



CROSS ROADS HAIL DEVASTATION

This 63-acre field of cotton belonging to Frank Light was stripped of bolls and leaves by hail Wednesday night, August 14. It is immediately west of the Cross Roads School site. Mr. Light says it is the first time in his more than 40 years farming he has had a crop completely destroyed.

Savage Hail Destroys Crops at Cross Roads

Cross Roads community bore the fury of a hailstorm and heavy rain Wednesday night, Aug. 14, that left whole fields of cotton with nothing more than stubby stalks, stripped of every boll and leaf. Grain sor-

ghum was beaten to within inches of the ground. An estimated 1,500 to 2,000 acres of cotton and feed was destroyed or damaged.

The damage was limited in scope, and a large area in the central and western sections of the county received much-needed soaking rains up to three inches.

The hail and rain came about 10 p.m. during an electrical storm that Police Chief Donald Nunneley described as the "brightest display I've been in yet."

This rainfall was followed on Friday night by more rain, measuring up to three inches, that covered an area east of Wellington that was missed in the mid-week moisture.

Heavy damage started at the Harold Caldwell and Cecil Masten farms on State Highway 203. Total crop loss occurred on farms immediately to the west, including Heber Brantley, Charley Amerson, Glen Warrick, Shelton Nunneley, Ralph Tension at the north edge of the strip and Bob Jones at the south end.

Earl Lynn Bartlett reported he lost all his grain sorghum, but his cotton was on another farm.

Frank Light, who lost 63 acres of cotton said that this was the first time in his more than 40 years of farming he had suffered a total loss.

Earl Bowen reported some damage, as did Jake Tarter, Auburn Keller and Dan Guthrie, who was at the west edge of the damaged area.

In the Lillie community, to the northwest, County Judge Zook Thomas reported 3.2 inches of rain but no hail.

Walter Franks, Civic, Church Leader, Dies

Walter R. Franks, 76, a former member of the Wellington City Council, a long-time leader in the Methodist Church, and a business man for more than 40 years, died at 12:15 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 17 in Turner Nursing Home at Childress. He had been in failing health for several months.

Mr. Franks served several terms on the City Council, and it was during one of these, 1940-42, that the municipal building, Bura Handley Community Center, was built.

First United Methodist Church has had few more active workers than Mr. Franks. He served on the Board of Stewards and was charge lay leader. He helped to plan the general remodeling of the church which took place some years ago.

From the standpoint of continuity of operation, the furniture store which he established

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Helmers Resigns as County Agent Here

Sammy Helmerts has resigned as county agent of Collingsworth County to accept a similar post in Hudspeth County, with headquarters in Sierra Blanca. His resignation is effective Sept. 15.

A replacement has not been hired, according to County Judge Zook Thomas.

As county agent at Sierra Blanca, he will succeed his brother, Ellis Helmerts, who was county agent of Childress County until Jan. 1 of this year. The latter is resigning from the Extension Service to become ranch manager for the Nolke Estate of Rankin.

In expressing his regret at leaving Collingsworth County, Mr. Helmerts said that both he and Mrs. Helmerts want to return to the area where they grew up, for both were raised at Fort Stockton.

Mr. and Mrs. Helmerts and their daughters, Debbie, now 6, and Donna, 4, came here July 1, 1965, from Ballinger.

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Marsh Announces

Features Added to County Free Fair

Fair Superintendent Troy Marsh reminded this week that the big Collingsworth Free Fair is just over two weeks away, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 6 and 7.

Several new features and changes were announced. There will be no rodeo this year, and the Jaycees, who had considered sponsoring one, will instead sponsor the Fly-In Breakfast slated for Marian Airpark Saturday morning, September 7. A parachute jump is tentatively scheduled.

Three booths of special interest have been lined up for the exhibits building. The Collingsworth County Blood Bank will be in charge of St. Joseph's Hospital Auxiliary. The Department of Public Safety will have an educational booth, as will the Collingsworth County Ministerial Alliance.

The livestock judge will be Lefty Thomas, former county agent here, who has retired from the Extension Service and with his family returned to live on their farm at Samnorwood.

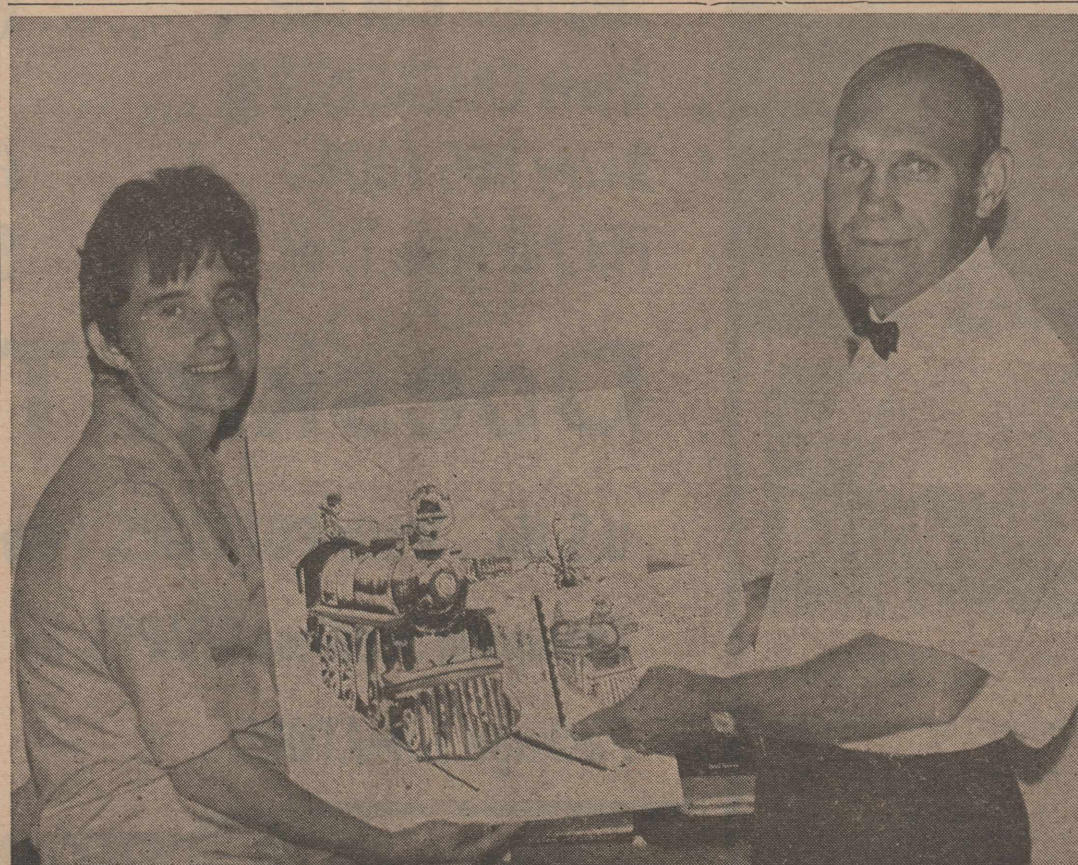
Youth, Inc., will present its patriotic sing-out Friday night, Sept. 6, on the courthouse lawn.

Mr. Marsh announced that booth space will be made available on the square free of charge for clubs and organizations who may wish to have booths. These may be left up through Saturday.

The Rolling Plains CB Radio Club will help line-up this year's parade Friday morning, which opens the two-day event. A slight change has been made in the route so the parade line will not cross itself at the south east corner of the square. This will make possible a

slowing down of the parade so that the crowds may better see the floats.

One of the educational floats which will appear and to which attention is called is the Samnorwood Lions Club Eye Bank float, Mr. Marsh said.



CHILDREN'S PALO DURO STORY

Mary and Burl Brim have published their first book for children, "The Magic Train at Sad Monkey," a story of Palo Duro Canyon. Here Mrs. Brim holds the original drawing

for the cover illustration, while Dr. Brim, who teaches at West Texas State University, has a copy of the book. A related story is on another page.

10,000 Acres Approved for Diapause Boll Weevil Spray

Diapause spraying for cotton boll weevil control has been approved on 10,000 acres of Collingsworth County cotton under a joint state-local program and signing application will be

gin at 8 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 22 on a first come-first served basis.

Plans for the control program were made at a meeting of the Collingsworth County

Cotton Insect Control Association held Tuesday, Aug. 20 at 8:30 a.m. at the Dodson Co-op gin. Representatives of the State Department of Agriculture, Austin, met with growers,

ginners and representatives of the Extension Service, according to County Agent Sammy Helmerts.

The office of the Insect Control Association will be in the Floyd Teutsch Insurance Agency in Dodson, and a secretary will be there to take the applications.

Applications will be taken Thursday, Aug. 29, through Monday, Sept. 2, and the first of the series of three sprayings will be early Tuesday morning, Sept. 3, Mr. Helmerts said.

Growers must apply in person, as an agreement must be signed to allow the spray planes to operate.

He emphasized that applications will be received on a first come-first served basis and payment must be made in advance.

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Season Football Tickets Go On Sale August 26

Season tickets for the Wellington Skyrocket home football games will go on sale Monday morning, Aug. 26, in the business office at the high school.

Those wishing to have their old seats again this year can have them, Supt. J. L. Harper said.

The price per ticket book is \$7.50, Mr. Harper said. This is the same as last year.

There is an increase in general admission to \$1.50 per game throughout District 2-AA, Mr. Harper said.

Reserve seat tickets bought at game time will be \$1.75.

The five home games covered by the reserved seat books are:

Friday, Sept. 13—Hollis.
Friday, Oct. 4—Iowa Park.
Friday, Oct. 25—Shamrock.
Friday, Nov. 1—Quanah.
Friday, Nov. 15—Memphis.

Quail School Opening Reset to September 2

Opening of the Quail School has been postponed until Monday, Sept. 2, Supt. Ed Haynie has announced.

Other events to be held in conjunction with the opening also were moved forward.

The open house for patrons and friends of the school will be held Friday evening, Aug. 30 and the faculty meeting will be at 9 a.m., Thursday, Aug. 29.

The change of the school opening date was made so that renovation can be completed on the buildings before any classes are held, Mr. Haynie said.

The original opening date was Aug. 26.

Church Slates Guest Speaker

The Rev. Marvin Mathew, former pastor of the Bible Baptist Church at Sunray, will speak at Fundamental Baptist Church, 9th and Floydada Sts., at 11 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 25, according to the Rev. J. E. Young, pastor.

Rev. Mathew has surrendered as a missionary and the public is invited to hear his sermon, Rev. Young said.

Temperatures

	High	Low
Wed. Aug. 14	88	69
Thur. Aug. 15	93	64
Fri. Aug. 16	92	69
Sat. Aug. 17	89	65
Sun. Aug. 18	87	67
Mon. Aug. 19	92	69
Tues. Aug. 20	93	68
Wed. Aug. 21		

Moisture for week—

Rev. Henry J. West Sr.

Dodson Masons Will Honor Former Pastor

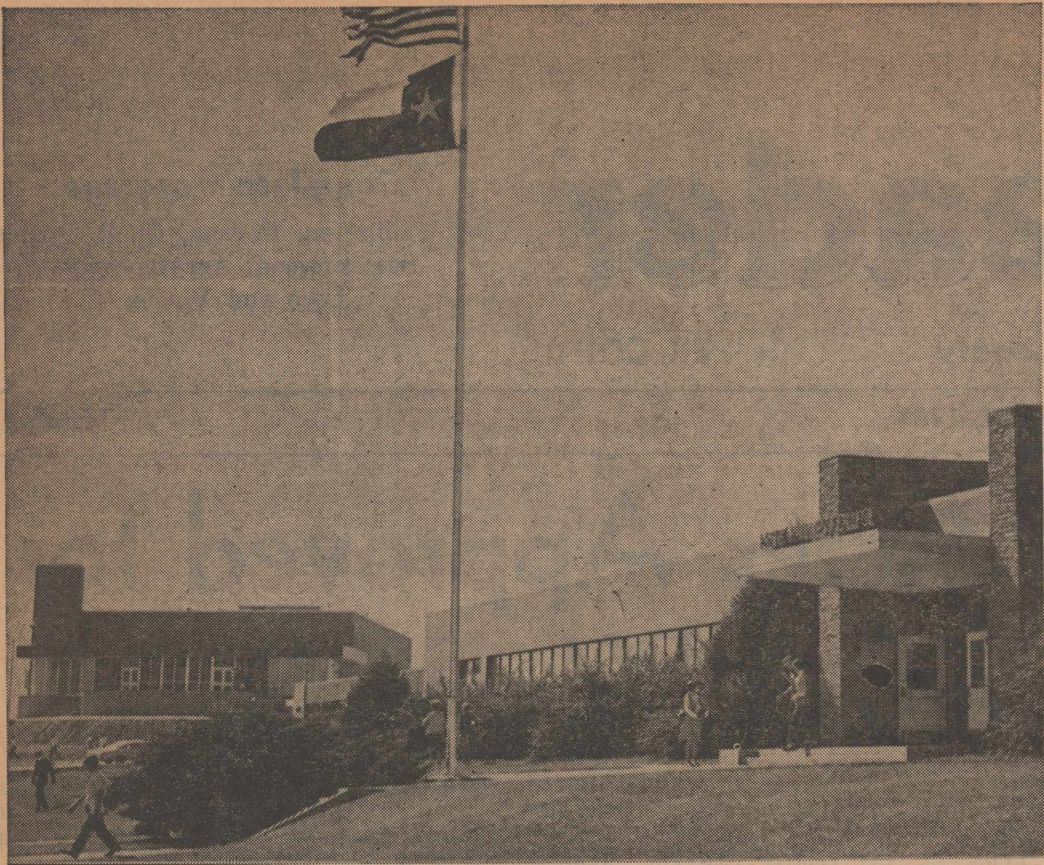
The Rev. and Mrs. Henry J. West, Sr., of Fort Worth will be visitors and participate in activities in the Dodson community over the week end.

On Saturday night, Aug. 24, at 8 p.m., Rev. West will be honored as recipient of the Fifty Year Pin and Service Award presented by the Dodson Masonic Lodge. Ceremonies for this will be in an open meeting at the Dodson American Legion Hall with a long-time friend, W. F. Ford, making the presentation. Rev. West is a Charter Member of the Dodson Lodge and one of its earliest presidents.

At 11 a.m., Rev. West will be guest speaker at the regular Sunday morning services of the South Baptist Church at Dodson, a church where he was pastor from 1926 to 1932.

Following this pastorate, the Wests resided in Hollis for five years, at which time he was pastor of churches at Antioch, McQueen and Star Valley. Subsequent to this, he was pastor of the church at Phillips for some seven years and eventually to the pastorate at Lorenzo.

For the past several years the Wests have been in retirement in Fort Worth. A son, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. West, resides in San Antonio.



SEVEN BEAUTIFUL BUILDINGS

... all of them modern, air conditioned and well kept, adorn the 61 acre campus of Frank Phillips College in Borger. The two-year college was established by the people of the

high plains of Texas. It is run by these same people and is geared to their environment.

Sixty Acre Campus

Frank Phillips College in Borger is Twenty Years Old

Frank Phillips College in Borger has reached its 20th birthday. For the past years this junior college has been growing in leaps and bounds.

