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A FINE PAPER FOR FINE PEOPLE



Newly elected directors in Saturday's election of Donley County Hospital District Board members and installed at the regular meeting Monday night were: 1 to r — C. C. Ayers, Place 6; Bud Hermesmeier, Place 4; O. C. Watson, Place 7 and John H. Jones, Place 5.
—Staff Photo

Large Vote Cast In Local Elections

There was a large turnout of voters for the various local elections Saturday in view of the fact that there was only one contested race. In all reality, the incumbents seeking re-election received an overwhelming vote of confidence.

The lightest vote cast was in city election which was held separate from the other elections. A total of 58 votes were cast for Aldermen with Bob Kidd receiving 56, Dave Croslin 54 and Chas. E. Deyhle 53.

Over 450 votes were cast in the Hospital Board election with Bud Hermesmeier defeating Mrs. Theron Holland in the only contested race. Clarence Ayers was the other new member to be elected along with incumbents O. C. Watson and John Jones. A number of ballots were not counted as voters failed to mark the square beside the name of uncontested candidates.

Ayers led the ticket with 366 votes, Watson received 276, Jones 270, Hermesmeier 226 and Mrs. Holland 166.

In the Public School Trustee election unopposed incumbents received a big vote of confidence. Leo Smith received 261 votes, L. A. Watson 260 and Richard Tunnel 223. In the County Board election Billy Ray Johnston, trustee Precinct 4, received 29 votes and G. W. Estlack trustee Precinct 1, received 70 votes.

In the College Regent election, unopposed incumbents received a big vote of confidence. Frank Phelan Jr. 236, Bill Todd 266 and Chauncey Hommel 251.

CC English Dept. To Sponsor English Conference April 23

The English Department of Clarendon College will sponsor a Greenbelt English Conference on the campus of Clarendon College April 23.

Guest lecturers for the one day conference for area high schools and junior high English teachers will be Dr. E. Debs Smith, Chairman of Department of English at Eastern New Mexico University and Dr. Paul Coggins, Professor of English at ENMU.

Dr. Smith's topic will be "Semantics and the English Teacher." Dr. Coggins will discuss "Junior and Senior High School English Teaching."

Also, included in the program will be two panel discussions. One panel, which will include—Mr. A. R. Noonkester, Pampa High School; Mrs. Janet Lamb, Groom High School; and Mrs. Jo Schollenbarger, Claude High School will discuss "The Teaching and Grading of the Essay."

A panel of Clarendon College students will discuss "What I Needed to Know to Pass College Freshman English." Panel members will be: Mike Boothe, Clarendon; Mary Ann Gilbreth, Lakeview; Frank Griffin, Gruver; Gayla Homer, Groom; and Amy Lemley from Hedley.

All interested area English teachers are invited and encouraged to attend. For information contact Mr. Ron Null or Mr. Terry Scoggin, English Department, Clarendon, Texas. Telephone 806-874-3571.

Leader Classified Ads Get Results

Episcopal Church Hosts Community Good Friday Service

St. John Baptist Episcopal Church, 3rd and Parks, N. W., Clarendon will host this year's Good Friday service at 8 p.m. April 12. This is one of two annual community services sponsored by the Donley County Ministerial Alliance, the other service being the Thanksgiving service.

This year, the preacher will be the Rev. Eckenboj, minister of the Church of the Nazarene. There will be a reading of the Passion according to St. John by several ministers, and the Rev. Albert Yarbrough, pastor of St. Mark's Baptist Church, will lead the congregation in a Litany on the Seven Last Words of Christ.

Following the service there will be coffee and sandwiches for all in the Mission Hall supplied by the First Baptist Hostess Committee and the Churchwomen of the Episcopal Church.

The Love Offering taken at this service will be used by the Donley County Ministerial Alliance. Please refer to the article, "Ministerial Alliance in Donley County", for further information as to what the Alliance applies its funds.

Notice

The School Tax Office will be closed Friday in observance of the Easter holidays.

Members of the white race have more hair on their heads than any other race.



Representative Phil Cates, Senator Jack Hightower, Clayton Garrison — Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission, Gene Brownrigg — Executive Director Texas Bicentennial Commission, and Senator Max Sherman look through a book prepared by Norma Selvidge showing projections of plans to be implemented for Donley County's Bicentennial celebration.

Little League Is Organized Mon. Nite

Parents and interested persons met Monday night to formulate plans for Little League season.

The following officers were elected: President, Jimmy McElroy; Vice-President, Tex Selvidge; Chief Umpire, John Richcy; Pee Wee Umpire, Steve White; Official Score Keeper, Robbie Lou Hill; Player Agent, Junior Putman; Treasurer, Phoebe Ann Buntin.

Robbie Hill and Sue Leeper will be in charge of the Concession Stand.

Coaches will be as follows: Pee Wee: Dodgers — Jeff Walker, Indians — Jerry Hawkins, Pirates — Norman Witcher and Bob Stevens; Little League: Yankies — Eddie Helms and Dood Cornell, Giants — Tex Selvidge and David Goodman, Cubs — Jack Leeper and Ross Hill, White Sox, H. A. Bright and Tommy Hill.

Unless more come out to play for the Senior League it is possible that those in this age group may have to play with Carson County to have enough for a team. So all of you who are of this age group let officers know your intentions.

Anyone having Little League Equipment is asked to bring it in along with all uniforms that may be out. This is necessary to determine just what equipment and how many uniforms are needed for the season.

Mrs. May V. Moore Rites To Be Friday

Funeral services for Mrs. May Victoria Moore, 79, of Vallejo, Calif., and a resident of Donley County for more than 50 years, will be held at 2:00 p.m. Friday, April 12, 1974, in the Church of Christ in Clarendon with Tom Waters, Amarillo Minister, and Don Stone, Clarendon Minister, officiating. Interment will be in Citizens Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Schooler - Gordon - Robertson Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Moore died at 11:00 p.m. Thursday, April 4, 1974, in Broadway Hospital at Vallejo, California. She was born May 7, 1894, in Gonzales County, Texas and came to this area in 1895. She was married to Jesse Lee Moore February 13, 1913 in Hall County. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband, Jesse Lee Moore of Vallejo, California; four daughters; Mrs. Lavelle Buckley of Clarendon, Mrs. Ira Tucker and Mrs. Era Helziman, both of Vallejo, Calif.; Mrs. Ruth Nettles of Grass Valley, Calif.; one son, William O. (Bill) Moore of Clarendon; fourteen grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren.

Bearers will be Jess Finley, Buck Glass, Frank Derrick, Jay Stone, Jack Clifford, and Joe Ritter.

Greenbelt Water Authority News

A substantial increase in the use of water from the Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority over that used in March of last year has been reported by James L. Kuhn, General Manager.

Childress again led in the consumption with a total of 22,089,000 gallons used March of this year compared to 24,954,000 gallons in 1973. Quanah followed with 13,253,000 gallons in 1974 compared to 9,444,000 in 1973. Clarendon used more water during March 1974 with 8,997,000 gallons compared to 6,928,000 in 1973.

Total gallons used during March 1974 were 70,227,000 gallons compared to 59,581,000 in 1973. Lake depth as of April 1, 1974 was 63.04 as compared to 61.31 at the same date in 1973.

Dial-A-Prayer 874 2112

Funeral Services For Mrs. Annie Leathers

Funeral services for Mrs. Annie E. Leathers, 77, a resident of Donley County for over 64 years were held at 3:00 p.m. Monday, April 8, 1974, in the First Baptist Church with Dr. James O. Brandon, pastor, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Schooler - Gordon - Robertson Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Leathers died at 2:05 a.m. Sunday, in Medical Center Hospital in Clarendon after a lengthy illness. She was born in Corsicana, Texas November 5, 1896 and came to Donley County at an early age. She was married to Kinch Leathers December 12, 1915 in Clarendon and they made their home in the Lelia Lake Community. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Clarendon.

