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Little Interest Seen in Eleven Amendments

Little interest is being shown, either locally or state-wide in the constitutional amendment election to be held Tues., Nov. 8

Monday evening, only four absentee votes had been cast, according to Helen Gollighugh, county district clerk.

The deadline for casting an absentee vote in the clerk's office is Friday, Nov. 4 at 5 p.m., Mrs. Gollighugh said. Voting hours Thursday and Friday are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

There will be only four voting boxes, one in each precinct to satisfy the state laws, she explained.

They are:

Precinct 1, Dodson, American Legion Building, Mrs. Olan Farris judge, Mrs. Howard Hunt alter-

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MEMORIAL PAINTING

Members of the Wellington High School Class of 1963 presented a painting by class member Lynn McLain to the school during homecoming Friday, Oct. 28 in memory of five class members who have died since graduation. From left are Superintendent Kenneth McKay, Principal Eddie Hankins, and class members Lynn McLain, Raymond Sanders, Billy Wilkerson and Frances Schmidt.

B&PW Dinner to be Held November 8

Business and Professional Women's Club annual holiday dinner for the community will be held

Tuesday, Nov. 8, in Bura Handley Community Center. Serving hours will be 5:30 to 7 p.m.

"We feel this kicks off the holiday season and that it is an opportunity for people to meet and visit with friends

they do not get to see often," said Pauline Estes, finance chairman.

Tickets may be bought from any club member at \$4 for adults and \$2 for children under 12 years, said Mrs. Estes. All club members make up the finance committee. Tickets will also be sold at the door.

Several changes have been made in the menu, which will consist of the traditional turkey and dressing with giblet gravy, green beans, candied yams, cranberry salad, pickles and homemade relishes, hot rolls for the first time, pies, coffee and tea.

The proceeds will go toward 7 B&PW projects. Those that are local include support of the Satellite

Center, Wellington Family Services, membership in Collingsworth Chamber of Commerce, Community Action program, Collingsworth County Library, Red Cross Bloodmobile and Muscular Dystrophy Drive.

State projects the Wellington club supports include several that make available scholarship funds, medical as well as business scholarships, and contributions to the M.D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute in Houston.

The club has pledged \$100 to the latter this year, and after the first of 1984 another fund raising project may be held in its behalf.

"If anyone would like to make a donation through the

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Rockets-Panthers Come to Grips for 2-AA Championship

Wellington Skyrockets travel to Panhandle Friday, Nov. 4 to stake their claim on a second consecutive District 2-AA championship and a first step toward the loftier regions of the state title.

Game time will be 7:30 p.m. at Panther Field.

Wellington is already assured a spot in the bi-district playoffs and coach James Williams has announced the winner of the Friday night game will meet Stinnett and the loser will play Stratford from District 1-AA.

"This is another big game for us," says coach Williams, who takes football a week at a time and treats every game as if it is the biggest one of the season.

The Rockets are coming off the Clarendon victory with the Bronchos rated No. 9 and Panhandle was rated No. 1 in the state AA football at the beginning of the season by almost every poll.

The Panthers who go on the field Friday night form the team that Panhandle has been working toward for the last 5 years to develop.

"They have almost every starter back from last year's team, and its pretty well a senior ball club. They will go into this game with the only blemish on their record being their 20-20 tie with Clarendon," Williams points out.

"They also come in this game with two running backs who were on the state

championship sprint relay team," said Williams.

Stacy Rusk, 6'1", 190 lb. senior has started for the Panthers three years and last season ran the 4.5 in the 40, and at the other halfback position is Wesley Woods, who is around 190

Quarterback Todd Lamberson, son of Panhandle coach Stocky Lamberson, has started for two years.

The Panthers also have Powers, who is probably Lamberson's favorite receiver. He catches about 90 percent of the passes that are thrown.

"They like to pass the ball a little better than they like to run the ball, and they can do both equally well," says Williams. "So it's going to be a big challenge to come back after Clarendon and play a good game."

No one knows better than Williams and his assistants what the Clarendon game cost the Skyrockets in injuries. "We won't know the status of some of these players until game time."

Dewayne Culpepper has been hospitalized for rib injuries--injuries he didn't know he had until after the game was over. Culpepper accounted for 214 yards and 3 touchdowns in the game.

James Benton has a bruised calf muscle and Michael Souder turned an ankle and that has slowed him some.

Mark Hunnicutt has a bruised arm and leg and Bill Reeves has a bruised knee. Chad Holland has been

down with flu for two weeks and was unable to attend school Tuesday.

"The physical condition of the team is what's worrying me," says the coach. "The kids realize this is really a big football game, but the physical part took its toll last week and I'm hoping we can overcome that."

"We've got some troubles. We've got some problems. But this is for the district championship and it will really be a great achievement if we can win 2 years in a row."

"People probably believe Panhandle has the best team assembled in Class AA in the Panhandle football in years," he concedes.

It was this belief that gave Panhandle the No. 1 spot in state AA football at the beginning of the season and rated Wellington far down in the list.

These watchers were aware of Skyrocket after Skyrocket who marched across the WHS stage in graduation last May and wondered what was left.

These same predictors were thinking about Wellington's 8-2 and 10-2-1 back to back seasons did not consider what coach Williams and last year's JV coach Allen Sanders were doing with the contingent of young players who have joined the 10 lettermen (3 offensive and 5 defensive starters) as the the "Wrecking Crew of '83" unrrolls a new chapter of its glittering saga.

UIL Re-alignment Affects Wellington, Samnorwood

Announcement of the University Interscholastic League bi-annual realignment Saturday, Oct. 29, reveals that changes are ahead for the athletic teams in both Wellington and Samnorwood Schools. The changes are effective with the beginning of the 1984-85 school year.

In Region 1, District 2-2A, Wellington's home district, Panhandle moved up to District 1-2A and White Deer moved into 2-2A, where it played prior to the realignment two years ago.

This particular change has been made several times in recent years.

The 6-school district now includes Clarendon, Memphis, Quanah, Shamrock, Wellington and White Deer.

"The district is basically the same, with White Deer about 12 miles closer to us than Panhandle," declared Supt. Kenneth McKay. It is

90 miles to Panhandle, about 80 to White Deer.

This still makes for a long drive from Panhandle to Quanah--approximately 140 miles.

The new district alignment is effective for all sports, football, basketball, track, tennis, golf and any others.

"We met Monday and worked out the 1984 schedule," McKay said. He added that he is satisfied with the alignment.

At Samnorwood, there is another story.

The Eagles, who concentrate on basketball, were moved out of their old district and into 5-school District 6-1A, along with Hedley, Lakeview, Silverton and Valley.

"I liked the old one (district) better," said Supt. Garland Cavitt. "They put Miami in our place and sent us south, which we really

don't care for because of the traveling. But that's the way it is."

It is approximately two and one-half hours traveling time to Silverton and about two hours to Valley.

The old basketball district now consists of Wheeler, Mobeetie, Miami, Allison, Briscoe and Kelton.

Wheeler plays football in District 1-1A, with Booker, Borger Phillips, Follett, Groom, Gruver, Lefors, McLean.

Wellington head coach James Williams pointed out that although there had been concern for what re-alignment might do from the standpoint of distance for the junior high teams, and for basketball teams, the changes that did evolve make little difference. White Deer, formerly in district 2AA, came back in and Panhandle moved back to its old position.