Seven beautiful buildings are built on a campus that has now expanded to 60 acres. The buildings are modern, air-conditioned and well kept. The oldest is only 12 years old.

The administration building was built in 1955-56. The Fine Arts building with its auditorium and student center was finished in 1961. The gymnasium was constructed in 1956 and enlarged in 1961. The college maintenance building was constructed in 1962.

The new James W. Dillard Library was finished in April 1967. This fine library is the show place of the Panhandle. With its carpeted floors, walnut furniture and 20,000 volumes, it holds a place of eminence among colleges and universities of the region.

Last year two beautiful and completely air-conditioned dormitories were constructed on the campus. Maxine Goins Hall has capacity for 80 college women, and W. G. Stephens Hall will house 120 college men.

The dormitories with adequate parking area are well situated on the western slope of the campus and are readily accessible to the other buildings and the student center where the college cafeteria is located.

Reservations are now being taken for rooms in the dorms.

The graduates of Frank Phillips have made an outstanding scholastic record in senior colleges and universities where they have transferred to finish their degrees.

Pre work in the professional and liberal arts fields is available. Two years work can be completed on most any degree desired. Technical and vocational courses are also available.

Frank Phillips offers ways of helping deserving students financially. A work program, a scholarship program, and a loan plan are available to qualifying applicants. Applications for assistance can be secured from the Financial Aid Office by writing to Business Office, Frank Phillips College, Box 111, Borger, Texas 19007, or telephoning 274-5311, ext. 204, Borger, Texas.

The college staff provides guidance and counseling service for all students who plan to enroll. Students in the area can get personal attention at their home during the summer by requesting that a counselor from the college call in their community.

Frank Phillips has many programs of extra curricular activities. These groups provide an opportunity for development of leadership and initiative.

Frank Phillips is a two-year college established by the people of the high plains of Texas, run by these same people, and geared to their environment.

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John Ford to Graduate at NT

DENTON.—John J. Ford III of Wellington is among the 688 seniors who have applied for bachelor's degrees at North Texas State University.

Summer commencement exercises are scheduled for 8:00 p.m. Friday, Aug. 23, at Fouts Field.

Ford, son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Ford, Jr., of Wellington is a candidate for a bachelor of arts degree in geography. He is a 1963 graduate of Wellington High School.

In North Texas State, he belongs to the college chapter of a professional geography fraternity, and his social fraternity is Phi Kappa Theta. He was president of the Newman Club last year. During his undergraduate years he was a referee in the intermural sports department, and as a senior he was employed at Flo Memorial Hospital.

Members of his family will attend the commencement, including his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ford, and his grandmother, Mrs. J. L. Burt.

Time to Prepare

Girls Division Major Event of County Fair

Girls from 9 to 18 years who plan to exhibit clothing or foods in the girls open class of the Collingsworth County Free Fair were urged this week to begin their preparations.

There is only one class of girls work in which both 4-H Club members and Future Homemakers will participate. The show will be in the American Legion Hall.

Rules for the class are being mimeographed and girls can pick them up at the office of Mrs. Leta Hill, home demonstration agent, or the Chamber of Commerce office.

Mrs. A. M. Saunders is chairman of the girls open division and her assistants are Mrs. Hill; Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and Mrs. Palo Cummings of Quail; Miss Judy Barber, Mrs. John Birkey and Mrs. R. E. Dwight of Samnorwood; Mrs. Earl Patterson and Mrs. Bill Tatum of Wellington, and Mrs. Truett

Holland of Dodson. All exhibits will be judged according to these age divisions: Junior I—9 to 12 years old; Junior II—12 to 14 years; Senior I—14 to 16 years, and Senior II—16 to 18 years. Girls below 9 years of age may enter but they will exhibit with the Junior I class.

All exhibits except baked products must be entered between 1 and 6 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 5; baked products should be brought by 9 a.m. Friday, Sept. 6.

Each girl will be awarded three points for each first place ribbon; two for each second place ribbon; and one for each third place ribbon. The champions will be the girls having the highest number of points for each age division.

The following may be entered:

Clothing: jacket dress or suit, children's clothing, slim

jim suits, blouse and skirt, grannie dress, school dress, dressy dress, sports wear, short suits, house coat, formal, gown, apron, pajamas.

General Exhibits: one set of pillow cases; set of two cup towels; set of four, six or eight place mats; luncheon cloth and four napkins; embroidered, knitted or crocheted article.

Baked Products

Candy, 6 of each: marshmallow fudge, divinity, peanut brittle, standard fudge, date loaf, Martha Washington chocolate.

Cookies, 6 of each: bar, molded or shaped, drop, refrigerator, rolled, or cookie cutter.

Cakes: German chocolate, uniced angel food, devils food, fancy decorated, upside down cake, uniced pound cake, iced layer cake and iced cup cakes (6).

Pies: fruit, cream or pecan. Quickbreads, 6 each: Biscuits, breakfast muffins, cornbread sticks or muffins.

Yeast breads: dinner rolls, batter rolls, sweet rolls, plain loaf bread, fancy bread (tea ring, bubble loaf, etc.)

Canning

Vegetables: green beans, tomatoes, peas, corn, and tomato

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Mrs. Lockridge Gets Degree

Anna Kay Kelso Lockridge will receive her bachelor of science in education degree at the summer commencement exercises of Abilene Christian College Thursday, Aug. 22.

Mrs. Lockridge has majors in elementary education and English and will teach first grade this year in College Heights Elementary School at Abilene.

Attending her graduation will be her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Kelso, and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fleming and children of

juice. Fruits: apricots, berries, cherries, and peaches.

Preserves: watermelon, tomato, peach, and apricot.

Jams: apricot, peach, grape plum.

Jellies: apple, berry, grape plum.

Pickles: cucumber sweet or sour, peaches, beet.

Relish: chow-chow, cucumber, pepper, beet.

The college is awarding 164 degrees at this commencement, and with the 358 who graduated in the spring commencement, represents a record figure of 522 for the college.

Dr. Athens Clay Pullias, president of David Lipscomb College in Nashville, Tenn., will deliver the commencement address at 8 p.m. in Moody Coliseum Auditorium.

The graduates will be honored with a noon luncheon Thursday in McGlothlin Campus Center, sponsored by the ACC Alumni Association. Wally Bullington, ACC head football coach and president of the Alumni Association, will speak and Jimmy Jividen, minister of the Hillcrest Church of Christ in Abilene, will be the master of ceremonies.

The George West, Texas, courthouse lawn holds a mounted Longhorn in a glass case. It is the last Longhorn steer of the great West herd.

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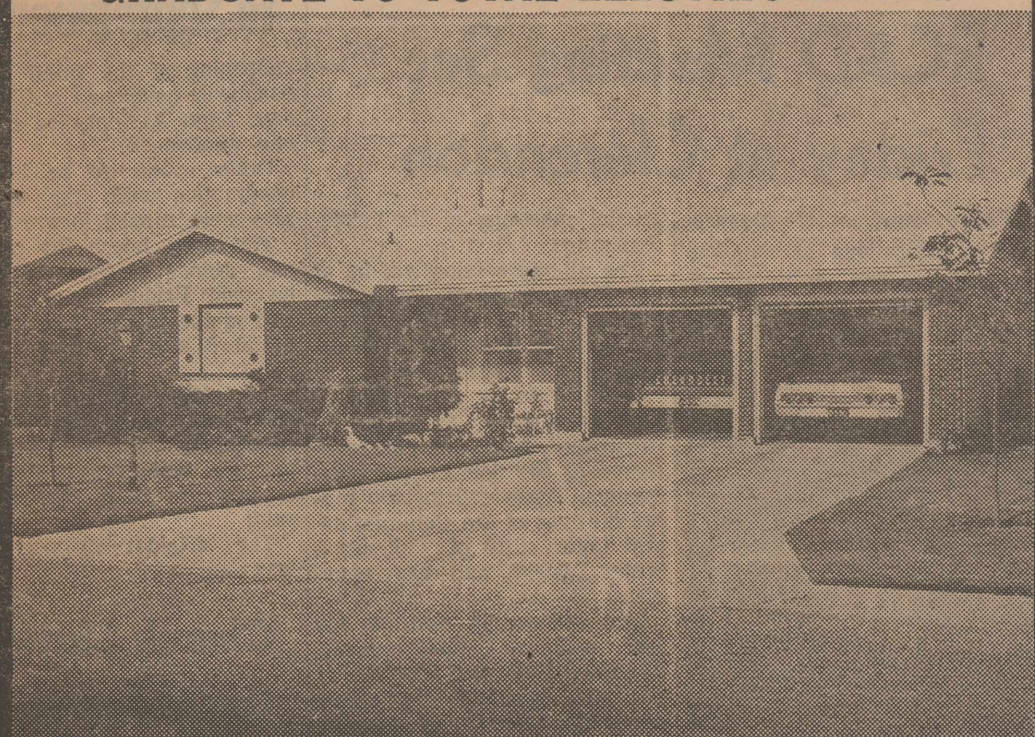
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Terry Cecilia, the Richardson's 5-year-old granddaughter, plays comfortably the year 'round and always has plenty of fresh clean clothes. "I use the washer and dryer every day—sometimes several times a day," Irene Richardson says.

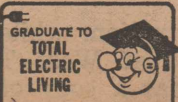
The Richardsons cook a lot, burn the lights a lot, and entertain friends, yet find total-electric living economical. "We're very satisfied with it," Mr. Richardson says.

Richardson is manager of the Hamlin Farmers Compress, Irene Richardson is a full-time homemaker, and Terry Cecilia pre-kindergarten age.

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Grazing Associations Help Develop Income

Farmers and cattlemen are acquiring needed land resources by forming grazing associations and obtaining financial assistance from the Farmers Home Administration, the agency's Collingsworth County Supervisor, Raymond D. Hodges, said this week.

A grazing association is composed of a group of family farmers and ranchers who join together to acquire and develop land to provide seasonal grazing for livestock belonging to its members. The non-profit association is owned, operated and managed by its members.

"Small farmers," Mr. Hodges said, "can increase their incomes, make better use of land and water resources, and develop larger equity in land through use of a grazing association. This program often provides small farmers with their only opportunity to remain in farming on a profitable basis."

Other advantages of an association include providing opportunities to improve livestock quality, gain bargaining power in the market place, build more stable operations, and strengthen the rural community.

"Results benefit the entire

community," Hodges said, "because associations accomplish better use of land and water resources and provide expanded tax bases and more local buying power."

The grazing associations now in operation in Texas range in size from 4 to 43 members, depending on the number of livestock to be supported and dimensions and quality of the land.

Eligible to form associations are neighboring farmers and ranchers who operate family size units. Financial and technical assistance is provided by the Farmers Home Administration. Additional aid often is provided by the Department of Agriculture's Soil Conservation Service, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, and the Extension Service.

Loans are available to qualified borrowers for periods up to 40 years at an interest rate of 5%.

Interested individuals should contact Raymond D. Hodges, County Supervisor, at 904 West Ave., in Wellington, form a steering committee, and begin looking for suitable acreage.

Entomologist is Visitor Here

Dr. John C. Thomas, state Extension Service entomologist, was an overnight guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas of Samnorwood Tuesday night, Aug. 13.

He was en route to Ft. Collins, Colo., to a meeting called by the United States Department of Agriculture entomologists to study the greenbug infestation in grain sorghum, which appeared for the first time this year. Entomologists were present from Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, New Mexico and Colorado.

Before reaching here Tuesday, Dr. Thomas conferred with Extension Service entomologists at Lubbock and Amarillo.

Greenbugs in Grain Sorghum Tapering Off

The county's first infestation of greenbugs in grain sorghum appears to be tapering off, County Agent Sammy Helmers has reported. It is believed there will be little permanent damage.

Greenbugs are normally found in wheat and are not even listed as a grain sorghum pest.

Most Collingsworth growers who found greenbugs have had their grain sorghum sprayed and apparently only the bottom two or three leaves were damaged, according to ag pilot Duggie Jameson.

Norris Daniels, entomologist at the Bushland Experiment Station, reports that these are the same greenbugs that were in the wheat.

According to Lyndon Almond, area Extension Service entomologist at Lubbock, growers have not experienced any significant increase in income by spraying on the High Plains.

"In my opinion on dryland grain this will be true only if the greenbugs stay on the bottom leaves," Mr. Helmers declared. "If the feed is in the boot stage and they get in the top leaves or boot, it will be economical to spray."

He estimated that 80% of the crop is already heading.

The greenbugs are also infesting hybrid sudan and hybrid forage sorghums.

"Growers who have baled either of these will want to be especially watchful for the appearance of greenbugs in the regrowth," the county agent cautioned.

Ethyl parathion is being used at the rate of a pint to a quart per acre depending on how thick the foliage is. Control appears to be good, as much as 100% in some fields, Mr. Helmers added.

OIL AND GAS

Right of Way Agreement: Herbert Massey and wife to Diamond Shamrock Corp.—section 88, block 16.

ROW: John C. Breeding and wife to Diamond Shamrock Corp.—S/2 section 92, block 16; and N/2 of SW/4 section 89, block 16.

ROW: Henry W. Morgan to Diamond Shamrock Corp.—N 150 acres of E/2 section 91, block 16.

ROW: Cortez Barnett and wife to Diamond Shamrock Corp.—SW/4 section 10, block 17; and E/2 section 1, block 23.

Quit-claim deed: L. R. Spradling to Harry E. Franks, et al—Interest in oil, gas and other minerals, SW/4 section 3, block 23.

ROW agreement: Milton Bergman, independently and as independent executor—NE/4 section 73, block 16.

ROW agreement: Philip A. Bergman and wife to Diamond Shamrock Corp.—NE/4 section 73, block 16.

ROW agreement: John Bergman and others to Diamond Shamrock Corp.—NE/4 section 73, block 16.

ROW agreement: J. M. Tindall and wife to Diamond Shamrock Corp.—section 63, block 16.

ROW agreement: Austin Cantrell and wife to Diamond Shamrock Corp.—NE/4 section 57, block 16; and N/2 section 42, block 16.

ROW agreement: Bill W. Bruton and others to Diamond Shamrock Corp.—S/4 section 57, block 16; and N/2 section 42, block 16.

ROW agreement: John L. Simpson and wife to Diamond Shamrock Corp.—SW/4 section 42, block 16.

ROW agreement: L. A. Sparlin to Diamond Shamrock Corp.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT (SJR24)

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

Section 1. Article 8, Constitution of the State of Texas, is amended by adding a Section 2-a to read as follows:

"Section 2-a. (a) The Legislature may, by General Law, exempt from ad valorem taxation by the state and its political subdivisions all or a portion of any equipment, device or improvement installed or constructed on real property, which is designed to eliminate or abate the harmful effect of air emissions or water effluents on the air and water quality in this state, to the extent that the capital investment in such property is made to comply with or to exceed air or water quality standards established by law.

