

Absentee Balloting Opens on Wolfforth Bond Election



COTTON PRODUCERS TEST "THE NATURAL"-Members of the executive committee of the Cotton Incorporated board of directors get an advance look at a new woven man's dress shirt containing 60 per cent cotton. The shirt, called "The Natural," will be available in retail stores by late summer. Fabric in the shirt conforms to Cotton Incorporated's "Natural Blend" specifications. "The Natural" shirt is made by the Manhattan Shirt Company, the third largest manufacturer of men's shirts in the United States.

The Cotton Incorporated board members, each of whom is a cotton producer, met recently at the company's marketing headquarters in New York City. Standing are Texans J. D. Smith (left) of Sudan and J. G. Dobbs of Grandview. Seated (left to right) are Texans L. C. Unfred of Tahoka, Herman Propst of Anson and Billy Whorton of Roscoe. Seated on the far right is Amos Bass of Durant, Oklahoma.

Insurance Rates at Stake

Absentee balloting began today, Thursday, June 26th, at town hall in Wolfforth, and will continue through July 8th. Balloting may be done during the regular town hall business hours during those days.

Election day, set by the Wolfforth town council for July 12th, will see three bond issues decided by the citizens of Wolfforth.

Proposition One on the ballot calls for the authorization to issue revenue bonds in the amount of \$141,000 for the purpose of improving and extending the town's waterworks system. These bonds, if approved, would be paid for out of the net revenues of the Wolfforth waterworks and sanitary sewer system.

Proposition Two calls for the authorization to issue general obligation bonds in the amount of \$40,000 to be used to purchase new fire fighting equipment. Principal and interest payments on these bonds would be raised out of taxes.

Proposition Three calls for the authorization to issue general

meet state approval. Because the state will not approve the equipment for any type of insurance key rate, local property owners are paying a premium simular to that of rural property owners without any form of fire protection. If the new fire equipment, proposed to be purchased with the bonds asked for on proposition two are afforded by the voters, it will qualify the town of Wolfforth for lower key insurance rates over the next twenty years, provided of course, the new equipment is kept up to state standards and passes frequent inspections.

Fire engine III, which would be purchased with the bond money proposed on proposition two, is a 1975 Chevy 3-ton, 366 cui., V-8 truck with a 500 gallon capacity tank, capable of pumping 500 gallons per minute through a variety of hoses. The truck will come equipped with a 20 foot x $4^{1/2}$ inch hard suction line also. The truck, as proposed, is state approved for emergency lights and electronic siren, a P.A. system, and is equipped with 2 air packs, ladders, axes, pike pole, nozzles, hydrant wrenches and hand lanterns. It also comes furnished with a 15-pound and a 20-pound dry chemical fire extinguisher. Fire engine I, in use in Wolfforth at the present time, is a twenty-one year old Chevrolet 292 cui, 6 cylinder truck witha 500 gallon capacity tank, also capable of pumping 500 gallons per minute, equipped with essentially the same equipment as the proposed new truck, save the capacity to use the 20 foot hard suction line, which is needed to fight local fires often too far away from hydrants to allow sufficeint water supplies. Proposition Three, calling for a public building to house fire equipment, would also provide work areas, and shop facilities for other pieces of city owned equipment. The building would be constructed on the lot north of city hall which is now fenced and contains most of the city owned property, garbage truck, etc., much of which could be stored inside at the present time, providing facilities were available.

Sunflower Head Moth Only Obstacle Left to Plains Crop

will be yellow gold is beginning to glow over the area as 300,000 acres of sunflowers come into bloom during the next few weeks. Yet another obstacle awaits sunflower growers who are breathing more easily now that they're past the first of two peak periods of the carrot beetle emergence. That obstacle is the sunflower head moth.

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Larva of the sunflower moth, once they've hatched on the blooming flowers, feed on the tender growth, sometimes destroying an entire crop. They are the most severe pest of sunflowers in the United States, according to Dr. Robert C. McIntyre, area entomologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

On the High Plains, carrot beetles are another primary pest of sunflowers.

A composite, such as the sunflower, is actually a group of flowers with each flower developing into an individual seed, McIntyre says. Flowering begins on the outer diameter of the head progressing to the center. A field of well-adapted hybrid sunflowers normally complete the bloom period in 12 to 15 days. This is the only time that sunflowers are susceptible to attack and damage by the moth, which is colored light buff to silver.

