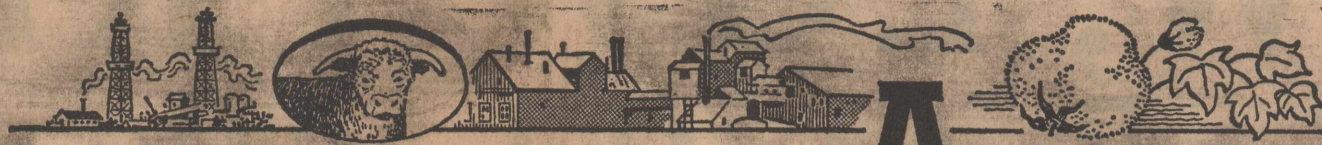


The Weather

From records of Fred Byerly, Weather Observer.

Wed. 28th	97 66
Thurs. 29th	96 63
Fri. 30th	82 67
Sat. 1st	92 63
Sun. 2nd	95 69
Mon. 3rd	Tr. 95 68
Tues. 4th	89 65

Total precipitation to date 1966 12.18
 Total precipitation to date 1967 8.98



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Savings Bond Report Given

Sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds are at an all-time high according to R. L. Springer, Chairman of the Fisher County Savings Bond Committee. Savings Bond sales during the month of May in Fisher county totaled \$1,624, for the first five months of 1967 sales in this county amounted to \$25,978 which is 43 per cent of the yearly goal of \$60,000.

Total purchases of Series E and H Bonds in Texas for the month of May totaled \$14,036,566 — 9.7 per cent increase over May of 1966.

Nationally, during May new purchases of E and H Savings Bonds amounted to \$438 million — a 22 year peak — and an increase over May 1966 of 6 per cent.

Service Held For Felix Yanez

Services for Felix Salome Yanez, 24, were held at 4 p.m. Wednesday in Weathersbee Funeral Chapel with the Rev. E. P. Gonzales, Baptist minister from Snyder, officiating.

Burial was in Belview cemetery.

Mr. Yanez died in Callan Hospital early Sunday night, shortly after the car he was driving overturned a mile south of Rotan on FM 2832.

Condition of Thomas Rodriguez, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rodriguez of Rotan, injured in the accident, was reported improved at Callan Hospital. Earlier his condition was reported to be very serious.

Born Feb. 7, 1943, in Rotan, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Yanez, the wreck fatality victim attended Rotan public schools and in 1961 joined the U. S. Air Force. He was discharged from the service last week.

He was a member of the Mexican Baptist Church in Rotan.

Survivors include his parents of Rotan; two sisters, Mrs. Lupe Perez of Santa Ana, Calif., and Lydia Yanez of Rotan; six brothers, Joe, Manuel, Luther Jr., Jim, Emilio and Richard, all of Rotan; the parental grandmother, Mrs. Modesto Yanez, and his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Rodriguez of Rotan.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Watson during the weekend and holiday were their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Freeman and children of Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Watson and children of Dallas.

One Killed In Traffic Accident

The Fourth holiday was very quiet in Rotan with one fatal traffic accident and a few minor mishaps, denting fenders etc. The fatal accident was early Sunday night when Felix Yanez, 24, was killed when the car he was driving overturned on FM 2832. A cousin, Thomas Yanez was seriously injured, and is in Callan Hospital for observation and treatment.

Many local rodeo fans attended Stamford Reunion, a number attended the Art Show at Snyder, while others attended various events in the area, but most of us stayed home and enjoyed the cooler day.

Texas led the nation in violent deaths, and at midnight Tuesday had doubled the pre-holiday estimate of the Department of Public Safety, with more than one hundred violent deaths, 68 in traffic 13 drownings and 4 in boating accidents. This is the highest record in Texas history.

The nation also set a record with more than 1,000 fatalities.

Relative Dies At Abilene

John C. Simmons, 44, agency manager for Fortune Life Insurance Agency in Abilene, died early Tuesday morning in Dyess AFB hospital after entering the hospital Friday night.

He died of an apparent heart attack.

He married Genevieve Eaton in Abilene, Dec. 17, 1941. She is the daughter of Mrs. Perry Eaton of Rotan.

Arrangements are pending with North's Funeral Home.

He was born in Baum, Oklahoma, and finished school in Ardmore, Okla. He received a B.A. degree from Ohio State University while in the military service.

Mr. Simmons entered the Army in 1938. In 1943 he transferred to the Air Force. He was a command pilot in the Air Force and attained the rank of Lt. Colonel. He was stationed at Dyess 1958-60 and returned permanently in 1964.

He was a veteran of World War II and received numerous decorations.

He retired from the Air Force in 1965 and assumed the responsibilities he held with Fortune Life Insurance Co. at the time of his death.

Mr. Simmons was a deacon in First Presbyterian Church and a member of the South-west Rotary Club. He was a Mason.

Survivors include his wife of the home at 1942 Willow Dr.; two daughters, Mrs. Wyley Flynn of Mineral Wells, Kathy Simmons of the home; a son, Steve of the home; a granddaughter, Tracy Flynn of Mineral Wells; his mother, Mrs. Brook Simmons of Ardmore, Okla.; a sister, Mrs. Ira Burk of Ardmore; and a brother, Gary of Ardmore.

All-Star Team Is Announced

Rotan All-Star Team was selected from Little League teams and this team will enter All-Star tournament play at Aspermont July 21, 7:00 p.m. with Hamlin team.

Coaches of this team are Bob Price, Howard Ragsdale and Jack Jones.

Members of the team, Marsh Hill, Morris Womack, Neal Summers, Randy Murphree, Vick Burk, Earl Pearson, Ken Smith, Jack McCall, Kenneth Alcorn, Paul Wylie, Arthur Taylor, Eddie Medrano, Joe Langley and Neal Hargrove.

Alternates are, Robert Kerns, William Duke, Bruce Martin and David LeBlau.

Seat Belt Use Urged

Despite the increase in the number of cars which have seat belts, the percentage of motorists who use them is going down, Wm. M. Coffey, General Manager, Texas Division, American Automobile Association reported today.

In addition, according to a nationwide survey conducted by Auto Industries Highway Safety Committee, the AAA official said, nearly two-thirds of the more than 500,000 drivers questioned did not use seat belts when most needed — within 25 miles of home, where four out of five traffic accidents occur.

"The most deplorable information is that the percentage of drivers who are using seat belts is decreasing while their availability is increasing because they are now standard equipment in all cars," he said.

