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Bankhead-Jones Act Proved Huge Success

Since the signing of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act by President Franklin Roosevelt on July 22, 1937, more than 8,320 farm operators in Texas have either changed their status from tenants to farm owners or have been able to enlarge and develop their family farms to more efficient units, according to Horace D. Gilmore, County Supervisor of the Farmers Home Administration.

In looking back upon the past 30 years of the Farm Tenant Act, Judge Marvin Jones, co-author of the Act, said, "What satisfies me is that the work of financing tenant home purchases and farmhome improvements and water use, in expanded form, is helping to keep our country strong and free. In fact I feel richly compensated for being called an impractical dreamer during the fight for the program."

In observing the 30th anniversary of the farm ownership loan program, Gilmore said that in the 30-year period his agency had advanced some \$121,840,216 million to farmers in Texas and that currently there were more than 3,618 active borrowers in the program.

Gilmore said the Bankhead-Jones Act established the concept of advancing to tenant farmers supervised long-term, low-interest credit up to 100 percent of the value of a farm, allowing them to purchase and develop family-size farms.

Each loan is based on a sound farm and home management plan and borrowers receive guidance in carrying out planned operation, he said.

Recently, Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman called the Bankhead-Jones Act, "one of the great landmarks in American agriculture."

He said: "At the time the legislation was passed, two out of every five farmers were tenants and more were becoming tenants every year. Today, about 83 percent of the nation's farmers are full or part owners of land they operate. County Supervisor, Horace D. Gilmore said that on a national basis the Farmers Home Administration has advanced more than \$2 billion during the 30-year period, helping nearly 900,000 people living on farms.

Since 1961, the Farmers Home Administration has advanced more than \$1.3 billion in farm ownership loans compared to \$333 million in the previous 24 years of the program. Texas has shown a similar dramatic increase in these loans since 1961.

"Without these loans, observes Gilmore, "many of these farmers might have been forced off their farms and into crowded cities. With them these farmers have been able to live in and help build rural America."

A recent 5-year national progress report, through 1967, shows that the average FHA borrower increased his gross income from \$10,115 before his loan, to \$18,565 gross income five years later.

Farm ownership loans are made only to farmers who cannot obtain credit elsewhere. Repayment of loans has been excellent; the amount of principal written off over 30 years is less than four-tenths of one percent. This has been more than made up by interest payments, Gilmore said.

Farm ownership loans are made at the local Farmers Home Administration offices serving all rural areas in the state.

PARADOX

Homer Henderson

The word 'paradox' has several different shades of meaning. I want to focus our attention upon Webster's second definition: A paradox is 'a statement actually self-contradictory or false.' There is such a paradox in our midst? Since it is often unspoken but nearly always assumed, often spoken in many different forms, my statement of it here may not be as familiar to you as others ways of wording it. A paradox: 'We are against the limitation of certain basic individual freedoms.' Certainly, most of us endorse this statement; for we recognize its intent as belonging to the fabric of democratic life. Thus, the more tragic that it should become a paradox!

However, our professed belief in fundamental freedoms such as freedom of thought, freedom of religion, and the like often becomes a paradox (self-contradictory or false) in the context of our specific concerns. Most of us have axes to grind that somehow take precedence over what we profess to stand for in principle. Generally speaking, we are for high-sounding ideals; but when the cards are on the table and we are called to make a stand, often difficult and unpopular, then we compromise the ideal or interpret it to fit our real position or simply appeal to reason, to common sense, to practicality as justification for our holding up the ideal on one hand and doing something else on the other. So the ideal becomes a paradox.

For example, recall the Supreme Court decision, now history, regarding prayer in our public schools. Remember the righteous indignation poured out by those who claimed that this decision was a denial of our religious freedom? Was it really a denial of freedom or were some of us grinding our axes? Unfortunately, Protestant Christians were the ones who protested most vehemently the decision to prohibit prayers in the schools. Now, I am a Protestant Christian. I am all for my children participating in Christian prayers, the Lord's prayer, prayers in Jesus' name, and so on. As far as I am personally concerned, it is no denial of my religious freedom for a teacher to begin the day with a prayer, that is, as long as that teacher is a Christian. But what if that teacher were a Hindu or a Buddhist? It would certainly be a limitation of my child's religious freedom to be led in a Hindu or Buddhist prayer against his consent. The reverse is also true. No Jewish student, no Roman Catholic student, no non-believing student should have to observe a period of Protestant Christian prayer. If we claim the court's decision was a limitation of our religious freedom, then we make our belief in religious freedom a paradox; for we are really saying that we want the freedom to promote our own brand of religion.