Eggs are deposited within or between the individual flower tubes. Young larvae hatching from these eggs begin feeding immediately and remain on the

What High Plains folks hope surface of the flower for a couple of days. They spin silken webs as they feed, forming a mat of frass, silk and dried blooms on the face of the head. As the larvae become older, they begin tunneling into the developing seeds and fleshy receptacle of the head. Each larva damagés or destroys an average of nine seeds, the entomologist figures.

> Dr. George Teetes, research entomologist with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Lubbock, has found several chemicals to be effective in controlling the moth. He and co-workers have also looked into the timing and interval spacing of insecticide applications which might protest the delicate flowers during the bloom period.

> Methyl parathion, Thiodan," and Supercide@ are the three insecticides labeled for use on sunflowers against the moth. Tests have shown that methyl parathion and Thiodan[®] give effective control when applied at one pound AI (actual insecticide) rate per acre in a schedule of two to three applications at a five-day interval. Supercide was found effective at 1/2 pound rate per acre in the schedule.

> The three insecticides are cleared for a total of three applications per growing season for sunflower larvae control, McIntyre adds. Two or three applications are generally required because a field of hybrid sunflowers generally takes 12 to 15 days to bloom completely.

He says growers should check

Ropes Little League Results

The Ropes Little League had a busy week with 4 regular games and 2 make-up games. Tuesday night the Dodgers beat the Yankees 15 to 4. David Ponce, Kenny Byrd and Will Reyno played a good game for the Dodgers with Daniel Prito the winning pitcher.

Boys who played a good game for the Yankees were John Cox, Roy Parker and Coby Kimberlin.

The Red Sox beat the Cubs 7 to 5. Gene Valentine, Craig Collins and Marty Quintanilla played well for the Red Sox. Shane Lowrie, Darwin Nobles and Shannon Lowrie had a good night for the Cubs.

Thursday night the Yankees beat the Red Sox 18 to 17 with everyone on both teams playing well and the Dodgers beat the Cubs 19 to 11.

Friday night the Red Sox beat the Yankees 22 to 6. In 3 games this week Gene Valentine had 3 home runs, the only ones that have been hit this year. The Dodgers beat the Cubs 5 to 4 to stay in first place 11/2 games ahead of the Red Sox.

25 plants at different locations throughout their field during the bloom stage. If adults or young worms are observed, the first application should be made at 20 percent bloom. The additional applications should be applied at the rcommended interval if adults of young worms can be found on follow-up field checks.

Growers should remember, McIntyre emphasizes, that methyl parathion will cause foliage Continued On Page Seven

obligation bonds in the amount of \$34,000 to be used to construct a public building to house fire fighting equipment. Principal and interest on these bonds would also be raised from taxes.

Late last year the County Commissioners Court of Lubbock County voted to furnish Wolfforth with fire fighting equipment for a nominal fee, to be agreed upon by both parties. In this agreement, the town of Wolfforth has been designated a 1951 America LaFarance fire truck and surplus army 6 x 6 to be used as a tank truck. The county was to pay the town of Wolfforth \$250. per fire run. Out of this \$250, \$125 was set aside for the town, and the remaining \$125 was to be paid back to the county in order to pay for the two trucks.

According to local sources, these two pieces of fire fighting equipment are obsolete and are not up to standards necessary to

Wolfforth Home Demonstration **Club Meets**

The Wolfforth Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday in the home of Amelia Crow. The program was given by Gigi Grivitt from the Arthritis Foundation. She informed those attending that there is to be an open forum about arthritis once a month in a Lubbock park beginning in September.

Those attending the meeting were: Mrs. Chester Alexander, Mrs. Bill Baker, Mrs. Ross Adamson, Mrs. Raimon Coleman, Mrs. C.W. Jennings, Mrs. Donnie Morris, Mrs. George Coke, Mrs. Walter Hitt, Mrs. Bob Rich, Mrs. Sam McWhorter and guest Mrs. Boyd Watson.

Lake Site Tours Scheduled Each Saturday

Public tours of the Lubbock Lake Site will begin Saturday, June 7. Visitors hours are from 9 to 11 a.m. each Saturday during the summer.

There is no charge, and guides will help visitors interpret the archeological dig.

Research at the site, on the northwest edge of Lubbock, has revealed evidence of man's habitation dating back 10,000 to 13,000 years when a prehistoric human culture, designated Clovis man, inhabited the area.