According to the latest survey, conducted in 1966, only 37 percent of the half-million drivers interviewed said they "always" used their seat belts for local travel, while 60 percent said they used them for long distance trips. In 1963, before belts were standard equipment in all American models, 47 percent of the drivers questioned used them for long trips.

Twenty-two percent of the drivers included in the latest survey admitted they "never" use seat belts for short trips, while the remainder reported using belts only "sometimes".

Coffey urged motorists and passengers to wear their seat belts at all times. According to a study made recently for the U.S. Public Health Service, the regular use of seat belts by drivers and passengers could have saved more than 12,000 lives in 1965.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Arnold of Burleson visited her mother and sister, Mrs. Ina Harris and Mrs. A. C. Snapp and Mr. Snapp several days last week as they were returning from a vacation at Red River and Santa Fe. The Arnold's oldest son, Johnny visited here Saturday and Sunday, from Arizona, where he teaches on the Navajo Reservation. He plans to attend TCU in Fort Worth, where he will receive his degree and return to Arizona. The Arnold's youngest son, Robert is also working on his Masters degree.

Mrs. Carl Test Dies In N. Y.

Friends here were notified of the death of Mrs. Carl Test Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. She and Mr. Test were enroute to their home in Thedford Mines, Canada, from Buffalo, N.Y. when she became ill and was hospitalized.

Funeral service is scheduled for today (Thursday) at her family home in Winchester, Indiana.

Sallie and Carl had a large host of friends made during their 11 years residence in Rotan. He is an Engineer for National Gypsum Company and they had traveled in his work over much of the United States and they were in France some time ago, when she became ill, and had suffered poor health since that time.

In addition to her household duties while living here Sallie did considerable radio work and was a strong factor in 50th anniversary edition of Rotan Advance in 1957 commemorating the founding of Rotan. Much material from this edition is used each year by high school and college students in history of this section and with her diligent work probably more history is preserved on Rotan, in this edition than any other source.

The last letter the Advance received from her with her subscription stated that the happiest years of their life were spent in Rotan. She was a most charming person and will be sorely missed by all friends.

In addition to Carl, she is survived by a brother, John Puckett of Winchester and a sister, Mrs. Alice Arnold of Fort Worth.

Baptist Men To Meet at Lueders

Area-wide Baptist men will meet at Lueders Baptist Encampment on July 20. The meeting is for the men of the eight associations supporting Lueders Encampment. These associations are: Abilene, Callahan, Cisco, Fisher, Haskell-Knox, Jones, Sweetwater and Stonewall-Kent. The meeting will begin with swimming at 4:30 p.m. Supper will be served from 6:00 - 6:45 p.m. The "Big Country" Men's Choir, composed of all men of these eight associations, will be under the direction of Mr. Lynn Garrett, Director of Music at the First Baptist Church in Anson. The program theme will be "Space Age Discipleship" and Mr. H. B. Clifton, Abilene City Manager, will be the Master of Ceremonies.

The principal speaker will be Mr. C. J. Humphrey, a practicing attorney from Amarillo, and a graduate of Baylor University. Mr. Humphrey is an active Baptist layman and is a deacon, Sunday School superintendent and past brotherhood president. He has filled pulpits in England, Scotland, Japan and many parts of America. He is in demand as a speaker for many civic organizations as well as school, colleges and universities. All men of the Lueders Area are urged to attend.

Mrs. Cora O'Neal, Mrs. Ardie Keener; Mr. and Mrs. Bert O'Neal, Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Clegg of Roby were in Gorman Sunday to hear Rev. Joe O'Neal, nephew of Mrs. O'Neal preach. They also visited Mrs. Bill O'Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Scott and children of Plainview visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell over the weekend.

Mrs. George Quiett of Browley, Calif.; son and daughter, Danny and Dawn have been here visiting relatives and friends for 2 weeks. They went on to Hurst, Texas and visited Mrs. Sara Quiett for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Partin Starmie and Armeta vacationed in Colorado last week. They report a wonderful trip and saw plenty of snow.

Patriotism--

The following article by J. Edgar Hoover, Director of Federal Bureau of Investigation is very timely on Independence Week in regard to many incidents occurring over our nation:

"Can there be any act more sickening and revolting than a crowd of so-called citizens desecrating and burning their country's flag? Those who resort to such moronic behavior are surely lost in the depths of depravity. Obviously, their first loyalty is not to the United States.

True, our Nation is founded on concepts and principles which encourage dissent and opposition. These are traditions we must always defend and support. But touching a torch to the flag far exceeds reasonable protest. It is a shameful act which serves no purpose but to encourage those who want our country to erupt in violence and destruction.

On this 191st anniversary of the Declaration of Independence, we might ask what causes unpatriotic outbreaks and irrational protests. Why do people turn against their native land and openly support totalitarian forces whose goal is to enslave the world — forces which do not even allow token opposition from their subjects? Why do some individuals refuse to serve and defend their country? Why do they burn their draft cards and their flag?

There may be many reasons for such action, but I am fully convinced that dying patriotism is one major cause. Love of country if being de-emphasized and excluded from several phases of our life. Many educators and other leaders seem to feel it is no longer necessary for boys and girls to be concerned with how our country came into being, what it stands for and the courageous and noble deeds of our forefathers to preserve it.

Conditions are now such in some circles that an individual who professes love of his country, reverence for its flag, and belief in the principles which make our Nation great is considered a yokel. Open aversion to patriotism of any form is increasing. Even some news media take a "tounge-in-cheek" approach to persons and groups which promote and participate in patriotic endeavors. Love if one's country is treated as some kind of social disease to be tolerated, if not stamped out. Protests are made that too much patriotism leads to international conflict. I submit that the United States will never have anything to fear from its ardent and genuinely patriotic citizens.

American history proves that freedom and liberty come at high prices and that their upkeep is costly and time-consuming. As Daniel Webster so aptly put it, "God grants liberty only to those who love it and are always ready to guard and defend it. Let our object be our country..." — not our country the object of desecration and abuse."

Rebels Win LL Pennant

The Rebels won Little League season with a 14-3 record. Other teams in the League were Vets 10-8; Prune Peddlers 9-8; and Yankees 2-16.

1967 top ten batting averages of the League are: Paul Wylie, .393; Frank Lopez, .365; Joey Vann, .363; Jack McCall, .347; Bruce Jones, .327; Eddie Medrano, .320; Marsh Hill, .316; Clay Helm, .313; Earl Ray Pearson, .307 and Mike Cade, .296.

