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Wolfforth Voters Pass Bond Issue by

Wolfforth Home Demo Club News

The Wolfforth Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday afternoon at the city hall, where they held their annual auction. The club made \$30.

The hostesses were Mrs. D.C. Foy and Mrs. Ruth Haskins. Others present were Mrs. Ross Adamson, Mrs. Chester Alexander, Mrs. Bill Baker, Mrs. Geo. Coke, Mrs. Raimon Coleman, Mrs. Amelia Crow, Mrs. Alice James, Mrs. J.F. McGinnis, Mrs. Sam McWhorter, Mrs. Donnie Morris, and guest, Mrs. Evans.

Frenship 4-H Club Meets

The Frenship 4-H Club met Monday, November 17 at the Methodist Church. There were 9 members and 6 guests present. Mr. Kenneth Smith from the U.S. Postal Service gave the program on stamps and stamp collecting.

Members of the food project group held a tasting party at Mrs. O.R. Hitt's Tuesday, November 18, to complete their food project and to prepare for the County Food Show, Nov. 22 at Texas Tech. Those 4-H members participating in the foods project are Benton and Garland Easter, James and Lee Preston, Keith Hitt, Scott Stockton, Will Turner, Sandra Rasberry, Lisa Powers, Dianne Hitt, Cindy Mitchell and Mark Thomas.

The next meeting will be a Christmas party on December 15 at 7:30 p.m.



Frenship High School cheerleaders Connie McInroe, Sherri Pittman, Cathy MacDonald, Teresa Hitt, Dawn McFadden, and Cindy Pittman, work on a poster for Frenship High School's last football game.

Frenship Kittens Split First Two Games of Young Season

The Frenship Kittens hosted Idalou Saturday night in the season opener and were successful with a 52-34 victory. Cissy Beaver led the scoring with 22 points, followed by Jacque Howard with 13 and Cindy Pittman with 10.

It was a very physical game as 45 fouls were called. Defensively the Kittens were led by Kathy Laney and Sheryl Hart. Laney had 6 recoveries and 3 rebounds while Hart added 6 recoveries and 5 rebounds.

Tuesday night, the Kittens hosted Farwell and came out on the short end of the score which was Farwell 44 and Frenship 38.

The Kittens played very well both offensively and defensively but inopportune turnovers cost the team several important baskets.

The game was close all the way. The Kittens led after the first quarter, but fell behind in the 2nd quarter, never to catch up again, although the score remained close. In the 3rd quarter, it appeared the Kittens might regain the lead. Farwell then went into a delay game holding the ball. The Frenship guards made valiant efforts to stop the stall and get the ball, but had to foul in doing so. Farwell made 6 of 6 free throws in the last quarter to maintain their lead. Farwell maintained its stalling tactics until the end.

Cissy Beaver tallied 21 points and Jacque Howard added 17 to round out the Kitten scoring. Kathy Booth led Farwell with 23 points. Kathy Laney led the defense with 10 recoveries and 7 rebounds.

Free Classes for **Adults Scheduled**

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50th Wedding Anniversary Marked

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Adamson celebrated their 50th wedding anniverary last Sunday. They were honored with a tea at the Wolfforth United Methodist Church with approximately 130 persons attending.

The former Opal Bulls and Adamson were married Nov. 15, 1975. They moved to Wolfforth in 1948. He was a farmer until his retirement last year.

In a special election held last Saturday, citizens of Wolfforth passed a \$41,000 bond for construction of a city building to house the city's new fire truck, and to help qualify for an ambulance from the county by a vote of 50-36.

Mary Barger, presiding judge for the city said the turnout was "a lot more than I expected."

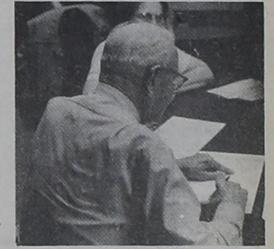
A similar bond for \$34,000 was defeated last July by a 40-62 margin. At that time, Wolfforth voters passed bonds for the improvement of the water system, and for the purchase of a new fire truck.

Mayor G.A. Edwards, Jr., said the city council had decided last September to refloat the bond issue "to see if they'll (the voters) reconsider."

Edwards said council members were "very happy with the return."

The bond will provide for a metal building 40 by 100 feet, heated, insulated, and equipped for the maintenance of the city's new fire truck. There would be room also for the city's garbage truck and other municipal equipment which is now stored outside. The building will be located at 4th and Delta Streets.

In addition, an ambulance slated for the city will be stored there.