Survivors include her husband, Kinch Leathers of the home in Lelia Lake; four sisters: Mrs. Bettye Walling and Mrs. Clyde Phillips both of Amarillo, Mrs. J. D. McDowell of Memphis, and Mrs. Aubrey Brock of Bovina.

Bearers were Jim McDowell, Ralph Sims, Bill Harp, Billie Christal, Johnny Leathers, Joe Robert Leathers, Joe Lovell and Bill Phillips.

Funeral Services For Neal Bogard April 10

Funeral services for Neal Bogard, 79, an Amarillo resident for the past eight years, were held at 4 p.m. Wednesday, April 10, 1974, in Mausoleum Chapel at Llano Cemetery in Amarillo. Officiating was Rev. Owen McGarity, pastor of First Presbyterian Church of Clarendon, Texas. Interment was in Llano Cemetery.

Mr. Bogard died at Golden Spread Nursing Home Tuesday afternoon. He was a former long-time resident and stock farmer in the Clarendon area, a veteran of World War I, a member of the Clarendon Masonic Lodge and a Presbyterian. Arrangements were by Schooler - Gordon.

Surviving are two sons: Charles M. and Bill M., both of Amarillo; a daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Knorrp of Clarendon; four sisters: Mrs. Ruby Blackman and Mrs. Blanche Smith, both of Clarendon; Mrs. Lena Pettit and Mrs. Eva Pesoboy of McLean; a brother, Tom Bogard of Muleshoe; two half-sisters: Mrs. Lela Hammer of Henderson, Texas and Mrs. Mellie Childs of Tenaha, Texas; and five grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made to the Presbyterian Children's Home.

Raymond Farr Rites Held Wed., April 10

Funeral services for Raymond Farr, a former long-time resident of Donley County, were held Wednesday afternoon, April 10, 1974, at 2:30 p.m. in the Methodist Church at Caddo Mills, Texas. Interment was at Caddo Mills.

Mr. Farr, 63, died Monday afternoon in a Dallas hospital. He was born in 1910 at Caddo Mills. Surviving are his wife, Jettie; a son, Wesley Farr of Clarendon; four daughters: Mrs. Johnny Bill Hermesmeier of Clarendon, Mrs. Marshall Reed of Amarillo, Mrs. Dick Handley of Oklahoma, and Mrs. Paul Fleming of the Palisades near Amarillo; sister, Mrs. Troy Gavins of Caddo Mills; four brothers: Damon, David, Edgar, and J. W., all of Caddo Mills; and nine grandchildren.

Other kin attending services from Clarendon were his uncle, Adam Risley, and cousins: Clara Lohoefer, Lloyd Risley, and Maurice Risley.

Attend The Church Of Your Choice This Sunday.

Easter Service Sunday At Calvary Baptist

Special Easter services will be held at the Calvary Baptist Church Sunday, April 14. The Calvary Baptist Church Choir under the direction of Garry Bowen has prepared special music. The Calvary Baptist Quartet will also be singing.

The message, both morning and evening, will be delivered by Rev. Lowell Hall of Springfield, Missouri. Bro. Hall is one of our fine young men that will be graduating from Springfield College this spring. He is no stranger in these parts in as much as he was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church before his going to Springfield College. He has many friends in Clarendon and he extends to you a special invitation to attend both services this Sunday.

Bro. Hall will be a blessing to you. There will also be a special gift to every boy and girl in the Sunday School service this Sunday. We have a beautiful Kite for each boy and girl.

We welcome you to all the services of the Calvary Baptist Church. Sunday afternoon there will be an Easter Egg hunt at the Jake Moffitt place where we go each year for this occasion. The Church Bus will leave the Church at 2:15 p.m. The Easter Egg hunt will be at 2:30 p.m., so don't be late.

We of the Calvary Baptist Church extend to you a special invitation to be present at 10 a.m. for the Bible classes. We have a class for every age group with capable teachers for every class. Will you come and help us to break the attendance record this Sunday. This invitation from all of us to all of you. The Calvary Baptist Church, Roy W. Sullivan, Pastor.

Lions Club Sponsors Caravan Of Blind

The time of year is again here when the Clarendon Lions Club will be conducting their annual sale of products made by the blind. The sale will be held April 16-17 with items on display at the lot across the street north of the Post Office.

Lions don't plan a house to house sale this year. If it is impossible for you to come by the display area contact any member of the Lions Club and a selection of products will be brought to your house.

This Lions project is to raise funds for their Sight Conservation Project. Buy a mop, broom, or other household articles made by skilled Texas blind craftsmen. The Caravan Truck will have a wide variety of useful household items.

Lions will appreciate your support of this project, stated Boss Lion Allen Estlack.

Sunrise Easter Service Slated At Greenbelt Scout Camp Sun. Morn.

Bicentennial Plans Impress Dignitaries In Meeting Here Sat.

A large group of Donley County citizens turned out Saturday afternoon at the Valley of Ciboli to meet and greet the State dignitaries who were here to see the work that has been done and the plans projected for Donley County's Bicentennial Celebration.

Here for the occasion were Senator Max Sherman, Senator Jack Hightower, Representative Phil Cates, Clayton Garrison of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission and his assistant, Planning Engineer Paul Schlimper, and Gene Brownrigg, Executive Director of the Texas Bicentennial Commission.

The group was most impressed with the work that has been done and the plans laid out for Donley County's Bicentennial celebration. Encouragement was given for a Park, not a State Park but a Park helped through the division of Parks Under Local Assistance, Texas Parks and Wildlife, this park belonging to the people of the county.

Engineer Schlimper was pleased with the planning and offered no suggestions at this time. All were amazed to see the work already accomplished and the enthusiasm of local residents.

The wind and dust made it a very disagreeable afternoon to be outdoors however the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts were busily engaged in the making of brick. Thanks are extended them and all other citizens who came out, to the Chamber of Commerce, the County Commissioners, County Judge Christal, Dr. Richard Gilkey, and especially the out-of-town guests for your presence on this occasion.

Mrs. Selvidge received a letter from President Richard Nixon Sunday, April 7, complimenting the people of Donley County on their progress.

GOLF TOURNEY SET AT CLARENDON COURSE

H. M. (Flip) Breedlove, Mayor of Clarendon, former County Agent, and Barbecue King of Donley County, will host a Golf Tournament April 24 for members of the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission's board of directors, members, ex-officio members and staff.

Tee-off time is 10 a.m. to be followed at 2 p.m. by a buffet Green fee is \$3 and the buffet \$5 per person.

Advance registrations are requested and can be made at PRPC headquarters in the Amarillo Building.

Scouts, leaders, dads and others have been working diligently this past week constructing a Brush Arbor at the Scout Camp on Greenbelt Lake in preparation for a Sunrise Easter Service which will be held at 7:30 a.m. Rev. Weldon Rives, pastor of the United Methodist Church, will deliver the message. All Scouts, parents and the public in general are invited to attend. The service will be concluded in time for all to return to town to attend regular services at their own church.

The Scout Camp is located at the former Dr. Beck pond on the west side of the lake. You can take the new paved FM road west of town to the lake area, turn right on the main traveled road when you reach the big Greenbelt sign and this road will take you to the camp area or you can go in at the east entrance, circle the lake to the south and back north to the Scout Camp.

You will find photos of the working group on page two of this issue of the Leader. The main arbor structure is up now and Scoutmaster Tommie Saye reports that he will have the brush covering the top by Sunday morning.