This ends a very successful season and the adults who conducted the play are to be commended on giving the boys good recreation during the summer.

Taylor REA Recieves Grant

Congressman Omar Burleson's Washington office notified us Monday of an REA loan for \$842,000 had been approved for Taylor Electric CoOp of Merkel to finance 75 miles of distribution to serve 780 new subscribers in Fisher, Taylor, Callahan, Eastland, Jones, Nolan and Shackelford counties.

August Draft Call Is Heavy

Austin, Texas, July 5 — State draft boards are scheduled to forward 6,220 young men for pre-induction mental and physical examinations in August, Colonel Morris S. Schwartz, state Selective Service director, announced Thursday.

This compares with a scheduled 5,016 being forwarded in July.

The state's 155 draft boards will be called upon to furnish 1,421 men for induction in August.

This compares with quotas of 974 for July, 975 for June, 885 for May, 675 for April, and 761 for March.

Local board quotas for induction and pre-induction examination in August are scheduled to be mailed from state Selective Service headquarters on or about July 5. July calls for the local boards already have been assigned.

The Texas quota of 1,421 for August is the state's share of a national call of 29,000, all for the army.

Ratliff Named To Special Committees

Austin — Lieutenant Governor Preston Smith today named Senator David Ratliff of Stamford to serve on the special interim committee to study Vocational Technical Education, which was created by Senate Resolution 153 of the recent Regular Session of the 60th Legislature.

In announcing the appointment, Lieutenant Governor Smith stressed Ratliff's continuing interest in vocational-technique education. Ratliff has been a member of the Senate since 1955, and prior to that time served two terms in the House of Representatives. Through the years, he has held many important committee posts, and is currently chairman of two major standing committees of the Senate — Labor and Management Relations and Oil and Gas. He is also a member of standing committees on Contingent Expense; Counties, Cities and Towns; Education Finance; Game and Fish; Legislative, Congressional and Judicial Districts; Privileges and Elections; Public Health; Rules; State Affairs; Transportation; and Water and Conservation. Senator Ratliff's District 24 is one of the larger districts, by counties, in the state and is comprised of Borden, Callahan, Coke, Coleman, Fisher, Garza, Glasscock, Haskell, Howard, Jones, Kent, Mitchell, Nolan, Runnels, Scurry, Shackelford, Sterling, Stonewall, Taylor, Throckmorton and Young counties.

The Vocational-Technical Education Committee, by the resolution, is requested to study vocational-technical education in Texas, emphasizing (1) adequacy of the present administration program; (2) training recruitment and certification of vocational-technical teachers; and (3) financing and role of federal and state grants-in-aid.

In addition to Ratliff, other members of the Senate named to the committee by Lieutenant Governor Smith include Senators Chet Brooks of Pasadena, Murray Watson Jr. of Waco, Joe J. Bernal of San Antonio and Bruce Reagan of Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Shelly of Sweetwater visited in Rotan over the week end.

Hospital News

Local patients admitted to Callan Hospital from June 28 through July 4, were the following:

A. V. Shipp, Mrs. L. T. Early; W. W. Paulk, Mrs. Jim Bartley, Mrs. Douglas Eaton, Juana Losolla, Frankie Douglas, Mrs. Mary Jones, George Martinez, Mrs. H. A. Smith, Mrs. Roland Trout, Thomas Yanez, Mrs. Tim Counts, Mrs. T. A. Hudspeth and Mrs. Dilard Smith.

Out of town patients were: Mrs. T. V. Ellison, Aspermont; Terry Kimbrough, Snyder; and Mrs. M. H. Sullivan, Roby.

Birth: A 6 lb. 2 oz. girl, Carolyn Annette, born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Overby of Rotan, at 6:39 p.m. June 28th.

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 Evening Worship . 7:00 p.m.
 Midweek Prayer Service
 Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.

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 D. S. (Bud) Moore, Pastor
 Phone WI 7-2097 Rotan
 Sunday School .. 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Training Union .. 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship . 7:00 p.m.
 Midweek Prayer Service
 Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD
 of the yearly goal of \$60,000
 Total purchases of Series I
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 Wednesday Night

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 MYF 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Service . 7:00 p.m.
 Monday Circle .. 3:00 p.m.
 Joy Circle 1st and 3rd
 Tuesday 9:30 a.m.
 Wed. Prayer Circle 9:30 a.m.
 Choir Practice Wed.
 7:30 p.m.
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 Wednesday of Month

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 Sunday School .. 10:00 a.m.
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 Training Union .. 7:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship .. 8:00 p.m.
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TREASURE HUNT



It was in a green valley, along a river's edge in California that we saw an old gentleman panning for gold last summer. Our boys were ecstatic and insisted that we take his picture. We watched him for sometime, but he seemed not to see us, so intent was he upon the dredgings of his pan.

Immediately the boys started a lively debate, speculating on how it would feel to be in the old man's shoes; still searching for a bonanza, still believing that happiness is found in vein or lode. As I listened to the enthusiastic conversation and watched the animated faces of our sons, I felt sad for the old man who looked for treasure in the sand.

Our boys are already affluent in the joy that comes from loving God and serving His Church. This precious wealth can never be lost nor stolen from them, and may be any man's for the asking.



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Sunday Exodus 19:1-6	Monday Deuteronomy 28:7-14	Tuesday Proverbs 2:1-8	Wednesday Isaiah 2:6-11	Thursday Luke 12:32-40	Friday II Corinthians 4:1-10	Saturday Colossians 2:1-7

FORESQUARE CHURCH
 Eighth and Greneviere
 Rev. & Mrs. Welton Parrish
 Pastor
 Sunday School .. 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Midweek Service
 Wednesday Nite
 Singspiration & Fellowship
 Psalms 122:1: I was glad
 when they said unto me, Let
 us go into the house of the
 Lord.

IGLESIA BAUTSTA
 1st Mexican Baptist Church
 W. Johnston & N. Garfield
 Henry Medina, Pastor
 Sunday School .. 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Training Union .. 7:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship . 7:45 p.m.
 Midweek Prayer Service
 Wednesday .. 7:30 p.m.

SARDIS BAPTIST CHURCH
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 Dr. Albert Lunday, Pastor
 Sunday School 10: a.m.
 Morning Worship .. 11 a.m.
 Training Union .. 6:30 p.m.
 Evening Worship . 7:30 p.m.
 Midweek Prayer Service
 Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

HOBBS BAPTIST CHURCH
 Bob Doss, Pastor
 Sunday School .. 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Training Union .. 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship . 7:00 p.m.
 Midweek Prayer Service
 Wednesday .. 7:00 p.m.