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Wolfforth Area News

Saturday morning Punch Nelson from Brownfield had a bad accident here in Wolfforth. He has been in Intensive Care at Methodist Hospital in critical condition, but is now improving some.

Outdoors in Texas JY J. C. Roberts

There's nothing like being among the tall pines 4000 feet above the desert floor, listening to the bugle of a bull elk. In Texas? You bet!! Those things, and many more are available in Texas at the Guadalupe Mountains National park, some 100 miles east of El Paso along the Texas-New Mexico line. Just west of the desert like Salt Flats the mountains soar a mile higher to 8,751 feet, the highest point in the state. Elk (that's right, Elk) move through McKittrick Canyon, and rare species of plant life are everywhere. No motorized vehicles are permitted and visitors are limited due to the fragile balance of nature in the area. A walk through McKittrick Canyon is best for the first time visitor. Check at the Frijole Station, east of Pine Spring on U.S. 62/180. No water is available once inside the park. Tip of the Week: Dove hunters watch where you reach for that fallen bird. Snakes are often attracted to the sound of the downed bird. J.C. Roberts Liquor Store FM 1585 & Tahoka Hwy.

Lubbock, Texas

Mrs. Hazel Henry is recovering from surgery in St. Mary's Hospital, Room 210.

Absentee voting for the bond election is now underway. It will

continue until July 7. *****

Taxpayers only are eligible to vote.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baker and Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Horstman went fishing at Stanford lately. They caught a good number of fish. *****

There is to be an open town meeting to discuss the upcoming bond issue. The tentative date is July 7.

Selected Topic

by Robert Adams **Ropes Church of the Nazarene Church Home Burglarized**

A tragedy has happened to one of the homes of our congregation! The sleeping parents awoke abruptly to discover that somehow a robber had entered the home and stolen some of their most precious possessions. There is some uncertainty as to the identity of the robber, or robbers,

as the case may have been. A careful survey has indicated that the thieves must have entered some neglected or unguarded door.

A list of the things that the burglars stole has been compiled by the parents who confessed that it must have happened while they were asleep or while they were away from the home. Some of the things on the list of the missing items are:

1. The Holy Bible with its attendant family altar, scripture reading and memorization of God's word.

2. Systematic tithing envelopes belonging to God's house and containing that which belonged to God's work.

3. Regular and faithful church attendance to Sunday morning, Sunday evening, and Wednesday night services.

4. Their children's faith in their religion and confidence in the Christ they represent and the church they love.

5. The secret closet of prayer, once radiant and glorious.

It is believed that the burglars are still at large and may have other homes in our local congregation marked as victims for the near future. Let every parent be alert to avoid a similar tragedy.



Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Carl Allen were her son, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Allen of Huntsville, Arkansas; her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pearsy and Mr. and Mrs. H.O. Allen, all of Midland. ****

Mrs. Everett Jones of Hobbs visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. Carl Allen last weekend. *****

Mrs. Fern Kirby of Levelland visited in the home of Mrs. Isla Etheridge Saturday morning. *****

Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Allen and family returned home last Monday night from a vacation in the Big Bend Country, Lake Buchanan and other places of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tiller have a new granddaughter born June 10. She is the daughter of their son, Mr. and Mrs. John Tiller Jr. of Fountain Valley, Calif. *****

Mr. and Mrs. Emzy Hobbs of Littlefield were recent visitors in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs. ****

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs visited his sister, Mrs. Alpha McCarty last Tuesday. She is in a rest home in Littlefield. *****

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Littlefield returned home last week after a vacation in California, Washington, Wyoming, Utah and



Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris went to Ruidosa last weekend. ****

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Littlefield of Brownfield visited in the home of his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Young Saturday.

Mrs. Irene Martin visited in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Martin and family of Anson last weekend.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Ruby Drake for Sunday dinner were her son, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Drake, Robert and Bruce of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Littlefield were in Lampasas, Texas, last weekend. They attended a school reunion and also visited in the home of her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Martin and family of Anson. *****

Mr. Ennis Moore is in Methodist Hospital after falling several days ago and injuring his head and neck. He is reported to be getting along fine.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Whitehead last week were her sister, Mrs. Ann Durham of Longview, Texas and nephew, Royce Cavitt. ****

Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Allen and

family visited in the home of their

daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tim

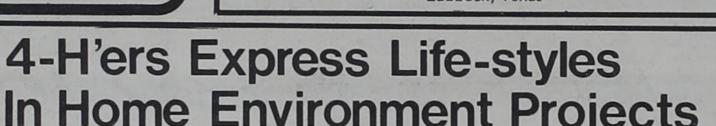
Melcher and children last week.