We have made a paradox of our belief in individual freedom because we fear the kind of diversity that real individual freedom brings. We fear the United Nations, not because we really believe that a one-world government will suddenly arise to take away our freedoms, but because we fear the diversity of ideas from other peoples and nations. We want the American way to prevail and no other way. We fear discussions on church unity, not because we really think that a united church would take away our freedom to individual convictions, but because we fear that not everyone would accept our pet doctrines and exclusive interpretations of Scripture. We fear real racial equality in our society, not because we feel that Negro freedom will really limit our freedom, but because we are afraid of diversity.

Drive Safely Over the Holiday Weekend

Labor Day marks the final holiday of the summer season. Thousands of extra travelers will be on the highways during the long weekend for a last outing before school begins.

The Texas Highway Department strives to make travel on the 63 thousand miles of Texas highways as safe and convenient as possible. Construction areas, however, pose special hazards, although every effort is made to make them as safe as possible.

Construction areas in Texas are numerous, and you are urged to note and obey all warnings for a safer and happier weekend.

JACKIE WEATHERLY IN HOSPITAL

Jackie Weatherly of Lubbock is in West Texas Hospital in Lubbock suffering from injuries he received in a fall from a highline pole last week. He is the son of Slim Weatherly of Lubbock, and the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Boots Moore of Ropes.

K. R. EVANS FAMILY MOVES TO ROPES

We welcome to Ropes the week the new Church of Christ minister, Kenneth R. Evans, his wife, Shirley and their three sons, Gary, 13; Dusty, 11; and Lee, 7.

The Evans' moved to Ropes last Friday from Fargo, north of Vernon. We hope they find their stay in Ropes long, and association pleasant.

We wave the banner of individual freedom, but we ascribe to the creed of conformity. Life is really more comfortable and secure in a group of look-alike, act-alike, think-alike people. And it is always easier to fashion truth or freedom after what we believe than to fashion what we believe after truth and freedom. In fact, if we believe long enough and hard enough that our way is God's way, then it becomes increasingly difficult to affirm in word and in deed that God's way is our way. That is the paradox!

NOTICE

Lunches at the Ropes School Cafeteria will be 35c for students, the same as last year. However, lunches for outsiders will be 75c per plate.

VISIT PARENTS IN SPUR OVER WEEKEND

Mr. and Mrs. Tyree Martin, Jimmy and Johnny were in Spur over the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

SPECIAL NOTICE

The Ropes Home Demonstration Club will meet September 5th at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Floyd Hester.

The program will be brought by Jewel Robinson, County Agent, on 'New Ideas in Housing' and 'Furnishings'.

RETURN HOME FROM VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Morrow and Floyd returned home Sunday afternoon from a vacation trip to Carlsbad and Clouderot, New Mexico.

MAYFIELDS VISIT HERE FROM SMYER

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Mayfield, Linda, Debbie and Terry of Smyer were in Ropes Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mayfield, and in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Thomas and family.

BEST SOME THOUGHTS—

Hardly seems possible that another school year has begun. Sure was a short summer.

Ever think of things of the past that are no more — such as cars with running boards, it was a great delight to ride on them, and a very handy place to scrape the mud off your shoes before entering the car.

—A deep respect for any President of the United States. We were quite shocked when we heard the record for the first time that was a mimic of President and Mrs. Kennedy. Seems like from then on the jokes have been numerous about Presidents.

—Dresses below the knees. Nowadays the girl's shorts are as long or longer than their dresses. Also in this category falls the hair styles of today. Curly are feminine, and soften the features, but most of the young ladies wear their hair long and straight with their faces half covered up.

—Remember the fad of can-can slips. Now you can't buy one, of hula hoops, ours are now stored in the attic.

—Time to visit your friends and neighbors. If you have time to go calling, you almost have to phone first because they may not have time to visit when you arrive.

—An oral contract, simply unheard of these days. A man's word or honor counts for nothing. Sixty mile an hour speed limit, today's vehicles have just changed out of second gear at that speed.

—Bacon for 30c a pound; or a dollar that was really worth a hundred pennies. A 3c cent postage stamp for first class mail; or a 5c soda pop or decent size bar of candy.

—Strict laws concerning criminal offense, and a million other big and small things.

We wouldn't care to go back to the good old days, we're just filling up space!

Now, a few things that it looks like are going to make a comeback —

—Red beans and cornbread hard work for someone have been hiring it done; a depression; and yes, probably, a Republican President.

Happiness is watching the stars on a peaceful lake at night and just waiting for that ole catfish to bite.

Ever hear the joke about the bed? Well, it hasn't been made up yet.

Took us a while to catch on to that one. Our mind is what you can honestly refer to as 'one track' so anything with a double meaning sometimes has a difficult time plowing through.

The weather is hot during the day and nippy in the wee morning hours. Looks like a change of the seasons is mighty near.

The crops in this territory are about the prettiest we have seen in many a year, looks like a bumper crop.