"(b) Legislation which may be enacted in anticipation of the adoption of this Section is not void because of its anticipatory nature."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November

1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment giving permissive authority to the Texas Legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation by the State of Texas and its political subdivisions equipment installed on real property to eliminate or abate the harmful effect of air emissions and water effluents, provided that the capital investment in such equipment complies with the air and water quality standards established by the State of Texas."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment giving permissive authority to the Texas Legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation by the State of Texas and its political subdivisions equipment installed on real property to eliminate or abate the harmful effect of air emissions and water effluents, provided that the capital investment in such equipment complies with the air and water quality standards established by the State of Texas."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (SJR32)

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

Section 1. That Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding a new Section 1-e to read as follows:

"Section 1-e. From and after December 31, 1978, no State ad valorem taxes shall be levied upon any property within this State for State purposes except the tax levied by Article VII, Section 17, for certain institutions of higher learning."

"2. The State ad valorem tax authorized by Article VII, Section 3, of this Constitution shall be imposed at the following rates on each One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation for the years 1968 through 1974: On January 1, 1968, Thirty-five Cents (.35¢); on January 1, 1969, Thirty Cents (.30¢); on January 1, 1970, Twenty-five Cents (.25¢); on January 1, 1971, Twenty Cents (.20¢); on January 1, 1972, Fifteen Cents (.15¢); on January 1, 1973, Ten Cents (.10¢); on January 1, 1974, Five Cents (.05¢); and thereafter no such tax for school purposes shall be levied and collected. An amount sufficient to provide free text books for the use of children attending the public free schools of this State shall be set aside from any revenues deposited in the Available School Fund, provided, however, that should such funds be insufficient, the deficit may be met by appropriation from the State."

"3. The State ad valorem tax on Two Cents (.2¢) on the \$100 valuation levied by Article VII, Section 17, of this Constitution shall not be levied after December 31, 1976. At any time prior to December 31, 1976, the Legislature may establish a trust fund solely for the benefit of the widows of Confederate veterans and such Texas Rangers and their widows as are eligible for retirement or disability pensions under the provisions of Article XVII, Section 66, of this Constitution, and after such fund is established the ad valorem tax levied by Article VII, Section 17, shall not thereafter be levied.

"4. Unless otherwise provided by the Legislature, after December 31, 1976 all subsequent State ad valorem taxes collected, together with penalties and interest thereon, less lawful costs of collection, shall be used to secure bonds issued for permanent improvements at institutions of higher learning, as authorized by Article VII, Section 17, of this Constitution.

"5. The fees paid by the State for both assessing and collecting State ad valorem taxes shall not exceed two per cent (2%) of the State taxes collected. This subsection shall be self-executing."

Sec. 2. That Article III, Section 51, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Section 51. The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public moneys to any individual, association of individuals, municipal or other corporations whatsoever; provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors under such regulations and limitations as may be deemed by the Legislature as expedient, and to their widows in indigent circumstances under such regulations and limitations as may be deemed by the Legislature as expedient; provided that the provisions of this Section shall not be construed so as to prevent the grant of aid in cases of public calamity."

Sec. 3. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment continuously reducing State ad valorem property taxes and abolishing all State ad valorem property taxes after December 31, 1978, except the tax levied by Article VII, Section 17, for certain institutions of higher learning."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment continuously reducing State ad valorem property taxes and abolishing all State ad valorem property taxes after December 31, 1978, except the tax levied by Article VII, Section 17, for certain institutions of higher learning."

—SE/4 section 42, block 16; and section 40, block 16.

ROW agreement: Fannie Whitson, also known as Mrs. Tom Whitson, to Diamond Shamrock Corp.—NW/4 section 29, block 12.

ROW agreement: Elmer Smith

and wife to Diamond Shamrock Corp.—E/2 and East 60 acres of SW/4 section 29, block 12.

ROW agreement: Joe Rountree and wife to Diamond Shamrock Corp.—S/2 section 28, block 12, less lots 1, 2, 3, 23 and 24, block 1, Aberdeen.

Conveyance and assignment: Travelers Oil Co. and other to Joseph E. Seagram and Sons, Inc.—section 6, 5, 15, 14 and 7, block 13.

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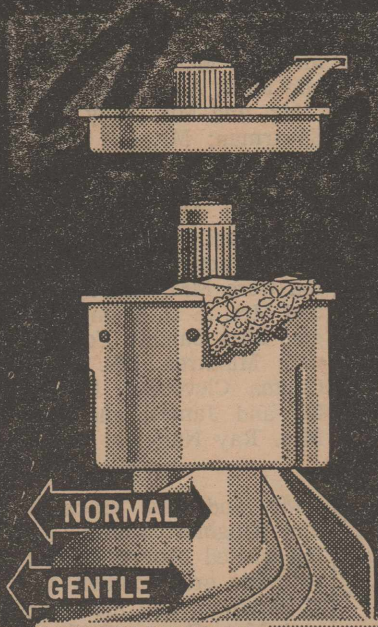
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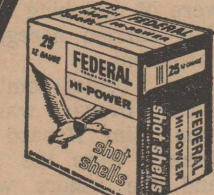
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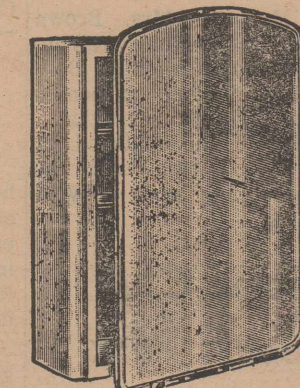
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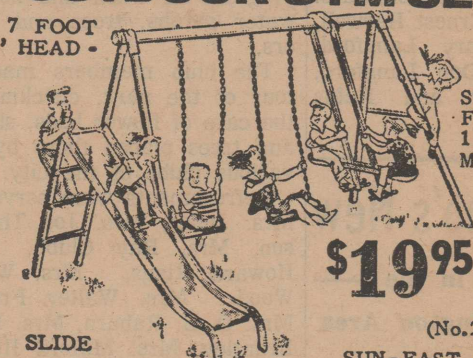
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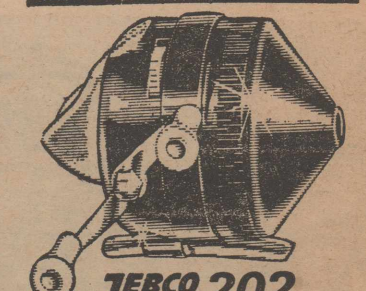
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Society News

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Cheryl Needham, Kenneth Brown Marry in Church Ceremony Friday

The Church of Christ was the setting for wedding vows recited by Miss Cheryl LaVoane Needham and Kenneth Wayne Brown at eight o'clock Friday evening, August 16. Minister E. J. Fletcher officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Needham, 1010 Childress St., and Mr. and Mrs. Millard Brown, Jr., 1101 Arlington Street.

At the center of the church decorations was an arched candelabra holding 15 tapers. Extending along each side were branched tree candelabras and baskets of white gladiolas.

Wedding selections were sung a capella by a trio composed of Miss Mickey Ann Kendrick, Miss Debbie Lewis and Miss Elaine Karnes.

Mr. Needham gave his daughter in marriage.

Her empire gown of white bridal silk was designed with a lace bodice, which featured a round scalloped neckline and long tapered sleeves. The chapel length lace train was edged

in a band of silk to match the slender floor-length skirt. Her shoulder length veil was attached to a seed pearl crown, and she carried a bouquet of white roses.

Miss Rebecca Brewer was the maid of honor, and the bridesmaids were Miss Nanette Gibson of Lubbock and Mrs. Jim Henard.

Their empire style, street-length dresses were of blue lace, accented with short bell sleeves. Pillbox headpieces were of matching material and they carried nosegays of blue carnations.

The bridegroom's brother, Ricky Brown, was the best man. Jim Henard and Gary Brewer were the groomsmen, and the ushers were Jackie Needham, brother of the bride, and Stevie Davis.

Candles were lighted by Jim Lindsey and Jimmy Neeley, while the flower girl and ring bearer were Debbie Morris of Lawton, Oklahoma, niece of the bridegroom, and Craig Needham, brother of the bride.

After the wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Needham received the guests in the reception room of the parsonage.

A blue cloth overlaid with white lace covered the bride's table, and the centerpiece was an arrangement of white roses. Guests were served by Miss Polly Browning and Miss Jan Bowen, assisted by Mrs. Billy Wilkerson and Mrs. Bob Barton.

Miss Linda Williams was at the register.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Brown were graduated from Wellington High School in May. Both received a number of honors in extra-curricular activities.

Mr. Brown is employed at White's Auto Store, and the couple will be at home in Wellington.

Garden Club Inspects Park

The Wellington Garden Club met recently at Ellison Park. Mrs. G. L. Jones directed the program on when and how to water shrubs, trees and flowers.

The club members made a tour of the park, checking on the care of flower beds, shrubs and trees placed there by the various clubs of the city.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Joe Thompson, Mrs. Ray Clubb, Mrs. Howard Riggs, Mrs. Woody Wood, Mrs. Walter Franks, Mrs. O. B. Raburn, Mrs. R. W. Brantley, Mrs. Milford Harris, Mrs. Bob Stephenson, Mrs. Silas Crawford, Mrs. J. M. Stowell, and Mrs. Coy Vaughan.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Seymour of Stroud, Okla., spent a few days last week in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Birchfield, and visited with his mother, Mrs. J. H. Seymour, who is in Thomas Nursing Home.



Mrs. Kenneth Wayne Brown

Coffee Saturday Morning Honors Miss Roberts, August Bride-to-Be

Miss Mary Ann Roberts of Dalhart, the fiancée of Billy Thomas, was honored at a coffee in the home of Mrs. Velman Warrick, 1700 El Paso St., Saturday morning, August 17. Hostesses with her were Mrs. Sandy Parsons, Jr., and Mrs. Charley Hill.

Couple Honored At Dinner Party

A wedding rehearsal dinner honoring Miss Shirley Hicks and Michael Gilmore was given Friday, August 9 in the dining room of the Cherokee Inn Restaurant by Mrs. L. A. Gilmore.

Bouquets of yellow and white gladiolas and mums with miniature white fans intermingled added color to the dinner party, serving as the centerpiece.

Those attending were Joe Gilmore, Bill and Sammy of Dade City, Florida; Sammy Hicks, George Kopp, Sandy Covey, Miss Doris Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Nunnelle and Carla, Miss Edith Hicks, Mrs. Billy Mac Sims, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seeley, Miss Wynell McNeill of McLean, Miss Brenda Wisdom and Miss Deanna Wisdom, both of Amarillo; Mrs. Joe Blackshear of Vinson, Okla.; Mrs. J. W. Martin, Jerry, Martha, Don and James Neal of Crowell; Donald Green of Edmond, Okla.; Mrs. L. A. Gilmore, Miss Hicks and Mr. Gilmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Craven and family and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Walters and family, the daughters of Mrs. P. M. Shields, visited their mother over the week end.

Mrs. Warrick received the guests and presented them to Miss Roberts, her mother, Mrs. Campbell Jewell Roberts, Jr., of Dalhart, and Mrs. Truett Thomas, mother of the prospective bridegroom.

Guests were registered by Miss Patricia Thomas, his sister, at a table accented with an arrangement of turquoise carnations.

Miss Sue Roberts presided at the coffee table, which was covered with a white linen cut-work cloth. The centerpiece were yellow chrysanthemums and turquoise carnations, in a crystal bowl. Silver appointments were used.

Guests called from nine-thirty to eleven o'clock.

JFF Club Holds Family Picnic

Members of the JFF Club met at Ellison Park Thursday night, August 15 for a family picnic. Each family brought a picnic lunch.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Holton and Mary Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Woodridge and grandsons, Gary and Byron Morton of Los Alamos, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams, Mrs. Dick Sweat, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Savage, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Lacy, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hodges and Tresa, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Mabery, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Leach, Miss Linda Williams and Miss Kay Taylor.

Visiting with Mrs. O. A. Terry recently were her daughter and granddaughters, Mrs. Ledon Thompson, Gay Lynn and Rhonda of Lubbock.

Golden Wedding Reception to Honor Mr and Mrs. Chester Fires

A reception will honor Mr. and Mrs. Chester R. Fires on their fiftieth wedding anniversary Sunday, September 1, from 2 to 4 o'clock in Bura Handley Community Center.

All friends are invited to join them in the observance.

Joining Mr. and Mrs. Fires as hosts at the event will be

their daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Vaughan of Sherman and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fires. Their grandchildren and only great grandchild are expected to be here, also.

This couple, prominent in ranching circles of the south-east Panhandle, lived on their ranch in the northeast part of Collingsworth County until 1926 and since then they have lived in Wellington.

They have spent their entire lives in Childress and Collingsworth Counties.

Null Family Has Reunion

The family of Mrs. A. F. Null, who lives at Thomas Nursing Home, and the late Mr. Null gathered Sunday, August 11 for a reunion at the Veterans of Foreign Wars building.

Among those attending were some who formerly lived here.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. George Winegeart of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Winegeart, Sabrina, David and John of White Deer; Mr. and Mrs. Don Winegeart, Btuhc and Donnis, of Pampa;

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Timmons, Donna, Steve and Gary of Le-fors; Mrs. Leo Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitten and Mark Allen of Childress;

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Walsh of Spearman; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carte of Canyon; Mrs. Hattie Kepler of Chickasha, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Null of Mississippi.

Those attending from Wellington were Mrs. A. F. Null, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Young and Peggie, Miss Sandra Young, Kenneth Minatrea, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Cleveland, Clint, Debbie and James, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Null and David.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack McGill and daughter, Sherilyn, of Olton visited over the week end with her grandmother, Mrs. G. C. Graham, and also with Mr. and Mrs. Grover Graham and Mr. and Mrs. Hook Elliott. Mrs. McGill is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Graham of Olton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Richardson were hosts last week to her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Strain and children, Paula and Relda, of Olton.



Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gray

Former Wellington Couple to Observe Golden Wedding

A former Wellington couple, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gray of Amarillo, will observe their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Sunday, September 1. In their honor, their children and grandchildren will be hosts at a reception from two to five o'clock in the Candlelight Room of the Holiday Inn West, Amarillo.

They announce they would like to have the many friends of the couple in this area to participate.

Six of the children and their families will be present: Mr. and Mrs. Clint (Rava) Riggs of Lynwood, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. (Retha) Newman of Burbank, Calif.; Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Gray of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gray of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gray of Phoenix, Ariz.; and Mr. and Mrs. Hanes (Katrina)

Isaacs of Sun Valley, Calif.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Bob (Jocille) Terry of Okinawa will not be able to attend. Two other daughters, Mrs. Ruby Thompson and Mrs. Zelda Lindsey, are deceased but their children will be in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray were married on Sept. 21, 1918 in Melbourne, Arkansas. They moved to Samnorwood in 1936, remaining for one year before moving to Wellington. In 1948 Mr. Gray was transferred by the Texas Highway Department to Shahrack, where they lived until he retired in 1962. Since then, Mr. and Mrs. Gray have lived in Burbank, Calif., and

Mrs. Sid Sessions Ill in Oklahoma

Mrs. Sid Sessions, a former resident of the Fresno community, has returned to her home at Ft. Towson, Okla., after a serious illness of several weeks. Her condition has shown some improvement, according to her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bob Sessions.

She was first a patient in the Hugo, Okla., hospital, then at Scott and White at Temple.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bawcom over the week end were their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bawcom, Butch and Sheri, and Mr. and Mrs. John Dodge, Dane and Darla, all of Boys Ranch.