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 Sunday School .. 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
 B.T.U. 5:00 p.m.
 Evening Service .. 6:00 p.m.
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 F. P. Bozman, Pastor
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 Church Phone - WI 7-3094
 Sunday School .. 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:40 a.m.
 NYPS 6:30 p. m.
 Evening 7:00 p.m.
 Midweek Prayer Service
 Wednesday 7:00 p. m.

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 Worship, 10:30 a.m. and
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CARD OF THANKS

Our deepest appreciation is extended to those of you who were with us in our hour of sorrow after the passing of our dear wife and mother. To Elder Ben Howze and Elder Fred Boen for the beautiful words that were said. To all the nurses that were so good to us while in Simmons Memorial Hospital. We would like to say thank you for all the food that was brought and all the prayers that were prayed. May God Bless each of you. The family of Mrs. J. W. McCullough

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to say thanks to everyone who was so kind and thoughtful to us during LaRue's illness. May the Lord bless everyone of you. LaRue and Earnest Smith

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Jett R. George acknowledges with grateful appreciation each kind expression of sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Vittow and Janice of El Cajon, Calif., arrived Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. H. B. Campbell and the family of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Clements and children.

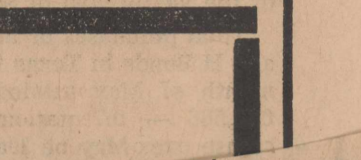
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Torodo Danger Can Be Reduced

Texas leads the nation in total number of tornadoes per year. An average of 80.7 twisters strike somewhere in our state annually. Don't wait until a tornado threatens to learn how to protect your family and community. For information on tornado precautions in your area, contact your local city or county civil defense director. Ask for the free circular on tornado precautions.

Knowing what to do when a tornado is approaching may mean the difference between life and death. Learn how to protect your family before a tornado threatens. The seven basic rules of tornado safety are outlined in the circular on tornado precautions published by your Texas Department of Public Safety. For more information, contact your local city or county civil defense director.



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If you are hit by flood, fire, tornado, or even if your prize bull is struck by lightning you may suffer a tax deductible casualty loss. The first \$100 of a casualty loss is not deductible, and you cannot claim losses that are reimbursed by insurance. When disaster strikes, keep a record - check your tax instructions and be prepared to claim the deduction that misfortune has qualified you for.

Social Security's disability trust fund gained \$300 million between March-66 to March-67, reaching \$1,807,000,000.

ENGAGEMENT IS ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Stricklin announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Craglene to Troy Bruce Randolph, son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. C. Randolph, on July 29.

Mrs. Ruth Goodell, Susan and Ricky of Amarillo spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Higgins.

Duaine Coan and his mother, Mrs. G. F. Coan visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. L. Golden in DeLeon Sunday. Mrs. Golden recently suffered a stroke, but is much improved and able to be moved to the home of a son

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Stricklin, Cregy, Mr. and Mrs. Duaine Coan, Ronda, Karen and Teresa had July Fourth dinner with their mother, Mrs. G. F. Coan.

A pretty girl and a good newspaper advertisement are two things that sell a lot of merchandise.

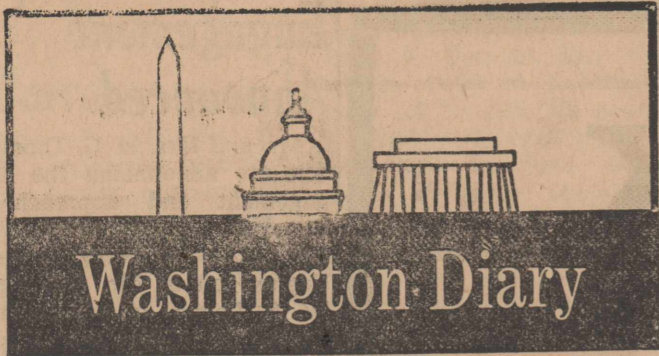
Airman 1st class Bobby Shows, an instructor at Amarillo Air Base visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Shows last weekend. Also visiting the Shows was a nephew, Doc Sutton of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill House had as their guests the past week, her brother, Dee Bradford of McKinney and her niece, Mrs. Scott Waller and son Stephen of Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Jerry Stephenson and baby of Abilene visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cave Sunday.

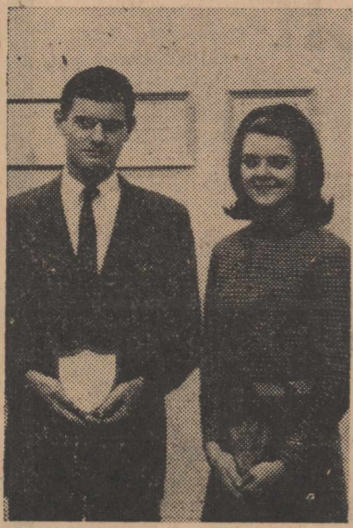
Lloyd Gordon of Snyder visited his sister, Mrs. P. R. Warren and Mr. Warren over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Harrell, Mr. and Mrs. Hornsall Harrell of Marion La. and Mr. and Mrs. Preston Bell of Bridge City, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Harrell, Mr. J. N. Harrell and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Meadow over the week end. They were brothers and a sister of A. B. and J. N. Harrell.



GOVERNMENT-IN-ACTION YOUTH TOUR

The following story is in regard to a recent trip to Washington D. C. by Helen Lovett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Lovett and Randy Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Williams. The trip was given by Midwest Electric Cooperative.



Randy Williams and Helen Lovett

"Thursday afternoon, June 8, everyone arrived at the Inn of the Six Flags in Arlington to begin the 12 day Government-In-Action Tour to our Nation's Capital. The rest of the afternoon was spent finding our rooms, meeting roommates, meeting other boys and girls that would make the trip and just having fun. That night a hot dog supper was held for all 85 youths making the trip, the 14 chaperones, and Rural Electric people from throughout the state that came to see the group off. Following the supper a trip orientation was held where everyone learned more about what was to happen on the trip and the do's and don'ts. The main thing everyone learned was that curfew was to be at 10 o'clock every night.