The Plainsman family has very much enjoyed the bountiful fresh vegetables this year. Our table has been set with lucious corn, orka, blackeyed and crowder peas, beans, cantaloupes and cucumbers through the courtesy of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Price, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Willis.

Well, it's hot today and our thought processes have melted down, so we'll close for another week.

Booster Club To Meet Thursday Night

If you are interested in the athletic department of Ropes High School we need and urge you to attend the Ropes Booster Club meeting to be held in the High School Cafeteria on Thursday night at 8:00 p.m., August 31. We will elect new officers and plan some of the projects for the coming year.

This club is just ending its first year of activity. We purchased warm-up jackets for our football team and also a foam jumping pit for our track team. Also we think everyone will agree that our Pee Wee basketball sponsored by the Booster Club was a success in every way.

Dues are only \$5.00 per year so come on out and support our teams and let them know that you are interested in them. Our new coaching staff will be present for you to meet.

Mrs. Reba Russell Honored Here Sunday

Mrs. Reba Russell was honored on her 91st birthday Sunday at the Community Building in Ropes. Those present were:

Harold and Virginia Wades of Snyder, L. F. Latrice and Twyna Forbes of Westbrook, Edd and Gladys Russell of Ropes, Clarence, Myrlene, D'Linda and D'Andra Sommerfeld of Hamilton; Ronny, Jimmie Lou, Robby and Stacy Forbes of Colorado City, Barney and Eula Russell of Estelina, Aileen, Lisa, Teresa and Buzzy Abram of Estelina, E. K., Adric and Ester Wright of Billings, Montana; Iva Wright of Estelina, Weldon, Vera Lee and Billy Tudor of Ropes, Hazel, Russell, Rebecca Lee and Judy Garrett of El Paso, Paul and Emma Byrd of Colorado City, Herbert Byrd of Sonora, Peggy Burks and Barbara Burks of Ropes; Emory and Mabel Hobbs of Ropes, Buck and Louise Howard from Littlefield, Josh and Mozella Wright of Lubbock, Hattie Pointer, of Lubbock, Linnie Proctor of Morton, Billy Ray, Isabel, Anita Gail and Bobby Proctor of Morton; Loys Jean, David, Daniel, Ramona and Everett Hamby of Ropes, Charles, Ethel, Barbara and Debra Russell of Ropes, Abb and Audie Russell of Ropes; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sims, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin, J. C., Marjorie and Freda Pointer and Mrs. Lou Crow, all of Ropes; and Janice and Jason Strickland of Kansas City.

TWO NEW RIDES AT SIX FLAGS



New ride called the Jet Set has just been completed at Six Flags Over Texas. The sophisticated electro-hydraulic steering system enables guests to "fly" these scaled-down models almost exactly like regular aircraft by climbing, banking right or left and diving, responding to the commands of the "pilot" working the control stick.

An additional mid-season \$250,000 expansion program at Six Flags Over Texas has just been completed with the opening of two new rides.

The rides, dubbed "The Jet Set" and "Spindletop," are located in an area across the narrow-gauge railroad tracks, paralleling the Modern U. S. A. section of the Park, towards Boomtown. Reinhold Spindler, an engineer from Switzerland, supervised the installation of "The Jet Set." This ride, designed by Intamin Company of Bern, Switzerland, consists of 12 scaled-down airplanes, approximately 10 feet long with a 9-foot wingspread, which operate almost exactly like regular aircraft. Visitors "fly" the craft by an electro-hydraulic system, and the planes, which are attached to steel girders, climb, bank right or left, and dive, responding to the commands of the "pilot" working the control stick.

Intamin Company spent two years on the ride in research and development, and the installation at Six Flags is the first one in the United States.

Adjacent to Boomtown is the new "Spindletop" derrick and revolving drum ride, which operates on a centrifugal force principle. Twenty-five to thirty guests at a time are stationed in a circle standing on the floor inside a huge barrel. The barrel begins to spin slowly and gains speed until about 28 revolutions per minute are attained. Centrifugal force causes the riders to adhere to the walls inside the drum. The floor is then lowered, leaving the riders suspended about 3 feet above the floor. The action is reversed as the ride comes to a close.

Together the new rides can accommodate approximately 2,000 visitors per hour.

The rides are set in about two acres of newly landscaped grounds with beautiful trees, flowers and shrubs as well as 2 lakes and 3 waterfalls.

Attendance this season continues to exceed projections. As of Sunday, August 13, a total of 1,422,205 visitors have attended the Park, a gain of about 58,000 compared to last year's attendance on the same date.

D'LINDA PATMAN WINS GRAND CHAMPION

Miss D'Linda Patman of Lovington, New Mexico won Grand Champion with her horse, Ginger, at the Lee County parade and rodeo held recently. She placed second in barrel racing, and won several other ribbons.