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CHICAGO-Consciously or not, people are affected by color. Red expresses a mood of boldness and power, blue seems hopeful and serene, and yellow happy or frivolous.

Color, texture (the feel and look of things), and design (sizes, shapes and arrangements) are all basic to the creation of pleasant, functional living spaces.

For the nearly 170,000 young people in the national 4-H home environment program sponsored by The S&H Foundation, Inc., living spaces might mean a shared room or one's own room, an apartment, the family home, or housing in the community at large. Personal and family life-styles differ, and 4-H'ers find that furnishings, equipment and housing can be means of expressing these differences-ways of saying "This is me!"

Projects are varied

"Learning by doing" activities in the Cooperative Extension Service conducted program are educational and fun. Attics may turn out to be treasure troves of discarded furniture and accessories that can be restored to usefulness with some repairs, sandpapering, and refinishing or painting.

Has the family outgrown its home or has some room ceased to serve its purpose? 4-H'ers might blueprint structural additions to the house or draw up plans for remodeling a room. They'll compute costs and decide who will do the work: themselves, other family members, or outside contractors.



Young people in the national 4-H home environment program are eligible for awards donated by The S&H Foundation, Inc. Six achievers, yet to be designated, will replace these 1974 scholarship winners shown with Patrick McGee (right), senior vice president, Corporate Services, The Sperry and Hutchinson Company. Creating more pleasant and functional living spaces-through furnishings, equipment and housing-is the goal of this Cooperative Extension Service conducted program.

4-H members from 9 to 19 help budget, shop and care ment in the 4-H home envirfor household equipmentfrom hair dryers to stereos to automatic washers. In the process they develop the consumer skills they need to cope with today's inflationary economy.

Developing citizenship

Shifting their sights to the larger area of the community, 4-H'ers study zoning laws, how they operate and how they can be changed if necessary. As they become aware of special housing needs of the elderly and of lowerincome families, they grow in responsible citizenship.

For outstanding achieveonment program, S&H provides \$800 college scholarships to six national winners. The six are chosen from among 24 sectional winners who receive expense-paid trips to the 54th National 4-H Congress, to be held in Chicago Nov. 30-Dec. 4.

A \$50 U.S. Savings Bond goes to one winner in each state, and four medals of honor are awarded in each county.

More information on the 4-H home environment program is available from county extension agents.

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Thursday, June 26, 1975



Austin-When was the last time you met someone who was licensed by the state to "scalp" football tickets?

If your answer is "never", don't feel left out. There never were more than 11 licensed "scalpers" in Texas-and what's left of them are about to become a thing of the past.

The \$250 scalpers license fee is one of several antique taxes to be repealed in a bill approved by the Legislature and now waiting for Gov. Dolph Briscoe's signature.

The measure was called the "omnibus tax reduction bill" but it will actually take only \$2.7 million worth of taxes off the books during the next two years because much of the bill is directed at such outdated and nonproductive taxes as the scalpers fee.

The Comptroller's Department supported the elimination of several of these old taxes because they produced so little money it cost more to administer them than we took in.

Another outdated tax which would be repealed by the bill is the oleomargarine tax-a tax which had never been collected since it was first passed more than 35 years ago.

brand new to the world and was so much cheaper than real butter it



THE SWIMMIN' HOLE It could have been a river, wide place in the spring branch, pond or maybe a creek after a big shower. Each was irresistible to youngsters on hot summer days. Everyone was welcome and swim suits were not usually necessary attire.

If the swimmin' hole had water in it most of the time, it usually had some im-

provements that readily identified it for what it was. The improvements were mostly contributed by anonymous builders and usually included a diving board made from scraps, a rope swing, some type of slide (usually a muddy trench leading down a steep bank into the water).

The most significant thing I remember about our swimming hole happened

came for an afternoon visit. to meet him screaming, To make the story shorter than I would like to, we almost drowned trying to teach him to swim. Afterwards, safely out of the water and lying exhausted on the shore, we made a solemn oath not to tell a soul what had taken place. We knew mom wouldn't let us and get into the water, the swim there if she thought shallowest part, and squat something like that could down low so the water came happen. While walking home up to their chins. They would we continued talking about how we would never tell what had happened that day. We got home just as his dad

once when the preacher's kid came to pick him up. He ran "Daddy, Daddy, we almost drownded in their crik !!".