M.E. Casev fills out a ballot Saturday at City Hall, Casey and 85 other Wolfforth area residents cast their vote on the \$41,000 special bond issue.

The county purchased 10 ambulances as part of the emergency medical service program, and will provide one to five area cities provided they have at least six available emergency medical technicians (EMT) to operate the vehicle.

Currently Wolfforth has 11 qualified EMTs.

Edwards said plans for the building will be submitted to the Federal Housing Administration for approval. Afterwards, the city will advertise for bids, decide on a contractor, and begin construc-

He estimated the process would take 45 days.

Economic Recovery Brightens Outlook for Cotton Use

While good weather is improv- 7.4 million bales in the 1975-76 ing the prospects for the final outturn of the 1975 cotton crop, signs of continued economic recovery are pointing to a substantial improvement in domestic cotton consumption.

Economists at Cotton Incorporated now think domestic consumption of cotton may reach

crop year, an increase over their previous expectations of 7.0 million bales.

At the same time, because of a month of good weather throughout much of the cotton belt, they are increasing their estimate of the final out turn of the 1975 crop Continued On Page Six

New Equipment Now in Operation At Lubbock's Methodist Hospital

An EMI Brain Scanner, a new X-ray technique for producing pictures of the brain, is now in operation in Methodist Hospital, George M. Brewer, president, announced last week.

"This new diagnostic device provides detailed information on brain tissue abnormalities in a new perspective. It is more comfortable and less costly for the patient, as hospitalization is avoided. It is safer than previous procedures used to diagnose conditions within the brain," Mr. Brewer states.

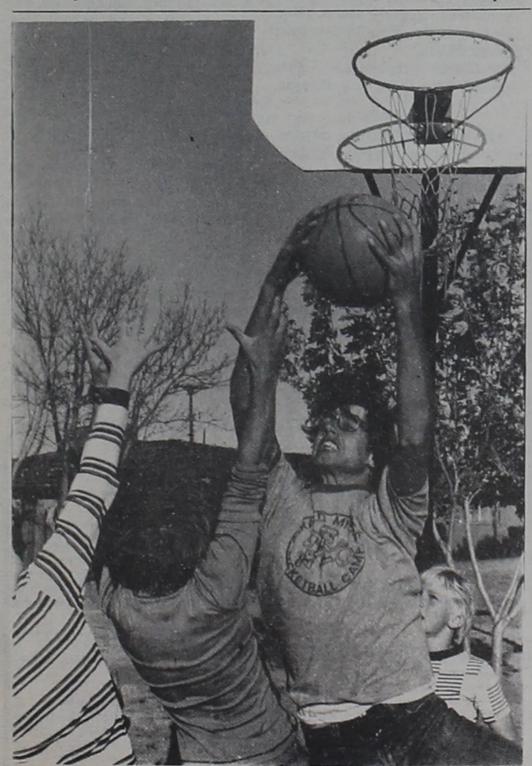
The EMI Scanner system, located in the Nuclear Medicine area of the hospital, uses small amounts of X-ray in conjunction with a computer to produce clear pictures, which are cross-section views from the top of the head, looking down.

Methodist Hospital staff physicians in neurology and neurosurgical services are scheduling patients to be evaluated for tumors, blood clots or strokes, brain hemorrhages, hydrocephalus, acute head injuries, epilepsy, multiple sclerosis and degenerative brain disease.

There is no pain during the examination. The patient wears normal clothing and reclines on an adjustable couch with the head positioned in a water-filled, rubber head-cap. The examination does not cause headaches or nausea, and hospitalization is not required for a recovery period.

Prior to development of the EMI Scanner, normal and abnormal conditions within the brain could be displayed only by injecting substances which created contrasts between tissue structures. Radiological methods most commonly used include injections of radioisotopes or dyes into the arteries or the introduction of air into the ventricles of the brain. These procedures normally can be done only when the patient is in the hospital, and they involve various degrees of discomfort.

The new EMI Scanner does not make these methods obsolete, but it does offer the radiologist and surgeon a method of mapping out the contents within the skull to make an early, definite and painless diagnosis.



Before Wednesday brought winter like temperatures for the West Texas area, Wolfforth youth enjoyed the warm weather by playing a perennial wintertime sport, basketball.

Ropesville Area News

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Price visited in the home of her brother. Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Leverett of Mr. and Mrs. O.K. Briggs last Hobbs, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Redford returned home Sunday after visiting her aunt in El Paso last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Snider took his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Snider, out to dinner in Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. Marvin Thompson has been in Highland Hospital. His son, Loren Thompson of Wellington, took him to his home for a while.