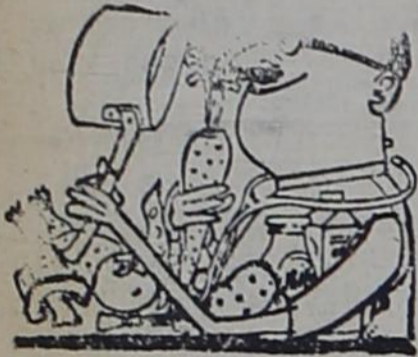
D'Linda is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn D. Patman of Lovington, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Loveless and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patmas of Ropes, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stanton.

CHARLES RUSSELL HAS SURGERY

Charles Russell underwent surgery last week on his leg at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. He is now at home and reported to be improved.

IN HART SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Allen and J. T. Allen were in Hart Sunday where they visited an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stanton.



Doctor in the Kitchen

by W.W. Bauer, M.D.
Consultant, National Dairy Council

YOUR NEED FOR POTASSIUM

Among the important advances in modern knowledge of the human body and how it works is that of the part played by electricity. Everyone has had the experience, in cold, clear weather, of collecting static on his skin and getting a shock when touching a metal object connected with the ground. This is one of the superficial evidences of the electrical potential of the living body. Diagnostic instruments like the electrocardiograph, which measures the electric output of heart muscle, have proved of great value in diagnosis of heart conditions and in monitoring the recovery process after heart attacks. The electric currents generated in the brain have been studied by similar techniques, and so have muscle and nerve functions.

Electrical Transmission
All body chemistry takes place in solution. This includes the transmission of electric currents by means of chemicals dissolved in the body fluids. These are known as electrolytes; the best known is sodium chloride, common table salt. Closely related to sodium chloride is potassium chloride.

Too much potassium is detrimental to the heart; too little causes muscular weakness, pain and paralysis. However, the body normally takes care of the potassium balance automatically, as long as the individual is free

to choose his own diet and has the good judgement to vary it widely.

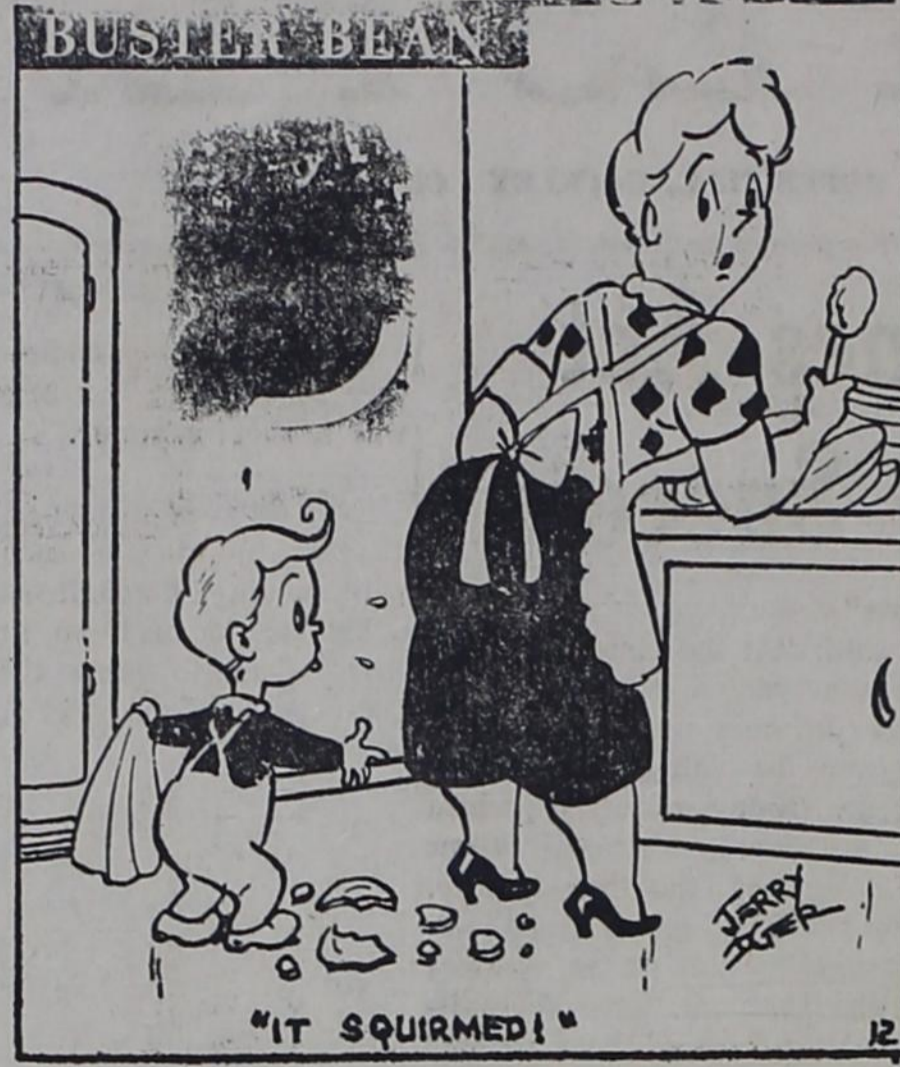
In heart and kidney disturbances, the potassium balance may be altered, but in heart conditions, at least, there is some question as to whether the change in potassium balance is a result or a cause.