> It's a wonder more accidents didn't happen because many pranks were pulled at the swimmin' hole. A popular one was often pulled on the new kid. Everyone else would hurry all yell for the new kid to dive in. He would usually fall for the trick and dive in, burying his head in the mud two feet below the water's surface. Lots of people had their clothes stolen or tied in a million knots while they were in for a swim.

It was fun to float around on blown-up innertubes or in an old No. 3 wash tub. Another fun thing was to wedge yourself inside an old tractor tire and roll down a steep hill, splashing into the muddy water at the bottom. If you had a swing with a long rope it was fun to swing around in circles just above the water, dragging your feet or bottom, splashing water on everyone. The big guy's favorite thing was to swing really high and turn loose to do a "cannon ball" to see if they could knock all the water out on the bank. My favorite thing was just to have a place to swim and use it as often as I could.

margarine and produced outside of Texas as a means of raising the price to protect the homegrown Texas butter industry.

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The bill now on the governor's desk would also abolish the sleeping car and dining car tax and something called the "express company" tax.

Express companies in the old law were defined as companies doing business by steam, rail or water, but this law was written in



SWIMMIN' HOLE

1907 and what we have come to know as "common carriers"-railroad companies, freight lines and the like-aren't covered by it.

The sleeping car and dining car tax didn't amount to a hill of beans even back in the days when trains were a major means of travel. The

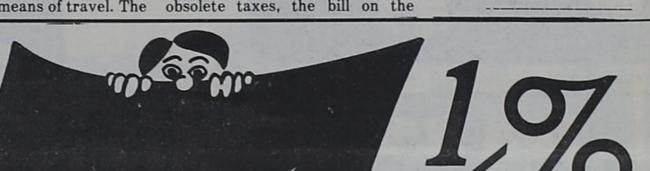
tax in the beginning was levied only on the amount of lease payments the railroad companies paid to the out-of-state owners and manufacturers of Pullmans and dining cars.

Besides getting rid of these obsolete taxes, the bill on the

governor's desk contains some important sales tax exemptions which we will discuss in future

One last word in closing: ticket scalping is illegal whether taxed or not.

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Department of Public Safety Predicts 54 Texans Will Lose Their Life Over July 4th

The director of the Texas Department of Public Safety estimated that traffic accidents in the state over the July 4th holiday weekend will claim 54 lives.

Colonel Wilson E. Speir said his department expects travel will be heavy in Texas over the holiday period "particularly in and around recreational areas" such as lakes and beaches.

He added that the estimate covers a 78-hour period starting on Thursday at 6 p.m. and counting until midnight Sunday. Last year during a 102-hour Independence Day celebration, 46 persons were killed in traffic mishaps in Texas.



Speir also pointed out that highway traffic deaths are about 25 per cent over the total at this time one year ago. "This is due to increased travel and somewhat higher speeds," he added.

In a concerted effort to help keep deaths down, the DPS and local law enforcement agencies will be cooperating in the all-out effort to make the streets and highways as safe as possible. All available DPS troopers will be on duty, Speir said, and they will be especially watchful for drinking drivers, speeders and persons driving in a reckless manner.

In addition, the DPS will be working with the news media in a special public education program termed "Operation Motorcide" which focuses public attention on where and why fatal accidents are occurring during the holiday.

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Boys Ranch Receives License

Texas Boys Ranch of Lubbock last week received their license from state officials in Austin, which was the last step required to receive homeless or unwanted boys. The ranch was started in January of 1973 and has one cottage at the ranch site located just north of Lubbock on Liberty Road.

"This means we now can accept applications for boys", says Roger Engels, executive director of the ranch, "and hopefully the assessment committee can meet in early July and we will have ten boys living in the cottage by the end of July." Hopefully another cottage will be started by fall. Engels said the office has been swamped with calls about applications and the sooner we can build more facilities, the sooner we can accomodate more boys.

the license required by the state department of public welfare. County judges, families, educational facilities, churches, and concerned citizens throughout the fifteen South Plains Associations of Governments county area may receive more information regarding admission into Texas Boys Ranch by writing to Texas Boys Ranch, P.O. Box 6040, Lubbock,





by Joe Kelly

Saranac Lake, N.Y.-Obviously we made it here, despite nearly running out of gas in the middle of Pennsylvania Wednesday night, a leaking power transmission unit and the omnipresent State Police.

