamp households during this period of time.

All households which were denied, or received a reduced level of benefits because of the application of this policy may be entitled to retroactive benefits or refunds.

Further details on this matter may be obtained from any food stamp certification office.

SENIOR CITIZENS HONORED WITH LUNCHEON

The Southwestern Home Demonstration Club honored the Senior Citizens with a luncheon on Friday, June 17, in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church. Mrs. J. D. Nance, club president, welcomed the guests. The

Home Demonstration creed was read by Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald. Rev. Porter Arnold led in the opening prayer.

A quartet composed of Brent Bean, Darrell Reynolds, Jeff Jones and Tommy Lacy favored the group with several selections. They led the group in singing "Am-

To Marry Soon



DEBRA ANN CANTWELL

GARY MARK BURK

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Cantwell announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Debra Ann, to Mr. Gary

Mark Burk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Burk of Raton, New Mexico.

azing Grace". Mrs. Walter Bean was accompanist.

Miss Cantwell is a graduate of Silvertown High School and a spring graduate of West Texas State University.

Hostesses for the luncheon were Mrs. Oford King and Mrs. Allen Kellum, with the able assistance of Mrs. Raymond Teeple, Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald, Mrs. J. D. Nance, Mrs. Georgia Allard and the other club members who brought dishes.

Mr. Burk is a graduate of Raton High School and attended West Texas State University.

Wedding vows will be exchanged at Rock Creek Church of Christ on August 2.

There were forty-eight Senior Citizens in attendance. They held a business meeting after the luncheon, conducted by Mrs. Mae Bomar, vice president.

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WHAT IS LOVE?

Is it something that happens unexpectedly with only a smile or curious glance?
 Is it the sharing of laughter and tears?
 Is it the weathering of the "For Better or Worse" vows, or the caring and forgiving through the years?
 Does it grow slowly, carefully nurtured; or burst suddenly into full bloom?
 Who can define love?
 Those who have loved have no questions to ask. They have shared and they wisely understand That love is everything hopeful and good.
 Sharing and caring—endlessly giving. Not only the love of one's body, but also the love held deep within one's heart.
 When the seasons — from Summer through Winter — have shown you both all the world there is to see, and still you feel life and love have been good
 When, together, you have instilled one of the most important human values — the heritage of character — in those that will follow you.
 Then, with the greatest pride, WE, your children and family, wish
 You both continued Happiness, that will always grow; Respect, which you have honestly earned; Sincere Love, expressed openly and willingly as a result of your steadfast faith and acceptance of each of us as we've matured into adults.
 Finally, we wish you a multitude of days and years of blissful happiness and contentment through love and God's guidance even when the going is tough!
 No family, rich or poor, could be prouder of their parents than we are of you on this, your 50th Wedding Anniversary. We are glad you are our's—because you are some of God's finest parents!

CONGRATULATIONS

AND ALL OUR LOVE,

- Naomi and Paul
- Hazel and Joe
- Pauline and Ray
- Norman and Jane
- June 26, 1977



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A THIRSTY LAND

Men have a thirst and a longing for goodness and righteousness. Even the most parched soul is touched by acts of kindness, forgiveness, and love. Jesus said, "Whosoever drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst; but the water that I shall give him shall be in him a well of water springing up into everlasting life."

May all who are thirsty for a oneness with man and with God find satisfaction and fulfillment by attending church

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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DUDLEYS RETURN FROM EUROPEAN VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley returned from a month's vacation on June 15. They visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Norlan Dudley in Houston for four days, then flew from Houston to Frankfurt, Germany for a visit with their daughter and family, LTC and Mrs.

Carol D. Davis, Alex and Max of Stuttgart, Germany.

While in Europe, the Dudleys and Davises toured Stuttgart and Wurzburg, Germany and the surrounding areas. They toured the Black Forest of Germany, Zurich, Switzerland, over the Klausen Pass of the Swiss Alps, returning to Stuttgart via the

Boden Sea, Austria, and the Bavarian States of Germany.