Homecoming Set Nov.5-6 At Assembly of God

The annual Assembly of God Homecoming will begin its religious celebration Saturday evening and Sunday Nov. 5 and 6, according to the Rev. Larry Boyd, pastor. It will be at the church.

The church will welcome home those who have been associated with it as members or pastor, now or in the past. It will be a time to gather to worship and greet friends at the homecoming dinner.

Date of this religious celebration is Saturday evening and Sunday, Nov. 5

and 6, according to the Rev. Larry Boyd, pastor. It will be



REV. JAMES JACKSON

at the church.

The Rev. James Jackson a former pastor of the church, now pastor of the 1st Assembly of God in Gainesville, will preach the homecoming sermon during the Sunday morning service that begins at 10:30.

Other former pastors are due to attend, each will speak briefly, said Rev. Boyd.

Altogether, approximately 200 invitation have been sent to out of town people formerly associated with the

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HOSPITAL IMPROVEMENTS (OR PAYING OFF A CHALLENGE)

Wellington Kiwanis Club accepted a challenge from the Lions Club, but Collingsworth General Hospital was the real winner. Here the two clubs meet to put up storm windows which will conserve energy and add comfort to the patient and other rooms. With letters indicating club affiliation, workers who spent their time Saturday morning were, from left:

Walter Clements (K), Billy Jackson (K), Tommy Hudson (K), Vernon Day (K), J.D. Coleman (L), Johnny Nash (L), Kenneth McKay (K), on ladder; James Carrol (K), Candy Reyes (L), Tommy Thomas (L), Marshall Peters (L) on ladder; and Nick Gilley (K).

club, we will be glad to forward it, and for each \$200

given, the donor will receive a commemorative pin," said Loretta Wright, president.

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Precinct 2, county court house, Wellington, Mrs. Willie Faye Patrick judge, Mrs. Jo Rite Henard alternate.

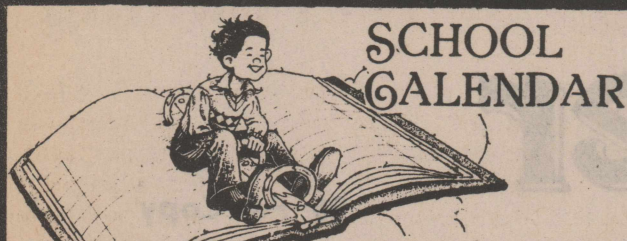
Precinct 3, Quail Booster Club building, Mrs. D.R. Langley judge, Mrs. Donald Tarver alternate.

Precinct 4, Samnorwood school, Lenora Phillips judge, Worth Shields alternate.

Voting hours will be 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

The 11 proposed amendments to be voted on Tuesday are given on page 4 of this issue and there is a discussion of each one, including the arguments for and against that amendment.

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SCHOOL CALENDAR

Thurs., Nov. 3, 7th-8th-JV vs Panhandle here

Fri., Nov. 4, Rockets vs Panhandle there, 7:30

Mon., Nov. 7, football, group pix by Bluncks

Tues., Nov. 8, JV Basketball scrimmage with Norwood, there 5:00

Wed., Nov. 9, GATE lunch, high school library

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PUMPKIN ART

Winners of the pumpkin carving contest at the PTO Carnival Saturday night, Oct. 29, were: top row, left: Jana Pruitt, 4th-5th grades; Micha Tarver, kindergarten 1st; Jodi Blacksher, high school. Bottom row from left: Nicole Linville, junior high; Manuel Ramos, adult; and Jennier Thomson, 2nd-3rd grades.

Assembly Sets Mexican Supper

The Assembly of God is sponsoring a Mexican Supper Thursday, Nov. 10, in Bura Handley Community Center, with authentic ethnic foods to be featured.

Serving hours will be 5 to 8 p.m., and the public is urged to attend this dinner, not only for the good food, but for the fellowship and visiting that will be possible, according to Mrs. Larry Boyd, who is in charge of the event.

The menu will include enchiladas, tacos, beans, salad, chips and drink.

Those wanting tickets should call 447-5217 or 447-5620 and the tickets will be delivered, Mrs. Boyd said. Tickets will also be sold at the door, but all who can are urged to buy them ahead of time.

This will be a major fund-raising event of the year for the Assembly of God, and proceeds will go

into the building fund which remodeling program now in will cover an extensive the planning stage.

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church.

The first service will start at 6 p.m. Saturday, with visiting and singing as long as the group wishes to remain. Refreshments will be served.

Sunday School will begin at 9:45 a.m. Sunday, and after the homecoming sermon, the dinner will be served in the church fellowship hall. This will be a covered dish dinner provided by the congregation.

The final service will begin at 4 p.m. and will combine an afternoon session with the evening service said Rev. Boyd. It will include singing and worship.

Rev. Jackson will be accompanied by his wife and two daughters. After 5½ years here, he resigned as pastor of the Wellington Church in 1970 to become West Texas District president of Christ Ambassadors (the young people's group of the Assemblies of God.)

He completed about 5 years in that work, then became pastor of First Assembly of God in Snyder. He remained until the spring of 1982 when he went to Gainesville. He has served as South Plains Presbyter of the West Texas District, Assemblies of God.

Rev. Boyd has invited Rev. Jackson's friends to attend the service.

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Quail Season Opens in County

The quail season opened in Collingsworth County Saturday Oct. 29 and will continue through Sunday, January 29.

The report on the availability of birds has been varied.

Some hunters, both county residents and visitors, report being aware of enough quail hiding in brush and other vegetation, but it is difficult to scare them out.

Others say they found enough of the birds although some said they did not see many.

One visiting hunter reported his day's bag was "12 quail and 1 snake."

The Texas Parks and Wild Life Department believes there are enough quail here to place Collingsworth among the counties in he

Panhandle, North and West Texas, that have the largest bag limit, 20 birds and a possession limit of 60.

The bag limit is as low as 12 in many parts of the state.

Collingsworth has other hunting seasons coming up.

The regular deer season will begin Nov. 19 and run through Dec. 4. The bag is 1 deer, a buck or antlerless, antlerless by permit.

The squirrel season that opened Oct. 1 will close Dec. 1. The bag is 5 per day and 5 in possession.

Collingsworth also has a pheasant season, although most have not seen a resident pheasant. Attempts have been made from time to time to introduce these fine game birds and if there are any now in the county, they are a well-kept secret.

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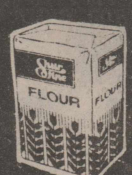
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Band Receives No. 3 Rating

That Skyrocket Band, competing in the UIL marching contest Oct. 22, received a Division III rating, according to Frank Aue, director.

Aue said that all larger bands participating received I ratings, two, Shamrock, with 60 members, and Gruver, had division II ratings, while other bands with less than 50 members received division II. Among these were Memphis, Clarendon, White Deer and Stinnett.

The Skyrocket band's numbers included: "Only Time Will Tell," it's popular number; "Macarena, (featuring trumpets), and "Overture of the Globe Playhouse", it's semi-classic presentation.

Curry Finishes Heating Course

Airman Robert Dewayne Curry, son of Johnnie Burns of 911 Dallas St., Wellington, has graduated

from the U.S. Air Force heating systems specialist course at Sheppard Air Force Base.