Still, we got in early enough on Thursday morning to get camp set up and in pretty good shape. This morning (Friday, June 20), we did some other refinements, cut enough wood for a couple of days and now are in town to buy fishing licenses and do some belated last minute supply buying.

It was cloudy all day Thursday and seemed threatening, and it did rain after we had gone to bed-early-Thursday night. But the wind has been out of the north today, it cleared off and the sun has been brilliantly warm.

They said that May was a horrible month, with heat in the 90s and all the rich, green grass turning brown. Typically, it was followed by a wet June, that has turned everything emerald green again. Hopefully, the rain is about through and we'll have good weather from here on out.

Unfortunately, this is being written before the All-America game, so there's no comment. We plan to come to town tomorrow night and watch it. I feel sure that it was a great success again.

During the four days in Washington, not a word was carried in the Washington Post about the game, even though there was a Maryland Texas Boys Ranch has received player involved. Most of the copy printed was about Pele, the soccer star. He may be the greatest thing since bottled beer, but it seemed to me that the space was wasted.

> I'm writing this from the Saranac Lake Daily Enterprise office. It's brand new and more spacious than the former quarters. People have been most cooperative and friendly here.

> My wife already has the fishing bug, but Jack talked to a couple of men on their way back from Cold Brook yesterday and they said that the trout fishing hadn't been good. They had only six between them for a full day's effort. We hope that changes.

> The bass season is just starting and it ought to be good, hitting it this early, while the Northern Pike are, we're told, biting well. The water in Oseetah Pond is high, but the lily pads are floating and everything indicates good conditions.

> So far the wildlife has been quiet. We put out some corn leftover from dinner and the ears were gone this morning, so something was stirring. Things probably will start happening tonight.

> The NFIB Conference in Washington was tremendous. You all probably saw some of it on TV and Hubert Humphrey, who gave a major talk Wednesday evening, said that in all the years he had been in Washington, he had never seen better coverage of any convention.

> It's hard to beat the lineup of speakers-Pres. GeraldFord, Ronnie Reagan, George Wallace, Humphrey, Rogers Morton-to say nothing of the Congressmen who were in seminar panels.

> I just wish all the NFIB members in Texas could have been at the conference, because it was worthwhile from start to finish. Almost every Congressman paid tribute to the work of NFIB on behalf of the small independent businessman.

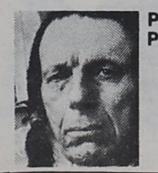
I found that businessmen from all sections of the country talking about conditions shared the same outlook at those in West Texas. When anyone mentioned welfare, unemployment compensation, food stamps, taxes, there were cheers and applause. Washington may be "Hell City" or "Fear City", as it is called, but we saw little evidence of it. Twice we saw police cars with lights flashing apparently on a serious call, and once we saw, in Georgetown, police manhandling a couple of young blacks-whom they let go. The security at the Hilton for Pres. Ford's appearance was tight, but there was no personal security check. Of course, all the delegates had to be in the ballroom by 8:30 a.m., for a 10 a.m. talk. And there were Secret Service men very much in evidence. The most interesting experience was to walk into a liquor store in Georgetown and, at the checkout counter, have a girl look at my badge and say: "Lubbock, Texas! That's my home." The young lady had just graduated from Georgetown University's dental school and was working there to defray expenses. She mentioned that she had a brother working for Furr's and we had quite a talk. She left Lubbock in 1967.

IN THE FIGHT AGAINST POLLUTION, WE STILL HAVE SO FAR TO GO.

The American Indian spoke a prayer over 400 years ago.

'Oh great spirit...make me walk in beauty! Make my heart respect all you have made."

In many American communities today, the spirit



People start pollution. People can stop it.

of that prayer is reborn.

But all around us are reminders that we still have far to go. You can help by becoming a community volunteer. Write: Keep America Beautiful, Inc., 99 Park Avenue, New York, New York 10016

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There were a lot of Texans at the conference, mostly from Houston. But I ran into people from Friona, Plainview, Amarillo, Abilene. Jack created a lot of chuckles with his Tee-shirt "Think Dust."

On the way up here, we saw a lot of Texas cars, more than usual. And one, in Washington, indicated a government official. There's no question that Texans get around-and few people are observing any 55 mph speed limit anywhere.

So much for the conference and Washington. It's a nice place to visit, but no one in his right mind would want to live there. It's crowded, hot, humid, and filled with fumes from cars and trucks. The food at the Hilton, though, was superb, as well as at O'Donnell's Seafood Restaurant.