Mrs. Oleta Cherry is in Lubbock Osteopathic Hospital. She has pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Staples and Rhonda of Lubbock were Sunday dinner guests in the home of her mother, Mrs. Vera Bridwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Moody of Sherman, visited in the home of week.

Mrs. Janie VanStory and Mrs. Margaret VanStory and daughter, visited in the home of Janie's mother, Mrs. A.F. Little of Brownfield, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall recently visited in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hall and family of Littlefield.

Rev. Robert Adams, pastor of Ropesville Nazarene Church, came home last week and was able to preach Sunday, after being in the hospital for a week.

Mrs. Emory Hobbs attended funeral services for an old friend, Mr. Albridge, in Denver City last Monday.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs were their daughters, Mrs. Lillian

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Mrs. Jim Franklin and son of Lubbock attended services at the Ropesville Nazarene Church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Berry and Flora Martin attended a birthday party Sunday afternoon honoring their aunt. Mrs. Bob King of Lubbock. She celebrated her 91st birthday.

Ropes School Lunch Menu

Monday, November 24 Corn Chip Pie Pinto Beans Cornbread, Butter Fruit, Milk

Tuesday, November 25 Hot Dogs with Chili Buttered Corn, Baked Beans Pudding, Milk

Wednesday, November 26 Turkey, Dressing Giblet Gravy Creamed Potatoes, Salad Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce Pumpkin Pie, Bread, Milk

Ropes Honor Roll

Seniors

A-Martha Einerson, Debbie Johnson, Suzann Lowrie, Riky Streety.

B-Sherri Collins, Scott Drake, Frances Martin, Brad Pettiet, Adrin Snider.

Juniors

B-Brenda Rogers. Sophomores

A-Donna Marcy, Gary Means. B-Tim Berry, Kim Lemon, Alan Miller, Steven Sims.

Wolfforth Area Ne

Wolfforth First Methodist Church will have their Harvest Festival Sunday, November 23 at 6 p.m. Supper will be served at the Frenship High School cafeteria.

The South Plains CB Club held ing. their Thanksgiving supper last Friday evening.

Richard Pittman is at home and improving.

Our sympathy goes to the Graston family at the death of Edd Graston.

Coy Booher's father is improv-

Nita McNabb is at home now after a hospital stay.

Ropes Eagles Open Basketball Season

The Ropes Eagles opened their 1975-76 basketball season against Union on both Tuesday and Friday nights last week.

The Eagles played at Union Tuesday and lost with a score of 59-69. Randy Melton was high point with 16 points. They then took on Union Friday night at home and lost by only three points. The final score was 63-67. Randy Melton was again high point with 17.

The Eagles started off this year in great shape and the community is really behind these boys.

The varsity consists of Riky Streety, Monte Moore, Jeff Arnwine, Brad Pettiet, Adrian Snider, Scott Drake, Randy Melton, Dick Arant, Chris Hobbs, Gary Means, and Tim Berry. Coaches are Don Parker and Bill Shaha. Managers are Larry Dalton and Hugh Jackson.

The girls also played Union. The results were in favor of Union.

Freshmen

A-Angela Glenn, Dale Kahlich, Martha Turnipseed.

B-Mitchell Britton, Ruben Cardona, Mary Jane Cruz, Rusty Schoepf, Doug Willis.

8th Grade

A-Jan Turner, Scott McNabb, Tonya Einerson.

B-Rosa Zarazua, Betty Salinas, Sandra Dalton, Karen Norrell, Bart Bradshaw, Chris Miller.

7th Grade

A-Lauri Odom, Margarita

B-Darrell Thrash, Debra Chaney, Teresa Bednarz, Gene Valentine, Kendra Moore, Shane Lowrie, Kala Littrell.

6th Grade

A-Donna Whitehead, Ramona Melton, Andrea Glenn, Bruce Turnipseed, Roger Putman, Melanie Carpenter, Jennifer Gillespie, Sherry Smith.

B-Gerrie Stephenson, Laura Schoepf, Elsa Cruz, Gay Pierson.

5th Grade

Scott Satterwhite, Danny Ochoa, Rosetta Norrell, Jannese Gillispie.

B-Julee Ward, Melody Hobbs, Rene Lozano, Chris Cowan, Tanya Ward, Craig Collins, Bryan Moore, Annabelle Ponce, Stacy McNabb, Shannon Lowrie.

4th Grade A-Marla Moore.

B-Alex Madrigal, Tony Torrez, Juana Del Bosque, Linda Lopez, Brenda Oliver, Anita Glenn, Brad Miller, Scott Smith, Curtis Thrash.