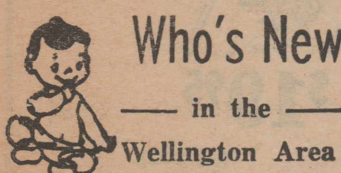
Mrs. A. E. Dillon of Allison is here for several days with her sister, Mrs. Claud McMillin and other relatives.



Wheatheart Contestant Mickey Ann Kendrick will represent Collingsworth County at the Wheatheart of the Nation Contest in Perryton Saturday, August 24.

Sunday School Attendance

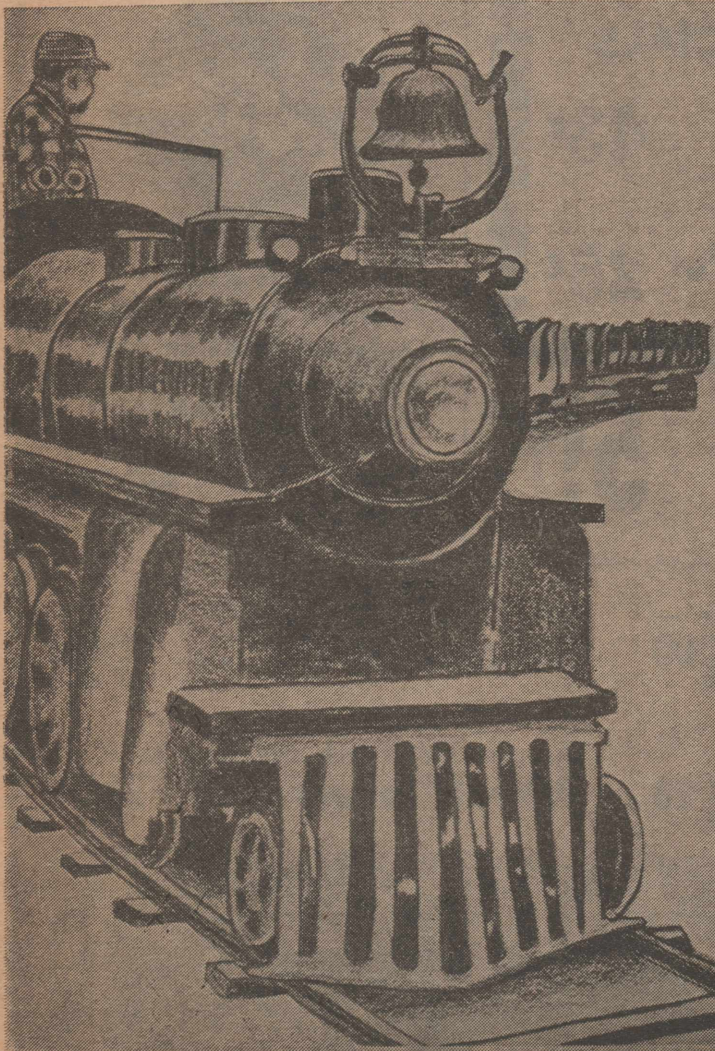
Sunday, August 18	
First Baptist	232
First United Methodist	138
Trinity United Methodist	47
Faith Baptist	46
Assembly of God	48
Total	561



Who's New

— in the —
Wellington Area

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Ford of Perryton announce the arrival of a daughter, Monta Cadet, born Saturday, August 17, on her brother's birthday. She weighed six pounds. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. King Bowen, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Ford of Vinson, Oklahoma.

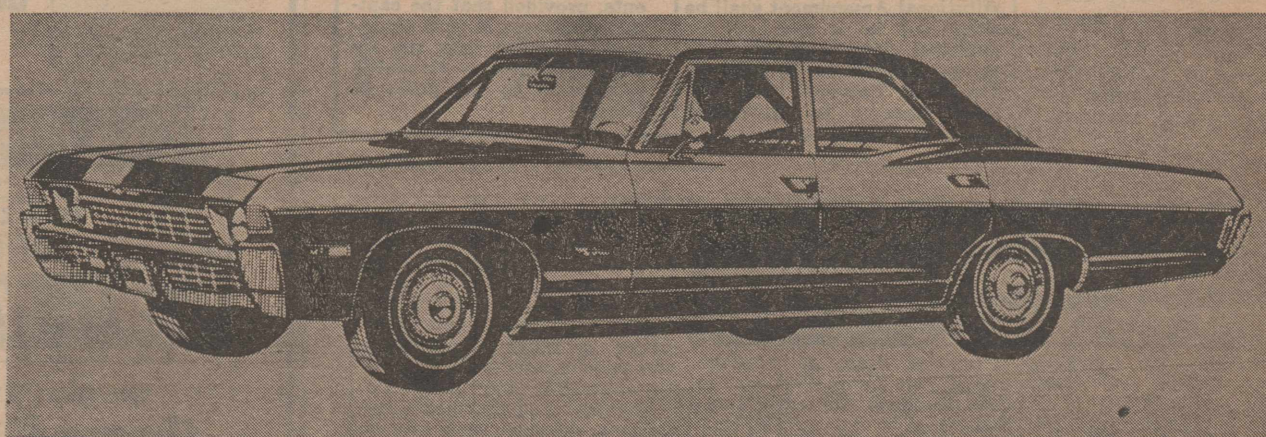


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Rev. M. O. Garner

City Church to Hear of Missionary Tour

Special services will be held at Fundamental Baptist Church Thursday, Aug. 22 at 8 p.m. when the Rev. M. O. Garner, pastor of Grace Baptist Church, Amarillo, will speak and show slides.

The Rev. and Mrs. Garner returned recently from a five-week tour of countries in which his church supports missionaries.

After visiting missionaries in Hawaii, Japan, China and the Philippine Islands, India, Ethi-

opia and Lebanon, the minister and his wife arrived at what they described as the most progressive country on the tour, Israel.

His talk is due to stress the patriotism of the people of that nation as well as personal experiences in all of the countries visited.

The public is invited to this special service at the Fundamental Baptist Church, located at 9th and Floydada, according to the pastor, the Rev. J. E. Young.

Writers-Artist

Brims Publish First Book for Children

Dr. Burl Brim and his wife, Mary, of Canyon, have published their first children's book, "The Magic Train at Sad Monkey," based on the real train that carries visitors through Palo Duro State Park.

One of the first places the book has gone on sale is Dr. Brim's home town, Wellington, where autographed copies may be had at The Wellington Leader.

Operating out of "Sad Monkey, Texas. Population 1" the train introduces its visitors, young and grownup alike, to the inhabitants of Palo Duro Canyon, and around this, the Brims have woven their story.

Not only have they written the text, they illustrated the book as well—a delightful draw-

ing faces each page of story. The "hero" of their book must be Bill, the deer with the twisted antler, whose favorite foods are ice cream, candy, soda pop and potato chips. Or perhaps it is the train's engineer-fireman-conductor.

Around the first curve the Brims stop at Prairie Dog Town Fork of Red River. "You could hardly guess by looking but... it is a very busy river. It made the great Palo Duro Canyon where Sad Monkey is found."

With a light hand, or pen, Burl and Mary Brim take the visitor and the reader past the impressive natural formations of Palo Duro, and with each tells a bit of history. The Comanches once were here... and there lived giant prehistoric animals. Farther on there is Dumbo, his big ears poised forever in stone.

The book is written on the level of third and fourth grade children, but those younger, even pre-schoolers, will enjoy having it read to them.

The cost is modest, only \$1.25. "We want to have a book that children can buy with their allowances," Dr. Brim said.

He teaches in the department of education at West Texas State University. His earlier books have been school texts, and he is currently writing for magazine publication in the field of reading improvement through the use of Perceptoscope.

The couple plans to continue writing children's books.

"I see a terrific need for the development of material of regional and local nature," Dr. Brim said in Wellington Friday. "Curriculum programs now recommend this but no one has gotten down to it." Future books of Burl and Mary Brim also will be about Palo Duro and the Panhandle.

With their six children, the Brims come frequently to the farm of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brim, south of Wellington.

It was their own children who inspired this couple to write "The Magic Train at Sad Monkey"; Burl Jr., 12; Shelley, 11; Shannon, 10; Katrina, 9; Heather, 7; and Bary, 6.

After graduating from Wellington High School in 1949, Dr. Brim served in the Marine Corps and continued to develop his talent as an artist which was apparent even when he was a schoolboy.

Later he was a member of the Denver, Colo., police department "just long enough to learn I wanted to be a teacher."

He has received a bachelor's and master's degree from West Texas State, and another master's and his doctor of education degree from Denver University. He taught at Canyon and Amarillo before joining the WTSU staff.

Mary Brim, who grew up at Bremerton, Wash., is a graduate of Colorado Woman's College in Denver.

Chartered Bus To HemisFair Sept. 22-28

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Kiwanis Club Elects Burba New President

Dee Burba, manager of the Collingsworth County Farm Bureau, was elected president of the Wellington Kiwanis Club in the annual balloting Friday, August 16.

He will succeed the Rev. Ronald Crosley at the installation which comes at the end of the club year.

Mr. Burba is currently serving as first vice president.

Sam Adams was elevated from second vice president to first vice president, and Jeff Wilson was elected the new second vice president.

Raymond Hodges was elected treasurer to succeed Pat McAlister.

The secretary's office, now filled by Lonnie Dement, is filled by appointment.

The new directors elected were James Sullivan, Corky Walker, Coy Vaughan, Millard Brown, Gary Reed, John Brown and Paul Hawkins.

Mrs. King Bowen Has Surgery

Mrs. King Bowen, while on vacation, was rushed to Newman Memorial Hospital in Shattuck, Okla., Sunday, Aug. 18 for emergency surgery. Graham Bowen reported Monday that his mother was "recovering satisfactorily, but will be in the hospital at least another week and possibly longer."

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen and family had arrived in Shattuck Saturday, Aug. 17 for a visit with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bowen and family.

Before arriving in Shattuck, the family had spent a few days in Perryton visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Ford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Molsenbocker had as guests over the week end their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Molsenbocker, Jessica and Dana, of Amarillo.

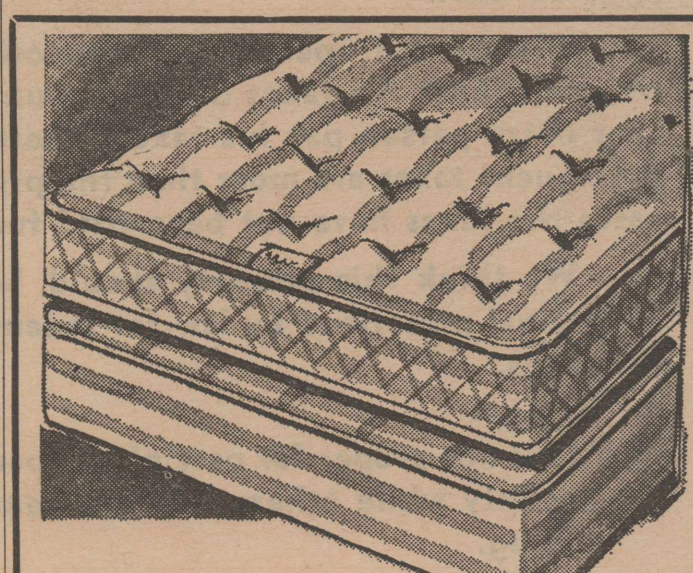
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ritchie of Fort Worth were here for the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McQueary. Both are teachers in the Fort Worth schools.

Mrs. Ted Amburn and small grandson, Michael Shane Amburn of Amarillo, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cook. Her two daughters, Tommie and Teddy Amburn, returned home with her after six weeks in the Cook home.

Week end visitors into the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bishop were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Christian and their children, Karen and Bob. Bob was on his way to Albuquerque for a new assignment with the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bell, Andy, Dana, and Miss Barbara Sherman, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bell, Jr., and daughter, Kay, of Clarendon, spent the week end in San Antonio touring HemisFair, the Alamo and Breckenridge Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Hurst and Lynn and George Brewer returned Monday after a sight-seeing trip to the HemisFair in San Antonio, the water show and Wonder Cave in San Marcos, and the capitol in Austin.



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4-H Girls Compete in Better Bake Show

Youthful Collingsworth County cooks will compete in the 4-H Club Better Bake Show Friday, Aug. 23, Mrs. Leta Hill, home demonstration agent, has announced.

The event will be held in the Farm Bureau building and will start at 2 p.m.

Girls of all ages will compete together.

Entry foods this year are yeast loaf bread and refrigerator cookies, which the girls will bring already baked. Along with these, they will turn in the standard D-312 4-H Food Record Form, Mrs. Hill said.

Because yeast loaf breads are considered difficult for the younger girls to make, junior members can enter cookies alone to gain food show experience, but they will not be eligible to attend the district show, the home demonstration agent explained.

Winner of the event will be crowned the County Bake Show

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cantrell and children, Dianna and Jerry of Samnorwood have returned home from touring points at Austin, HemisFair at San Antonio, the Astrodome and Astroworld at Houston, Galveston, and Six Flags Over Texas near Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. James McDaniel had as guests this week end their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Ammons and daughter, Diane, of Dumas.

Mrs. Nita White, Mrs. Dortha Coleman, and Mrs. Barbara Williamson took a week end trip to Raton, N.M.

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Extension District I will have a booth with bake show products on display throughout the Tri-State Fair week, Mrs. Hill said.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Oney and family were Mrs. Oney's sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jackson and Gary of Albuquerque, N.M., and Mrs. Katherine Biddy, Bobby, Ronnie, Joan and Glenda of Quanah; her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cobb, Janet and Toby of Borger; her mother, Mrs. W. J. Cobb of Atlanta, Ga., and her niece, Miss Venessa Floyd of Spearman.

A guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Williams and Patti is their daughter and mother, Mrs. Melba Lacy of Wichita Falls.



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Mr. and Mrs. V. K. Orr, Jr., and family visited last week with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Kennard Smith and family in Sweeny. They also traveled to Six Flags, HemisFair and the Astrodome.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Gibson and girls of Lubbock spent the week end with his mother and sister, Mrs. J. D. Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gollighugh and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat McAlister were in Mangum, Okla., last week where he attended National Guard. Mrs. McAlister visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Van Vactor, and on Saturday night they had a picnic at Lugert.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Kelso are their daughter, Mrs. Robert Fleming, Debbie and Darron of Austin.

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

In obedience to an order of the Commissioners' Court, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Commissioners' Court will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in the town of Wellington, Collingsworth County, Texas, at 1:30 P.M., Friday, the 6th day of September, 1968, for the purpose of hearing to be had on the proposed budget for Collingsworth County, Texas, for the year 1968-1969, and any and all persons interested having business with said Commissioners' Court on this proposed budget are hereby notified to be present.

LORENE JENKINS,
County Clerk,
Collingsworth County, Texas. 6-2c

Political Calendar

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BOB PRICE

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

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Wellington Will Attract Fiddlers From a Wide Area

There are many facets to the Collingsworth County Free Fair, and the one that has brought us the greatest amount of publicity over the widest area this year is the Old Fiddlers Contest, which will be held Saturday afternoon, September 7.

Last year fiddlers came from 5 states to compete in Wellington's first contest. Some of them were tops in this field.

This year the chairmen, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewis, started work on the 1968 contest early in the year and they have commitments from a number of leading fiddlers that they will be here.