Visited Cong. George Mahon, briefly, since he had to leave to answer a voting call on the floor, and Nancy Langston, Lonnie's daughter, took us on a tour of the Capitol. She also is a recent Georgetown graduate.

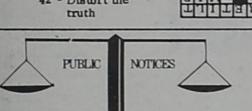
Anyway, the heck with writing any more now. The bass are beckoning and I mean to wet me a line. I may get nothing more than exercise, but I'm an optimist when it comes to fishing.

See you next week with a glowing (?) report!



Thursday, June 26, 1975

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NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF LUBBOCK TOWN OF WOLFFORTH TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF WOLFFORTH, TEXAS: TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the Town of WOLFFORTH, Texas, on the 12th day of July, 1975, in obedience to a resolution and order duly entered by the Town Council which is attached hereto and made a part of this Notice for all intents and purposes. WITNESS OUR HANDS AND THE SEAL OF SAID TOWN. this the 16th day of June, 1975. G.A. Edwards, Jr. Mayor, Town of Wolfforth, Texas ATTEST: Frankie Pittman Town secretary, Town of Wolfforth, Texas (Town Seal)

(30) days from the date of the adoption hereof, at which election the following propositions shall be submitted:

PROPOSITION NUMBER 1 "SHALL the Town Council of the Town of Wolfforth, Texas, be authorized to issue revenue bonds of said Town in the amount of ONE HUNDRED



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THANK YOU

We would like to express our appreciation and thanks to our friends, neighbors for all the cards, visits, flowers, prayers and other acts of kindness that was shown to us during the recent hospitalization and convalescence of George

May the Lord bless and keep each of you is our prayer.

George & Faustina Blackmon

PROPOSITION NUMBER 3 "SHALL the Town Council of the Town of Wolfforth, Texas, be authorized to issue THIRTY-FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$34,000) general obligation bonds of said Town for the purpose of the construction of a public building, to wit: a building to house fire fighting equipment; said bonds to mature serially over a period of years not to exceed FORTY (40) years from their date, to be issued and sold at any price or prices and to bear interest at any rate or rates as shall be determined within the discretion of the Town Council at the time of issuance; and to provide for the payment of principal of and interest on said bonds by levying a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest and to create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem said bonds as they become due?"

SECTION 2: That paper ballots shall be used for said election, which ballots shall be prepared in accordance with the V.A.T.S. Election Code so as to permit the electors to vote "FOR" OR "AGAINST" the aforesaid propositions which shall be set forth in substantialy the following form:

PROPOSITION NUMBER 1 PROPOSITION NUMBER 1 "THE ISSUANCE OF \$141,-000 REVENUE BONDS FOR WATERWORKS IMPROVE-MENTS AND EXTENSIONS"



Garage Sale- 608 8th St., Wolfforth, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 27, 28, 29 after 8 a.m. Clothing girls sizes 5 to 12, boys sizes 16 to 18, several sizes of men and women's. Bicycle parts, lawn mower, tent, lots of miscellaneous. All kinds of household goods. Maternity clothes.

This Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., attend the great garage sale in the sky at 3709 39th St. Fantastic values in high style ladies' clothes, size 7-8, shoes and boots size 51/2-6. Household items. Treasures collected over 75 years. Typewriter, fishing tackle, camping equipment. You name it - we have it. Cheap.

and "AGAINST", and each elector shall place an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way he wishes to vote.

SECTION 3: That for purposes of this election the entire Town of Wolfforth, Texas, shall constitute one election precinct and the Town Hall in said Town is hereby designated as the polling place for said election.

On election day, the polls shall be open from 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.

SECTION 4: That the following named persons are hereby appointed officers of the election: JOE FLETCHER, Presiding Judge, A.C. McWHOR-TER, Alternate Presiding Judge.

The Presiding Judge shall appoint not less than two nor more than two qualified clerks to serve and assist in holding said election; provided that if the Presiding Judge herein appointed actually serves, the Alternate Presiding Judge shall be one of the clerks.

Absentee voting shall be conducted at the Town Secretary's Office in the Town Hall, in accordance with the provisions of V.A.T.S. Election Code, Chapter 5.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

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For Sale: 1960 model 14 foot fiberglas ski boat, 40 HP Johnson motor, good condition. Call 832-4718 or see at 909 13th St. in Shallowater.

Quail eggs and young birds for sale. Call 745-1121, Lubbock.