Frenship Menu

Monday, November 24 Chili and Bean Soup Crackers, Spinach Batterbread, Butter Peach Cobbler, Milk

Tuesday, November 25 Turkey and Dressing Gravy, Green Beans Cranberry Cup Banana Pudding, Milk

Wednesday, November 26 Barbecue Beef on Bun Onion Rings, Tossed Salad Was Beans Pound Cake, Milk

Mission in Africa by Boyd Pearce, Pastor

First Baptist Church, Shallowater

It was almost midnight on November 22, 1963. We were living in Nairobi, the beautiful capitol of Kenya in East Africa. There was another missionary by the name of Marshall Phillips living across town. Marshall had one of those overseas radios with a ship cord antenna, and he regularly tuned in the U.S. and picked up ball scores and occasionally even a ball game. When he called as late as midnight I knew one of two things had happened. Either the University of Kentucky (where he was from) had won a football game or Baylor had lost. When the phone rang and Marshall was on the line. I let him know that which ever of these two things had happened, I had rather hear about it in the morning. But that wasn't what he was calling about. The announcement had just come on the radio that President Kennedy had been assassinated in Dallas.

There is nothing quite as sickening for Americans living overseas as the feeling that the foundations at home are crumbling. The next morning there was a dull, sad hurt among us all, as if someone dear had passed away back home and we were not able to get back to the funeral. What bothered me most was that while I would be hurting inside, no one else in Nairobi, except a few Americans, would know why or even care. I was wrong.

When I drove downtown that morning, all the flags were at half-mast-even the East African Railways banner flying over the depot. Traffic seemed to be moving slower and quieter than usual. The morning paper carried the news in somber headlines. Across town an Englishman called one of our missionaries, whom he did not know and said, "You're an American, aren't you?" He said, "Yes, I am." The Englishman started crving and said, "I had to Continued On Page Three

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by Joe Kelly

You have to feel sorry for Grant Teaff, almost as much as you have to feel joy for Steve Sloan. For one, it is a story of riches to rags. For the other, a pleasing comeback in a season that threatened to be dreary.

Baylor's Bears last year ruled the Southwest Conference. This year the sweet taste turned sour. Dame Fortune smiled kindly on the Bears last year, she frowned this year.

Injuries and turnovers can have a tremendous bearing on the success of any team. Last year the Bears had few injuries and few turnovers. This year, the opposite has been true.

In all probability, the Bears have better depth and material this year. But injuries to key players and a sudden plague of fumblitis has cut the Bears down to pre-1974 status. The best they can finish now is fifth.

On the otherhand, the Red Raiders have come back after four heartbreaking losses to become one of the better teams in the conference.

Last Saturday, after beating Baylor, Steve commented on his admiration for this year's Tech team.

"They were sick after the Arizona loss, but they worked harder the next week than they had worked all season," he said. "This team has a

lot of character." Arkansas is a major test of how far the Raiders have come. The Razorbacks are in outside contention for the league crown and in good position for a bowl berth. Only Tech and A&M stand in the way of, say, second place and a major bowl.

The 1975 Razorbacks are bigger, stronger and faster than a year ago. They have everything going for them. As of last Saturday, the Hogs had a strong offense and a strong defense.

Arkansas ranked third in total offense and the same on defense. They were tops in rushing offense and third in rushing defense.

But while Tech was second in passing offense, the Raiders used a ground game to beat Baylor. Defensively against the pass, Tech and Arkansas were almost even.

Based on defense, which generally wins games, the Hogs appear to be a little stouter. Still, anything can happen and it should be a great battle in Fayetteville.

Regardless of the outcome of the year's final game, the Raiders have been pleasing in one important aspect; they have shown consistent improvement throughout the season.

The offense has come along faster than the defense, but the offense now is on a par with any team in the league. The defense was much clower to improve, but it has come steadily of late and it's capable of putting it all together Saturday.

The question of fumbles came up again at the press conference Saturday and Steve still is at a loss for a concrete answer, as are most coaches and observers.

"I had a long talk with Donnie Anderson," Steve said. "He thinks it could be the artificial surface. He mentioned that he didn't have any problem with fumbles until he started playing pro ball."

Steve went on to say that Donnie found that he eliminated much of it by putting his arm all the way around the ball, especially when he was going down.

"We talked it over with the coaches and players," Steve said. "As a

result, we're trying it. Tech had only a pair of fumbles last Saturday, so it may be working.

None on Saturday would be great!

I had to feel sorry for Field Scovell and Wilbur Evans of the Southwest Conference. They were in Pittsburgh, pens in hand, to sign Notre Dame for the Cotton Bowl. Instead, Pitt ruined it by winning.