At 6 a. m. Friday morning, everyone was called to get up

and start packing for the big trip was about to officially begin. The group had breakfast together and a 7 the three big Greyhound busses pulled up to begin loading. Everyone had been assigned a bus and had been given blue, green and yellow tags for their bags. This way the bags were put on the bus you were on. Helen was put on bus 2 and Randy bus 3. Randy was pretty happy with his bus though for all the beauty queens were on that bus

along with Miss Texas Rural Electrification. After two hours out the busses stopped for a coke break and then for the noon meal at Texarkana. At 4 o'clock that afternoon the group arrived at Little Rock, Arkansas at the Holiday Inn for the night. Everyone enjoyed the relaxing in the swimming pool and the poolside dance before curfew.

Saturday morning the group started out at 6 a. m. again and left for Memphis Tennessee where they ate lunch and had 2 hours free time while the busses were serviced. Nashville Tennessee was the overnight stop for this night as the buses arrived there about 4 p. m. and they stayed at the Holiday Inn at the bottom of the hill the State Capitol is on. That night everyone went to the Grand Ole Opry and nearly everyone got Porter Waggoner's autograph. He was staying at the same motel the Youth Tour was staying.

Sunday morning the tour left at 7:30 for Roanoke, Virginia, with a noon stop at Knoxville. After evening meal the group held a devotional service around the pool.

Monday morning, everyone arose early, put on their suits and ties as they would be in Washington, D. C. that morning. The first thing that happened in Washington was everyone had their pictures taken on the Capital steps. In the afternoon a Congressional reception was held and nearly everyone on the trip met with their Congressman from their district. Congressman Omar Bureson was at the reception and talked with the boys and girls from his district. After the evening meal a tour of many of the beautiful monuments was taken. The highlight of the night was when nearly everyone climbed to the top of Washington monument and looked over Washington D. C. and the nations capitol at night.

Tuesday was a full day of sightseeing. The day started off with a trip to Mount Vernon to see the home of Martha and George Washington, followed by a tour of the White House. After lunch a tour of the Wax Museum was on hand and then on to Arlington National Cemetery for a wreath laying ceremony on the late President Kennedy's grave. While at the cemetery everyone viewed the changing of the guard at the tomb of the unknown soldier. The group also saw a caisson being pulled by horses coming to a funeral at the cemetery. That night the group went to a ceremony at the Iwo Jima monument put on by the Marine Band, a Marine and Seabees Drill team.

Wednesday morning everyone put on suits and ties and went to a big assembly of 1,000 youths from 27 states for rural youth day. The highlight of the day was when all the youth went to the White House lawn and heard President Johnson, Dr. Billy Graham and a leader of the Australian opposition party give them talks and then shake hands with a many of the youths as possible. That night a big dinner and shindig was held at the large hotel where everyone stayed.

Thursday the whole day was spent around the Capital. Everyone was turned free to visit the Capital, see the House and Senate in action, and visit their Congressmen and Senators in their offices. That night a Potomac river cruise was in store for Texas group along with groups from 3 other states.

Friday morning the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association offices were visited and the rest of the day was spent at the Smithsonian Institute. Later in the day the group visited the Shrine of Immaculate Conception.

Saturday morning the Washington tour had come to a close and it was time to depart the Nation's Capital city. For the noon meal this day, a chicken dinner was held in a park in Tennessee. The night was spent at Knoxville.

Sunday morning the group stopped at Chatanooga and rode to the top of Lookout Mountain in the world's highest cable car. At the top of

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Y-F To Help Boys Ranch

Fisher County Young Farmers met June 19th for their monthly meeting.

The program was brought by Earl R. Palmer from West Texas Boys Ranch in San Angelo. Mr. Palmer told members of the Young Farmers the purpose of the West Texas Boys Ranch. Mr. Palmer also told of how much it cost to operate the Ranch per month and what it cost to clothe one boy and get him ready for school. The Young Farmers after hearing from Mr. Palmer voted to help the Ranch with their drives in Fisher County or any way that the organization could be or help to get these young boys started off on the right foot in life.

Mr. Wayne Harris, Vice-Pres. of 1st National Bank in Rotan was present with Mr. Palmer and told the organization that he would be of service in anyway he could to the organization.

Vice-Pres. Jerry Hoodenpyle appointed a committee to plan how to raise money or any project to help support the Ranch. Keifer Cagle was appointed chairman. Committee members are Jerry Hoodenpyle and Don Waddell.

The Young Farmers annual banquet will be held Tuesday night, August 22nd in the Corral Restaurant in Rotan.

The Young Farmers plan a Ice Cream Social for members and their families June 30th at 8:30 p.m. in the Pink Building.

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the mountain a devotional service was held from a point where you could see seven states. That night the group stayed in the original Holiday Inn at Memphis.

Monday the group left for Texarkana for the last night of the trip. Here a big farewell tackey party was held and everybody was getting sad for they knew the next day all would depart in different directions over the great state of Texas. Each year at the last night's party the groups pick a name for the trip. They picked the "Noble Ninety-Nine."

Tuesday morning at about 11:30 the Noble Ninety-Nine arrived back in Dallas and after a lot of tears, handshakes, hugs, and kisses everyone departed in their own direction with hearts full of memories and experiences they will never forget."

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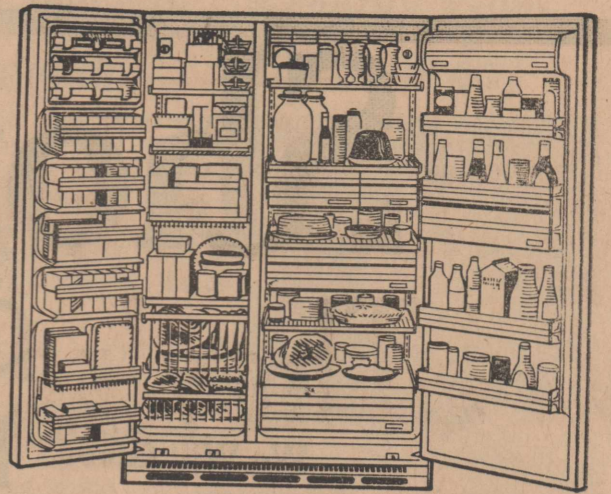
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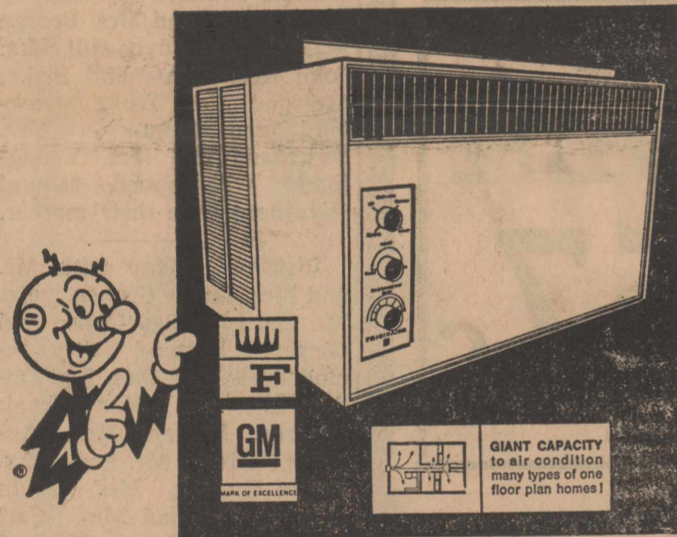
- FRYERS, lb. 29c
- EGGS, large - dozen 49c
- FROZAN, 2 crins. 69c
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- CANTALOUPEs lb. 15c
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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Thompson are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Zana Lee to Perry Wayne Pogue, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Pogue, Jr. of Haskell.