Members of the Scout Troop will leave Friday evening from the First Christian Church at 6:30 for a camp-out at the Scout Camp until Sunday morning and will return to town following the Sunrise Service.

"Sissy" Farenthold To Be Here Next Wed.

Frances "Sissy" Farenthold, Democratic candidate for Governor, is scheduled to be at Clarendon College next Wednesday morning, April 17 for a coffee, press conference and speech.

A coffee will be held in the College Cafeteria beginning at 9 a.m. The press conference will follow at 9:30 and at 10 a.m. she will speak in the Harned Sisters Fine Arts Auditorium. The public is invited to attend and meet Mrs. Farenthold.

Mrs. Farenthold was a candidate for this office in 1972 and was defeated by Briscoe by only a small margin in the run-off.

WEEK END VISITORS

Visitors over the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Semrad were Mrs. Robert Semrad and son, Robert of Carlsbad, N. M., Mrs. Calvin Dorman and son, Joe, of Mangum, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Dorman and son, Randy, of Pampa, Texas; and Mr. and Mrs. James Semrad and three children of Bloomington, Indiana.



Dignitaries visited in Clarendon Saturday afternoon to view at first hand the many projects underway toward Donley County's Bicentennial Celebration. Pictured are Virginia Browder, Senator Jack Hightower, Gene Brownrigg — Executive Director of the Texas Bicentennial Commission, and Senator Max Sherman.

Preparations Being Made For

SCOUTS

Easter



Sunday Morning, April 14 - Scout Camp

Dads, Leaders, Boys and others helping construct the Boy Scout Brush Arbor at the new Boy Scout Camp on Greenbelt Lake this past week in preparation for the Sunrise Easter Service Sunday morning at 7:30 a.m. and the walk bridge across Beck pond are shown here and putting out the hard labor. Photos were taken by Scout Leader Tommie Saye who reports that he will have the Arbor covered with brush before Sunday arrives. It takes team work and hard labor for such accomplishments . . . the same that is being taught to nearly a hundred Scouts and Explorer Scouts.

Top left — Rev. Weldon Rives cutting log by hand for the Brush Arbor; center left — 1 to r, Earl Ford, Allen Estlack and Eddie Floyd put two 55 ft. poles across pond at Scout Camp as a bridge for the Scouts; Todd Knorpp uses City Backhoe to load dirt in Charles Blackburn's truck to be used for floor of Brush Arbor; Top right — Explorer Scout Donny Putman and Junior Putman furnish the machine to dig the holes for the posts used to support the Arbor; Center right — Terry Putman, Charles Blackburn, Weldon Rives and Jr. Putman tamp first pole in ground; Lower right — Explorer Advisor Johnny Spivey cuts logs for the Brush Arbor.



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LOOK OUT!



By C.H.S. Looking In

This past week our C.H.S. "Men" traveled to White Deer and our girls went to Panhandle to participate in track meets. Congratulations, Kids!

Also, this past week we were handed a Recipe. A recipe of Happiness. The ingredients are: 1 Cup Frindly Words; 2 Heaping Cups Understanding; 4 Heaping Teaspoons of Time and Patience; A Dash of Humor; A Pinch of Warm Personality and plenty of Spice of Life. The instructions for mixing: Measure words carefully. Add heaping teaspoons of time and patience. Cook keeping temperature low — do not "boil." Add a dash of humor and a pinch of warm personality. Season to taste with plenty of spice of life. Serve in individual molds.

The regional qualifiers in Boys Track are Jerry Holland, Kenneth King, Steve King, Kenneth Reece, and Scott Hamilton. They will travel to Hereford this week for a practice meet. Good Luck, Boys!

It has been nice to be out of school this week even though some of the kids have to work for a living. There have been a lot of happy grandparents and relatives and a lot of trips north. We hope everyone has enjoyed the week and we will see you Monday.

Bobbie K., don't keep any secrets from your mother. Were the cartoons good Sunday morning?

Mitzi and Christi C. made a trip out of town this week end. Don't tell. It's just a rumor.

Rodney H., what all were you up to Sunday night? Debbie R., do you make a habit of carrying a teether around with you?

Scott H., you drink some of the strongest over ice. Jackie M., you were carrying quite a load Sunday night. You really ought to get a bigger pattern.

James E., what is this we hear about a new nickname "Harvie"?

Mona R., you seemed to be all ears this week end.

Lynn F., how in the world did you manage to get him to back down. A race might have proved more.

Jan B. has been awful lonesome this week. But we hear the phone has been ringing quite a bit.

Jimmy F., what is involved in running a fat man's relay?

Mrs. Weller, you didn't have much to say Thursday. Anything bothering you?

Question of the Week — What was so surprising about the hand in Friday morning's English IV?

Cutest Couple — Belinda T. and Tommy H.

made a business trip to Memphis Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Gray and Ronnie of Farwell spent the week end with the Vance Grays.

Jimmy Bible of McLean visited Thursday afternoon with the Clovis Bibles.

Mike Graham of Clarendon visited the Hubert Rhoades Thursday evening.

Billy Jack Green of Umbarger and Joe Green of Canyon visited Saturday afternoon with the Horace Greens.

Mr. and Mrs. Doss Finley visited Mrs. Austin Rhoades at Medical Center Nursing Home Saturday.

A. J. Garland, Hubert Rhoades, and H. S. Mahaffey attended a Cotton Board meeting at Memphis Saturday.

Richard Graham is recuperating from a broken collar bone.

Mrs. Hubert Rhoades visited Friday with Mrs. Austin Rhoades at Medical Center Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Payne of Matador spent Saturday night with the Horace Greens.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Caffee, Barbara King and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Ferguson, all of Panhandle visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Ollie Nelson and Mrs. Bonnie Koontz.

Bob Lumpkin of Fort Worth visited Thursday night with the Nuford Dills.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown.

Miss Mary Ann Clay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Clay, is home from WTSU at Canyon for the Easter Holidays.

Mrs. Kate Jones of McLean and Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Hubert Rhoades.

Scott and Pam Gray of Amarillo are spending the week with their grandparents, the Vance Grays.

Mr. and Mrs. Garry Bible of Pampa spent Sunday with the Clovis Bibles.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lane and David Martin had lunch in Clarendon with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall and family and visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Shine Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shannon and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey

THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

April 2, 1974

Dear Mrs. Seividge:

It was heartening to receive your recent letter following my radio address on the American Bicentennial. As I said in that message, one of the finest examples of community action comes from Clarendon. To me, and I am sure to millions of other Americans, the amphitheatre the townspeople are constructing will represent, in miniature, the spirit that built America.

America today, perhaps more than ever, needs the strength and contributions which come from our American rural heartland. We must maintain the precious values which America has traditionally drawn from her open spaces -- the moral courage, the self-reliant spirit, the sound character, the natural beauty, the unlimited horizons.

Our Bicentennial celebration will be a re-dedication to American values, as well as a reaffirmation of our strength and potential as a free people working together to achieve great goals, not only for ourselves, but for all people in the world. As always, our Nation faces many challenges, but in our laws, in our ideals, and in the character and heart of the American people, we hold the keys to all the difficulties that confront us.

You and the Donley County Living History Commission can certainly take pride in having initiated forward-looking programs to involve the whole community in the Bicentennial. Congratulations and best wishes!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Norma Selvidge
Executive Director
Donley County Living
History Commission
Box 1101
516 West Second
Highway 287
Clarendon, Texas 79226

They had dinner with Mrs. Kate Jones.

Chamberlain News

Mrs. Hawley Harrison

Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Mann attended a Panhandle Commodity Credit Association meeting in San Antonio Thursday and Friday. Mark Mann stayed with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dingler.

Chamberlain Club met with Mrs. Vivian Allen Thursday. We had a wonderful time visiting and doing hand work. We were delighted to have Mrs. Pat Allen join our club.