Graduates of the course learned how to operate and maintain heating systems and generators, and earned credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

Curry will now serve at Spangdahlem Air Base, West Germany, with the 52nd Civil Engineering Squadron.

His wife, Rose Mary, is the daughter of Julian and Rebeca Castillo of Dodson.

He is a 1983 graduate of Wellington High School.

Childress Sets Festival of the Arts

The Fall Festival of Arts, sponsored by Le Atelier Club, Childress, will be held Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 5 and 6, from 1 to 5 p.m. in City Auditorium, Childress Fair Park.

Collingsworth artists are invited to participate. They



BAND ROYALTY

The 1983 Band King and Queen were announced at homecoming pep rally Friday, Oct. 28. Lisa Powell and Todd Roberson, center, were elected Queen and King by a secret ballot vote by members of That Skyrocket Band. Attendees were, left, Darrell Nash and Toni Tramel, and Lisa Cochran and Abel Villanueva.

must submit their entries Friday, Nov. 4 from 4 to 8 p.m. or Saturday, Nov. 5, from 8 to 9:30 a.m. Entries submitted after that hour will not be included in the judging. Checkout time is 5 to 6 p.m. Sunday. There is a fee of \$1 per entry.

Media (paintings) can be oils and acrylics, watercolors, pastels, graphics and mixed media. Categories are landscapes, portraits, still life, streets and buildings, animals.

Other entries are china painting, tile and related crafts, sculpture, ceramics, and photography. Categories if applicable are still life, outdoor scenes, animals and people.

The public is invited. Anyone wanting more information can call Mrs. Bill (Barbara) Clifton, Arlie Route, Childress, 79201, 817-937-6096.

Enrichment Class Session Begins Nov. 5

The second session of the Saturday Enrichment Classes will begin Saturday, Nov. 5.

There will be only 5 weeks in this session, according to Gayle Hankins, who is working with the program.

Those who have registered for this session should be prepared to pay their class fee at the first meeting.

An open house is tentatively set for the end of this session, on Dec. 10.

More information will be announced.

The first accordion patent was issued to Anthony Faas of Philadelphia in 1854.

National Home Delivered Meals Week Observed Nov. 1-5

In observance of National Home Delivered Meals Week, Nov. 1-5, Willie B. Harwell, who works with the program in Wellington, has given this resume of its activity:

In April 1983 the Panhandle Area Agency on Aging Advisory Council, the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission board of Directors, gave us a great grant to start our Home Delivered Meals in Wellington.

On April 4, we had our cooks and helpers hired and our volunteer workers all ready to start the delivery of the meals.

In the first six months period, we have had 62 different volunteers to deliver meals.

The people who deliver the meals get so much enjoyment seeing and being able to check on each client daily.

We have four routes with

two volunteers to each route. If something comes up to hinder one the other volunteer carries on.

Some of the volunteers deliver meals every other week and have done this since the program was started. We have one husband and wife volunteer team that have not missed a day except for some illness and death in the family. We have had daily average of 58 meals delivered.

The meals are nutritious, well balanced and the diabetics are cared for properly.

The meals are kept warm in covered containers in chests. Milk, dessert and salad are sacked in an ice chest.

The kitchen has been updated, modernized with new equipment and inspected.

The volunteers check on the clients as to their health, well-being and to see if any

more help is needed for their comfort.

The clients are so appreciative and the "Thank you's" we get make this endeavor all worthwhile

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'63 Class Donates Memorial Painting

The Wellington High School Class of 1963 presented a painting to the school at homecoming Friday, Oct. 28 in memory of five women who were members of the class and who have died since graduation.

The painting by Dallas architect and artist Lynn McLain, a member of the class, was donated by McLain and class members donated the frame and plaque which will hang beside the painting in the foyer of the high school auditorium.

The painting was donated in memory of Elsa Romo Nickell, 1944-1969; Anne Coleman Freeman, 1944-1975; LaQuinta Hollingsworth Manuel, 1944-1976; Charlotte Isaacs Bergvall, 1944-1977; and Gayla Courtney Burkitt, 1945-1978.

"As a class we want to always be aware of the effect each of these 5 women

had on our lives," McLain said at the presentation assembly. "It seems homecoming is a very appropriate time for this memorial because we all can remember the people, the places and the circumstances that have helped to mold and shape our lives. With this presentation we hope to encourage the advancement of fine arts at Wellington High School."

Class members attending the presentation were McLain, Billy Wilkerson, Frances Schmidt and Raymond Sanders.

Band Parents Meet Nov. 7

Wellington Band Parents Club will meet Monday, Nov. 7, at 8 p.m. in the band hall, according to Frank Aue, director.

He urges all parents to attend.

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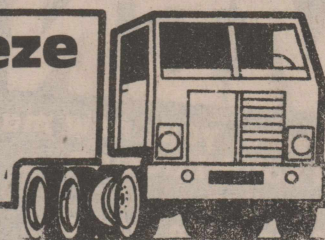
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Pro, Con Arguments on Amendments

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Collingsworth County voters will help decide the fate of 11 proposed Constitutional Amendments in an election on Tuesday, November 8.

The pro and con arguments for each of the 11 proposed amendments follow.

These analyses were prepared by the Texas Legislative Council, a group made up of the Speaker of the House, the Lieutenant Governor, five senators and ten representatives.

AMENDMENT NO. 1

The proposed amendment of Article V, Section 18, of the Texas Constitution authorizes each county commissioners court to determine, within a range based on county population, the number of precincts for justices of the peace and constables of the county. Under the amendment, a county with a population of 30,000 or more may have not less than four or more than eight precincts and a county with a population of 18,000 or more but less than 30,000 may have not less than two or more than five precincts. A county with a population of less than 18,000 would be designated as a single precinct, unless the commissioners court finds a greater need and divides the county into not more than four precincts. Each precinct is required to have one justice of the peace and one constable, and the amendment would call for two justices of the peace in each precinct in which there is a city of 18,000 or more population. A county would have until January 1, 1987, to comply with the new requirements. The amendment also provides for a transition in office for justices of the peace, constables, and commissioners each time their respective precinct boundaries are changed.

ARGUMENTS

FOR:

1. Many counties do not need as many as four justices of the peace and four constables, and the amendment permits reduc-

tion of their number, to be determined locally, to as few as one justice and one constable.

2. The payment of salaries to several justices of the peace and several constables when there is not a demonstrated need for them imposes an unnecessary financial burden on county taxpayers.

3. Many counties are currently unable to support four justices of the peace and four constables and are technically in violation of the constitution; reducing the required number of justices and constables will help conform the constitution to actual practice.

AGAINST:

1. If the number of justices of the peace and constables is reduced, other judges or county officials may be required to perform some duties of the justice and constable, and the judicial system and county government are already overburdened with work.

2. People in counties in which the number of justices and constables is reduced will be burdened with longer and more inconvenient trips to receive the services of a justice of the peace or constable.

3. Even if there is a lack of need for more than a few justices of the peace and constables in some areas, that lack does not necessarily bear a reasonable relation to the population requirements for reduction that are set out in the amendment, and the legislature should propose another method of achieving the result.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

The proposed amendment of Article XVI, Section 51, of the Texas Constitution changes the character of the exemption from forced sale available for a lot or lots used as a business or residential homestead in a city, town, or village, from a lot or lots having a maximum value of \$10,000 at the time the land is designated as a homestead, without reference to the value of any improvements on the land, to an exemption

amounting to one acre, together with any improvements on the land, regardless of the date the homestead was created.