Miss Thompson was graduated from Rotan High School and is a senior at North Texas State University.

Her fiance was graduated from Haskell High School and will receive his B.B.A. from North Texas State University in August. He is a member of the Theta Chi fraternity.

The wedding is planned for September 9, in the First Baptist Church, Rotan.

Attending Workshop at Tech

Mrs. Margaret Cooper, 608 Douglas, Big Spring is among some 50 West Texas teachers of retarded children attending an advanced workshop on special education, this month at Texas Tech.

Two leading Midwest authorities on retarded children are conducting the three-week session on reading for the mentally handicapped, for which the teachers attending will earn three graduate credits.

Mrs. Cooper is the daughter of Mrs. J. V. Hellums and is a teacher in Big Spring school system.

Guests of Mrs. Lois Deel, were, Mrs. Floyd Strickland of San Diego, Calif.; Harvey Youngblood, San Jacinto, Calif., Wayne and Sherri, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Deel, Larry and Danny, of Milsap; Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Crawford, Shelia, Barry and Becky Montgomery all of Abilene; Mrs. Gertie Youngblood, Hemet, Calif.; Mrs. Mamie Moulton, Mrs. Roxie Haggard of Roby; Miss Mary Bigham, Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Barney Bigham, Mr. and Mrs. George McBeth, Mrs. Joyce Hill, Mrs. John Ross Hale and Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Strickland and Shannon. Mrs. Strickland and Mrs. Youngblood will spend several days here with their mother.

Visiting Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Danie Gruben were, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ogden and Ginger. Evening visitors included Mr. and Mrs. Edd Ogden, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gruben, Mrs. Alvin Gruben, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Matthies and Susan, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Sawyer and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Sawyer of California and a brother-in-law, Dr. T. C. Ragan of Greenville spent the night.

Mrs. Mark Strickland went to Dallas Sunday to visit her daughter, Rebecca, who has been teaching in Dallas Public School system and is teaching in the 'Head Start' program there this summer. Miss Strickland has recently had a nice promotion and will be a Counselor in the system this year.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SUNDAY SERVICE:

"Sacrament" is the subject of the lesson sermon to be read in all Christian Science churches this Sunday, one of two Communion services held by the denomination each year.

Bible readings include a verse from the Sermon on the Mount, "Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God."

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Underhill and Bobby of Phillips visited relatives here last Thursday and Friday. Bobby stayed for a longer visit.

Mrs. Tom Collins visited her father, who is in a hospital in Wichita Falls and Mrs. Mark Strickland visited her family. Mrs. Wallace Strayhorn in Burk Burnett last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Phillips visited Mr. and Mrs. Mike Porter and children in Hereford last weekend. They report crops there very good.

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lb. 39c

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lb. 59c

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lb. 49c

Uncle Dies At Baird

Funeral for Fabian P. Bearden, registered pharmacist and former operator of a telephone exchange for Baird, Putnam, and Moran, held at 4:30 p.m. Friday with J. Willard Morrow, Fort Worth Church of Christ minister, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Carroll Green pastor of first Baptist Church in Baird, and Jack Lanham, minister of Baird Church of Christ.

Burial was in Ross Cemetery.

Mr. Bearden, 60, died at 12:15 a.m. Thursday at the

home of his mother, Mrs. Mable T. Bearden, in Baird. Born in Putnam May 6, 1907, he lived in Callahan County all his life. He married Dorothy Weatherman at Rising Star in 1943. Mr. Bearden formerly operated Home Telephone and Electric Co., an independent telephone exchange, and sold it to West Texas Telephone Co. in April 1966. He had been semi-retired since.

He is survived by his wife; his mother; three nephews including Lawrence Weatherman of Rotan, and a niece.

Karla, Tommy and Mary Beth Taggart are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gary Taggart in Haskell this week.

McDonald-Cornlius Vows Said June 24

Eugene McDonald and Loretta Cornlius were united in marriage Saturday evening, June 24 at 7 o'clock. Rev. Vernon Hagar of Bethel Assembly of God Church in Snyder read the double ring ceremony, as the couple stood under an archery of white carnations and decoration for the church were white carnations.

Doris Johnson, sister of the bride was maid of honor. She wore a white lace dress over blue and her flowers were carnations. Best man was John Burnes.

The bride, given in marriage by her father wore a white lace wedding gown with long sleeves and a full back. Her veil was held in place by a white carnation. She carried a white Bible with white carnations.

Wedding music was given by Mrs. Ina Harris.

The reception following was on the church lawn. Aunts of the bride, Mrs. Mae Cherry Speer of Trent and Mrs. McCrary of Tyler served refreshments from a lace covered table, using a crystal and silver service.

Mr. McDonald is employed at the Cotton Storage and after a short wedding trip they will live at 600 E. Forrest.

A gift tea hosted by eight ladies in the home of Mrs. Doyle Adams was given the couple, previous to their marriage.

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Lorinda Green Married At Spanaway Wash.

—Tacoma Wash. News-Tribune.

Flickering lights from aqua-colored votive lamps cast a soft glow upon topiary trees of gardenias to set a reverent mood for the double-ring wedding of Miss Lorinda Ann Green and Kenneth William Beitz. The ceremony took place in Fern Hill Methodist Church.

The wedding music was played by Mrs. Richard Shaw at the organ and Mr. Glen Hull sang traditional wedding songs.