Mrs. Ruby Blackman and Mrs. Melba Risley were in Amarillo Thursday and visited Neal Bogard.

We had a good crowd at our Chamberlain Center meeting. Alford Ivey was elected President, Lois Putman, Vice-President, Ruby Blackman Secretary - Treasurer, and Ola Williams Reporter. Our appreciation goes to the retiring officers.

Mrs. Eunice Mann and Mrs. Richard Dingler visited Mrs. J. D. Wood Saturday afternoon.

Jay Neel Carter of Amarillo visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ballew.

We were sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Kinch Leathers. Our sympathy goes to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Harrison and Anna were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McAnear, Connie and Steve Saturday night. There will be a Candidate Rally and Pie Supper at Chamberlain Center next meeting, April 19th. Everyone Come!!!

Mrs. Pauline Koontz visited her sister, Mrs. Lois Lair of Hedley, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Fields of Groom were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hardin. We are so glad Susan is feeling so much better now.

Alvin Corbin and Bertie Fay Templeton of Amarillo were dinner guests of Ruth and Neil Corbin. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ballew and Mrs. Clara Mae Carter visited in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gervis Kennard and Jennifer of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann the week end and Mr. and Mrs. Garth Carter visited them and Mrs. Clara Mae Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Glate Peabody of McLean visited the Roy Blackmans Sunday, and they went to Amarillo to visit Neal Bogard. He isn't doing very well. Blanche Smith is feeling better and we are so glad.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Koontz of Ashtola visited Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Koontz Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Barbee visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barbee and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Price in Quitaque last Thursday.

Clayton Ferris has returned to Austin and the Easter holiday was cut short. He will be missed we know.

Mrs. A. J. Fowler of Memphis visited Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. J. D. Jones.

Mrs. Richard Cannon and Mrs. Betty White and girls, Freda and Tammy were in Pampa Monday.

Mrs. Richard Cannon and Mrs. J. H. Easterling visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Easterling.

VISITS

Jay Neel Carter of Amarillo visited the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. Clara Mae Carter. Other week end visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Garth Carter of Dumas, Mrs. G. A. Lambirth and Mrs. Beth Carter of Amarillo had lunch with Mrs. Carter Monday and returned Jay Neel to Amarillo.

UNCLE ZEB



Read this one someplace: "A husband is never so good as the wife had thought before marriage, and never quite as bad as she thinks he is afterward."

If all the cars in the country were strung out end to end some smart aleck would try to pass them.

A good question for an athlete: serve him a good dinner and ask him if he believes there is a cook.

The most desirable quality about one's nose is not its length, not its width, but how often it is found in other peoples' business.

One good thing about being married is that we can't make a fool of ourselves without knowing it.

We heard about the teenager that meant to run away from home but everytime she got to the door the phone would ring.

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Sincerely,

Ernest Kent

Public Auction

I have quit farming and will sell at PUBLIC AUCTION at the farm just off Highway 287 south on Farm Road 2362 at Ashtola, Texas

BEGINNING AT 10 A.M.

Tuesday, April 16th

- 130 Bu. Wetmore Grinder-Mixer, just like new. Been used very little.
- 2 Massey Ferguson 65 Tractors on L. P. in perfect condition.
- Krause 14 ft. Tandem Disc.
- M Farmall Tractor.
- 7 ft. Schredder.
- Stalk Cutter.
- 9 Shank Hoeme Chisel, nearly new
- 4 Row Knifing Sled.
- Tandem Disc - 7 ft.
- 4 Row Tool Bar Lister.
- 4 Row Lister - Planter.
- 4 Row Lister.
- 2 Row IHC Planter.
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Anna Merchant Group Methodist Women

Members and guests of the Anna Merchant unit of the First United Methodist Church met Wednesday at 3 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. A short business meeting was held after which a special Easter program was presented.

Mrs. J. B. McDaniel of Lelia Lake was Program Chairman. The program was opened with group singing using the Easter theme. Prayer was given by Mrs. J. B. McDaniel. Devotions were read by Mrs. Lacy Noble, taken from Romans 8:37-38 and excerpts from the Upper Room.

A song was rendered by Mrs. Lacy Noble and Miss Terry Byrd, "A Mansion Just Over The Hills," with the accompaniment by Terry on the guitar. Mrs. C. E. Bairfield read several Easter Poems: "Easter Bonnets" by Ree Rohrer, "Easter Season" by Virginia Katherine Oliver, and "Easter Lilies" Mrs. J. B. McDaniel sang "Why Me, Lord" and Miss Terry Byrd sang several selections and played the guitar. These included "God Walks The Dark Hills," "Lord Build Me A Cabin In Gloryland," "He did It All For Me," and "Jesus Will Outshine Them All."

She also gave a very inspiring testimony, "What God Means To Me." We enjoyed more group singing and Mrs. Lacy Noble and Mrs. J. B. McDaniel sang "Cleanse Me." Mrs. J. L. Butler was the accompanist for all the singing. The meeting was closed with Mrs. John Bass playing several Easter selections and other appropriate numbers at

the piano. Refreshments were served from an attractively laid table covered with a white cloth and carrying out the Easter decor. Baskets of spring flowers with Easter attractions decorated the entertaining rooms.

Mrs. Noble served punch while Mrs. W. N. Poole and Mrs. J. L. Butler served coffee. Present were guests: Miss Terry Byrd, Miss Becky Leeder, Mrs. Ferrell Floyd, Miss Bessie Reynolds, Mrs. Roy Blackman, Mrs. John Sarich and Mrs. Roy Bartlett. Members present were Mesdames W. N. C. Thornberry, Frank White, Jr., Lois Hutchins, Scott McDaniel, J. R. Gillham, G. H. Hillis, Verdie Herrington, Victor Smith, Viola Behrens, Lacy Noble, W. N. Poole, C. M. Lowry, J. L. Butler, C. E. Bairfield, Forrest Sawyer, H. T. Warner, John Bass, Rollie Brumley, and J. B. McDaniel.

Miss Pat Braddock Feted With Shower

Miss Pat Braddock, bride-elect of Ben Ford of Mobeetie, was honored with a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Lloyd McCord Saturday, April 6, 1974. Guests were received between the hours of 7 and 9 p.m.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. McCord and presented to Miss Braddock, her mother, Mrs. Wesley Braddock, and the prospective groom's mother, Mrs. Ford. Mrs. Calvin Ashcraft registered the guests.

The honoree's colors of green and white were used in flowers and decorations. Table appointments were crystal. Sue Osburn

Les Beaux Arts Club Enjoys Canyon Trip

Les Beaux Arts Club's Friday meeting was held out of town with members going to Canyon. The group enjoyed lunch at The Yum Yum Tree, an excitingly decorated restaurant noted for its fine cuisine. Foods from every land are featured at this restaurant which has several banquet rooms and dining rooms each decorated differently.

After lunch the group made a very interesting tour of the Panhandle Plains Historical Museum at Canyon. Following the tour, some browsed through the shops in Canyon, some attended the Home Show in Amarillo and some enjoyed shopping in Amarillo.

Hostesses were Mrs. Stina Cain and Mrs. G. G. Henson. Attending were Mesdames Frank White, Jr., L. E. Holloway, Vernon Berry, John Sarich, Johnny Leathers, Tommie Saye, Walter Taylor, G. G. Henson, and one guest, Mrs. Florence Baker.

LELIA LAKE CENTER

We will meet Saturday night, April 13, at 8 p.m. at the Lelia Lake Community Center. Everyone is invited. Bring a covered dish. Please note the new time and, too, this is election night. Hostesses will be Barbara Helms and Johnnie Hill.