ARGUMENTS

FOR:

1. By changing the homestead exemption from a criterion based on value to a criterion based on size, it will not be necessary to periodically amend the constitution because of the effect on the homestead exemption of changes in the price of land or the standard of living.

2. The current homestead exemption is inadequate. Many lots in urban areas cost more than \$10,000, which makes them subject to forced sale, thereby causing families to lose their homes.

3. The rural homestead is defined in terms of its size, not its value. This amendment creates a similar standard for urban homesteads and thereby makes the two criteria more consistent and fair.

4. Homesteads created before the 1970 amendment to the constitution are allowed a \$5,000 exemption, while homesteads created after the 1970 amendment have a \$10,000 exemption. This amendment applies the same standard and provides the same protection to all urban homesteads regardless of the date a particular homestead is created.

AGAINST:

1. The protection given to a homestead by this amendment is not necessarily related to a homestead claimant's needs and may be unreasonably broad because there is no limit on the value of the improvements that may be placed on the acre of land eligible for the exemption.

2. Because the homestead exemption automatically exists if property is used as a homestead, regardless of whether or not the owner of the property wants the full extent of the protection or elects to declare the property as a homestead, increasing the exemption reduces the liquidity of the homestead owner, inhibits the homestead owner's financing options, and restricts the uses a homestead owner may make of the homestead property.

3. The purpose of the homestead exemption is to provide security for a family's home, not to provide a person with an opportunity to avoid the payment of a legitimate debt. The exemption of a \$10,000 lot or lots plus an unlimited amount of improvements on the lot or lots is sufficient to provide a family an adequate home and therefore the current

exemption accomplishes its purpose.

4. The urban homestead is not limited to an actual home for a family but may also include business property as part of the homestead. Allowing the exemption of business property, without regard to its value, located on any lot or lots up to an acre in size in an urban environment, is not only unrelated to the basic purpose of a homestead exemption to provide a home for a family, but may be unconscionable and irrational as well.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

The proposed amendment adds Sec. 68 to Article XVI of the Texas Constitution giving the legislature the power to grant to associations of agricultural producers the authority to collect refundable assessments on their product sales. The producers must approve the assessments in a referendum, and the assessments collected may be used only for research, marketing, and educational programs relating to the product. Enabling legislation, Senate Bill 607 from the regular session, takes effect on adoption of the constitutional amendment.

ARGUMENTS

FOR:

1. Allowing agricultural producers to pool their resources results in more cost-effective promotion of the product. Voluntary contribution programs are not effective in some industries; they allow all producers of the commodity to benefit from the contributions of only a few producers. Mandatory contributions are necessary to ensure that all the producers of a commodity who benefit from the promotional programs help pay for them.

2. Although an assessment would be made on each producer, the proposed amendment requires the assessment to be refundable. Therefore, a producer who cannot afford to contribute may get his money refunded.

3. Passage of the amendment will not automatically result in mandatory assessments. The amendment merely gives the legislature the power to allow the producers' associations to hold referenda on whether mandatory assessments should be levied. If the legislature gives the associations this authority and later the legislature finds the assessments are burdensome, the legislature can take away the authority.

AGAINST:

1. In other industries, a producer is responsible for research, and, promotion of the producer's products.

This is all done voluntarily; agricultural producers should not be required to contribute for promotion of the product unless the producer wants to contribute.

2. The agricultural producers' boards, as quasi-governmental bodies, are intervening in private enterprise. Because the government does not help promote other types of products, it should not help promote agricultural products.

3. The current practice of allowing exemptions from assessments is working well in many areas, and, therefore, this amendment is unnecessary.

AMENDMENT NO. 4

The proposed amendment of Article III, Section 62, of the Texas Constitution authorizes the legislature to provide for temporary succession to the office of state senator or representative when an incumbent becomes unavailable to carry out the duties of that office during emergencies caused by enemy attack. The proposed amendment also authorizes and establishes a mechanism for the suspension of certain constitutional legislative procedural rules during emergencies caused by enemy attack.

AMENDMENT NO. 5

The proposed amendment amends Article VII, Section 5, of the Texas Constitution to allow the legislature to provide for using the permanent school fund and the income from the fund to guarantee bonds issued by school districts. The amendment would also allow the legislature to appropriate a portion of that income for administration of the fund or administration of the bond guarantee program. Enabling legislation, S.B. 384, creates the bond guarantee program and takes effect on adoption of the proposed amendment.

ARGUMENTS

FOR:

1. School districts have pent-up demand for construction and therefore long-term capital financing, yet the general economic

conditions are not favorable for many districts to meet that demand through unaided bonding. The proposed bond guarantee program is virtually risk-free to the state, will result in millions of dollars in savings to taxpayers, and yet will allow school districts to accommodate Texas' rapid population growth.

2. Texas is in a unique position to offer this kind of assistance to school districts. Although other states provide debt-financing assistance, the means employed in other states often result in a shifting of the debt burden from the local district to the state. Other states are unwilling to guarantee school debt because it would negatively affect the general creditworthiness of the state. The guarantee is by far the most effective means of gaining this type of savings, and by using the permanent school fund as the guarantee Texas can avoid any negative effect on the general credit rating of the state.

3. The bond guarantee program provides needed assistance to school districts while maintaining the traditional level of local control. No significant increase in state-level involvement results because the only requirement placed on the school districts is that they maintain accreditation, which each district must do under current law to receive state funds.

AGAINST:

1. The authors of the constitutional provision creating the permanent school fund had sufficient foresight to permanently dedicate the principal of that fund. Without that deduction, the fund would not have experienced its phenomenal growth, and the vast resources and the income would not be available to fund the operation of the schools. While risk-free as a practical matter in terms of financial loss, the real risk of the amendment is allowing the principal of the fund to be spent for this purpose. The amendment opens the door for future and more significant attacks on the multi-billion-dollar fund, which looks even more appetizing during periods of

a generally weak economy such as the nation is now experiencing.

2. The bond guarantee program will not necessarily produce the projected savings. The rating of each individual school district will remain dependent on its own credit-worthiness. Those districts with the higher ratings will benefit little, if at all, from the program, but their bonds are to be guaranteed the same as the bonds of the more needy districts. The speculative savings are a poor trade-off for tampering with a dedicated fund.

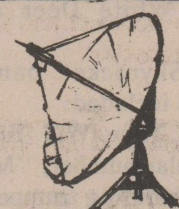
3. Although the program appears to be self-supporting, appropriating the income from the fund for administration of the guarantee program or of the fund itself results in increased amounts going from general revenue to school districts. This occurs because the amount of income distributed to school districts is subtracted from the other state funds payable to the district. In addition, it is yet another example of weakening the dedicated nature of the fund which, under current law, may be expended only to support

the public schools.