The bride, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Green of Spanaway, attended Bethel High School and graduated from Washington State University where she held offices in Alpha Delta Pi Sorority and Fish Fans. She was a member of Orchesis and the University trio. She taught physical education in Bellevue High School last year and will teach at Lakes High School this fall.

The bridegroom attended Yakima Valley College and is presently a surveyor with the Pierce County Engineering Department. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin W. Beitz, also of Spanaway.

The bride's father escorted his daughter down a white carpeted aisle accented by gardenias and asparagus fern which were tied to each row with aqua and white ribbons.

The bridal gown of re-embroidered alencon lace was styled with a high neckline trimmed with pearls and crystals. A slim skirt fell from a fitted bodice fashioned with slender fingertip-length sleeves finished with scallop re-embroidered lace. The sweeping train of Swiss net was applique with matching alencon lace.

A veil of silk illusion was held in place by lace petals adorned with pearls and aurora-borealis crystals, and she carried a bouquet of gardenias and stephanotis.

Special guests were the bride's paternal grandmother, Mrs. C. O. Green of Umatilla, Ore., and the bridegroom's maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Cobentz, of Tacoma.

The bride donned a miss-green three-piece imported knitted suit with matching accessories for the wedding trip to Harrison Hot Springs. A cymbidium orchid corsage was pinned to her shoulder.

After July 1 the couple will be at home in Parkland.

The bride is granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kennedy, pioneer ranchman of the Rotan area.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nolen, Pam and Ken of Monument, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Sawyer and children of Andrews; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Todd and children of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cooper, daughter and granddaughter, Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Cooper and baby of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cooper and children Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sawyer, Huntington Beach, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. John Carpenter, Concho, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stephens, Sylvestre; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooper and daughters spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cooper. The Coopers had seven of their ten children home and they visited via telephone, with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Cooper of Huntington Beach, Calif.

Mrs. Era Boen accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Boen Denese, and Ricky of Odessa returned home Monday from fishing and sightseeing at Red River, N. M. They report a fine trip, sleeping under blankets each night.

J. M. Cobb returned home last Wednesday after 8 weeks visit with his children and other relatives in East Texas, the Texas Coast and in California. Mr. Cobb enjoyed the trip to California by plane, but returned by rail as he wanted to see the country.

Sparks Reunion

Odis, Oral and Laurence Sparks, were joined by members of their families for the first Sparks reunion since 1959.

Everyone met at the Parrish Hall and ate a pot luck lunch and then visited in the afternoon.

The three oldest granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sparks, father and mother of the 3 Sparks men were present, Mrs. Leota Sparks Quiett of Browley, Calif.; Mrs. Bernice Sparks Leeman of San Antonio; Mrs. Betty Sparks Jamison of Estelline.

Others attending were Mrs. Oral Sparks and daughter Debbie, Mrs. Odis Sparks, Mrs. Lawrence Sparks all of Rotan. Mrs. Hallie Kolb, Aspermont, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Roberts, (the former Carol Sparks) and children Robin and Risa, Ray Leeman husband of Bernice Sparks Leeman of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sparks and children Bob and Melissa of Eastland, Mr. Billy H. Sparks, Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Wayne Sparks and daughter Carmen, Rotan; Glenda and Mark Jameson, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Glennon Jameson of Estelline; Mrs. Geo. Poe, the former Peggy Jo Sparks, and daughter, Kip Underhill, Sweetwater; Danny Frank and Dawn Quiett son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo Quiett, the former Leota Sparks, of Browley, Calif.

Guests who attended were Miss Darcey Taggett of Browley, Calif., Mrs. Mary Edwards Sr., Rotan and Mr. Raymond Rains, Rotan.

Mrs. Mattie Key and Mrs. Beulah Moffett visited the Methodist Orphanage in Waco Tuesday. They left here at 6 a. m. and were at the Home about noon. They report a delightful and interesting visit and drove to Belton and Salado where they ate dinner at the famous Old Stage Coach Inn, that was established in 1847. They arrived home by 3:30 p. m.

Mrs. Jim Templeton of Houston and her sister, Mrs. Walter Cork of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn Saturday night and Sunday.

Classified Ads Get Results!

Social Security Information

(This is the 2nd of a series of 6 articles, telling of safeguards against wrong decisions in the social security program, prepared for this paper by R. R. Tuley, Jr., Social Security district manager.)

Last week's article told how a dissatisfied claimant could disagree with the denial action taken on his claim and request and receive formal reconsideration of his claim by a different set of people from the ones who turned him down at first. But if his application is still denied, there are more possibilities to suggest.

If the claim is again denied after such reconsideration, the claimant still doesn't have to give up and accept the decision if he feels it is wrong. He has six more months in which to request a hearing, in or near his community, by a Hearing Examiner. There he may bring witnesses and/or new evidence if he wishes.

The areas of disagreement are talked out in a semi-judicial atmosphere, after which the Hearing Examiner studies the file, consults precedents, and in disability claims may secure the opinions of medical consultants and vocational experts. He then issues a decision upholding the previous denials, or reversing them and awarding the claim. If he denies the claim, it's still not the end of the road. Next week's article will explain further actions possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hyer and children of Andrews visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kincaid and his mother, Mrs. Hyer at Roby and his brother Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hyer and family the first of the week.

Carlos Taggart of Dallas spent the weekend here with his mother, Mrs. Beulah Driver and his four young daughters who live with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil J. Marouf and niece, Kathy Smart of Dallas came Saturday and spent several days visiting and attending to business.

Wedding Plans For Saturday



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Major (Retired) and Mrs. Harrison L. Franke of Yuma, Arizona, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jan Alice to Corporal Merlin Don Ratliff of Yuma Marine Base, Arizona.