This event, like others held in conjunction with the Collingsworth County Free Fair, needs public support.

The fiddlers contest needs a certain amount of money for prizes and other essential expenses. This does not come out of Fair Funds but is being raised by the chairmen.

Needed too, is our support at the time of the contest. Old time fiddling is for the young as well as the pioneers. Some of the contestants will be hardly more than teen agers. Their music is closely akin to the music of today's youth.

It is part of our southwestern heritage, too. Just as it entertained both old and young in the half dug-outs and pioneer homes of Collingsworth, it will entertain a more sophisticated crowd, again of all ages, at Ellison Park on August 7.

OTHER EDITORS SAY . . .

Walk to the Pub!

The breathalyzer is getting any amount of publicity these days, all of it good. As close as British Columbia, where the mobile breathalyzer test was introduced last summer, results tend to indicate it certainly appears to discourage drinkers from getting behind the wheel. While it was in effect only half the year, there were about 20 per cent fewer arrests for the entire year.

In Toronto, during the Christmas holiday season, police put on an intensive car-checking blitz, stopping more than 1,000 motorists a day for 27 days. Deaths from traffic accidents were cut from 15 the year before to five this year.

In Great Britain, one month after stiff new laws introduced breathalyzers, police were able to report with accuracy the fatal and injury accident rate in Greater London had dropped by 42 per cent from the same period a year before.

If Canada could reduce the 1966 traffic toll by 34 per cent, it's interesting to note, there would be 1787 fewer deaths.

The problem is, we need a new attitude to the problem of drinking and driving. We protest vigorously when the law interferes with our own right to drive in any way or any condition we deem reasonable, yet we are equally indignant at the incredible slaughter and maiming that takes place on the road. If the breathalyzer helps to achieve the corrective action needed, we're heartily in favor of it.

—The Camrose Canadian, Alberta, Canada

According to a top sergeant, there are three ways of doing things: the right way, the wrong way and the Army way.

Pictorial INTELLIGRAM



How are you on recent events? Complete the following six statements, checking your answers with those below to find out.

- 1—Conservative (William F. Buckley Jr.) (Gore Vidal) was injured in a boating accident on Long Island Sound.
- 2—At least 200 persons are dead as the result of earthquakes in (Manila) (Hong Kong).
- 3—A former Red Army officer says Hitler died of (gunshot wounds) (poisoning).
- 4—Selective Service Director Lewis B. Hershey says he prefers (Hubert Humphrey) (George Wallace) as a presidential candidate.
- 5—President Johnson has signed a new \$5 billion (housing) (medical) bill for low income families.
- 6—General (Abdel Rahman Arif) (Ahmed Hassan Al-Bakr) is the new president of Iraq.

Count 10 for each correct choice. A score of 60 is excellent; 50, good; 40, fair; less than 40, poor.

Decoded Intelligram

1—Buckley, 2—Manila, 3—Poisoning, 4—Wallace, 5—Housing, 6—Al-Bakr.

"Bless TV's Convention Coverage"



AUSTIN.— Texas Democratic party politics are in the national spotlight again—this time at Chicago during the national Demo convention.

Hearings scheduled Wednesday, Aug. 21 before the convention credentials committee on a liberal group's demand that the Texas delegation led by Gov. John Connally be reconstituted to insure proportional representation of ethnic groups.

Texas Democrats for an Open Convention also asked for scrapping of the unit rule under which all the state's delegates are bound to vote as the majority determines. Delegates were instructed at the state convention in Dallas June 11 to vote for Connally as favorite son candidate for President until he releases them. After release, all 104 votes under the unit rule probably will go to Hubert Humphrey.

TDOC, in a brief filed with the credentials committee, demands 50 seats—48 per cent of the delegation. Proportional

representation is asked for Negroes, Mexican-Americans and non-conservative loyal Democrats who have always supported the party. Delegation now includes six Negro delegates and 11 alternates and five Mexican-American delegates and five alternates, but TDOC says they are "unrepresentative of their communities".

Most active TDOC members are supporters of Sen. Eugene McCarthy for president.

Texas Republicans

Despite the fact that only two Republican presidential nominees have ever carried Texas, Richard Nixon's chances appear to be as high as 50-50—depending largely on whom the Democrats nominate.

First successful Republican in Texas was Herbert Hoover in 1928, carrying the state by 367,000 votes to 341,000. Dwight Eisenhower was the only other GOPer to win a majority in Texas, in 1952 and 1956.

However, there are several

factors which could shake up Texas' habit of going with the Democrat. One is the fact that in 1960, Nixon missed carrying the state by a slim 46,000 votes—and with Lyndon Johnson the Democratic vice-presidential nominee.

And since Hubert Humphrey—almost certain to be the Democratic nominee—is known as being even more liberal than John F. Kennedy and Johnson, Texas' traditionally conservative-to-moderate voters could easily find Nixon more attractive.

This should be especially true since Nixon picked Maryland Gov. Spiro Agnew for the No. 2 spot on his ticket, and the two appear to be running a "law and order campaign" to offset the influence of Ameri-

CROSSROADS REPORT

Dear Editor:

Word is that a committee of Senators has learned how Poverty War money has been used to pay young punks \$75 or so a week to be good, and some youths got on two or three "programs" at the same time and did real good.

My no-chump neighbor says it has been demonstrated many times that buying off predators at the international, national, community or family level is a losing proposition because the price always keeps on going up.

He says it's a Law of Nature that spoon-feeding a wildcat and keeping him in ritzy kitty-litter won't ever make him a pussy cat.

D. E. SCOTT.

can Party Candidate George Wallace.

Also, of course, Nixon will have the challenger's advantage of being able to attack the incumbent administration on touchy issues—in this case, the war in Vietnam, the monetary crisis and the racial situation in big cities.

On the other hand, Humphrey will have several plusses in his column when Texans go to vote in November. One could be his vice-presidential pick, who many people think Gov. Connally has a good shot at.

Another will be Wallace's candidacy. As an extreme right winger, Wallace will probably draw considerably more votes away from Nixon than from Humphrey, and some estimates of Wallace's vote are as high as 50 percent in West and East Texas and 30 percent in Central Texas.

Appointments

Gov. Connally named Judge Tom Reavley of Austin to fill out the term of Associate Justice James R. Norvell on the Texas Supreme Court. Norvell, who did not seek re-election, resigned effective Oct. 10, so Reavley can begin his work at the start of the new fall term. Reavley is the unopposed Democratic nominee for the high court post.

Connally appointed Abilene Attorney Tom Gordon to succeed W. D. (Bill) Noel of Odessa as chairman of the State Liquor Control Board.

Attorney General Rules

Attorney General Crawford Martin ruled that property owners can't cut the fence of another to gain access to an alleged county road unused for 20 years, except where egress and ingress have been denied to one living in enclosure of fencing. Public roads remain as such although unused, unless rights of public are cut off by county commissioners court, adverse possession by land owner or common law abandonment.

Vocational Ed Meeting

A Senate vocational-technical education study committee heard testimony that industry needs workers who are skilled with tools but who also have sound academic education.

Committee is formulating its recommendations to the next legislature.

Meanwhile, Texas Research League has advised that vocational rehabilitation service and management remain in Texas Education agency framework rather than a separate agency.

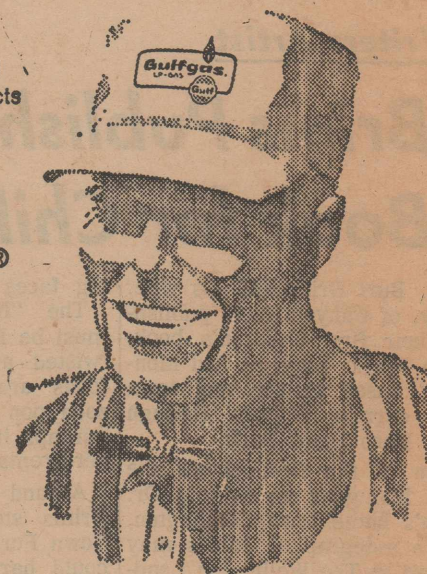
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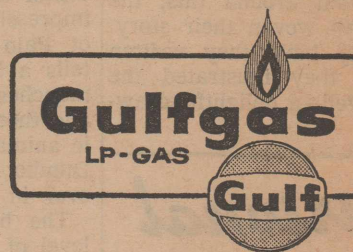
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After these suits are filed, the expense of the suit will be added to your tax debt.

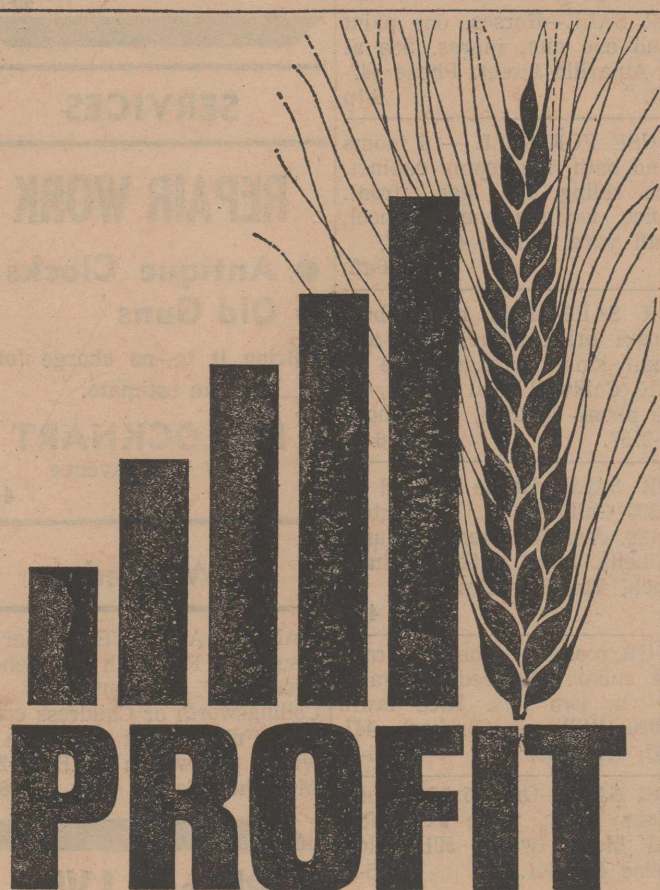
We can not operate Collingsworth County on a business basis unless we can collect the taxes due the county. It is only fair to all concerned that every person pay his taxes. There are cases in the county where the delinquent taxes are more than the property is worth and in most of these cases the taxes have not been paid for many years.

We think this property should be sold for taxes, and after the proper interval prescribed by law for redemption, resold to people who will pay the taxes.

It is not proper for part of the people to pay the expense of the county while others with the same amount of property pay nothing.

To avoid the embarrassment of a tax suit and the subsequent loss of property, you can pay your delinquent taxes between now and the September meeting of the Commissioners' Court at which time we plan to employ a special attorney to collect the delinquent taxes.

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Mickye Ann Kendrick Is Wheatheart Nominee

Mickye Ann Kendrick will be the official representative from Wellington in the Wheatheart of the Nation Beauty Pageant in Perryton on Saturday, Aug. 24.

The annual beauty pageant, drawing entries from Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado, New Mexico and Kansas, will begin at 8 p.m., in the air-conditioned high school auditorium.

Mickye Ann is the 17-year-old daughter of Mickey Kendrick and Mrs. Louise Kendrick, and is sponsored by the Collingsworth Chamber of Commerce.

Entertainment for the beauty pageant will be provided by the Folkie Broadway Group of Amarillo.

The beauty entries will report to the Perryton Chamber of Commerce office at 9 a.m. Saturday, and then will ride in the official celebration parade beginning at 9:30 a.m. The winner of the Wheatheart contest will receive an all expense paid trip to the Canadian National Exhibition in Toronto, Canada, and Philadelphia, Pa.

Other events on the Saturday morning schedule include registration of Old Timers in Perryton's Central Park, beginning at 9 a.m. and continuing thru the morning; opening of sidewalk bazaars and concessions at 9 a.m. and street entertainment at 11 a.m.

At noon a mammoth pit barbecue will be served at the county fairgrounds in the west part of Perryton, with a charge of \$1 per plate, but free tickets are available from Perryton merchants.

Fiddlers will tune up for the annual contest, offering \$250 in prize money, beginning at noon. At 2:30 p.m. some 20 of the nation's top money winners will

be competing in Championship Steer Roping at the fairgrounds rodeo arena.

Rhodes Carnival will be open every night of celebration week and will begin operations at 11 a.m. on Saturday. The sponsoring Perryton Jaycees will man the ticket booths.

In addition to the Wheatheart Beauty Contest Saturday evening, the official celebration dance will begin at 9 p.m. in the Veterans Memorial building with Lou Walker and his band.

R. Baumgardner Eggers Manager in Terry County

Paul Eggers, Republican candidate for governor, today announced the appointment of Robert W. Baumgardner of Brownfield as Eggers campaign chairman for Terry County.

Baumgardner, a farmer, attended school in Wellington and obtained his BS degree at Texas Technological College.

He is a member of First United Methodist Church, the Chamber of Commerce, Lions, the hospital district board, and is Scoutmaster of Troop 774 at Brownfield.

He was a pilot in World War II.

Baumgardner and his wife, Charlene, have four children—Barbara, 20; Robert, 17; Karl, 14; and Sherrie, 11.

Bells Return From Amarillo

A family who moved to Amarillo 13 years ago, has returned to make their home north of Dozier.

They are Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bell, and their two younger children, Byron, 13, and Judy, 11.

Mr. Bell is employed by Collingsworth County.

Mrs. Bell is the former Mildred Coleman who grew up at Dozier. They lived in Wellington a number of years before going to Amarillo.

They have four other children: Mrs. Bud Stradley, Jeanetta, whose husband is in the advertising business in Detroit; Mrs. Bruce Hobbs, Marquette, who with her husband is attending Texas Tech, Lubbock; Guy Bell, Jr., and Alex Bell, who are working in Amarillo and attend West Texas State University.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Kenneth Wayne Brown, 18, and Miss Cheryl Needham, 18, of Wellington.

FICTIONAL OBIT
John Galsworthy's most important work was his series of novels about the Forsyte family. The main character, Soames Forsyte, became so well-known that when he died (in a book) the London Times announced his death in its headlines.

QUAKERS
Quakers, a name frequently used to describe members of the Religious Society of Friends was first applied to the society in 1650 because of their so-called habit of "trembling at the word of God."

Financial Facts

By Jeff Wilson

TODAY'S PAPER MONEY

There are only three present day classifications not in the process of retirement. They are: The Federal Reserve notes, the United States notes, and gold certificates.

The Federal Reserve notes are issued by the Federal Reserve Bank. One fourth of these are backed by gold certificates. The balance, of course, represent a direct United States government obligation. As with all circulating American currency, these notes are not redeemable in gold.

United States notes are known as "greenbacks" and are backed by 157 million dollars in gold reserve.

The gold certificates are issued by the Treasury, paid only to the Federal Reserve Banks

Men In Service



Lt. Lloyd Stice
* * *

First Lt. Lloyd Stice of Samnorwood is presently serving as a chemical officer with the III Corps Artillery at Fort Sill, Okla.