Dudley states that Europe is the greenest, cleanest, and most beautiful place he has ever seen. She says it is the most difficult place to get a glass of water that she has ever encountered. Both Mr. and Mrs. Dudley report that they had a wonderful time.

The Dudleys returned to Houston from Frankfurt where they spent one day with Mr. and Mrs. Norlan Dudley before returning home.

The Davises of Stuttgart plan to move back to the U. S. in late September.

Cystic Fibrosis Foundation Working To Save Children

"Little more than a decade ago the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation was working to keep CF youngsters alive long enough to start school. Now we are trying to help some of these same patients, who have grown to young adulthood, enter college or find jobs."

These encouraging words came from our newly recruited chairman, Mrs. Ruby Brannon of Silvertown, Texas as she accepted the chairmanship of the 1977 Breath of Life Campaign.

Longevity has increased every year because of earlier diagnosis and progress on research and cure," said our chairman. "It is efforts such as these that we support by volunteering for contributing to the Breath of Life Campaign." This year's campaign begins with a Door-to-Door march in September. When a CF marcher knocks on your door, give as generously as you are able," she said. "Remember that even today with improvements research and

Briscoe County Reports Eight Accidents in May

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated eight accidents on rural highways in Briscoe County during the month of May, 1977 according to Sergeant J. R. Smith, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in one person killed and three persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first five months of 1977 shows a total of 20 accidents resulting in one person killed and six persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for May, 1977 shows a total of 541 accidents resulting in 18 persons killed and 338 persons injured as compared to May, 1976, with 517 accidents was 24 more accidents, four more killed, and 70 more injured in 1977 at the same period of time.

The 18 traffic deaths for the month of May, 1977 occurred in the following counties: Two each in Hartley, One each in Briscoe, Castro, Collingsworth, Cottle, Dallam, Foard, Gray, Potter, Swisher, Wheeler, Wilbarger, Dickens, Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock and Parker.

care have brought, there is no cure for this inherited, genetic disease.

Among the programs of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation are support for over 100 Cystic Fibrosis Centers across the nation. "These Centers provide diagnosis, treatment and referral to children who have these lung-damaging diseases as well as those who suffer from gastrointestinal disorders related to cystic fibrosis," the campaign chairman said. "In Texas there are clinics at San Antonio, Houston and Dallas."

The Foundation also funds research to find a cure and control for cystic fibrosis, the most serious of these lung-damaging diseases, and to develop better treatments for children suffering from all lung disorders.

"The treatments that prolong the lives of children with cystic fibrosis also alleviate, and often cure, children with other lung-damaging diseases," she added.

Cystic Fibrosis, the number one genetic killer of children, affects one out of every 1,500 babies born each year and occurs when a child inherits two genes for the disease, one from each parent.

"The parents don't have cystic fibrosis, but they are among the 10 million carriers of the gene in the United States," she added that one goal of Foundation supported research is a test to detect these carriers."

"We don't need more reasons than these to actively support the Breath of Life Campaign."

Bridal Shower Honors Mrs. Cannon Here

Mrs. Monte Cannon, the former Kerri Arnold, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous bridal shower and coffee from 10:00 until 11:00 a.m. in the Pioneer Room at the First State Bank Saturday.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. John T. Francis, who presented them to the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Fred Arnold, and to Mrs. Lewis Cannon of Tulia, mother of the bridegroom.

Miss Lesa Francis presided at the guest registry. The refreshment table was covered with a white cloth and was decorated with an arrangement of white and yellow daisies with baby's breath. Misses Suzette Fitzgerald, Danna Garvin and Debra Strange served refreshments of sausage and cheese balls, coffee cake, coffee and tea.