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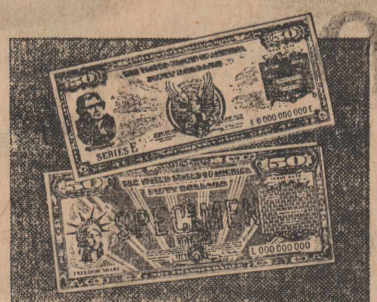
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- Q. What are Freedom Shares?**
A. They are the new U.S. Savings Notes—a companion product to the Series E Savings Bond.
- Q. Who may buy Freedom Shares?**
A. Any individual who purchases Series E Bonds regularly through a formal plan—either Payroll Savings where he works or Bond-a-Month where he banks.
- Q. What is the interest rate on Freedom Shares?**
A. 4.74% compounded semiannually, when held to maturity of 4½ years. The rate is less if redeemed prior to maturity; and they may not be redeemed for at least one year.
- Q. Does this same rate now apply to E Bonds?**
A. No. E Bonds continue to return an average of 4.15% when held to their seven-year maturity.
- Q. What do Freedom Shares cost?**
A. They are issued in face amounts of \$25, \$50, \$75, and \$100. Purchase prices are \$20.25, \$40.50, \$60.75, and \$81.00.
- Q. Can Freedom Shares be bought by themselves?**
A. No. They must be bought in conjunction with E Bonds of the same or larger face amounts.
- Q. Can I buy as many Freedom Shares as I want, as long as I buy E Bonds of the same or larger amounts?**
A. No. On Payroll Savings, Freedom Share deductions are limited to \$20.25 per weekly pay period, \$40.50 per bi-weekly or semi-monthly pay period, \$81.00 per monthly pay period. On Bond-a-Month, the limit on Freedom Share deductions is \$81.00 per month.
- Q. How will the Freedom Shares be registered?**
A. Registration must be identical with the E Bonds bought in combination.
- Q. Are Freedom Shares subject to taxation?**
A. The same as E Bonds. Interest is subject to Federal income tax, which may be deferred until maturity or redemption (whichever comes first). Interest is not subject to state or local income taxes. Current values are subject to estate, inheritance, gift, and other excise taxes, both Federal and state.
- Q. Will Freedom Shares be extended beyond maturity, as E Bonds have been?**
A. No. Under existing law, there is no provision for extension.



U.S. Savings Bonds, new Freedom Shares

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As It Looks From Here

Washington, D.C. — How can governmental expenditures be substantially reduced?

On would think this is a question that could readily be answered by any member of Congress, but a lot of us, including the Chairman of the Appropriations Committee, remain in a state of real quandary as to just how it can be done.

Anyone, of course, would know that if we simply reduced the scope of the numerous Federal activity it would cost less money.

But the situation is simply this: There are 14 Departmental Appropriations, not including what we call supplemental. Supplemental are those funds voted for the over-all operation of all Departments when, at the end of a fiscal year, it is found that more money is needed.

Each of these appropriations is handled by a Subcommittee which sits for months, going over each item with a fine-tooth comb. When it finally reaches the point of debate in the House of Representatives, each becomes the most important appropriation, and the 13 others are not seen at the time. The over-all picture can not be seen until all appropriations have been concluded. This is usually near the end of a Session of Congress.

Unless substantial budget cuts are made in this new fiscal year, which just began this July 1, a Gargantuan deficit must be faced.

Like the old soldier who never dies, so do obsolete Federal programs. New programs often come under attack because they have not been in existence long enough to build up a group of beneficiaries who will fight tooth

and toenail to see that benefits continue to flow. Yet, older programs which may be well outmoded continue because of empire-building in the Executive Branch and the efforts of a select group of program beneficiaries.

In the late 1940's the Rules were changed to bring all appropriation bills under debate at one time. In other words, it was a packaged deal. This procedure was abandoned because it was found too difficult to handle them all at one time and careful consideration was lost. There is talk of returning to this system in the hope of establishing priorities to establish a balanced look at appropriations in their entirety.

There is proposed legislation to create a Government Program Evaluation Commission to analyze old and new Federal programs to determine whether they are cost effective, whether they should be continued, and what priority they should be assigned. The Commission would report to the President and the Congress on or before February 1, 1969. It would be composed of members from private life appointed by the President, the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate.

Many times the appointment of another committee, Commission or the creation of another Agency is a waste of time and money. On the other hand, a point of desperation has been reached as to how to better control the huge expenditures of the Government.

Aside from the fact we are having to finance a war in Viet Nam, Government costs continue to increase by leaps and bounds. Not only has the cost of Federal Government increased tremendously with all its new activities, but costs of government at all levels are adding to the burden of paying taxes, and un-

Young Home Makers Aid WTR Center



The above picture of group of Fisher County Young Homemakers and Foy Mitchell, manager Farmers Union CoOp Gin, Roby. The Young Homemakers presented the bale of cotton to West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene and were assisted by Mr. Mitchell on the project.

less better controlled, a point of no return is rapidly approaching.

Each department of Government feels that what it is doing is the most important part of the Government's entire operation. This way of thinking extends to the individual Members of Congress in the various programs which directly affect their constituency and their area of the Country. There are those intensely interested in the conservation of natural resources, which is divided between the Department of the Interior and the Department of Agriculture. There is special interest in labor, health, education and welfare. The State Department, Justice Department and Commerce Department come in for their partisan support. Public works are important to every Congressional District in the United States. Defense works are important to every Congressional District in the United States. Defense and military construction is a must. The big cities are interested in housing and transportation.

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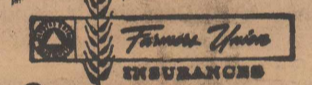
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JOHN W. ASHLEY, County Clerk, Fisher County, Texas

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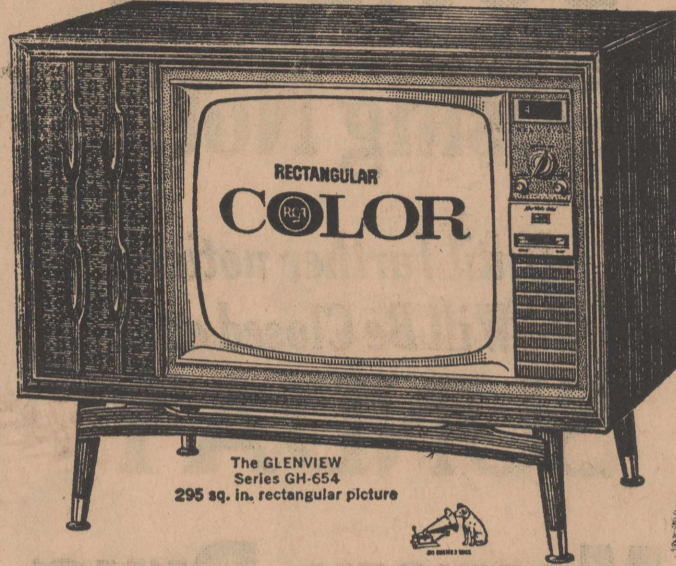
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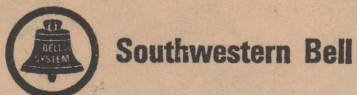
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