The first vacation Bible school for youngsters was opened in 1901 in New York City by Dr. Robert Boville of the Baptist City Mission.

and Annette Osburn dispensed punch and served cake.

Many lovely and useful gifts were brought and sent. Approximately twenty-five registered during the receiving hours.

Hostesses were Mesdames Thomas Perkins, F. O. Hodge, Louise Fricks, Claris Leffew, Margaret Waldrop, Pauline Jones, Gene Welch, Troy Guy, Clarice Hall, C. A. Johnson, James Ashcraft, Roy Jackson, Connie Dromgoole, Leo Smith, Irene Vinson, Calvin Ashcraft, and Lloyd McCord.



Mr. & Mrs. I. D. Holman Celebrate 54th Wedding Anniversary Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Holman celebrated their 54th wedding anniversary Sunday, April 7th, 1974 at their home in Clarendon. Mr. and Mrs. Holman were married April 7th, 1920 in Colgate, Oklahoma. The couple moved to Clarendon in 1924. Mr. Holman was employed at Citizens Cemetery from 1941 to 1965 when he retired.

The couple has three daughters: Mrs. Grace Massingill of Fort Sill, Oklahoma, Mrs. Clarence Pierce and Mrs. Kenneth Booth of Clarendon; also nine grandchildren: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Massingill of Amarillo, Sgt. and Mrs. Jimmy Fetters of Fort Sill, Oklahoma, Linda, Clarence, Jr., and Richard Pierce, also Sheryl and Bobby Booth, all of Clarendon. There are eight great grandchildren: Rhonda, Theresa and Kelly Massingill of Amarillo and Randy, Jimmy Paul, Becky, Julia and James Fetters of Fort Sill.

Fourteen of the immediate family were present to help make the occasion a happy one. A brother, Jake Holman and nephew, Homer Holman, and friends called throughout the afternoon.

Our congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Holman on this happy occasion.

Fun After Fifty Holds Ministerial Alliance Meeting Sat., Apr. 6 In Donley County

The Fun After Fifty Club (Senior Citizens) met Sat., at Lions Club Hall for the regular monthly social. Meeting was opened with prayer by O. C. Watson. Mrs. Nina Dale, president, presided over the business session. The secretary made a report as to the treasurer. Games of dominoes and 42 were played.

Those who have birthdays during the month of April were recognized and were presented cards. Mrs. Carter was presented the Door Prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Raul Hancock and daughter, Amy, presented a delightful musical program after which Virginia Browder came in dressed in Calico, cook apron and sun bonnet and gave a short review of her book. With her wit and humor she told of the hardships of the pioneers of this area, doing things the hard way, no modern conveniences. She spoke of the old-timers, Charlie Goodnight and the Tom Bugbee families. Goodnight lived many years in the area. The Bugbee family lived where the new college now stands.

Tables were attractively decorated with flowers, bunnies, and the Easter motif in napkins. Table grace was offered by Paul Hancock. A delicious meal was served with everything good to eat.

About 58 were present, five guests and two from Hedey. As each arrived Mrs. Herd and Mrs. Victor Smith pinned Easter Egg name tags made by Ruth Hancock and others.

Everyone reported a wonderful time.

Hospital Auxiliary Meeting Held April 2

Donley County Medical Center Hospital Auxiliary met April 2 in the Dining Room at Medical Center.

Our hope is that old members will attend; new members will join us. Membership fee is \$3.00 per year. Everyone in Donley County is welcome and wanted.

Honorary memberships were given to Mr. White and Mr. Bell. We gave \$25 to Mr. White for a Craft Class he would like to start in Nursing Home.

Officers elected were: Neta Harmon, president; Della Allen, vice-president; Gladys Baten, secretary; Nina Dale, treasurer; Marie Hill, reporter.

If you would like to be a new member, please call 874-3574 or 874-3860 (after 6).

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, April 16, at 8 p.m. in the dining room at Medical Center.

In the painting of Washington Crossing the Delaware, a soldier is shown holding the American flag, though it had not been designed at that time.

The 1960 census disclosed that the average dwelling in the nation contained 4.9 rooms.

Martin News

Mrs. Raymond Waldrop

Mrs. Eldon Lyles and Mrs. Thomas Perkins spent the week end in Stephenville with their daughters, Melinda and Pam.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cole and family visited in Dallas and Houston over the week end. They were going to San Antonio the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Helton spent the week end in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cornell. Diane is staying a few days.

Mrs. Jo Schollenbarger and Connie, Mrs. Lloyd Virgil Risley, Miles and Teresa, Mrs. Roy Blackman, and Mrs. Warren Hardin were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Risley during the week end.

Lynn Reynolds and Zoe Burns of Amarillo visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Flossie Reynolds.

Bro. McCormick of Goodnight preached at the Martin Church Sunday.

Wayne Reynolds is visiting in Amarillo a few days with Tommy Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Casteel of Amarillo and Mrs. Otis Bohanon and Gwen visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Reynolds, Cindy and Wayne ate supper Saturday night with Mrs. Dorothy Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Watson visited later in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hearn visited Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Othel Elliott.

Linda Hilburn of Lubbock spent

the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Risley and Jim. Mrs. Roy Blackman and Mrs. Lloyd Risley went to Amarillo Thursday. They also visited in Claude.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hearn, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Thomas and Mr. Thomas of Claude went to New Mexico over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Helton visited last week in Leoti, Kansas with Mr. and Mrs. Don Helton.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Easterling visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Helton.

Mrs. Pete Land and Mrs. Dale McCaugh spent the week end in Littlefield with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Helton went to Amarillo over the week end to see her aunt who is a patient in High Plains Baptist Hospital.

Mrs. W. D. Higgins, Mrs. Mary Mann, Mrs. Mae Wilkinson, Mrs. Eleanor Martin, Virginia and Ben Clifford went to Ashtola Saturday night to the Community Center.

CARDS OF THANKS

Words can not express our feelings of thanks and appreciation to those who gave us words of encouragement and acts of love during the illness and death of my wife and our sister.

Kinch Leathers
Mrs. Bettye Walling
Mrs. Ruby McDowell
Mrs. Lorena Brock
Mrs. Willie Phillips

Scout Troop 33

Saturday, April 6th, Scouts of Troop No. 33 made bricks at the Bicentennial site at Greenbelt Lake. Debbie and Jeff Campbell, Assistant Scoutmaster, took the following boys: Danny Alexander, Kelly Tunnell, Chris Ford, Lance Thornberry, Drew Thornberry, and Terry Putman.

Monday evening, April 8th, 19 boys from the Troop went to Pampa on a Bowling trip. Enjoying this outing were: Dewey Ford, Chris Ford, John Tucker, Kelly Tunnell, Lance Thornberry, Drew Thornberry, Stan Leffew, Shane Swinney, Jon Nichols, Keenan Shields, Danny Alexander, Rex Brown, Dan Sawyer, Bobby Lindsey, Steve Rives, Donny Garman, Gary Thomas, Ivan Thomas, and Butch Blackburn.

As a reminder — it is time for all Scouts of Troop No. 33 and all Explorers of Post No. 33 to Re-Charter. Please see Mr. Saye and pay your dues. Charter must be sent in by May 1st.

H. R. WILLIAMS DIES IN FT. WORTH

Mrs. C. C. Rich received word Tuesday last week, April 2, of the death of her brother, H. R. Williams. Mr. Williams died at Fort Worth. Funeral services and burial were Thursday, April 4, 1974, at Corsicana.

Those attending services from this area were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rich and Darr, Mina Ivey and Christie of Clarendon, Mrs. Larry Kelly and June of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rich and family of Claude, and Mrs. A. B. Hinkle of Tahoka.