So, they apparently did a quick evaluation of the situation, realized that the chances of getting one of the top powers was lost and took Georgia. The Bulldogs are tied for second with Florida in the SEC, have an 8-2 record and always play tough in bowls. (ask SMU).

The bowls are starting to shape up. Two Big 10, two Big 8 and three SEC schools are assured of berths, with the SWC landing two, maybe three, and the Pac. 8, two.

The Independents haven't fared well so far, but Penn State, West

Virginia and Georgia Tech still are possibilities.

And, should Tech beat Arkansas, there's no reason to think that the Raiders might not get a bid. A strong case certainly could be made-so long as buying tickets isn't involved!

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Mrs. Donna Reed, instructor, will give pointers for wrapping attractive packages, wrapping inexpensive items, unusually shaped packages, and Postal regulations will be discussed.

For further information call Frankie Faver at 792-3221 ext.

Lubbock County 4-H Food Show

Lubbock County 4-H Food Show will be presented in the Texas Tech Home Economics building next Saturday afternoon, Nov.

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The awards program will be held at 3:00 p.m. in the El Centro of the Home Economics building following the exhibit of food and "Tasting Bee" at 2:30 p.m.

General chairman for the event is Nancy Hand. Food leaders from each 4-H club will be assisting.

Mission in Africa

Continued From Page Two tell somebody from America that I am sorry."

Perhaps the most remarkable thing that happened was 2 or 3 days later. We had gone into a beautiful but hard to get to area about 150 miles from Nairobi. The people there are friendly but very primitive. The first morning we were cooking breakfast over an open fire and a Masai warrior came into camp just to greet us and talk awhile. When he found out we were Americans he immediately told us how sorry he was about our President. That surprised me. I could understand the shock and sympathy of a metropolis like Nairobi, but out here in the "bush"? What did they know about Kennedy, or for that



matter, what did they know about America? It turned out that one of the brothers had a transistor radio and they had heard the news from Nairobi. He explained further, "Last year, the rains did not come. We had no food. It looked like we might starve, and President Kennedy sent us food. He saved our lives. We knew him well." Sitting around the fire that morning I guess I had never been prouder to be an American.

Sometime later, on one of the main streets of Nairobi, Tom Mboya, the dedicated young statesman of the Kenya government, was assassinated as he was leaving a drug store. I was sympathizing with a sad African friend. He said, "First it was President Kennedy and now it's Tom Mboya. Bwana, why is it we always kill our best men?" I've never figured out the answer to that one, but I have thought about it often, usually when I look at a cross.

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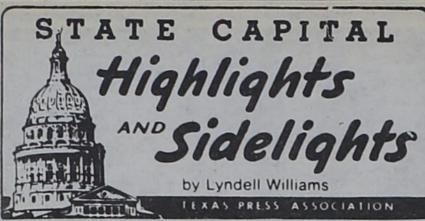
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Austin - State government the last two legislatures. ended its 1975 fiscal year with a continues its spending ways it may not last long.

bad news of Comptroller Bob Bullock last week as he released fiscal year which closed August

for now," said Bullock. "But our cent over the previous year. If analysis consistently shows that if legislators want to increase spending increases as usual in spending another 25 to 30 per cent 1977, we will face a tax bill in the in the next biennium, they had \$1 billion range."

The Legislature this year bill ready." passed a \$12.1 billion biennial appropriations bill.

reasonable economies and continuing high yield from sales and oil and gas taxes, a major state tax bill can be avoided in 1977 as in

Bullock said the state had \$6.9 record cash surplus of more than billion in the last fiscal year to \$1.4 billion, but if the legislature meet an expenditure level of \$5.5

Revenues, the Comptroller said, This was the good news and the increased 13 per cent over 1974 income—reaching \$5.7 billion.

"The real story," said Bullock, his annual financial report for the "is that revenue increased because of inflationary prices while the tax base remained the "We're in the best shape ever same. Spending jumped 21 per better have that billion dollar tax

GOP Moving

Texas Republicans outlined Gov. Dolph Briscoe and others major plans for 1976 campaign have predicted that, with activities at a meeting here recently.

> The State GOP Executive Committee approved Chairman Ray Hutchison's proposal to

establish a powerful new business and industries already executive campaign committee and central political fund.

Special recruiting committees were also appointed to seek out qualified congressional and legislative candidates.

their presidential preference primary on a congressional district basis. Ninety-six of the 100 GOP presidential nominating delegates will be elected at the polls May 1, and only four will be picked at the June 19 state party convention in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Pat Archer, wife of Houston Congressman Bill Archer, was elected new GOP National Committee woman to succeed Mrs. Rita Bass Clements of Dallas who resigned.