He received his promotion to that rank in May, with Col. James D. Ramsey making the presentation and the young officer's wife attending the promotion ceremony.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Stice, Lt. Stice is a graduate of Samnorwood High School and was graduated from the Army's Officer Candidate School at Ft. Benning, Ga.

S/1c Johnny C. Gollighugh returned Monday, Aug. 12 to Seattle, Wash., after a six weeks furlough.

He visited in Wellington with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gollighugh and in Altus, Okla., with his wife, Roberta, and his four children.

Making a career of the Army, S/1c Gollighugh has been enlisted since 1959, and he has re-enlisted for another six years.

He will be stationed in Vietnam for the next eight months and then will be back in the states to stay.

Warricks Attend Olin Mathieson Fertilizer Meet

Mr. and Mrs. Velman Warrick returned Tuesday night, Aug. 13, from a meeting of Olin Mathieson fertilizer dealers in Houston.

This annual convention was for dealers from the Northwest Texas and Southeast New Mexico areas, and was held in Houston this year so that a tour of the Olin Mathieson plant could be featured.

Other events in addition to the dealer meetings were a tour of the Houston Ship Channel, where they saw dredging under way, and a visit to the Astrodome for a baseball game. Approximately 150 dealers and their wives attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Warrick returned by Midland to visit her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Durfee.

There are 100 pieces of modern sculpture on the grounds of HemisFair.

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Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Courtney spent the week end in Plainview visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Donaldson. Both Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson are attending Wayland Baptist College this summer.

Sunday guests in the home of Mrs. S. R. Davis were her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Shaw of Wichita Falls.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson last week were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McKey and son, Ronnie, of Pueblo, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim White and Jackie Johnson are in Colorado this week where the two men are participating in the rodeos at Loveland and Longmont.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Karnes and Elaine this week are their grandchildren, Lea Ann, Tresa and Katrina Brasell of Lubbock.

Miss Patsy Falk visited last week end with Mrs. Sandra Wilson of Canyon. Sandra is a senior sociology major at West Texas State University in Canyon. After spending three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Falk, Miss Falk returned this week to Mangum, Okla., where she teaches vocal music in the public schools.

Darrell and Jennie Burney, children of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Burney of Amarillo, spent last week with their grandmother, Mrs. C. R. Burney.

Capt. and Mrs. Daryl Morris and Debbie were recent guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morris.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bell and son, J. E. Bell, last week were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Terry and girls, Lisa and Deanna, of Albuquerque, N.M.; and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Bell and children, Debra, David, Suzie, Rhonda and Ronnie, of Iowa Park. The Terry family also visited his mother, Mrs. O. A. Terry.

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3 FOR —

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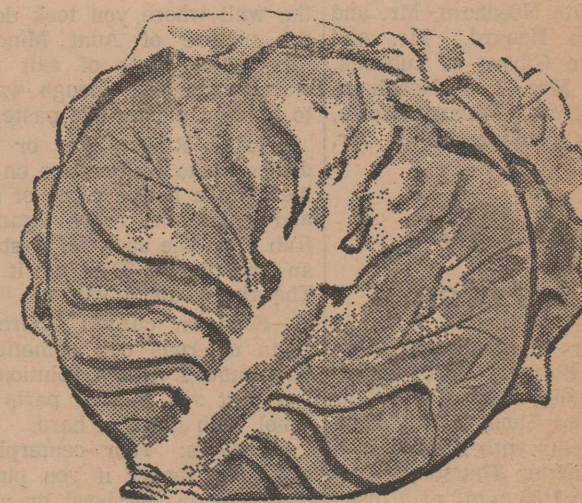
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19¢

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Society News

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Ten Children Honor G. T. Austin at Family Reunion in Lubbock

The K. N. Clapp Park in Lubbock was the scene of the G. T. Austin reunion on Sunday, August 11.

As the group gathered, the time was spent in visiting and fellowship. The traditional devotion was led by Don R. Smith, Chaplain, U.S. Air Force, with the Rev. Tommy Austin of Houston leading the singing.

Ten of the Austin children were present. Only Allen Austin of Dalhart was unable to attend. Coming the greatest distance were Chaplain and Mrs. Smith and children, who recently returned from a three-year tour of duty with the Air Force at Itazuke Air Force Base, Japan.

After the covered dish lunch the group enjoyed seeing childhood pictures of the family. Each child was given a picture of Mr. Austin, taken at Decatur Baptist College in 1904. Four generations were represented in Mr. Austin, his son, X. A. Austin of Dalhart, his grandson, Thomas A. Austin, and Thomas A. Austin, Jr., of Lubbock.

The children joining Mr. and Mrs. Austin for the reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Watkins and Leslie Ledbetter of Amarillo; Mrs. Roy Slatten of Olton; Mrs. Ila Cole of Garland; Mr. and Mrs. X. A. Austin of Dalhart; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Austin, Carrol, Linda and Terry of Wink; the Rev. and Mrs. Tommy Austin of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Don B. Austin and Betsy of Lubbock; Chaplain and Mrs. Don Smith, Faith, Hope and Mark, who are en route to Kincheloe Air Force Base, Michigan; and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter, Zedie and Margaret of Morton.

Mrs. Austin's daughter, Mrs. Monroe King of Childress attended.

Grandchildren and others present were Mrs. Edward Coleman of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cole, Steven and D'Aundrea of Carrollton;

Mrs. Lavin Armstrong and Ronny of Garland; Mrs. Gerald Hendon of Garden Grove, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hoshstad and Barbara, and Mr. and Mrs. Guyle Cavin, Mike and Kelley of Amarillo;

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kuehler of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brownlow, Amy and Brian of Amherst; Mrs. Paul Spain and Kathleen of Plainview;

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Kern, Rachel, Douglas and Holly of Morton; Miss Carla Choate and John Stevens of Olton; and Thomas A. Austin, Tammy and Thomas A. Jr., of Lubbock.

Mr. Austin was mail carrier on Route 5, Wellington, for a number of years, then postmaster at Loco. Since the post office there was closed, he and Mrs. Austin make their home at 506 Avenue G, N.W., Childress.

Notes

from Your
Home Demonstration
Agent
By Leta Hill

Agent's Briefs

• About 11 billion pounds of frozen food was sold in 1967 in the United States. According to the U.S. Department of Agriculture, predictions are that 24.6 billion pounds of frozen food will be commercially produced by 1976.

The small list of products not being frozen commercially are bananas, pears, tomatoes, lettuce and other salad greens. Food scientists already are working on solving the problems of those items.

Research is under way on the new thaw pouch—similar to that already used for cooking some frozen vegetables. The new pouch would encourage more use of frozen fruits and berries within the home.

• Durable press clothing—pants, turtlenecks and jackets—win the popularity contest for little boys' back-to-school days. The fabric is polyester and cotton and the styles are colorful and fashionable. Color preferences are expected to range from apple green and butter-scotch to chocolate browns, rich rusts and pine-tree greens in solids, stripes and plaid combinations.

• Ironically, the marriage age in the U.S. is going downward while years in school are increasing. The usual 20-25 age of marriage of a few decades ago has changed to the present situation where half the marriages are among teen-agers.

Salt Secrets

Until about the 18th century, the rank of guests at a banquet was indicated by where they were seated with reference to the massive silver salt cellar that was always placed at the center of the table. At the head of the table, "above the salt," sat the host and his guests. The less noble were seated "below the salt," farthest from the host. The following are some "salt secrets" to make you a better all around housekeeper:

—Walls: Is there a hole in the wall where you took down the picture of Aunt Minnie? Mix equal parts of salt and starch with just enough water to make a plaster-like paste.

—Table Rings: Wet or hot dishes make white rings on tables. Make a thin paste of salt and salad oil (equal parts). Rub it on the spot, let it stand an hour or two. Then rub it off. The rings should vanish.

—Food on carpet: Grease spots on rugs can sometimes be removed with a solution of one part salt to four parts alcohol. Rub the spot hard.

—Flowers: Your centerpiece will keep longer if you put a little salt in the bowl or vase with the water.

—Oven cleaner: Would you believe salt and cinnamon? This is a dandy oven refresher and cleaner. Salt and cinnamon take the "burned food" smell away.

Soap Tricks

—Drawers: Make a sticking, squeaky drawer slide easily and quietly by rubbing the tops of both sides and the under surface with soap.

—Light bulbs: Press a bar of damp soap into the broken ends of a light bulb and turn left to remove it from the socket.

—Nails and screws: Lubricate nails or screws with soap to make them easier to drive into wood or plaster.

—Windowpanes: Protect windowpanes when painting the frames by coating each pane with a thick paste of soap or detergent and water. After-



ALL CHEERS FOR THE ROCKETS

Wellington High School's six cheerleaders are seen as they attended the 1968 Southern Methodist University Cheerleading School, directed by L. R. Herkimer. They won two second places and a third place with yells, and received the spirit stick one night. They received instruction in yells,

pom pom dances and tumbling. At top is head cheerleader Micky Ann Kendrick, a senior, and beside her are the sophomores, Sandra McGill left and Carey Lewis. In front, from left are Betsy Trapp, junior; Debbie Lewis, senior; and Cindy Saied, junior.

Baumgardner Biennial Reunion Held at Sequoyah State Park Aug. 12-15

By Olean B. Leggett

On August 12 to 15, 64 descendants of Capt. John Baumgardner of Wythe, County, Virginia, met for their biennial reunion in beautiful Sequoyah State Park in Eastern Oklahoma. The Western Hills Lodge was the scene of the gathering. A number of those attending have lived at Wellington in the past.

Members of the family gathered from six states—Clarence Branch and wife from Riverton, Wyoming; Dr. and Mrs. Marion Baumgardner of Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana and three children;

Mrs. Elizabeth (Baumgardner) Ballenger and son, James Ballenger, with his wife and children of London, Ohio; Ballard Baumgardner and wife of Kettering, Ohio; Walter Baumgardner of Wytheville, Virginia;

Wingate Lucas, three daughters and a son, from Bristol, Virginia; James Baumgardner and family from Tulsa; Forrest Baumgardner, wife and Louise, of Tulsa;

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Villard (Phyllis Leggett) and their three children of Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Keahy (Eunice Branch), from White Deer; Mrs. Guy Carrik-

er, (Mary Branch) and four children, from Nederland;

Kimberley Branch, daughter of Phil Branch Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Branch of Austin; Travis and Etta Baumgardner of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. John Crowder (Dorothy Baumgardner) and Betsy, from Morton;

Richard Boynton, son of Geraldine Baumgardner Boynton, Midland; John Henry Baumgardner, wife, two daughters and a son, Plainview; Mrs. C. Gardon (Barbara Baumgardner) with three children, from Grapevine;

Mr. and Mrs. David Baumgardner and family, Mrs. Joe Baumgardner and Mrs. Olean B. Leggett, all of Wellington.

Last, but representing the serendipity of the meeting, Pansy Baumgardner Almond of Fort Stockton came. Most of the family had never heard of her. But we truly enjoyed being with her.

There were three guests—Ty Cobb of Wirtz, Virginia, whose wife was a Baumgardner; William Baer, brother of Mrs. Ballard Baumgardner, of Kettering, Ohio, and Eva Bennewitz of near Hamburg, Germany. She will live with the Marion Baumgardners this winter and attend Purdue as a special student.

The group was saddened at the beginning of the meeting when word came of the death of the son of Hugh Branch, of Cut Bank, Montana, in a car-motorcycle collision. Eunice Keahy and Joe Branch left immediately by plane for Cut Bank.

Recreation facilities at the Lodge were numerous, and the younger members took advantage of them, swimming, skiing, boating, movies, and so on. The older ones mostly enjoyed talking. Since both Travis and Marion are writing histories of the family and brought their manuscripts to the meeting, they passed the histories around for inspection and enjoyment. Travis' book will be on sale soon.

Marion Baumgardner was in charge of arrangements for this very successful meeting. He was assisted by James Baumgardner. At the final bus-

ing meeting, Wingate Lucas, who once lived at Wellington, was chosen to manage the next reunion, with the site somewhere near Wytheville, Virginia in 1970.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hunter and son, Steve, spent last week in Amarillo and Dimmitt where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Horton visited in Canyon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reeves were in Mangum Sunday to attend a reunion of her family.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Olin Cook this summer were their grandchildren, Teddie and Tommie Amburn of Amarillo and Randy Paul Cook of Perryton.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal Kees and daughter, Sue Ellen, of Georgetown, La., visited recently with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Creed Hill.

Mrs. Tom Ferguson and Bill were in Amarillo last week end visiting her brother, Jack Mock.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lowry returned last week end from a trip to California. In Sacramento, they visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Williams, and their granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hopkins. They also visited Mrs. Lowry's sister, Mrs. Ruth Thompson in Los Angeles. The Lowrys toured some of the peach orchards and grape vineyards while in California.

Mrs. John Eron Forbis spent a few days last week in Quanah visiting with her brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Grayley and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Grayley, and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Ritchie. While she was there, Mr. and Mrs. Forace Daniels from Alabama, relatives whom Mrs. Forbis had not seen in 32 years, visited with the families.

Miss Regina Ferguson visited over the week end in Mineral Wells with a college friend, John Shaw, and his family.

Miss Jan Meares of Roscoe visited recently with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harbin.

Week end guests in the home of Mrs. J. S. Driskell was her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gardner of Liberal, Kan.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Raburn of Dumas were visiting over the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Raburn and Mr. and Mrs. Silas Crawford.

Visiting recently with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harris, was Wally Tretow of Amarillo. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Tretow. After Wally's visit, his mother and sister, Janice, came for him.

A visitor in the home of Mrs. Nell Cook for the past three weeks is her grandson, Carl Cook of Fort Worth. During his visit, Carl and his grandmother visited her daughter and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey Harrell and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jorden in Borger; a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Aldridge of Sulphur, Okla.; and another sister, Mrs. Grace Grose of Tipton, Okla. Carl is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook.

Mrs. J. H. Weiss of Fresno, Calif., spent last week with her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. John Beavers and Mrs. Venia Irwen. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor of Clovis, N.M., another sister, also visited with Mrs. Weiss.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ellis during Mr. Ellis' illness, has been his brothers, Berton Ellis of Emmett, Ark.; Virgil Ellis of Childress; Mr. and Mrs. Perry Ellis and family of Grand Prairie; and Wilburn Ellis of Quanah.

Tommy Witherspoon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Witherspoon of Paris, visited recently in the home of his grandmother, Mrs. W. R. Coffey.

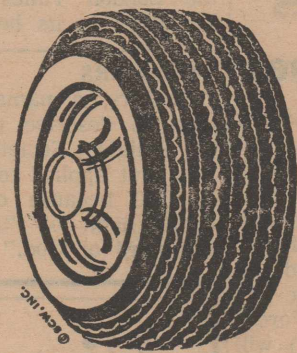
Visiting a few days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lynn Bartlett and Lynn were her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack F. Coleman and Betty, and her grandmother, Mrs. A. L. Coleman, all of Lonoke, Ark. While they were here, Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett took the family to sight-see in Palo Duro Canyon and to the museum in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Connally and Rhonda spent a few days this week with her mother, Mrs. W. M. Horton. The, also visited with her brother, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Horton and family and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Cleveland.