AMENDMENT NO. 6

The proposed amendment of Article XVI, Section 28, of the Texas Constitution provides an exception to the current constitutional prohibition against the garnishment of wages for the enforcement of court-ordered child support payments. The amendment is limited to the enforcement of court-ordered child support payments and does not permit garnishment of wages for other kinds of debts or obligations. The exception would permit garnishment

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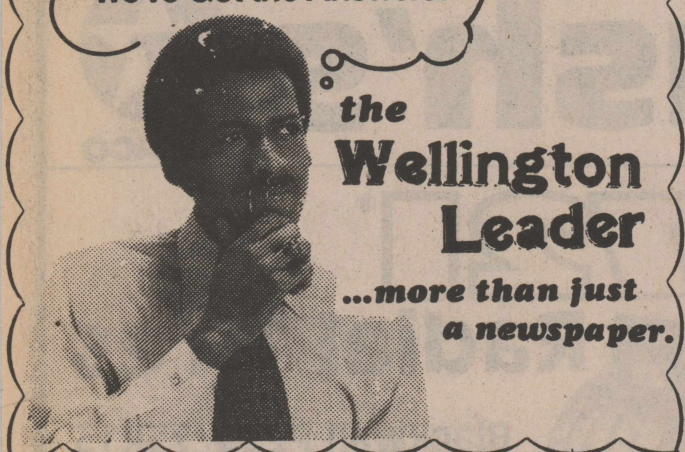
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Group Attends Beauticians Show Sunday

A group representing Wellington beauty shops attended beauticians program Sunday, Oct. 23.

The program was presented by Mr. Ray, internationally known hair stylist, showman, teacher, author, and manufacturer. He has conducted more than 7,000 style shows and has written 14 books.

Attending were Monroe and Peggy Hardin, Alta Porter, Monica Foster, Becky O'Rear, Dorothy Green, Yvonne Green, Jackie Maxwell and Sandra Mosenbocker.

Texas Farm Bureau to Meet Nov. 7-9

Texas Farm Bureau resolutions committee will meet Nov. 7-9 in Waco to prepare a set of policy recommendations from the 1,500 resolutions received from County Farm Bureaus.

The final resolutions will be presented to the voting delegates attending TFB's 50th annual meeting Nov. 27-30 in Houston.

Two area men, both TFB state directors, are on the resolutions committee, Paul Cicina, Shamrock and Ken Harris, Childress.



FOOTBALL QUEEN

Sandie Cobb was elected 1983 Football Queen and crowned at the homecoming pep rally Friday, Oct. 28. She was escorted by Chad Holland, center. Attendants were Amy Williams, left, escorted by Darvin Nix, and DeeAnn Williams, right, escorted by Dwayne Culpepper.

Annual Veterans Day Dinner Slated Nov. 14

Dodson American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary will hold their annual community Veterans Day

Dinner Saturday, Nov. 12, Mrs. B.B. Martin has announced.

Serving hours will be 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and the dinner will be served in the American Legion building on Dodson's main street.

Turkey with all the trimmings will be served.

Tickets are \$3.50 for adults and \$1.75 for children under 12, and they may be purchased from any Legion or Auxiliary member.

Adult Education Registration Set

Registration for Adult Education classes will be held Thursday, Nov. 3 at 7 p.m. in the Wellington High School Building, according to Barbara Roberson.

Adults wishing to study

ber.

Wellington members who will have tickets are Boyd Derryberry, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Holland, Mrs. T.E. Lennon and Sidney Jackson.

Proceeds from the dinner will go into the building fund, which covers building repairs, purchase of new furniture, assistants to needy veterans and their families and donations to the Veterans Administration Hospital.

St. Anthony's Hospice Fund Receives Grant

At its Board of Directors meeting on Oct. 10, the J.E. and L.E. Mabey Foundation issued a challenge grant of \$500,000 to the St. Anthony's Hospital Hospice Campaign. The challenge grant is dependent upon St. Anthony's raising the balance of the funds by January 31, 1984.

To date, the Hospice Campaign has raised nearly \$1.7 million toward the \$3 million goal. The Challenge will be to raise the additional \$800,000 in the time allotted. St. Anthony's now appeals to its friends and all interested individuals to help meet the challenge.

The successful completion of this challenge grant would mean assurance of the completion of this significant new addition to our medical and health care services. In light of the amount at stake, donations will be multiplied and magnified in their consequences.

reading and writing and to speak English or improve their math skills or prepare for the GED test should enroll in this class.

Mrs. Roberson stated that all instruction, books and materials are free. It is sponsored by Wellington Independent School District and Region 16 Educational Service Center in Amarillo.

Dale Thomas Reassigned To Germany

T-Sgt. Ronald D. (Dale) Thomas was reassigned recently from Robbins Warner, Air Force Base, Ga., to the 52nd Technical Fighter Wing at Spangdahlem Air Force Base in North Germany.

He was accompanied by his wife, Kathy, formerly of Cochran, Ga., and their daughter, Kristen.

Sgt. Thomas is a 1972 graduate of Wellington High School and the son of Mrs. Sam Thomas.

Sales Tax Rebate \$55,106

State Comptroller Bob Bullock on Friday, Oct. 14, sent a check totaling \$1,929.76 in the local sales tax payment for the one percent city sales tax.

This is almost double the sales tax check for the same period a year ago, \$1,000.62.

Payments for 1983 to date total \$55,601.54, up from \$54,212.43 for the comparable period in 1982. This represents an increase of \$2.56%

Crackers Keep Record Perfect

Eighth grade Firecrackers kept their record perfect when they blanked the Clarendon 8th grade 34-0 on Broncho field Thursday, Oct. 27.

James McIntosh opened the scoring with a 30-yard touchdown run around right end. Shaun Cobb scored the extra points on a dive play.

Again in the first quarter, Curtis Nash scored on a 20-yard reverse and the extra points were good on a pass play from Brad Long to Arthur Pennon.

In the second quarter,

Pennon made a hit on a Clarendon player causing him to fumble. Pennon then caught the ball in the air and made a touchdown on a 30 yard run. The try for extra points failed and the score at halftime was 22-0.

The Firecrackers had another score in the third quarter when Curtis Nash caught a pass from Long for 15 yards and a touchdown. Again the try for extra point failed.

The final touchdown came in the fourth period, with Luis Granados scoring on a

15-yard dive play. That try for extra point failed also.

"Wellington had several outstanding players," said Coach Gano Wilson. Danny Davis knocked a ball loose from a Clarendon player and Brad Long recovered the fumble.

Tony Leamon had two quarterback sacks and Davis had one.

"McIntosh probably ran the ball as well as he has all year," Coach Wilson said.

"Britt Schmidt had another real good game and he is playing almost flawless ball at center."

"That bunch is 8-0 and has one more game, the one against Panhandle. The game will be played on Powell Field.

"Panhandle has a good squad and it will be a good game.

"The key to this bunch is their execution of plays and their good defense—real strong defense."

Against Clarendon, Wellington had 11 first downs and they had 6. Wellington penetrated beyond the Clarendon 20 six times and they penetrated only once.

"They got down to our 10 yard and our second string held them inside the 10 for two and a half minutes. They played real good defense," said Wilson.

Wyoming was the first state to allow women to vote.

Attending the State meeting of Soil and Water Conservation Districts in McAllen were two from Salt Fork SWCD, Dan Henard, president of the board, and Tommy Powell, District SCS conservationist. The meeting was held Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 25 and 26.

State Senator Bill Sarpalus was the keynote speaker for the banquet Tuesday night, "It was primarily a talk on patriotism, the American work ethic, dreaming a dream and setting out to accomplish it, being thankful for what we have," said Powell.

"Those attending considered it an outstanding talk and Sarpalus certainly had the attention of the crowd.

State Representative Foster Whaley likewise won recognition, Powell reported.