Hutchison named Ernest Angelo of Midland to head the new 15-member GOP executive campaign committee. Bob Flournoy of Lufkin was designated vice chairman.

Rates Studied

workmen's compensation insurance rates has been recommended by State Insurance Board actuaries.

Insurance company spokesmen aren't happy. They recommended a 12.3 per cent boost. Industry representatives weren't pleased either. They pointed out Texas

pay \$611.6 million a year to insure employees against on-the-job death and injury, and they claim this is too much.

Courts Speak

The State Supreme Court left Republicans decided to conduct standing a lower court ruling that state and local governments can charge fees for access to large records computer data and microfilm.

> The Open Records Act, court rulings have held, permit charges to examine such records.

> In another ruling, the High Court affirmed a Texas Railroad Commission gas curtailment order placing Houston Lighting and Power Company in seventh priority as a customer of United Texas Transmission Company.

> The Supreme Court also held that a Smith County man must be jailed for contempt of a court order by returning a tractor which he sold out of Texas.

The Court of Criminal Appeals reversed the 100-year prison A 7.1 per cent increase in sentence of a Grayson County man in the death of a fifth-grade girl from Denison who has been abducted on her way home from

> A three-judge federal court in Tyler set arguments in the continuing controversy over whether voters can be signed up under the new Texas registration

act without U.S. Justice Department approval.

School Session Urged

Texas Association of School Boards executive committee has urged Governor Briscoe to call a special legislative session to deal with school finance problems arising from the Hill fee opinion.

Texas Association of School Administrators executive committee also asked the governor to help ease the strain on districts which the opinion may cause. Briscoe said he has no intention of calling a special session and will be "looking for other ways to meet the problem."

Hill's opinion October 1 concluded special school fees for such things as driver education, band uniform rental and workbooks are illegal.

Services Held for Albert Rich

Services for Albert G. Rich, 92, of Wolfforth, were held at 10 a.m. today (Thursday) in the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Lane Boyd, pastor, officiat-

Burial was in Wolfforth Cemetery with Rix Funeral Directors handling the arrange-

Rich died at 2:50 a.m. Tuesday in Methodist Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Rich was a retired farmer. He moved to the Wolfforth area in 1929 from the Sherman area.

Survivors include two sons, Fred of Corpus Christi and Robert of Wolfforth; five brothers, Phillip, Sid and Austin, all of Selina, Tenn., and Lester and Buford, both of Moss, Tenn.; five sisters, Mrs. Rose Brown of McKinney, Mrs. Hubert Atchley of Tipton, Ind., and Mrs. Vina Smith, Mrs. William Arms and Mrs. Lovie White, all of Moss, Tenn.; three grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Recovery Brightens . . .

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"The economic recovery has been far more robust than most observers considered possible," says David Cox, Cotton Inc. vice president for economic research and development.

The Gross National Product increased 11.2 per cent in the third quarter of 1975, and industrial production increased in September at its highest monthly rate in 11 years, Cox points out.

"Both the textile industry in general and cotton in particular have been sharing in those advances," he adds.

August retail sales of cotton goods increased nine per cent over sales in August 1974 and three per cent over sales in August 1973, a period of strong sales, Cox's figures show.

"Over the past year cotton has shown more market strength at the retail level than the synthetic fibers," he observes. "Synthetic fibers posted gains of only 1.5 and 2.0 per cent over sales in August 1974 and August 1973."

As the U.S. economy moves briskly ahead, economies of foreign nations are just emerging from the doldrums, Cox reports.

Improvements in foreign economies, coupled with signs of a decrease in expected foreign cotton production, should mean stronger export sales later in the crop year, he speculates.

"The United States is in an enviable position to benefit from a worldwide economic recovery next year," Cox declares.

He warns, however, "The U.S. economy must still be considered fragil."

A fully recovered domestic economy, Cox believes, will depend on increased consumer confidence, sustained retail sales, and a tolerable inflation rate.

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Annual Recognition Luncheon Held by Caprock Girl Scout Council Nov. 10th

recognition of individuals and president; Mrs. Adolphus Cleveorganizations who have contri- land, Mrs. Billy M. Hall, Mr. buted to scouting highlighted the Ernest Barton, Mr. Art Chavez, annual luncheon meeting of the and Dr. James Kitchen, all of Caprock Girl Scout Council, Lubbock; and Mrs. John C. Monday, Nov. 10, at the First Robertson of Woodrow, members-Christian Church.