Potassium is contained in fruits and vegetables in a highly soluble state, and may therefore easily be lost if cooking is done with too much water, or if the water in which the vegetables have been cooked is discarded instead of being used for gravies, sauces or soups.

Food Sources

Potassium salts are widely distributed in common foodstuffs. Those in which the largest amount of potassium occurs include: almonds, apples, apricots, bananas, beans, bran, cabbage, cocoa, cowpeas, lamb's quarters, liver, lychee nuts, milk and milk products, molasses, peanut butter, peas, red peppers, potatoes, soybeans, sunflower seeds, instant tea, and yeast. These are of little more than academic interest to one who can and will choose a varied diet with plenty of fruits and vegetables. Dried fruits are high in potassium. So is baking powder. The latter point may need consideration if the doctor advises a low-potassium diet.

Fortunately, for the most part, potassium needs take care of themselves.



ENTERTAINS GUESTS

Mrs. Jehue Price of Dallas had as guests Thursday evening Mrs. Janice Strickland of Kansas City, Kansas and Mrs. Linda Kahlich of Salinas, California, in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown.

MRS. RUSSELL VISITS DOCTOR

Mr. and Mrs. Abb Russell were in Lubbock Tuesday where she went for a medical checkup.

RETURN HOME

Mrs. W. E. Walling and sister, Mrs. Bob Abbott of Lubbock returned home Monday night from Truth or Consequences, New Mexico where they had been for the past few weeks.

VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Hobbs and family of Seagraves visited Wednesday night in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs. They brought them a big birthday cake and gifts.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs were in Lovington, New Mexico last Thursday where they attended last rites for her cousin, Lawrence Rice who died of a heart attack.

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1967-68

Following is the calendar for the Ropes Independent Schools for the terms of 1967-68:

- November 23-24: Thanksgiving
- December 22 - January 2: Christmas holidays. (Dismiss on afternoon of 21st; Resume January 2)
- March 1: TSTA Meeting
- April 12 - April 22: Easter holiday (Dismiss afternoon of April 12; Resume April 22; Subject to change)
- May 24: School closes
- May 23: Junior High Graduation 8:00 p.m.
- May 24: High School Graduation, 8:00 p.m.

NOTICE-

Deadline for news and ads to be printed in a Thursday issue of the paper must be in by 5:00 p.m. Tuesday. This is necessary so that we may get it set up, and the paper on the press Wednesday afternoon in order to make the mall by Thursday morning.

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REPRESENTATIVE GEORGE RESIGNS

Austin - Representative Jesse T. George, 26, who has represented District 75 in the Texas Legislature since 1964, has submitted his resignation effective September 5. George is resigning to become congressional liaison officer for the Small Business Administration in Washington, D. C.

A native of Brownfield, George's district is comprised of Bailey, Cochran, Hockley, Terry and Yoakum Counties.

A special election to fill his seat will be called within the next few days, probably for November 11, the regular election day this year. L. Gov. Preston Smith will set the election date in the absence of the Governor.

Under normal circumstances the seat would remain vacant until next spring's primary elections, but since there will be a special session of the 60th Legislature, an immediate election will be necessary.

HONORED WITH DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs were honored with a birthday dinner at Brownfield Sunday in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Lillian Gryder and boys.

VISITED PARENTS LAST WEEK

Mrs. Jehue Price of Dallas visited last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown. She was joined the latter part of the week by her husband and they also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Price.

IN WACO RECENTLY

Miss Brenda Cole represented Ropes High School recently in a 'Citizenship Seminar' at Baylor University in Waco.

VISIT SISTER

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Whitfield and Barbara of Lubbock visited Sunday in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Thomas and family.

TOPS CLUB NEWS

The Ropes Tops Club met Monday night, August 28, for a regular meeting.

The meeting was opened with prayer offered by Mabel Hobbs.

There are still two remaining in the surprise box contest. A new apron contest began last week.

Marie Quisenberry won the gift for the most weight lost last week. Those present were LaQuita Moore, Marie Quisenberry, Vera Lee Tudor, Lillian Willis, Mayme Rasberry, Celeste Thomas, Nellie Averill, Skeeter Shafer, Wanda Allen, Mayme Rasberry, Mabel Hobbs and a visitor, Opal Minor of Level land.

ON SICK LIST

Mrs. Billy Ray Martin was reported on the sick list the first of the week.