For Sale- Large hutch. Also male and female rabbits for \$20. Call 832-4623, Shallowater

For Sale- Used built in coppertone tabletop range and oven. Call 832-4736, Shallowater.

Singer Touch & Sew-delux models, These machines zig-zag, blind hem, make buttonholes, fills boggin in machine, etc. Desk cabinets with drawer space. Used 3 months, several left out of public school systems. Your choice, \$75.00 each, Cash or terms, Fully guaranteed. Sewing Machine Service Center 2716 50th St., 792-8226 (tfc)

Town Hall not less than fourteen (14) full days prior to the date on which said election is to be held, and be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in said Town, the first of said publications to be made not less than fourteen (14) full days prior to the date set for said election.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this the 16th day of June, 1975. G.A. Edwards, Jr.

Mayor, Town of Wolfforth, Texas

ATTEST:

Frankie Pittman Town Secretary, Town of Wolfforth, Texas (Town Seal)

Sunflower Moth . . .

Continued From Page One damage (burn) to certain sorghum varieties. They should make their insecticide selection with this thought in mind, if they have sunflowers planted directly adja-

A RESOLUTION AND ORDER by the Town Council of the Town of Wolfforth, Texas, calling a bond election to be held within said Town, making provision for the conduct of the election and other provisions incident and related to the purpose of this resolution and order.

WHEREAS, the Town Council of Wolfforth, Texas, had determined that an election should be called to ascertain whether said governing body shall be authorized to issue bonds of said Town in the amounts and for the purposes hereinafter mentioned; now, therefore, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF WOLFFORTH, TEXAS:

SECTION 1: That an election be held on the 12th day of July, 1975, which date is not less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty

FORTY-ONE THOUSAND DOL-LARS (\$141,000), maturing serially in such installments as may be fixed by the Town Council, the maximum maturity being not more than FORTY (40) years from their date, to be issued and sold at any price or prices and to bear interest at any rate or rates as shall be determined within the discretion of the Town Council at the time of issuance, for the purpose of improving and extending the Town's Waterworks System; to be issued on accordance with and in the manner provided in Article 1111 et seq., V.A.T.C.S., and secured by a pledge of the net revenues from the operation of the Town's combined Waterworks and Sanitary Sewer System, each bond to be conditioned that the holder thereof shall never have the right to demand payment of said

PROPOSITION NUMBER 2

to be raised by taxation?"

obligation out of funds raised or

"SHALL the Town Council of the Town of Wolfforth, Texas, be authorized to issue FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$40,-000) general obligation bonds of said Town for the purpose of providing funds to purchase fire fighting equipment; said bonds to mature serially over a period of years not to exceed FORTY (40) years from their date, to be issued and sold at any price or prices and to bear interest at any rate or rates as shall be determined within the discretion of the Town Council at the time of issuance; and to provide for the payment of principal of and interest on said bonds by levying a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest and to create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem said bonds as they become due?"

PROPOSITION NUMBER 2 "THE ISSUANCE OF \$40,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT"

PROPOSITION NUMBER 3 "THE ISSUANCE OF \$34,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR THE CONSTRUC-TION OF A PUBLIC BUILDING"

The word "FOR" and beneath it the words "AGAINST" shall be made to appear on the left of each of the propositions. A square shall be printed on the left of each of the words "FOR"

SECTION 5: All resident qualified electors of the Town shall be permitted to vote at said election. In addition, the election materials enumerated in Senate Bill No. 165, Acts of the 64th Legislature, Regular Session, 1975, shall be printed in both English and Spanish for use at each polling place and for absentee voting.

SECTION 6: That a substantial copy of this resolutin and order shall serve as proper notice of said election. Said notice shall be posted in the election precinct and at the cent to sorghum.

It's always easy to stand on the sidelines and criticize the players.



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He who has a thing to sell And goes and whispers in a well, Is not so apt to get the dollars As he who climbs a tree and hollers.

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Between now and July 31st The Plainsman is sponsoring a Subscription Contest for youngsters in our circulation area. Any youngster, with parent's consent, is eligible to participate. Sell Just 30 Subscriptions to The Plainsman and Win A 20" "Hi-Rise" Bicycle.

Bikes may be seen at White's Store in Wolfforth.

Contact Mrs. Martha Morris in Wolfforth

at 818 9th Street, Phone 866-4895 between 9 and 12 Noon,

Monday through Friday for complete details.