New board members are Mrs. Ted Forsythe of Lubbock, 1st committee were Miss Cecille vice-president;

Early Deadline Due Thanksgiving Week

Due to the Thanksgiving holidays, the deadline for news and ads has been moved up for this issue only.

If you have any news for the Nov. 27th issue of the paper, please turn it into the office no later than noon on Monday, November 24th.

Thank you for your cooperation.

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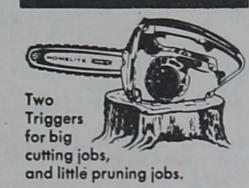
Election of board members and Owens of Littlefield, 3rd viceat-large.

Named to the nominating Mrs. Buster Graves and Mrs. Elmer Martin. both of Lubbock; and Mrs. Rusty Andrews of Brownfield.

Paul Carpenter and Mrs. Hall were each presented a "Thanks

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Bottle Gardening For Busybodies

If you don't have the time to take care of an indoor garden, why not try bottle gardening, suggests a landscape horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"All you need to turn a dull dark corner of your home into a bright colorful spot is a water proof container, tap water and cuttings of some favorite plants," says Everett Janne.

Beverage bottles, vases, canning jars, fish bowls and aquariums make good containers.

Use cuttings from any plant with a thick stem, such as a myrtle, geranium, oleander, wax begonia, coleus or hibiscus.

"First, clean out the bottle with hot water and detergent. Then add tap water. Make a clean cut on the branch or stem you want to use and remove the lower leaves so that none will be below the waterline. Put the cuttings in the water and arrange them any way you like," says the horticulturist with the Texas A&M University System.

Change the water about once a month and wash the container

Badge," highest award in scouting. In addition, Carpenter received a picture of Camp Rio Blanco in recognition of his years of service in developing the camp.

Trefoil plaques were presented to individuals and organizations who had made special contributions to the program. Mrs. Mogens Kruse of Denmark was presented a Green Trefoil friendship pin and a Caprock Council patch.

Mrs. F.N. Robinson received the 25-year tenure pin, and Mrs. Gigi Hill received the 20-year pin. Fifteen-year pins went to Mrs. Jo Helton and Mrs. Jean Dunlap, both of Levelland; and to Mrs. Pat Prather and Mrs. Ada Ruth Green, Lubbock.

MISCELLANEOUS

To give away, Copperton Coloric oven and counter-top burners. 832-4763 in Shallowater.

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with hot water and detergent to kill any algae or bacteria. Also, scrub the plant stems and make a fresh cut on the stem to improve water uptake. Turn the container about once a week to make sure all angels of the plants get sunlight.

"When stems start deteriorating, replace them with fresh ones," says Janne. "Also, any of the cuttings that develop roots can be planted in pots or in flower

Plants in bottle gardens add interest and color to the interior of the home and also clean up the air we breathe, adds the horticul-

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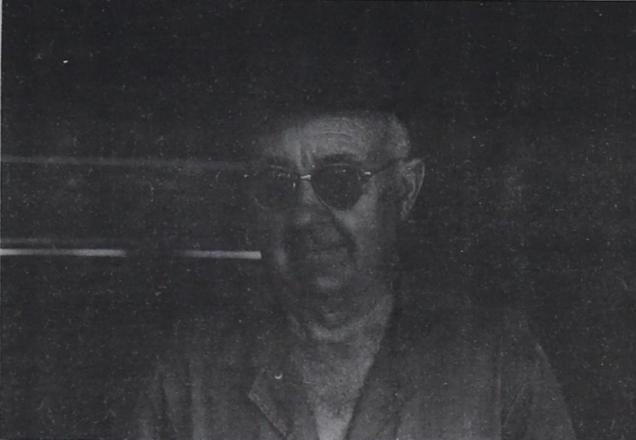


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Frenship School News

STAR-SPANGLED HISTORY

HISTORICAL DRAWINGS BY JOSEPH BOGGS BEALE (1841-1926)

"SALEM WITCH HANGING"

The Salem witch scare begain in 1692, when Tituba, a

West Indian slave belonging to a local minister, told

some of the Salem girls tales of voodoo. The girls

became upset, and when they began screaming in the

night and having nightmares, Salem's doctor declared

that the girls had been bewitched. Tituba and two

others were hanged as witches. The Salem witch scare

lasted approximately one year, and in that time nineteen

persons were hanged and one was pressed to death.

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Company, Galveston, Texas.

Club News

by Ronda Newsome Chess Club

The round robin chess tournament is still in progress. Mike Orndorff leads with 10-2 record. Russel Hickerson is 9-3, Ricky Spotts is 6-2.