At the Wednesday morning breakfast for legislators, Whaley was cited as being a long-time supporter of conservation and conservation districts.

"Of all the legislators there, he got more recognition for what he has done for conservation than any of the others," Powell said.

Joe Montgomery of Abilene was re-elected president of the state association of soil conservation districts.

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Dodson News

by Wanda Hightower Cardwell

I noticed the Thurman Crownovers have a U.S. Flag they put up in their yard each day. I like to see this. Notice it the next time you pass their house.

Mrs. Jean Martin and Mrs. Helen Howell visited Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Lewis last week. The Lewises live in Placerville, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis lived in Dodson for a few years when they were children. His father was Luther Lewis and his grandfather was known as Uncle Matt Lewis. Mrs. Lewis is the former Teddy Foster. Mr. Lewis came to Dodson to see the house where he lived as well as the Kelley Church and Kelley School. He was quite disappointed to find that none of the three buildings are still standing.

Mrs. Teena Johnson and her family are living in Dodson. We welcome them to our community.

Teresa Stewart was home this week from Clarendon College.

Jackie Norman celebrated her birthday Saturday in Altus. The group skated and later ate at McDonald's. The next stop was the Spook House in Hollis. Attending

the party were Mrs. Ava Rainer and Angel, and Lori Stewart, Jackie Norman and Sybil Norman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Harwell of Ft. Worth visited the Garland Hightowers for several days this week.

Bob and Florence Gee of Lubbock visited the Tom Sandersons, Joe Wilson and Jean Martin.

Visiting Mrs. Sybil Norman recently were Mrs. Sharon Wood, Melody and Bubba, of Cordell, Okla., and Mrs. Ray Rainer and Angel of Collinsville, Okla.

Lee Studer, minister, preached at the Church of Christ Sunday. Howard Hunt and Roy Ginn directed the congregational hymns.

Cliff Harper preached at the Missionary Baptist Church Sunday. Bobby Harper directed the music. The Harper family sang for the worship service. James Brown was a visitor.

Rev. C.M. Huff preached at the Church of the Nazarene Sunday morning. At the pre-Sunday School hour, Melissa Mead, Larry Black and Misti Beanland each played a song on the piano. Mrs. Huff played an organ solo.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Harwell were visitors.

Sunday evening was a night of music. After the service, refreshments were served in the fellowship hall.

The 1st Sunday singing will be held Sunday, Nov. 6 from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Church of the Nazarene.

Garland Hightower visited Mrs. Thelma Reneau Frazier, who is a patient in the hospital at Hollis.

Eva Cornelius died Friday in the hospital in Childress. Her funeral was Monday, Oct. 31, at the Wellington Church of the Nazarene and burial was in the Dodson Cemetery. She lived in the Kelley community for many years.

So many people remember her as being an excellent cook. Young people went to their home every Sunday. She was a part of them.

Many will miss her.

Her children were all with her at the hospital for several days before her death. They had a good visit before she died.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lowry and Emma Lee Pittman last week were 1st Lt. and Mrs. Robert Locke and Courtney of Ft. Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mann of Bethany, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lowrie of Crosbyton accompanied Mr. and Mrs. A.V. Lowrie on a foliage tour to Eureka Springs, Ark., and to Springfield, Missouri October 24-27.

Cut macaroni dunked in assorted food colors made colorful beads. Drain and dry completely. Put beads into paper cups and let children make their own necklaces.

Society News

THE WELLINGTON (TEXAS) LEADER
Thursday, November 3, 1983

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Hospital Auxiliary Silver Coffee Set November 15

Collingsworth General Hospital Auxiliary will hold its anniversary silver coffee Tuesday, Nov. 15, in the hospital lobby. Mrs. Lynn Wright, president, announced.

The time is 10 to 11:30 a.m.

Those attending will have an opportunity to see new projects that are under way--some hopefully completed by that date.

"Samples of the new drapery material we are buying for patient rooms will be available," said Mrs. Wright. "We want people to come and see what their money has been spent for, as the scope of these projects is much larger than many realize."

"We stress again this silver coffee will take the place of the annual anniversary coffee and the annual silver tea which usually is held in December as a Christmas event," Mrs. Wright continued.

"We would like to invite the people who have been so generous in their donations to us, the public general, and especially all the men who were responsible for the new storm windows being installed Saturday."

Members of Wellington Kiwanis and Lions Clubs, in a challenge, raised the money which made possible the storm windows.

Installation was done under direction from the presidents of the organizations, Kiwanis president

Herman Clyde Chidress and Lions president Candy Reyes.

"We hope all these men will come so we can express our appreciation to them," Mrs. Wright said.

Activities of the auxiliary since its organization two years ago will be shown in a scrapbook.

"A source for the flameproof curtains has been located, window measurements made and colors chosen, and the finished curtains will be delivered within 6 to 8 weeks ready for installation. They meet all the specifications of the life safety code and the requirements of Medicare," Mrs. Wright concluded.

Computers Help the Housewife

When it comes to household management, a home computer is just another appliance, says home economist Bonnie Piernot.

A home computer can assist in keeping household records of checks, mailing addresses, telephone numbers, special days and appointments. It can also maintain an accurate inventory of household goods or the stamps in your collection, she explains.

"But a computer will not make you a good record-keeper," says Piernot, who



POSTER WINNERS

Nine Wellington elementary students won plaques in the Wellington Volunteer Fire Department's annual fire prevention poster contest. Entries were judged in three groups, kindergarten and 1st grade, 2nd and 3rd, and 4th and 5th. Three places were awarded in each division. Front row, from left, are Marnie Spillman, 1st; Amanda Wood, 3rd; and Jonathan Skelton, 2nd. Second row, from left, are Shane Jones, 2nd; Lesi Gray, 1st; and Jennifer Thomson, 3rd. Back row, from left, are Rodney Weatherly, 2nd; Brent Duncan, 1st; and Marla Keller, 3rd.

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The computer simply organizes, retrieves and presents the information you give it in a useful form. Poor record-keepers who are

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Ron and Becky Long Present Program for Keenagers

The Keenagers of First Baptist Church met October 28 in the Fellowship Hall for their monthly luncheon.

Ron and Becky Long brought the program on religious songs. Long, the church music and youth director, played the piano accompaniment.

Arrangements were made by Mary Fulcher, director, Bertha Mae Keller, Kathryn Barjenbruch, Lucille Sav-

age, Bessie Tucker and Claudia Sweat.

Those present were Mrs. Rufus Sweat, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bledsoe, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hunter, Mrs. Pearl Harwell, Mrs. Tom Cunningham, Mrs. Ravena McBrayer of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. O.B. Raburn, Mrs. Louise Vaughan, Mrs. Rowena Thigpen, Mrs. Lonie Harrison, Mrs. John Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wilhelm, Mrs. Dan Massey, Mrs. Dick Richards, Mrs. Violet Potter, Mrs. Eva Needham,

Mrs. Elsie Bolton, Mrs. Susie Crawford, Mrs. Ben Ratliff, Mrs. Jack Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Moore, Mrs. Howard Riggs, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Horton, Mrs. Newton Crain of Canyon, Mrs. Dollie Mae Wilson, and grandson, Woody Wilson, Albert Fulcher, the Rev. and Mrs. Stanley Hughes with James and Jared, and Mr. and Mrs. Long and Sara.