ARTHRITIS-RHEUMATISM

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VISIT HERE FROM CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Al Kahlich, Gregg and Angela of Salinas, California have been here for the past two weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kahlich, with Mr. and Mrs. Winston Jones and Janice, and with other relatives and friends.

IN AMARILLO TUESDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown and Mrs. Wandaf Drake and boys of Ropes and Mrs. Delores Price of Dallas were in Amarillo Tuesday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Rainwater and family.

ATTEND WEDDING FRIDAY EVENING

Mr. and Mrs. Gene McKee were in Brownfield Friday evening where they attended the wedding of Miss Linda Jordan and Conrad Vernon III.

RECENT VISITORS

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs were their grandsons, Larry and Billy Gryder of Brownfield, and Mrs. J. N. Willis and Mrs. Bill Willis of Ropes.

ATTEND FUNERAL OF BROTHER

Last rites were conducted August 24 at Electra for Y. G. Love, the brother of Mrs. R. N. Sullivan of Ropes. Burial was in the Acton Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. James Pierce and children attended the services.

IN LUBBOCK SATURDAY

Miss Irene Thomas was in Lubbock Saturday night where she was soloist at the wedding of Miss Sherrie Hall.

MRS. SID PRICE IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Sidney Price was taken to Lubbock Osteopathic Hospital last Monday morning. She is reported improved and expects to return home today.

RETURN FROM LOUISIANA RECENTLY

Mrs. Phillip Kimberlin and children and Mrs. Ken Evas and children returned recently from Eunice Louisiana where they had been visiting their husbands.

Now Possible To Shrink Hemorrhoids

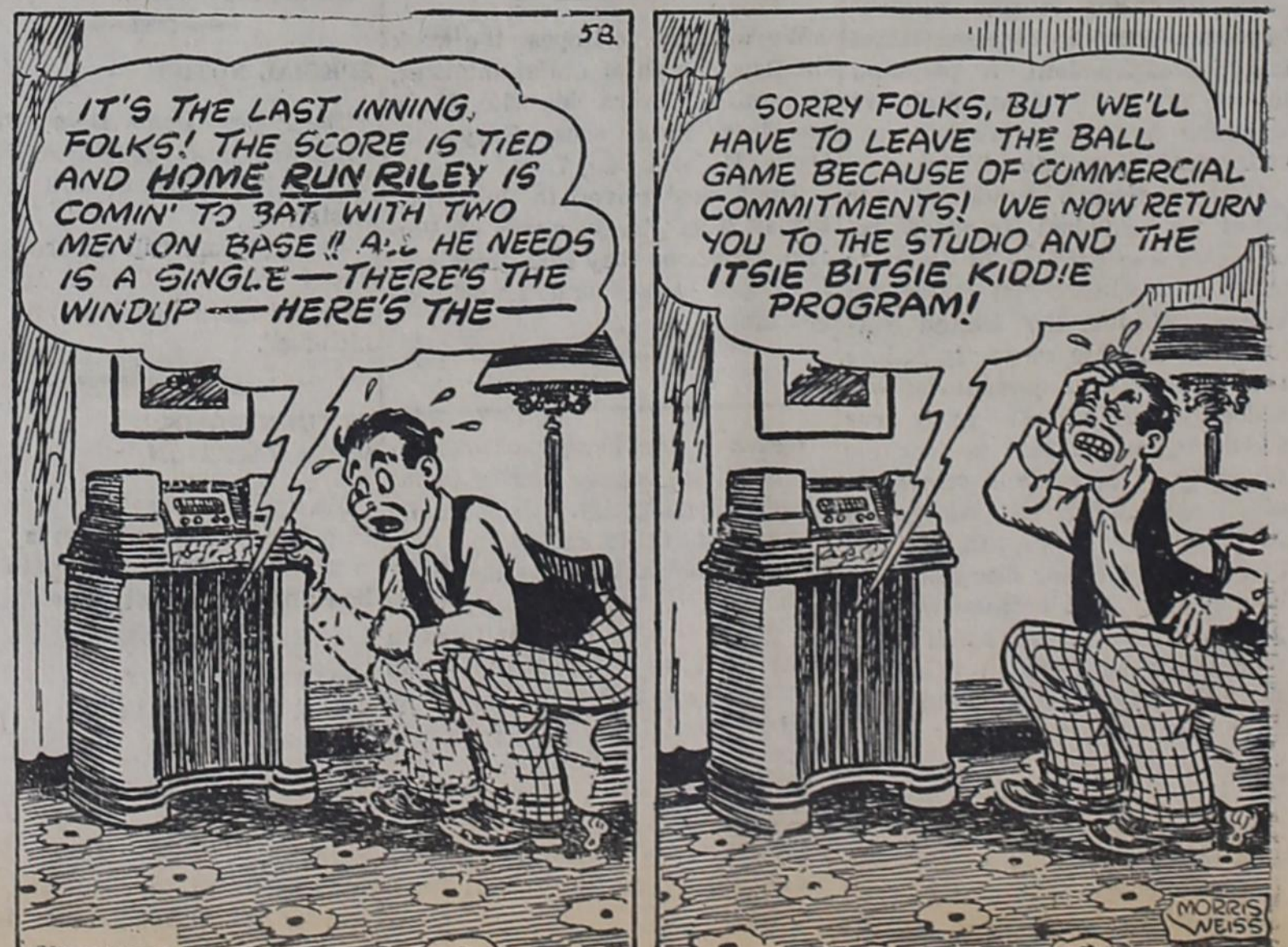
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Nola Knows