The fall tournament ended with David Bradshaw the victor. Gary Jones took second.

F.F.A.

attend the District FFA banquet Monday, November 24th, at Levelland. Sweetheart, Cindy Mitchell, will be participating in the District Sweetheart contest

Members of the junior chapter attended a district FFA leadership contest Tuesday at Idalou. To participate in the junior chapter conducting, junior skills and quiz team. Members that participated in this event were Kyle Members are making plans to Hoodenpyle, Paul Cheney, Carey

Austin, Kenny Smith, Wesley Castle, Mike Orndorff, Homer Rodriquez, Larry Allen, Leslie Davis, Kevin Mitchell, Leslie Gillit, Leo Malonado, Eddy Williard, and Tod McKee.

Spanish Club

Several members of the Frenship Spanish Club met Monday, November 17. The meeting was at Don Pablos Restaurant in Lubbock. Roosevelt High School hosted the event. The guest speakers were Mr. and Mrs. Orr from the Mexican Consulate.

Members attending the meeting were Anne Lindsey, Gloria Malonado, Ronda Newsome, Sylvia Rodriquez, Joe Johnny Rosales, Shirley Russell, and Carla Yates.

Sports by Cindy Sewell

Frenship vs Idalou Frenship played Saturday, Nov. 15, here, against Idalou. The freshmen started the night out with a 56-35 victory. Vanessa Parker was Frenship's high scorer with a total of 27 points. Tonya Ivie followed with 12 points. Defensively Robin Trull led the game with 9 rebounds, Laura Wade had 6.

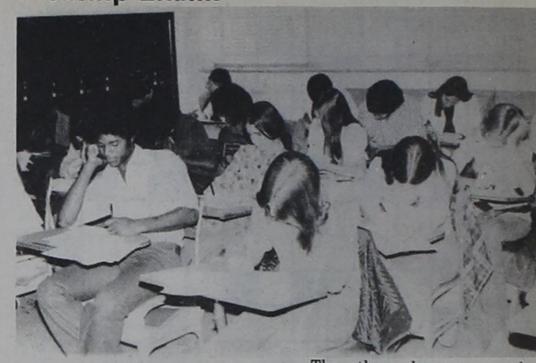
Idalou's high scorer was Aricka Speer with 25 points. Sharon Lavennoe and Barbra Aklison each had 4 points.

Coach Williams says the whole team showed aggressiveness and showed they can play together as a team.

The JV Kittens lost their ball game with a score of 32-34. Sheri Pittman was high scorer with 11 points, Dawn Hutcheson had 10 points. Joelene Schroeder and Tina Olenik led the defense with 6 rebounds each.

For Idalou, Aricka Speer led the score with 27 points. Kayla Galloway followed with 6 points.

The varisty Kittens came up ahead with a 52-34 victory. Cissy Beaver led offensively with 22 Frenship Exams



by Lanette Wright

Examinations at Frenship High School were held last Thursday and Friday. Many students had been exempt from one or more of the tests.

points. Jacque Howard scored 13 points. Betty Howell led defensively with 7 rebounds. Sherl Hard had 5 rebounds.

Frenship vs Shallowater

The 7th grade Kittens started Monday night out with a victory over Shallowater. Sylvia Gomez was high scorer with 18 points, Maureen Sewell scored 8 points.

For Shallowater, Sanora Stewart scored 10 points and Brandy Giles scored 6.

The 8th grade Kittens followed the 7th grade victory. Mary Patterson had 18 points and Sherry Calvin with 2 points, led the way to the 8th grade victory of 18-11.

Shallowater's high scorer was M. Pair with 3 points. Timsak, Martin, Pair, and Price donated 2 points each.

The freshmen completed the night with a 45-34 victory. Vanessa Parker scored 23 points for Frenship. Judy Madison scored 8 points. Laura Wade was

The others, however, worked through the long hard exam days. All were rewarded though, because on Monday, a teacher workday was scheduled and the students did not have to go to school.

the leading rebounder with 10 rebounds. Tammy Sisson and Sandy Schroeder had 5 rebounds each.

Frenship vs Slaton

The 8th grade boys football team played Slaton Tuesday, Nov. 11. The game ended with a Slaton victory. Sandy Guerrero scored Frenship's only touchdown. The score was 6-26. The Tigers finished with a 6-2-1 record.

The 7th grade football team won the district crown with a victory over Slaton Tuesday.

Allowable Spending It' all right to save money, but too many are trying to save it from people they owe it to. -Appeal, Memphis

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