Cancer Group Smokeout To be Nov. 17

Sandy St. John, representative of the American Cancer Society, Amarillo, was in Wellington Thursday to make plans with AC unit for the Great American Smokeout Nov. 17.

Additional plans for this and other Wellington unit projects will be announced.

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Hospital Notes

Visiting Hours: 2 to 4 p.m.
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Clara Baker was admitted Oct. 24.

Ruby Tenison was hospitalized Oct. 25.

Vera Johnson was a medical patient Oct. 25 to Oct. 27.

Millard Brown was a patient from Oct. 25 to Oct. 28.

Howard Jones was hospitalized Oct. 25 and dismissed Oct. 27.

Millie Johnson has been a medical patient since Oct. 28.

Louella Daves was hospitalized Oct. 28 and dismissed Oct. 31.

Thomas Nichols has been a patient since Oct. 28.

Thelma Ford was a patient Oct. 29.

Dessie Duke was admitted Oct. 29.

Nellie Young was hospitalized Oct. 29.

Florie Graham was admitted Oct. 29.

Homer (Junior) Davis was hospitalized Oct. 30.

Denny Judd was admitted Oct. 30.

Lillie Byrd was admitted Oct. 31.

Teed Hill was admitted Oct. 31.

Patients admitted earlier and dismissed since Oct. 24: Pauline Patterson, Oct. 24.

Luther Higgs, Oct. 24.

Ruby Riley, Oct. 25.

H.C. Templeton, Oct. 26.

Ray Brooks, Oct. 28.

Mayfair Bourland, Oct. 29.

Amanda Bell, Oct. 30.

UDC Hears of State Meeting

Sabine Pass Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, met Wednesday, Oct. 26, when plans were made for chapter members to give gifts to veterans hospitals for Christmas.

Mrs. Monty Mitchell, president, gave a report on the Texas State meeting held at Tyler, which Mrs. Mitchell and Mrs. John Carson attended.

Mrs. Mitchell presided and led the group in the opening rituals, with responses by chapter members; Mrs. G.L. Jones, led the Lord's Prayer and Mrs. James R. Ross gave the treasurer's report.

Attending were Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. B.B. Martin, Miss Maudie Coffee, Mrs. Russell Hill and Mrs. Gertrude Mayhugh.

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Society News

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Brock-Swann Rites On December 17

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie N. Brock of 1901 Pittsburgh, Amarillo, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Jill Michelle, to Jeff Swann.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Swann who live east of Amarillo.

The couple will be married Saturday, December 17, in Tenth Avenue

United Methodist Church. Miss Brock is the granddaughter of Mrs. Bura Handley.

She attends West Texas State University where she is majoring in education and is a member of Phi Eta Sigma.

Her fiancé was graduated from WT with a bachelor's degree in plant science. He is a member of Phi Eta and is engaged in farming east of Amarillo.

B&PW Uses Fall Theme

Wellington Business and Professional Women's Club met Tuesday, Oct. 25 in Bura Handley Community Center.

The theme was a tacky party, with decorations relating to fall and to Halloween.

Hostesses were L.C. Sweat, Dollie Mae Wilson, Willie B. Harwell and Jeanetta Turner.

Loretta Wright, president, welcomed the members and guests, Mrs. Wilson led the pledge of allegiance to the flag and Mrs. Turner led the collect. Games followed the dinner, directed by Mrs. Sweat.

During the business meeting, assignments were given for the traditional Thanksgiving dinner for Tuesday, Nov. 8 in Bura Handley Community Center. Tickets are on sale by all members at \$4.00 for adults and \$2.00 for children. Tickets will be sold at the door also.

Guests were Gracie Michael and Rita Lowrie.

Members were Lottie Handley, Erma Fay Kersten, Joan Smith, Marie Gollighugh, Pattie Wolf, Jeanetta Turner, Myra Hays, Goldie Barnett, Mrs. Wilson, Pearl Harwell, Helen Pryor, Nell McKinney, Sybil Atkinson, Nancy Bigby, Diane Manuel, Nancy Lindsey, Charlene Poteet, Mrs. Sweat, Geneva Thomas, Mrs. Wright, Pauline Estes, Willie B. Harwell.

Who's New

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson are announcing the birth of a son, Marcus Brian, born October 20 at Shamrock General Hospital. He weighed seven pounds and seven ounces. He is the grandson of the late Mrs. Frankie Moore.

Garden Club Hears Program

A program on pressed flowers and making pictures with them was presented by Mrs. Ben Ratliff for members of Wellington Garden Club.

She closed her program with an original poem, "Ghost Chief." Mrs. E.F. Bartlett was club hostess with Mrs. Dorothy McGuirk co-hostess Mrs. Tom Caterlin presided and read a poem, "The Lord Will Bless Us All If We Do Our Best."

Mrs. Woodrow Wood led the collect and pledge, and members named their favorite wild flowers to answer roll call.

During the business session, committee reports were given and there were discussions of Memorial Gardens and the history of Collingsworth County.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Caterlin, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Ratliff, Mrs. Susie Crawford, Mrs. C.R.

LUNCHROOM

WELLINGTON

Monday, Nov. 7, breakfast: juice, buttered waffle with maple syrup, half pint milk; lunch: green chili casserole, cole slaw, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, hot rolls with butter and jelly, half pint milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 8, breakfast: applesauce, scrambled eggs, hot biscuits, half pint milk; lunch: vegetable beef soup with crackers, salad, fruit, cheese toast, white cake with pink icing, half pint milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 9, breakfast: juice, cooked cereal, toast, half pint milk; lunch: hamburger on a bun, lettuce, tomato, pickle, onion and mustard, oven fried potatoes with catsup cookie, half pint milk.

Thursday, Nov. 10, breakfast: juice, peanut butter, and jelly sandwich, half pint milk; lunch: manager's choice of meat, vegetable, salad, dessert, bread, half pint milk.

Friday, Nov. 11, breakfast: juice, cooked cereal, buttered toast, half pint milk; lunch: tuna salad sandwich, lettuce and pickle, potato bits, fruit, cookie, half pint milk.

Michaels at Swiss Meet

Charles and Gracie Michael attended a Southland Life convention October 5 through the 12th in Switzerland.

Convention headquarters for the group was at the Montreux Palace hotel on the shore of Lake Geneva. Tours included Montreux City, with a stop at the Chillon Castle, and Gruyeres, a world famous cheese factory village.

Another day was spent in the capitol, Bern, shopping and sight-seeing. One tour included a three country motorcoach ride through the countryside in Switzerland and into Italy and France.

DeArmond, Mrs. Charles Cason, and the hostesses, Mrs. Bartlett and Mrs. McGuirk.

Paul, Sybil Cummings Present Program for Merrihearts

The Merrihearts met in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church Oct. 25 for their monthly luncheon. Rev. Tom Thomson gave the blessing. The 'Happy Birthday' song was sung by the group to those with October birthdays.

Paul and Sybil Cummings gave the program. They sang duets, gave their personal testimonies, and

he presented trombone solos accompanied by his wife at the piano. Their closing song was joined by their son and Rev. Thomson.

The Cummings gave a clever puppet show on their missionary calling to Spain. This talented family will go to Spain next year.