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INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT TEA

China, Japan and India are the largest producers of tea. Tea is a shrub having alternate divided leaves with five-petal flowers and a capsular fruit.

The most generally used teas today are black tea, green tea, and Oolong tea. Black tea is made from crushed leaves that have been fermented and dried. It is the most commonly used in America.

Green tea, popular in England and China, comes from leaves that have been steamed, rolled and dried. Oolong tea is partially fermented before being dried.

The quality of tea is dependent upon the climate, condition of the soil where grown and efficiency of processing. This also holds true with blended

teas. Good restaurants take pride in meeting the desires of tea drinking patrons.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE ON THE BALLOT (SJ14)

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 14 proposing an amendment to Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding a new Section 52a to give the Legislature the power to authorize cities and counties to issue revenue bonds for industrial development purposes.

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

Section 1. That Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding a new Section 52a to read as follows:

"Section 52a. The Legislature shall have the power to authorize cities, counties, and towns to issue revenue bonds for industrial development purposes, or in aid thereof, provided, that property acquired from proceeds of the bonds shall be subject to ad valorem taxes. Legislation passed in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment shall not be invalid solely because of its anticipatory nature. The tax revenue, the utility revenue, and the revenue from services of any county, city or town may not be used to pay any bonds issued pursuant to this authority nor the interest thereon."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment to give the Legislature the power to authorize cities and counties to issue revenue bonds for industrial development purposes."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment to give the Legislature the power to authorize cities and counties to issue revenue bonds for industrial development purposes."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR30)

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

Section 1. That Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding Section 1-j to read as follows:

"Section 1-j. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 1 of this article, the Legislature may provide for the refund of the tax paid on the first sale of cigars and tobacco products in this state which are subsequently sold at retail within the corporate limits of Texas, or any incorporated city or town in Texas contiguous to Texas."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for the refund of the tax on cigars and tobacco products sold at retail within the corporate limits of Texas, or any incorporated city or town in Texas contiguous to Texas."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for the refund of the tax on cigars and tobacco products sold at retail within the corporate limits of Texas, or any incorporated city or town in Texas contiguous to Texas."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (HJR61)

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

Section 1. That Section 24, Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 24. Members of the Legislature shall receive from the Public Treasury an annual salary of not exceeding Eight Thousand, Four Hundred Dollars (\$8,400) per year and a per diem of not exceeding Twelve Dollars (\$12) per day of each Regular Session and each Special Session of the Legislature. No Regular Session shall be of longer duration than one hundred and forty (140) days."

"In addition to the per diem the Members of each House shall be entitled to mileage in going to and returning from the seat of government not to exceed one round trip per month during each session. Mileage shall not exceed Two Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$2.50) for every twenty-five (25) miles, the distance to be computed by the nearest and most direct route of travel, from a table of distances prepared by the Comptroller, to each county seat now or hereafter to be established; no Member to be entitled to per diem for any extra Session that may be called within one (1) day after the adjournment of the Regular or Called Session."

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment providing the members of the Legislature shall receive as salary an amount not exceeding Eight Thousand, Four Hundred Dollars (\$8,400) per year."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment providing the members of the Legislature shall receive as salary an amount not exceeding Eight Thousand, Four Hundred Dollars (\$8,400) per year."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (SJ14)

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

Section 1. That Section 51-a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended, and the same is hereby amended, so as to read as follows:

"Section 51-a. The Legislature shall have the power, by General Laws, to provide, subject to limitations hereinafter set forth, for the care, maintenance, and support of blind, deaf, and physically handicapped persons, and for the payment of assistance to and/or medical care for, and for rehabilitation and other services for:

"(1) Needy aged persons who are citizens of the United States or noncitizens who shall have resided within the boundaries of the United States for at least twenty-five (25) years and are over the age of sixty-five (65) years;

"(2) Needy individuals who are citizens of the United States who shall have passed their eighteenth (18th) birthday but have not passed their sixty-fifth (65th) birthday and who are totally and permanently disabled by reason of a mental or physical handicap or a combination of physical and mental handicaps;

the residence requirements, if any, for participation in these programs.

"The Legislature shall have authority to enact appropriate legislation which will enable the State of Texas to cooperate with the Government of the United States in providing assistance to and/or medical care on behalf of needy persons, and in providing rehabilitation and any other services included in the Federal legislation providing matching funds to help such families and individuals attain or retain capability for independence or self-care, and for the payment of assistance to and/or medical care for, and for rehabilitation and other services for:

"(3) Needy blind persons who are citizens of the United States and who are over the age of eighteen (18) years; and

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR16)

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

Section 1. That Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding a Section 1-f, to read as follows:

"Section 1-f. All merchandise, products, goods or wares in the temporary custody of a public warehouseman, who has no financial connection other than as bailee for hire with the owner, shipper, or consignee of the merchandise, products, goods, or wares, are exempt from ad valorem taxation if they are shipped to or from the warehouse by regulated or bona fide private carrier, are held by the warehouseman not longer than six (6) months, and have a predetermined out-of-state destination at point of origin. The books and records relating to out-of-state shipments covered hereby of such public warehouseman shall be available for reasonable inspection by the proper taxing authorities. This amendment shall not act as a validation of any present status or law but only those passed specifically pursuant hereto; provided, however, that enabling legislation passed in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment shall not be invalid solely because of its anticipatory nature."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment to exempt certain property temporarily stored in a public warehouse from ad valorem taxation."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment to exempt certain property temporarily stored in a public warehouse from ad valorem taxation."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT ON THE BALLOT (HJR49)

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

Section 1. Section 21 of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas is amended to read as follows:

"Section 21. All stationery and printing, except proclamations and such printing as may be done at the Texas School for the Deaf, and paper, except that for the Judicial Department, shall be furnished under contract, to be given to the lowest and best bidder under such regulations as shall be prescribed by law. No member or officer of any department of the government shall be in any way interested in such contract."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment removing certain provisions relating to purchase of fuel and furnishing the rooms and halls of the Legislature and the requirement that the Governor, the Secretary of State, and the Comptroller must approve certain contracts of purchase."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment removing certain provisions relating to purchase of fuel and furnishing the rooms and halls of the Legislature and the requirement that the Governor, the Secretary of State, and the Comptroller must approve certain contracts of purchase."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (SJ137)

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

Section 1. That Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding a new Section 52a to read as follows:

"Section 52a. Bonds to be issued by Dallas County under Section 52 of Article III of this Constitution for the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, may, without the necessity of further or amendatory legislation, be issued upon a vote of a majority of the resident property taxpayers voting therein who are qualified electors of said county, and bonds heretofore or hereafter issued under Subsections (a) and (b) of said Section 52 shall not be included in determining the debt limit prescribed in said Section."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the amendment of Article III of the Constitution to provide that Dallas County may issue road bonds under Section 52 of Article III upon a vote of a majority of the resident property taxpayers voting therein who are qualified electors of said county, and bonds heretofore or hereafter issued under Subsections (a) and (b) of said Section 52 shall not be included in determining the debt limit prescribed in said Section."

"AGAINST the amendment of Article III of the Constitution to provide that Dallas County may issue road bonds under Section 52 of Article III upon a vote of a majority of the resident property taxpayers voting therein who are qualified electors of said county, and bonds heretofore or hereafter issued under Subsections (a) and (b) of said Section 52 shall not be included in determining the debt limit prescribed in said Section."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (SJ139)

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 39 proposing an amendment to Subsection (a) of Section 62, Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to establishment of a retirement, disability and death compensation fund for officers and employees of the state, so as to create an agency, the State Board of Trustees of the Employees Retirement System of Texas, vesting the general administration and responsibility of the proper operation of said system in a state board of trustees to be known as the State Board of Trustees of the Employees Retirement System of Texas, authorizing said Board to invest assets of said system in various obligations and subjects of investment, not be subject to certain restrictions as may hereafter be provided by law; providing that contributions of members and the state shall not exceed at any time six per centum (6%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the state; providing that such Amendment shall be self-enacting; providing for the necessary election, form of ballot, proclamation, and publication and declaring legislative intent that the adoption of this Joint Resolution shall constitute repeal of Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, previously adopted by this 60th Legislature, so that the Constitution, as amended by this Resolution, may be submitted to the voters of this state in lieu of the proposition contained in Senate Joint Resolution No. 3.

Section 62. (a) The Legislature shall have the authority to levy taxes to provide a State Employees Retirement System, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the officers and employees of the state, and may make such reasonable inclusions, exclusions, or classifications of officers and employees of this state as it deems advisable. The Legislature may also include officers and employees of judicial districts of the state who are or have been compensated in whole or in part directly or indirectly by the state, and may make such other reasonable inclusions, exclusions, or classifications of officers and employees of judicial districts of this state as it deems advisable. Persons participating in a retirement system created pursuant to Section 1-a of Article V of this Constitution shall not be eligible to participate in the Fund authorized in this subsection; and persons participating in a retirement system created pursuant to Section 48-a of Article III of this Constitution shall not be eligible to participate in the Fund authorized in this subsection except as permitted by Section 63 of Article XVI of this Constitution. Provided, however, any officer or employee of a county as provided for in Article XVI, Section 62, Subsection (b) of this Constitution, shall not be eligible to participate in the Fund authorized in this subsection, except as otherwise provided herein. The amount contributed by the state to such Fund shall equal the amount paid for the same purpose from the income of each such person, and shall not exceed at any time six per centum (6%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the state.

"There is hereby created as an agency of the State of Texas the Employees Retirement System of Texas, the rights of membership in which, the retirement privileges and benefits thereunder, and the management and operations of which shall be governed by the provisions herein contained and by present or hereafter enacted Acts of the Legislature not inconsistent herewith. The general administration and responsibility for the proper operation of said system are hereby vested in a State Board of Trustees, to be known as the State Board of Trustees of the Employees Retirement System of Texas, which Board shall be constituted and shall serve as may now or hereafter be provided by the Legislature. Said Board shall exercise such powers as are herein provided together with such other powers and duties not inconsistent herewith as may be prescribed by the Legislature. All moneys from whatever source coming into the Fund and all other securities, moneys, and assets of the Employees Retirement System of Texas shall be administered by said Board and said Board shall be the trustees thereof. The Treasurer of the State of Texas shall be custodian of said moneys and securities. Said board is hereby authorized and empowered to acquire, hold, manage, purchase, sell, assign, trade, transfer, and dispose of any securities, evidences of debt, and other investments in which said securities, moneys, and assets have been or may hereafter be invested by the Board. Said Board is hereby authorized and empowered to invest and reinvest any of said moneys, securities, and assets, as well as the proceeds of any such investments, in bonds, notes, or other evidences of indebtedness issued, or assumed or guaranteed in whole or in part by the United States or any agency of the United States, or by the State of Texas, or by any county, city, school district, municipal corporation, or other political subdivision of the State of Texas, both general and special obligations; or in home office facilities to be used in administering the Employees Retirement System; including land, equipment, and office building; or in such corporation bonds, notes, or evidences of indebtedness, and corporation stocks, including common and preferred stocks, of any corporation created or existing under the laws of the United States or of any of the states of the United States, as said Board may deem to be proper investments; provided that in making each and all of such investments said Board shall exercise the judgment and care under the circumstances then prevailing which men of ordinary prudence, discretion, and intelligence exercise in the management of their own affairs, not in regard to speculation but in regard to the permanent disposition of their funds, considering the probable income therefrom as well as the probable safety of their capital; and further provided, that a sufficient sum shall be kept on hand to meet payments as they become due each year under such retirement plan, as may be provided by law. Unless investments authorized herein are hereafter further restricted by an Act of the Legislature, no more than one (1%) of the total assets of the Employees Retirement System shall be invested in the stock of any one (1) corporation, nor shall more than five per cent (5%) of the voting stock of any one (1) corporation be owned; and provided further, that stocks eligible for purchase shall be restricted to stocks of companies incorporated within the United States which have paid dividends for five (5) consecutive years or longer immediately prior to the date of purchase and which, except for bank stocks and insurance stocks, are listed upon an exchange registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission or its successors; and provided further, that not less than twenty-five per cent (25%) at any one time of the book value of investments of said Fund shall be invested in Government and Municipal Securities as enumerated above. This Amendment shall be self-enacting and shall become effective immediately upon its adoption without any enabling legislation."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment amending Subsection (a) of Section 62, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas relating to the Employees Retirement System of Texas, vesting the general administration and responsibility of the proper operation of said system in a state board of trustees to be known as the State Board of Trustees of the Employees Retirement System of Texas, authorizing said Board to invest assets of said system in various obligations and subjects of investment, not be subject to certain restrictions as may hereafter be provided by law; providing that contributions of members and the state shall not exceed at any time six per centum (6%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the state; providing that such Amendment shall be self-enacting; providing for the necessary election, form of ballot, proclamation, and publication and declaring legislative intent that the adoption of this Joint Resolution shall constitute repeal of Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, previously adopted by this 60th Legislature, so that the Constitution, as amended by this Resolution, may be submitted to the voters of this state in lieu of the proposition contained in Senate Joint Resolution No. 3."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOURTEEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR22)

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

Section 1. That the Constitution of Texas, Article III, be and the same is hereby amended by deleting therefrom Section 18, and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 18. No Senator or Representative shall, during the term for which he was elected, be eligible to (1) any civil office of profit under this State which shall have been created, or the emoluments of which may have been increased, during such term; or (2) any office or place, the appointment to which may be made, in whole or in part, by either branch of the Legislature; provided, however, the fact that the term of office of Senators and Representatives does not end precisely on the last day of December but extends a few days into January of the succeeding year shall be considered as de minimis, and the ineligibility herein created shall terminate on the last day in December of the last full calendar year of the term for which he was elected. No member of either House shall vote for any other member for any office whatever, which may be filled by a vote of the Legislature, except in such cases as are in this Constitution provided; nor shall any member of the Legislature be interested, either directly or indirectly, in any contract with the State, or any county thereof, authorized by any law passed during the term for which he was elected."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state, at an election to be held throughout the state on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment fixing the time during which members of the Legislature shall be ineligible to hold other offices."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment fixing the time during which members of the Legislature shall be ineligible to hold other offices."

If it appears from the returns of such election that a majority of the votes cast therein are for such amendment, same shall become a part of the Constitution of Texas.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (HJR20)

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

Section 1. That Section 11a, Article VII, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 11a. In addition to the bonds enumerated in Section 11 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, the Board of Regents of The University of Texas may invest the Permanent University Fund in securities, bonds or other obligations issued, insured, or guaranteed in any manner by the United States Government, or any of its agencies, and in such bonds, debentures, or obligations, and preferred and common stocks issued by corporations, associations, or other institutions as the Board of Regents of The University of Texas System may deem to be proper investments for said funds; provided, however, that not more than one per cent (1%) of said fund shall be invested in the securities of any one (1) corporation, nor shall more than five per cent (5%) of the voting stock of any one (1) corporation be owned; provided, further, that the stocks eligible for purchase shall be restricted to stocks of companies incorporated within the United States which have paid dividends for five (5) consecutive years or longer immediately prior to the date of purchase and which, except for bank stocks and insurance stocks, are listed upon an exchange registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission or its successors."