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Contributions are tax deductible. If you are unable to attend the Community Good Friday Service to be held at St. John Baptist Episcopal Church, and would like to contribute, please contact one of the local pastors.

Mrs. Mae Wilkinson Hosts Goldston Club

The Goldston Quilting Club met Thursday, April 4, with Mrs. Mae Wilkinson. One quilt was finished.

Delicious refreshments were served to Joy Robertson Bonnie Davis, Blanche Gray, Quata Phillips, Blanche Higgins, Annie Bates, Della Allen, Eleanor Martin, and visitors; Lois Hutchins, Roeda Rattan, Lois Percival, and Lena Mae Graham by the hostess, Mae Wilkinson.

The next meeting will be the afternoon of April 18 in the home of May Pearl McDonald.

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JP's Oppose New Constitution Changes

The following letter has been mailed to Oscar Mauzy, chairman of the Judiciary Committee and Craig Washington, Chm. of the local government committee in Austin in regard to newly proposed changes in the constitution effecting the Justice of Peace Judges throughout the state. (Editor's Note) We think Judge Lewis is quite right in the statements he lists below which is also sanctioned by the state association.

The governing body of each county shall establish and maintain one or more justice courts and, if more than one, shall divide the county into justice precincts and provide a justice court for each precinct. Justices of the Peace shall have jurisdiction in criminal matters of all cases where the penalty or fine to be imposed by law may not be more than for \$200.00, and in civil matters of all cases where the amount in controversy is \$500.00 or less, exclusive of interest, of which exclusive original jurisdiction is not given to

the District or County Courts and such other jurisdiction, criminal and civil, as may be provided by law, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, and appeals to the County Courts shall be allowed in all cases decided in Justices' Courts where the judgment is for more than \$50.00 exclusive of costs and in all criminal cases under such regulations as may be prescribed by law. And the Justices of the Peace shall be ex-officio notaries public; and they shall hold their courts at such times and places as may be provided by law.

The first sentence of this proposed wording is exactly as proposed by the Constitutional Revision Commission. The wording following the first sentence is exactly as our present Constitution, except that our civil jurisdiction is raised to \$500.00 and the amount for appeal to be perfected is raised from \$20.00 to \$50.00. We feel that our jurisdiction should be specifically spelled out in the new Constitution as it is in our present Constitution. We also feel that we should have a four year elective term as specified in our pres-

ent Constitution. It is hard for me to understand why the Justice of the Peace courts are being discriminated against. This is the oldest court in the land. We solve many, many problems before they go to court. This is the peoples court where particular attention must be given to assuring that the individual citizen is able to secure prompt and efficient recognition of his legal rights, privileges, and obligations, and will receive equal justice without regard to income status, race, sex, age, religion, or national origin.

The Federal Government recognizes the authority and responsibility of state local government.

Farm News

Donley County ASCS

COTTON ALLOTMENT TRANSFER BY SALE OR LEASE

May 1, 1974:

- Final date to transfer cotton allotment by sale or lease, both within county and out-of-county.

- Final date to release and request reapportioned cotton. There is a list posted on the bulletin board of the ASCS office giving the names of people who wish to lease or sell their cotton allotment. If you want, you may place your name on the list.

CHANGE!!!

In our February newsletter, you were told that leased or reapportioned cotton acreage would not be eligible for disaster payment. You guessed it! The procedure has been changed. You will be eligible for disaster payment on the leased or reapportioned acreage provided the County Committee determines that you are not leasing cotton acreage strictly for prevented planting payment and the acreage does not exceed an amount normally planted on the farm.

MEASUREMENT FEES
Staking and Reference — \$18.00 plus \$5.00 each additional plot.
Measurement Service — \$15.00 plus \$5.00 each additional plot.
Bin Measurement — \$8.00.

IMPORTANT!! READ CAREFULLY!!

Are you grazing your "droughted out" wheat? If so, you need to come by this office and request an appraisal if you want the acreage considered for a possible disaster payment.

Grazing past the normal date to take cattle off wheat is considered as "devoting the crop to another use" other than grain. Program provisions require that the crop be inspected by an appraiser prior to its being devoted to another use.

This does not mean that you will need to take the cattle off. It simply means that if you intend to salvage all the grazing you can, you must request the appraisal at once. Any acreage grazed past the normal pull-off date without requesting an appraisal will automatically be disregarded when disaster payments are computed. This request for abandonment appraisal must be filed no later than Friday, April 19 to be considered.

You will have to certify all of the wheat acreage on the farm



Gary R. Swearingen Re-Enlists In U.S. Army

Gary R. Swearingen, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Swearingen of Clarendon, has re-enlisted in the United States Army for a period of six years. He will be stationed at Fort Carson, Colorado for at least another year.

Swearingen took his basic training at Ft. Ord, California and has been at Fort Carson for two years where he is in Artillery. He will receive a 35 day leave in May.

(including abandoned) at the time you request the appraisal.

ALL OTHER ABANDONED ACRES
For all abandoned acres not to be grazed, there is no deadline to request the appraisal. You should not request it until you have completely given up on the wheat and have definitely decided to plow it up.

FOR ALL FARMS — SIGN-UP BEGINS

We have the forms for filing your intention to participate in the Wheat, Feed Grain and Cotton programs. You will indicate your intention to participate at the time you file your acreage certification for wheat. This means that we can begin taking your intentions (sign-up) and your acreage certifications now. The final date to enroll and certify is before the harvesting of the first program crop (wheat, feed grain and cotton), on the farm, or July 15. If you have no wheat allotment, but have wheat planted for harvest, you must certify the wheat before it is harvested. If you request an appraisal for abandonment, you must also enroll in the program, and file your acreage certification at the same time.

REAP - 1973

As you know, the 1973 REAP Program was terminated on 12-22-72. Since that date, the REAP for 1973 has been reinstated. Therefore, we now have two conservation programs, the 1974 REAP and the 1973 REAP. The practices under the 1973 REAP are:

- A-2-a Permanent Vegetative Cover.
- B-1-a Improvement of Vegetative Cover.
- B-7-a Dams for Livestock Water.
- B-5 Livestock Water Wells.
- B-7-b Erosion Control Dams.
- B-7-c Dams or Ponds for Water for Wildlife.
- C-4 Constructing Terrace Systems.
- C-5-a Constructing Division Terraces.
- C-12-a Reorganizing Farm Irrigation Systems.
- D-1-a Establishing Winter Cover.
- I-1-a Lagoons for Animal Wastes.
- I-1-b Animal Waste Storage Facilities.
- I-1-c Diversion for Animal Wastes.
- J-1-a Sediment Retention Structures.
- J-1-b Erosion Control Dams, Other than water storage type.
- J-1-c Drop Spillways, Pipe Drops, Drop Inlets.
- J-2-a Permanent Waterways.
- J-2-b Sediment or Chemical Runoff Control Measures.
- F-2-c Controlling Competitive Shrubs.
- F-2 (E-3-a) Deep Plowing.
- F-2 (E-3-b) Listing or Chiseling.

The limitation is \$1500.00 per person under the 1973 REAP. Don't let the 1973 confuse you. 1973 is only a title. The 1973 REAP is for practices to be carried out in 1974, not practices carried out in 1973.

Jerry C. Gage,
County Executive Director

The Veterans Administration approved 365 000 GI home loans valued at \$8.4 billion in fiscal year 1973—the most loans in 16 years.

It was against the law to observe Christmas in the U.S. in 1659.

State Capitol Highlights and Sidelights

By BILL BOYKIN

Delegates to the 1974 Constitutional Convention have taken a break in their efforts to rewrite Texas' 1876-model Constitution.

The 181 delegates (Texas House and Senate members) are to spend the next 30 days back home discussing with their constituents the work accomplished thus far on the constitutional rewrite.