By Nola White

Dear Nola — We have a very friendly postman who stops and visits with everybody on his route. The mail gets later and later every day. This is very annoying to me as I live at the end of the block and I can see him fiddling along talking to everybody in sight. What do you suggest?

Impatient

Dear Imp — Don't look.

Dear Nola — I'll go back to college in two weeks and I will have to face a problem that I'd be so glad to find a solution to. Every year I have at least one teacher who insists on imposing his or her will on me in matters that are optional. It always makes me so mad, and I always get low grades in at least one course on account of this. Let me give an example. Last year I had a big fight with a Sociology teacher because I wouldn't underline the names of books in the bibliography of my term paper. According to the style book we use at the college I attend, this is optional. She insisted; I refused. Is there something wrong with people like this or with me?

Senior at Last

Dear Senior — You haven't learned all your lessons in college or in life. As long as you live, there'll

be somebody to whom you must knuckle under even if they are wrong. A matter of option should be just that, but if it isn't, don't hurt your grade and waste a lot of emotional energy arguing with a bubble head. Give in and get out.

Dear Nola — I work in a lakeside restaurant near an army base. It's not just the soldiers, but a lot of other people come out here, rent horses from the riding stables and nearly kill the poor beasts. They'll ride them into the ground in this heat. The horses come back cruelly mistreated and I wish that I could do something to stop it. Is there anything I can do?

Horrified

Dear Horrified — If your community does not have a Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, contact the sheriff's office and report the abuse. Write letters to all the area newspapers and make personal calls on civic and military leaders to alert them to the problem. See the owner of the stable and notify him that you intend to exert every possible pressure to protect the animals. He'll probably help in every way, since the horses represent an expensive investment. Mistreatment of defenseless animals is an abomination. You'll be doing a commendable thing if you work hard in their behalf.

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SID PRICES RAVE VISITORS

Visitors over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Price were Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Spradlin of Seagraves, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jordan of Meadow, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Walker of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown of Ropes.

TEXAS CATTLE FEEDERS' ASSOCIATION

The first annual meeting of the Texas Cattle Feeders' Association will be held November 13-14, 1967 in Amarillo, according to today's announcement by Jack Carothers, President of the Association. Headquarters for the meeting will be the Holiday Inn-West.

LARRY GRYDER IS RECUPERATING

Larry Gryder of Brownfield is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs, and is just out of the hospital recuperating from Glandular Fever.

Send your letters to Nola Knows, Box 411, Temple Texas. For a personal reply enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

WANTED—

Sewing. Call Smyer 2576 Or contact Janet Pollet.

FOR SALE OR RENT—

Four room house and bath. See B. J. Thomas, or call 562-3661 or 562-3852, Ropes.

FOR SALE—

Five Pickup Campers; three Pickup Covers; Wholesale Prices; Will Finance Cab-Over Campers. S. B. Berry, Ropesville, Texas.

FOR SALE — 3 Bedroom house with double garage on Walnut in north Ropesville. \$6,500. Call Farm Center Gin, 866-4476, Wolf-orth; or 562-3301, Ropes. ttn

BABY SITTING WANTED — Call Kathy Allen, 562-4521, Ropes. Except Saturday nights.

VERNON - JORDAN VOWS SOLEMNIZED

Miss Linda Darlene Jordan and Conrad Vernon III were married at 5 p.m. Friday in the First Presbyterian Church in Brownfield with the Rev. Albert McDowell, minister officiating the double ring ceremony.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Jordan of Meadow is a graduate of Meadow High School and is a junior merchandising and education major at Texas Tech. She is employed by Hemp-hill-Wells in Lubbock. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Murdough Jr. of Lubbock. He is a graduate of Brownfield High School and a senior industrial management major at Tech, where he is on the Dean's Honor Roll.

Mrs. Charles Brooks of Meadow was matron of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Vicki McCallister of Meadow and Miss Cathy Vernon of Lubbock.