"This amendment shall be self-enacting, and shall become effective upon its adoption, provided, however, that the Legislature shall provide by law for full disclosure of all details concerning the investments in corporate stocks and bonds and other investments authorized herein."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment providing for investment of the Permanent University Fund by the Board of Regents of The University of Texas in certain types of securities within the prudent man rule."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment providing for investment of the Permanent University Fund by the Board of Regents of The University of Texas in certain types of securities within the prudent man rule."

the State of Texas, both general and special obligations; or in home office facilities to be used in administering the Employees Retirement System; including land, equipment, and office building; or in such corporation bonds, notes, or evidences of indebtedness, and corporation stocks, including common and preferred stocks, of any corporation created or existing under the laws of the United States or of any of the states of the United States, as said Board may deem to be proper investments; provided that in making each and all of such investments said Board shall exercise the judgment and care under the circumstances then prevailing which men of ordinary prudence, discretion, and intelligence exercise in the management of their own affairs, not in regard to speculation but in regard to the permanent disposition of their funds, considering the probable income therefrom as well as the probable safety of their capital; and further provided, that a sufficient sum shall be kept on hand to meet payments as they become due each year under such retirement plan, as may be provided by law. Unless investments authorized herein are hereafter further restricted by an Act of the Legislature, no more than one (1%) of the total assets of the Employees Retirement System shall be invested in the stock of any one (1) corporation, nor shall more than five per cent (5%) of the voting stock of any one (1) corporation be owned; and provided further, that stocks eligible for purchase shall be restricted to stocks of companies incorporated within the United States which have paid dividends for five (5) consecutive years or longer immediately prior to the date of purchase and which, except for bank stocks and insurance stocks, are listed upon an exchange registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission or its successors; and provided further, that not less than twenty-five per cent (25%) at any one time of the book value of investments of said Fund shall be invested in Government and Municipal Securities as enumerated above. This Amendment shall be self-enacting and shall become effective immediately upon its adoption without any enabling legislation."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment amending Subsection (a) of Section 62, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas relating to the Employees Retirement System of Texas, vesting the general administration and responsibility of the proper operation of said system in a state board of trustees to be known as the State Board of Trustees of the Employees Retirement System of Texas, authorizing said Board to invest assets of said system in various obligations and subjects of investment, not be subject to certain restrictions as may hereafter be provided by law; providing that contributions of members and the state shall not exceed at any time six per centum (6%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the state; providing that such Amendment shall be self-enacting; providing for the necessary election, form of ballot, proclamation, and publication and declaring legislative intent that the adoption of this Joint Resolution shall constitute repeal of Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, previously adopted by this 60th Legislature, so that the Constitution, as amended by this Resolution, may be submitted to the voters of this state in lieu of the proposition contained in Senate Joint Resolution No. 3."

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"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment amending Subsection (a) of Section 62, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas relating to the Employees Retirement System of Texas, vesting the general administration and responsibility of the proper operation of said system in a state board of trustees to be known as the State Board of Trustees of the Employees Retirement System of Texas, authorizing said Board to invest assets of said system in various obligations and subjects of investment, not be subject to certain restrictions as may hereafter be provided by law; providing that contributions of members and the state shall not exceed at any time six per centum (6%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the state; providing that such Amendment shall be self-enacting; providing for the necessary election, form of ballot, proclamation, and publication and declaring legislative intent that the adoption of this Joint Resolution shall constitute repeal of Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, previously adopted by this 60th Legislature, so that the Constitution, as amended by this Resolution, may be submitted to the voters of this state in lieu of the proposition contained in Senate Joint Resolution No. 3."

Sec. 3. The Governor of Texas shall issue the necessary Proclamation for the election and this Amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Deck's DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

The Democrats are meeting this week to draft a platform and next week will meet in Chicago to nominate a candidate for President and Vice-President. Already there has been much criticism of the conduct of the war in Vietnam in the ranks of the Democrats, some of it of a nature that might be classed as giving aid and comfort to the enemy. By contrast, the Republicans used more sense in not trying to spell out in too much detail how the next administration should deal with the war. Too many events could happen too fast for an administration to be bound by a set of rigid rules. They never follow the platform anyway so why not make it a statement of general principles and let it go at that? Few people read all of a platform and the votes of fewer still are influenced by what is written into them.

As "give 'em hell" Harry Truman said when the Democratic Stevenson ran against Eisenhower the first time: "It does not matter what they put in the platform or who is nominated, he is going to have to run on my record." This year Humphrey or whoever is nominated will have to run on the Johnson record and it might be LBJ himself.

Louise and I are not the only people who have been to the foot of a rainbow. Ben Wilhelm says that he and Mrs. Wilhelm were driving from Silverton to Memphis a few years ago in the beautiful Caprock country and suddenly they were at the end of the rainbow. It was not at the side of the road as in our experience. They were in the midst of the rainbow and the other end was apparently two or three miles distant, perhaps farther than that. It was also a perfect double rainbow. The foot of the Wilhelm rainbow moved at exactly the same speed of the car just as ours did for the eyes observing the reflected sunlight on the falling drops of water were traveling at the speed of the car. The raindrops were falling all around.

Dove season will open Sept. 1 and there should be an ample supply in this part of the Panhandle. The hail storms probably damaged some of the young, but it is believed that some birds have made as many as three nestings since they started early in the spring. The bulletin of the State Parks and Wildlife Commission says the dove population has been below average for the past two seasons but is expected to be up to normal over the state this year. Their numbers are above normal in this area. There is so much moisture that you must go to the maize fields to see them in numbers.

"The Magic Train at Sad Monkey" is a book for children written and illustrated by Burl and Mary Brim; but is one that will prove fascinating for adults as well. It is the story of the little train that runs in Palo Duro Canyon State Park, the official name of which is Palo Duro, Burlington and Sad Monkey Railroad. The book contains twenty six interesting illustrations dealing with sights along the miniature railroad, the Sad Monkey cliff, the railway station, the animals and the formations in the canyon. A limited number of autographed copies can be obtained in the office supply department of The Leader.

Housing for students at West Texas State University is about filled up according to The Canyon News. The women's residence halls have been reserved since last spring and some 20 to 30 rooms are all that are left for male students. Due to this situation the University has no approval rules on where students may live off the campus as long as the parents of the students approve.

There is a possibility that the Ritz and Bronco Theatres might change ownership sometime in the future. In all probability it would mean no change in the present operators; but it would mean a complete renovation of the Ritz and a more attractive theatre service for Wellington. With the coming of the happy ending, better shows and the public's increasing boredom with much that is on TV, a growing number of people are returning to the movies more often. It is something for the Chamber of Commerce to be thinking about.

The hail loss in the areas

Youth, Adults to Sing

Sing-Out to Summer Slated on Aug. 27

"Sing-Out to Summer," the second of two communitywide singing programs, will be held Tuesday, Aug. 27 at 8 p.m., Dr. Chas. B. Jones has announced.

The sing-out will be in the High School auditorium.

The program will open with Paul Guthrie singing "The Star-Spangled Banner."

The Collegians will then sing "Summer Time" and "Guan-

tanamera." Others appearing on the program will be:

L. B. Bratten will sing "Ol' Man River."

Billy Lemons, one of the hit performers of the first sing-out, will return with another song.

Other groups singing will be the choir of First United Methodist Church and a group from Mt. Zion Baptist Church.

The Barbershop Quartet from the high school production of "Music Man" will entertain at the sing-out.

Accompanists for many of the performers, as well as the group singing will be Mrs. Don Van Pelt and Mrs. Truman Estes. These songs will include "In the Good Old Summer Time," "Moonlight Bay," "Daisy," and others.

A vocal duet will be Connie and Gwen Lewis, accompanied by Cherry Lewis.

There will be several other groups participating from among the very talented high school students," Dr. Jones said.

Sister Joins Hospital Staff

Sister Agnes Catherine has joined the staff of St. Joseph's Hospital, coming here from the Mother House of the Dominican Order in Springfield, Ill.

Sister Perpetua, hospital administrator, said that Sister Agnes, a registered nurse, is from New Orleans, La., and received her training on the staff of Charity Hospital, and was with the Visiting Nurses Association, a part of the Public Health program in New Orleans.

Walter Franks

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here in 1926 was one of the oldest businesses in Wellington. With his family, he had moved into Wellington from Quail and opened his first store in the 900 block of West Avenue.

When business appeared to be moving north on East Avenue, he constructed the Franks Building, where he operated the store until his health failed.

His hobby won for Mr. Franks the reputation as one of the town's best fishermen. This was an activity that he continued as long as he was able.

Mr. Franks was born Dec. 17, 1891, in Newburg, Ark., the son of the late R. H. and Alice Franks. The family moved to the area south of Wellington when he was young and lived here a number of years, then he returned to Arkansas.

He was married to Miss Pearl Hawn on Jan. 30, 1918, in Fredericktown, Mo. About a year later they moved to Collingsworth County from Blue Mountain, Ark.

Funeral services for Mr. Franks were conducted at First United Methodist Church at 3 p.m. Monday. Officiating were the Rev. R. T. Dyess, pastor, and the Rev. Lester Hill, chaplain of the Veterans Administration Hospital in Amarillo, and a former pastor here.

Burial was in Memorial Gardens under the direction of Kelso Funeral Home.

Palbearers were John Forbis, Esdel Bartlett, Bill Reeves, Kelly Pigg, Earl Alexander and Milford Harris.

Surviving Mr. Franks are his wife, Mrs. Pearl Franks of Wellington, one daughter, Mrs. Vernene Day of Comanche; two brothers, and two sisters; the Rev. Nath Franks of Sayre, Okla.; Homer Franks of Athens, Okla.; Mrs. Pearl Hamman of Amarillo; and Mrs. Opal Pennington of Sudan. There is one granddaughter, Mrs. Karen Ann Watson of Fort Worth.

A sister and brother preceded him in death, Mrs. W. O. Combs and Barrett Franks.

where it struck is complete both west of Wellington and west of Clarendon. Fortunately the storms did not cover too many square miles. With these two exceptions the crops look wonderful any direction you travel from Wellington. The cotton is that healthy dark green and it is loaded and much of the dryland grain sorghum looks like it might be irrigated. Barring hail and insect disasters it looks like we have a good chance at better than average harvest.

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Garden Valley Reunion Set

The annual reunion of residents and former residents of Garden Valley, Childress County, will be held Sunday, Aug. 25, according to Mrs. Bob Sessions, secretary.

It will be in the Women's Department building at Fair Grounds in Childress.

Registration will begin at 10 a.m., a basket lunch will be served, and the business meeting will open about 1 p.m. Visiting and singing will follow.

All those who have lived in the community are urged to attend and bring their families.

Helmets

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Hudspeth County is immediately east of El Paso County and is third largest in Texas, although its population is only 2,600. It borders New Mexico on the north and Mexico on the south.

As county agent, Mr. Helmers, who was reared on a ranch, will work principally with cattle ranchers, although he will also work with pima cotton growers in the irrigated area around Dell City and in the El Paso Valley along the Rio Grande.

Irrigation is from 14-inch shallow wells, some of the largest in the state, which are recharged by the Guadalupe Mountains.

Mr. Helmers is president of the Rotary Club, vice-chairman of the board of First United Methodist Church, and a member of the Chamber of Commerce.

In his work he has directed the outstanding 4-H Horse Club, assisted with the formation of the Cotton Insect Control District, and with Duane Scott headed the Northwest Texas Research Demonstration program.

Mrs. Helmers was employed until recently in the office of the Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, and is a member of the 1954 Study Club and director of the Junior MYF of First United Methodist Church.

299 Pints Used

Booth to Point Up Blood Bank Needs

St. Joseph's Hospital Auxiliary will sponsor the Collingsworth County Red Cross Blood Bank booth at the Fair Friday and Saturday, Sept. 6 and 7. Announcement of this came Monday from Sister Perpetua,

administrator of St. Joseph's Hospital.

This will direct the public's attention to the importance of the Red Cross Blood Bank, it was emphasized.

The purpose of the exhibit is two-fold. Material displayed will tell the Blood Bank story. Also volunteers may sign up as donors to the Red Cross Blood Bank on its next visit here, Sister Perpetua said.

The date of this visit is not definite. It may be immediately after Sept. 26, when it will be in this area, according to Archie Williams of the Red Cross Blood Bank headquarters in Wichita, Kan.

For the fiscal year which ended July 1, 1968, Collingsworth County used 299 pints of blood from the Blood Bank, Sister Perpetua said. During that period, only 79 pints of blood was given on the two Bloodmobile visits to Wellington. The quota was 125 pints for each visit or a total of 250.

Of the 299 pint total, 153 pints was sent to St. Joseph's Hospital and the remainder was used by local residents out of county hospitals who received blood transfusions.

Schools

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to 12 noon Thursday, Aug. 29, and the seventh grade from 1 to 4 p.m.

The sixth grade will enroll Friday, Aug. 30 from 9 to 12. The junior high enrollment fee is \$2.00.

Elementary registration will be Aug. 29 only, with the first, second and third grades registering from 9 a.m. to 12, and the fourth and fifth grades from 1 to 4 p.m.

Diapause

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vance. Under this co-operative program, one-half the cost of the spraying is paid by the state on cotton in Collingsworth County and the other half is paid by the grower.

Enough money was appropriated for insect control during the recent session of the legislature to allow Collingsworth 10,000 acres to be sprayed three times.

The actual cost is not known, for the spraying contract will not be let until Wednesday, Aug. 28, Mr. Helmers said.

It is strongly recommended that cotton growers sign up for all three sprayings, which will be at 7-day intervals, although this is not mandatory.

"Every cotton grower in Collingsworth County is eligible to sign up, but we prefer for the spraying to be in blocks. It will do more good," the county agent explained. "We will keep signing people up till we run out of money."

Diapause spraying for cotton boll weevil control has been

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proved to be the most successful control method now in use.

Large blocks of cotton are sprayed three times at one-week intervals, to kill the crop of boll weevil that would overwinter and produce the next spring's first hatch. In this section of the state, the spraying is done in September.

The Collingsworth County Cotton Insect Control Association was organized in the summer of 1967 with Raymond Cearley and Grover Graham as co-chairmen.

It was chartered by the State of Texas in order that application for the state money can be made. Members include cotton growers in both Collingsworth County and in Harmon County, Okla.

Only Texas has the state aid program. Oklahoma growers can sign up during the Aug. 29-Sept. 2 period and their cotton will be sprayed along with that in Collingsworth, at the same cost per acre, Mr. Helmers explained. However, the full cost must be paid by the grower on all Oklahoma land.

The same thing applies to farmers in Childress County, Helmers added.

Also, those who want another spraying after the money gives out can have it, but the growers will have to pay the full cost.

Diapause spraying, while it is primarily for boll weevil control, will kill all insects except big boll worms and big leaf worms, according to the county agent.

Mr. Helmers said that three co-ordinators or monitors will be hired for the spray period to keep everything lined up. These will be preferably farmers and will be put on full salary for approximately a month. Those interested in applying for the jobs should contact Raymond Cearley at Dodson.

Directors of the Collingsworth County Cotton Insect Control Association, who work with Mr. Cearley and Mr. Graham, are Otis Emmert of Quail, L. A. Davis of Rolla, Elbert Watts and Jack Davis of Wellington, and Newell McDaniel and Art Kane of Dodson.

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