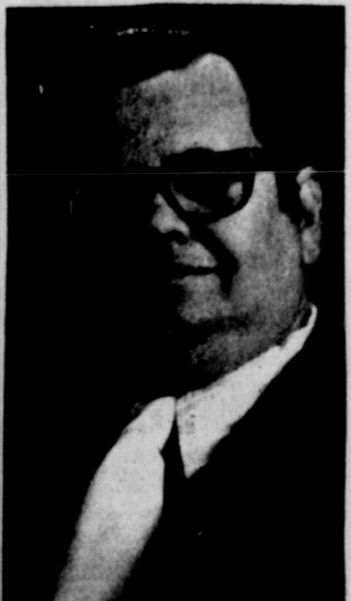
Decision to take the recess until May 6 was triggered partially by the desire of some delegates to return to their home districts to concentrate on reelection efforts, stymied for the most part for the last three months by their need to meet a five-day-a-week convention schedule in Austin.

Other convention delegates and convention leadership feel the 30-day break will provide opportunity for them to seek citizen comment on the work of the convention so far.

Many convention delegates have complained that the work schedule has been so strenuous they have had little opportunity to touch base with the folks back home.

When they return to Austin in May, delegates will go to work on new Constitutional articles dealing with the Judiciary, General Provisions and Separation.

The recess will also provide Style and Drafting Committee staff members opportunity to review articles which have gained tentative approval to insure that no error has crept into the document during the heat of debate on the convention floor. Convention leadership is now talking about submitting the final document to voters at the November, 1974, general election.



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DIVIDED PAYMENT — Allstate Insurance Company has been ordered to pay Texas auto policyholders \$4 million in cancelled dividends.

Allstate attorneys said they "completely disagree" and will appeal Insurance Commissioner Don Odom's order, hoping it will not discourage other companies from "making lower rates available to customers under new law."

Odom said Allstate's Texas certificate will be cancelled in Texas if dividends aren't being paid in 30 days.

Allstate stopped paying dividends on policies expiring October 3, the same day it obtained the State Insurance Board's permission to reduce rates for auto coverage.

DEMO CONVENTION FIGHT HEATS — Democratic liberals and conservatives are squaring off for another clash at precinct conventions May 4.

Houston liberal leader Billie Carr claimed Gov. Dolph Briscoe's supporters are trying to take over the Texas Democratic party rather than encouraging wider participation by all elements.

Activities of the Governor's Conventions Committee, headed by Gordon Wynne of Willis Point, is siphoning off money needed for an official Affirmative Action Program to bring in more new convention goers, charged Mrs. Carr.

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APPOINTMENTS — William Gregg Paul of Rusk and Dr. William Ben Buckaby of Wichita

Falls were appointed by Governor Briscoe as members of the Midwestern University board of regents. Carter McGregor Jr. was reappointed to the Board.

Briscoe named L. D. Brinkman of Mountain Home, Tony Kunitz of Sinton and L. H. True of Wimberley to the Texas Conservation Foundation.

Leroy Beck Jr., formerly of San Antonio, is a new legal aide in the Secretary of State's Election Division.

Briscoe appointed five to the Board of Directors of the Lavaca County Flood Control District No. 3 Paul A. Najvar, Robert Joseph Pesek, Leon Louis Kahaneck Jr. and Alfred Neumeier Jr., all of Hallettsville, were reappointed for two-year terms, and Julius Bueck of Hallettsville was appointed for a two-year term.

The Governor named S. B. Allen of Edna, Edwin H. Due now of Lolla and A. H. Stafford of Edna to the Board of Directors of the Lavaca-Navidad

River Authority.

House Speaker Price Daniel Jr. appointed a special interim committee to study the reorganization and modernization of state agencies which administer public education. Rep. R. B. McAlister of Lubbock will serve as chairman.

Larry Crumpton of Austin has been named Deputy Director of the Texas Department of Community Affairs.

Briscoe has selected Miss Diane Booker as acting director of the Texas Film Commission.

OFFICIAL OPINIONS — Prisoners in county jails must be permitted to vote, Atty. Gen. John Hill concluded in a recent opinion. Hill's interpretation which held a portion of the Texas Election Code unconstitutional does not apply to convicted felons since they would not be qualified to vote anyway.

The opinion speaks to persons who are in their home county jails on misdemeanor charges.

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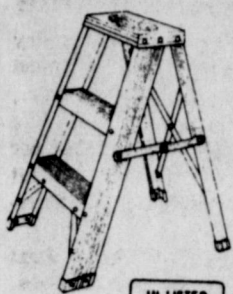


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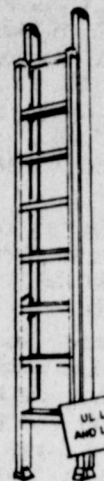
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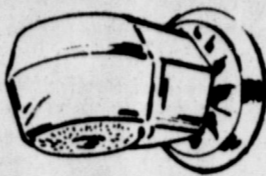
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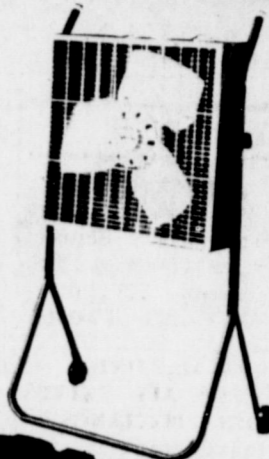
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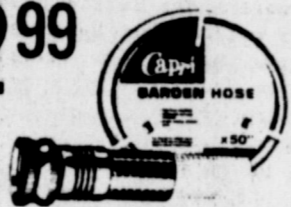
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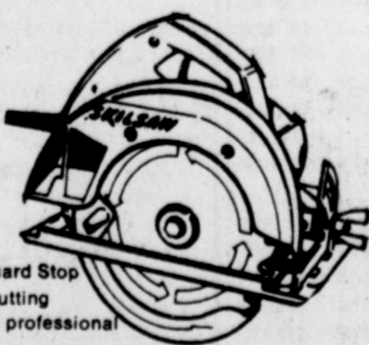
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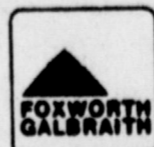
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Contract Is Let For Highway Work In Hall And Donley Counties

Highway construction contracts let in March by the Texas Highway Commission include Childress area work.

The work, supervised by District Engineer Lewis H. White, will be in Donley and Hall Counties.

A contract was awarded to Gilvin-Terrill, Inc. of Amarillo. Low bid was \$518,108.80.

The project, which will require an estimated 60 working days, will be under Highway Department Engineer Arville Coyle of Childress.

The contract is for hot mix asphaltic concrete pavement overlay of original lanes on 23.4 miles of U. S. Highway 287. The project extends from 0.3 mile east of Hedley southeast to Hall

County line, and from 4.0 miles northwest of Childress County line southeast 1.1 miles and from Donley County line southeast to Red River.

The Texas Highway Commission also approved signing and delineation on a section of Interstate Highway 40 in Gray and Donley Counties.

The work will extend from 2.0 miles east of Groom, eastward to State Highway 70 near Jericho, a distance of 9.6 miles. Estimated cost of the work is \$79 thousand.

Mrs. John Reagan Rites Held In Dallas

Funeral services for Mrs. Maggie Reagan of Dallas were held Saturday afternoon April 6, 1974, in Dallas. Mrs. Reagan was a sister of the late Frank Hermesmeier. She died Thursday, April 4, in Dallas.

Mrs. Reagan was born in 1893 at Palmyra, Missouri. She moved to Texas in 1914 and to Dallas in the early 1930's. She was the last of the Hermesmeier brothers and sisters.

Surviving are a daughter, Eloise Harper of Palmer, Texas; a son, Bill Ruyle of Texas City; and six grandchildren.

A nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hermesmeier and Mary Jo of Clarendon attended services Saturday afternoon.



VOTE FOR EARL WILLIAMS

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Hedley Methodists Revival April 14-21

The Hedley Methodist Church will begin a revival Monday, April 15. Rev. Jim Boswell of Wellington will do the preaching.

Della Hewett of West Texas State University in Canyon will be in charge of the Music and Youth program.

Afterglow meetings are to be held in homes. Revival services will close Sunday, April 21, with a Fellowship Dinner at the Church.

All are invited to attend these services.

TYPEWRITERS & ADDERS AT THE LEADER

IRS Warns Taxpayers Do Not Mail Cash

Cold hard cash is not the way to pay your 1973 federal income tax, Robert A. LeBaube, Acting Internal Revenue Service (IRS) District Director for North Texas, said today.

"Cash can get lost in the mail," he said, "leaving the taxpayer without a record of payment."

For the sake of assuring proper payment and for keeping good records, LeBaube said, taxpayers should use either a check or money order in lieu of cash.

Another advantage of this type of payment, LeBaube said, is that taxpayers can write their social security number on the check or money order and further assure proper identification with their account.

CAFETERIA SCHOOL MENU

April 15-19

MONDAY—Baked Fish Sticks with Catsup, French Fries, Black-eyed Peas, Homemade Bread, Mixed Fruit, Milk.

TUESDAY — Hot Dog with Chili on Homemade Bun, Buttered Corn, Tossed Green Salad, Orange Juice, Milk.

WEDNESDAY — Beef Stew with Vegetables, Jello with Carrots, Celery and Cheese, Cornbread, Cookie, Milk.

THURSDAY — Chicken Pot Pie, Buttered Carrots, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Butter, Jelly, Milk.

FRIDAY—Hamburger on Bun, Lettuce and Tomatoes, Sliced Onions, Tater-Tots, Chocolate Cake, Milk.

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Warren G. Harding is the only man who went direct from the Senate to the Presidency.

Selective Service Requires Young Men To Register, Age 18

Colonel Melvin N. Glantz, the State Director of Selective Service for Texas, has announced the use of "registration by mail" in Texas.

Although inductions have ended, young men are still required by Federal Law to register with Selective Service at age 18. Failure to register makes the young man liable for an extreme penalty of five years in prison and \$10,000.00 fine.

"Registration by mail" is not intended to replace the established procedure of appearing in person before a duly appointed Selective Service Registrar. It is designed only as a supplemental measure to accommodate the young man who lives so far from a place of registration that going before the Registrar would be an inconvenience.

To accomplish registration by mail, the young man can simply write to his nearest Selective Service System Area Office requesting the new form for registration by mail. The form will be forwarded immediately, and when completed and returned to Selective Service, the young man will have complied with the requirement of Federal Law to register with Selective Service.

Glantz said: "Since inductions have ended, many people think it is no longer necessary for young men to register, but the law still requires each young man to register within 30 days before or after his 18th birthday."

To receive the new registration by mail form, young men should write to the nearest Selective Service System Area Office or to State Headquarters Selective Service System in Austin, Texas.

Young men may register by personally appearing before the following Selective Service Registrars in this area:

Mr. Clarence Hamilton Clarendon College or 704 Bugbee Clarendon, Texas

Mr. P. C. Messer Courthouse Clarendon, Texas

head for calves weaned on sprayed pasture.

On the basis of spraying 1,000 acres of rangeland, this new method saves 750 gallons of diesel oil, 2,500 gallons of water and 45 gallons of aviation gasoline.

Information on specifications required for low volume-low pressure aerial spraying of hormone type herbicides for the control of brush and weed can be obtained from the Texas Department of Agriculture in Austin.

Sod House Survey: Have You A Heritage?

Did you ever live in a sod house, a dugout, or an adobe building; or were you born in one? Did you ever teach school, attend school or church services in such a building, or help build one? Or are you a child or perhaps a grandchild of a former pioneer sod house dweller or builder?

If you can answer "yes" to any of these questions, the Sod House Society of America, with headquarters at Colby, Kansas, would like to hear from you. The unique society is making a survey and census of people who have had any kind of personal experience with sod structures, including descendants of such persons. Sod houses, dugouts, part sod, and adobe buildings were once common in the United States, Canada, and New Mexico.

To make this survey a success, information is needed from people in all parts of North America. If you have any information concerning present or former sod dwellers, a report of this will be most welcome. Please tell where the buildings were located, and give family names, as well as your own. Reports should be sent to: SOD HOUSE SURVEY of Texas, Colby, Kansas 67701.

Social Security

By Travis C. Briggs

Q—I am retired and I receive social security benefits for myself and my 25 year old son who has been disabled since childhood. We have been getting our benefits for 18 months. I



The three Hospital District Directors who have so ably served this area the past year, were unanimously re-elected to direct the future of Medical Center at the regular meeting of the Hospital Board Monday night. Left to right, Delbert Robertson, President; E. W. Barbee, Secretary; and O. C. Watson, Vice-President. Re-elected to the board as was John H. Jones and newly elected were C. C. Ayers and Bud Hermesmeier. —Staff Photo

Chamberlain Center Candidate Rally And Pie Supper April 19

There will be a Candidate Rally and Pie Supper at the Chamberlain Community Center Friday night, April 19th, at 8 p.m.

All Candidates are extended a special invitation to attend and get acquainted.

Everyone is invited. Bring a Pie, and remember the date, Friday, April 19, 8 p.m. Rep.

First Baptist In Revival At Claude

The First Baptist Church of Claude will hold revival services April 14 through April 21 with nightly services beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Windell Taylor, pastor of the Fairview Baptist Church of Amarillo, Texas will be the Evangelist. Otis Manley, music director of the First Baptist Church in Claude, will lead the music.

Preceding the regular service each night will be a children's program, "Puppet People."

The public is invited to attend.

LOCALS IN PRO-AM GOLF TOURNEY APR. 8

Several from Clarendon participated in the West Texas PGA Pro-Amateur Golf matches Monday at the Amarillo Public Golf Course.

Five teams tied for the first place with 10 under par 62's. Among them were Shelby Bell and Don Tanner of Clarendon. Each Amateur member of the tied foursomes received \$23.94

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New Brush, Weed Control Developed

A new development in chemical control of range brush and weeds has shown that the amount of diesel oil and water used can be reduced by more than 80 percent, according to researchers at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station Brush Field Control Team.

The reason for such a drastic reduction, said C. E. Fisher, head of the field research staff at Lubbock and Chillicothe-Vernon, is the use of low volume-low pressure aerial application of 2, 4, 5 T, a chemical herbicide.

The use of 2, 4, 5 T was developed by the Texas A & M University scientists and was recommended for control of mesquite and annual weeds first in 1961, the researcher said.

The new method was approved last year by the Texas Department of Agriculture under an experimental label for the treatment of an estimated 300,000 acres of rangeland. Basically, Fisher said, the method consists of using a minimum boom pressure and minimum number of special nozzles to reduce the breakup of a mixture of one pint 2, 4, 5 T, one pint of diesel oil and six pints of water per acre. The combination of the chemical and the new application methods make the system work well.

Studies are conducted at 12 ranch locations in the western and southern areas of Texas with tests including various types of aerial spraying equipment, different herbicides, formulations and special oils in combination with volumes of application ranging from one pint up to four gallons per acre. A study was also conducted to determine the factors that would increase deposition of herbicides in the target area, the aim to reduce the drift hazard.

The study was to especially control mesquite, sandy shinnery, mixed brush in South Texas and the annual weeds that usually accompany these problem plants.

The benefits of control from our own grazing trials show an average increase of 34 pounds per

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