Gary Nunn of Lubbock was best man. Archie Jennings and Loyd Jordan of Meadow were groomsmen and ushers were Jehue Price of Dallas, Charles Brooks of Meadow, John Jennings and John Perkins of Henderson. Marjanne Murdough of Lubbock and Linda Lowry of Lubbock lighter candles and flower girls were Sandra Mason and Debbie Bingham of Meadow. Mrs. Pat Ramseur, organist, accompanied Miss Daphne Pemberton of Lubbock for the wedding music.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and worn an empire gown of ivory peau de soie with a sleeveless coat train, bell-shaped sleeves and bateau neckline. A bouffant veil of ivory silk illusion was attached to a caplet of peau and she carried a cascade arrangement of ivory glameillas.

The attendants wore formal empire gowns of azalea pink French

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crepe with brief sleeves of champagne Alencon lace. Their pillowcoifs of azalea velvet held brief veils of silk maline and they carried cascade bouquets of pink glameillas and votive lights.

A reception in the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Jordan of Meadow, followed the ceremony, after which the couple left for a wedding trip to Aspen, Colorado. They will reside at 35th Street and Gary, Apt. 10, Lubbock.

The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Price of Ropesville.

ON SICK LIST

John Smith was reported on the sick list over the weekend, suffering from a virus.

GO ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hobbs and family enjoyed a trip to Six Flags and a ballgame. They returned home Wednesday.

BOYS VISIT WITH GRANDPARENTS

Timmy, Alan and James Lynn Berry of Lubbock are spending several days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Berry. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Berry.

ATTEND WEDDING OF NEICE FRIDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Jehue Price from Dallas attended the wedding of his neice, Miss Linda Jordan and Conrad Vernon III, Friday at Brownfield.

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PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of Texas be amended by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 49-e, as follows:

"Section 49-e. The Parks and Wildlife Department, or its successor vested with the powers, duties, and authority which deals with the operation, maintenance, and improvement of State Parks, shall have the authority to provide for, issue and sell general obligation bonds of the State of Texas in an amount not to exceed Seventy-Five Million Dollars (\$75,000,000). The bonds authorized herein shall be called "Texas Park Development Bonds," shall be executed in such form, denominations, and upon such terms as may be prescribed by law, provided, however, that the bonds shall bear a rate or rates of interest as may be fixed by the Parks and Wildlife Department or its successor, but the weighted average annual interest rate, as that phrase is commonly and ordinarily used and understood in the municipal bond market, of all the bonds issued and sold in any installment of any bonds, shall not exceed four and one-half percent (4½%) interest per annum; they may be issued in such installments as said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor, finds feasible and practical in accomplishing the purpose set forth herein.

"All moneys received from the sale of said bonds shall be deposited in a fund hereby created with the State Treasurer to be known as the Texas Park Development Fund to be administered (without further appropriation) by the said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor, in such manner as prescribed by law.

"Such fund shall be used by said Parks and Wildlife De-

partment, or its said successor, under such provisions as the Legislature may prescribe by general law, for the purposes of acquiring lands from the United States, or any governmental agency thereof, from any governmental agency of the State of Texas, or from any person, firm, or corporation, for State Park Sites and for developing said sites as State Parks.

"While any of the bonds authorized by this provision, or any interest on any such bonds, is outstanding and unpaid, there is hereby appropriated out of the first moneys coming into the Treasury in each fiscal year, not otherwise appropriated by this Constitution, an amount which is sufficient to pay the principal and interest on such bonds that mature or become due during such fiscal year, less the amount in the interest and sinking fund at the close of the prior fiscal year, which includes any receipts derived during the prior fiscal year by said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor, from admission charges to State Parks, as the Legislature may prescribe by general law.

"The Legislature may provide for the investment of moneys available in the Texas Park Development Fund and the interest and sinking fund established for the payment of bonds issued by said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor. Income from such investment shall be used for the purposes prescribed by the Legislature.

"From the moneys received by said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor, from the sale of the bonds issued hereunder, there shall be deposited in the interest and sinking fund for the bonds authorized by this section sufficient moneys to pay the interest to become due during the State fiscal year in which the bonds were issued After

all bonds have been fully paid with interest, or after there are on deposit in the interest and sinking fund sufficient moneys to pay all future maturities of principal and interest, additional moneys received from admission charges to State Parks shall be deposited to the State Parks Fund, or any successor fund which may be established by the Legislature as a depository for Park revenue earned by said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor.

"All bonds issued hereunder shall after approval by the Attorney General, registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, and delivery to the purchasers, be incontestable and shall constitute general obligations of the State of Texas under the Constitution of Texas.

"Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such Acts shall not be void by reason of their anticipatory nature."

Sec. 2. The foregoing amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on November 11, 1967, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon, the following words:

"FOR the amendment to the Constitution of Texas adding a new section to be known as Section 49-e of Article III, authorizing the issuance and sale of Seventy-Five Million Dollars (\$75,000,000) in bonds by the State of Texas to create the Texas Park Development Fund to acquire lands for State Park sites and to develop State Parks."

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