Guests from out of town were Mrs. James Monk of Flomot, grandmother of the groom, Mrs. Worthy Cantwell, Plainview; and Mrs. Paul Bedingfield, Shallowater, both aunts of the bride.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Aubrey Rowell, Mrs. John T. Francis, Mrs. John Gill, Mrs. Alvie Francis, Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald, Mrs. Joe Brannon, Mrs. Ted Strange, Mrs. Guinn Fitzgerald, Mrs. Claude Jarrett, Mrs. L. B. Garvin, Mrs. Billy Wayne Garvin, Mrs. Charles Sarchet, all of Silvertown, and Mrs. Norvell Breedlove, Mrs. Jimmy McCaslin, Mrs. Glenn McCaslin, Mrs. James Scarborough, Mrs. Teddy McCaslin, Mrs. Eugene McCaslin, Mrs. Eddie McCaslin, and Mrs. Leonard Frye, all of Tulia.

Medical School To Conclude Dedication Month

West Texas residents are invited to a tour and reception at Texas Tech University School of Medicine (TTUSM). Open houses on Sunday, June 19 and 26, will conclude the month of dedication honoring the citizens of West Texas.

Approximately 2,000 guests, students and faculty, reaching across four countries, 17 states and 43 Texas Counties have joined in celebrating the completion of the first phase of construction of the new building.

The \$40 million medical structure is presently completed on the exterior but only some 40 per cent of the interior is finished. Another 10 per cent will be completed by August 1978. The remainder of the building will be completed in pace with the needs of the school. The building encompasses 811,417 gross square feet. Housed in the new building are basic science departments, clinical departments and support services.

TTUSM was established by the 61st Texas Legislature in 1969 to serve the health care needs of West Texas. The enabling leg-

islation stated "when in the best interests of medical education..." the school open regional academic health centers in Amarillo, El Paso and the Permian Basin, as well as to establish academic headquarters in

Lubbock. The centers are now operating in Amarillo and El Paso, with the latter to dedicate its regional building in early fall. Negotiations to establish the Permian Basin center are now underway.

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 We want to thank you, our friends, and loved ones who have remembered us with prayers cards and gifts while Gaston was in the hospital and since he has returned home. He is improving every day. We know God spared his life through prayer. We want to thank Shirley for helping with the newspaper. For every act of kindness, we are truly grateful. Keep up the prayers. May God bless each of you. Gaston and Lottie Owens and Family

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF COUNTY'S INTENTION TO RECEIVE BIDS FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE PICK-UP TRUCK
 Notice is hereby given that sealed Bids addressed to the County Judge of Briscoe County, at Silverton, Texas will be received by the Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County, Texas office of the County Judge until 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the 11th day of July A.D. 1977, for the purchase of one Pick-up for Precinct no. 3 of Briscoe County, Texas.
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Farabee Calls For Tax Reform

Senator Ray Farabee called on Governor Dolph Briscoe to include provisions for tax reform in the called session of the Legislature which is expected for July. He stated that tax reform should occur to reduce the property tax for financing public school education, utility tax for consumers of small amounts of energy, increase inheritance tax exemption, and allow for taxation of agricultural land on the basis of its productivity.
 Senator Farabee said, "We were fortunate to have a surplus during the past year and I feel that some of this money should be returned to the people in the form of tax relief, especially in the areas of property tax, inheritance tax and utility taxes. The inheritance tax laws have not been revised for many years. Also, inflation and high utility costs are taking a heavy toll on the taxpayers, especially those who must live on fixed incomes." Although the Senate passed a measure providing for an expanded Constitutional amendment allowing agricultural land to be taxed on its productive value rather than its market value, it failed to pass both houses of the Legislature. The mandatory 140 day session adjourned before the House could concur with Senate amendments to inheritance and utility tax relief plans.
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his letter to the Governor, Senator Farabee stated, "Because of the uncertainties of agricultural production and prices, the present system is inequitable to farmers and ranchers. I share your goal of making Texas 'Number 1' in agricultural production, and it is my feeling that the legislation mentioned above would provide a needed incentive to Texas' agricultural producers."

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