Attending were Rev. and Mrs. Tom Thomson, Craig and Megan; Mr. and Mrs. Cummings and Ryan; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Smith, Mrs. and Mrs. Hobart Smith, Mrs. Louise Vaughan, Mrs. Mary Jones, Mrs. Ruby Ball, Mrs. Bettye Conant, Mrs. G.E. VanPelt, Mrs. Billye Houchin, Mrs. Dell Riggs,

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HOME DELIVERED MEALS FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Monday, Nov. 7: beef pattie, whole kernel corn, mixed greens, bread and butter, yellow cake with chocolate icing, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 8: beef tips, peas, squash, bread and butter, cherry cobbler, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 9: oven fried fish, mixed vegetables, cabbage carrot and raisin salad, bread and butter, applesauce cake, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 10: roast, stewed tomatoes, fried okra, bread and butter, banana bread, milk.

Friday, Nov. 11: beef stew, celery, carrots and onions, mandarin oranges, cornbread, yellow cake, milk.

Personal

Mrs. Mona Mellott of Springfield, Oregon has returned home after a 17 day visit with her mother, Mrs. Lola Peebles, and other relatives.

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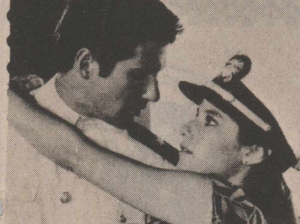
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AMENDMENTS—

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or involuntary assignment of wages only if a court has found that a person is obligated to pay support to his or her child and the court orders the child support payments to be made by the person owing the support for the benefit of this child.

ARGUMENTS

FOR:

1. The duty to support one's child is one of the most important duties of parenthood, and the child, with the aid of the court, should have all means available to enforce that duty. It should be remembered that child support obligations are for the benefit of the child and are not part of property settlements on divorce and are in no way to be considered as alimony or support for the spouse or former spouse.

2. Texas is the only state with a constitutional prohibition against garnishment of wages and most other states allow for garnishment or involuntary assignment of wages for child support obligations. At least 47 other states have statutes that allow for some form of wage withholding or assignment for the payment of child support obligations. The approval of the constitutional amendment would allow Texas children to have the same rights to enforce the obligations of their parents as do the children of most other states.

3. The approval of this constitutional amendment will permit the state welfare agency to use better tools to require parents who are able to pay child support to fulfill their obligations and to reduce the number of children qualifying for welfare. The estimated savings in welfare payments is three to four million dollars a year.

AGAINST:

1. The purpose of the constitutional prohibition against garnishment of wages is to protect em-

ployees and to guarantee to them the fruits of their labors. By permitting the taking of a person's wages before the person receives them, the proposed amendment will discourage employment and ultimately deprive children of access to support.

2. Garnishment of wages places the burden of collecting and paying child support on the employer rather than the employee. Merely because an employee has failed in his or her obligations for child support, the employer will have to deduct the wages garnished or assigned and send the amounts deducted to the court. Even if the employer is reimbursed for the expense of deducting and paying an employee's child support, there is still the administrative necessity to do it.

3. The obligation of the payment of child support is only one of many other obligations that persons have. People are also obligated to pay their hospital bills, taxes, legal fees, judgments, and a host of other debts. Allowing the garnishment of wages for child support is merely the first step in proposing future amendments to provide exceptions to allow garnishments to pay other types of obligations.

AMENDMENT NO. 7

The proposed amendment to Article III of the Texas Constitution adds Section 49-b-1, authorizing the Veterans' Land Board to issue \$800 million in general obligation bonds for two purposes. Three hundred million dollars of the proceeds from the bond sale will be added to the veterans' land fund to purchase additional land for sale to veterans. The remaining \$500 million of the proceeds from the bond sale will be deposited in the veterans' housing assistance fund and used to provide home mortgage loans to veterans.

ARGUMENTS

FOR:

1. For more than 30 years, the state has administered the Veterans' Land Program to show its appreciation for the service of its citizens in the United States Armed Forces. The program has been popular and successful, and this amendment, like previous amendments, authorizes additional bonds to continue the program.

2. The program of financing land purchases has been beneficial to veterans and their families; however, current inflation and interest rates and the change to a primarily urban and suburban society have created a great need for assistance in financing purchases of homes, not just land. The amendment authorizes \$500 million in bonds to help meet this need.

3. By providing an attractive source of home mortgage money for veterans, the housing assistance program created by the amendment reduces the competition among potential homeowners for other sources of home financing.

AGAINST:

1. The federal and state governments currently offer a wide variety of benefits available only to veterans and their families. Although the state is appreciative of military service by its citizens, the needs of other groups not having so many current benefits are more pressing during this time of extreme budgetary pressures on state government.

2. As a result of the reduction in size of the federal military forces, the number of Texans performing military service will probably decline for the next several years. The state cannot at this time afford such an expensive program for what will likely be an increasingly smaller segment of its population.

3. The Veterans Administration and the Federal Housing Administration currently offer home mortgage assistance to veterans and their families. A state housing assistance program would duplicate some of the features of the federal programs and therefore is not greatly needed.

AMENDMENT NO. 8

The proposed amendment of Article VIII, Section 2, of the Texas Constitution permits any political subdivision that levies ad valorem taxes to exempt property of certain veterans' and fraternal organizations from its tax base. To receive an exemption, a veterans' organization must be chartered by congress and be organized for patriotic and public service purposes; a fraternal organization must perform primarily charitable and benevolent functions. The proposed amendment authorizes the legislature to limit the types or amount of property that may be exempted for a fraternal organization and to set additional eligibility requirements that a fraternal organization must meet in order to receive an exemption.

ARGUMENTS

FOR:

1. The existing property tax exemption for charitable organizations is too restrictive. An organization may not receive an exemption under that provision if it performs any functions outside the narrow definition of charity. This amendment will permit political subdivisions to grant exemptions to organizations that perform worthwhile civic and patriotic functions yet do not qualify as purely public charities. The local option feature will permit local communities to decide for themselves which of these organizations perform meaningful activities and deserve tax relief.

2. The optional nature of the proposed tax exemptions will prevent them from having a severe impact on property tax revenues or on other taxpayers. A political subdivision that cannot afford to grant additional tax exemptions can continue to tax the property of these organizations or grant a partial exemption.

3. The exemptions place satisfactory limits on the discretion of local officials. A political subdivision may not grant an exemption to a fraternal organization that does not perform primarily charitable and public service functions or to a veterans' organization that does not perform patriotic and public service functions. Additional requirements permitted to be imposed by the legislature on exemptions for fraternal organizations further guard against arbitrary or unwarranted granting of tax exemptions.

AGAINST:

1. The current property tax exemption for charitable organizations is available to those veterans' and fraternal organizations that are dedicated to performing truly worthwhile and beneficial functions. The proposed constitutional amendment would authorize tax exemptions for many organizations that perform only some of the required functions and devote most of their energies toward private activities that benefit only members of the organization or some other select group.

2. The proposed tax exemptions, like all such exemptions, merely shift the tax burden onto other already pressed taxpayers, while the exempted organizations will continue to receive their share of the benefits and services provided by local government without paying their way.

3. The proposed exemptions are stated too broadly. It is not clear exactly what a fraternal organization is or exactly what proportion of an organization's total activities must be of the types required under these provisions. Since the exemptions are optional with each political subdivision, local officials will be able to grant them in selective or arbitrary fashion, favoring some groups for personal or political reasons, or treating equally deserving groups

inconsistently.

AMENDMENT NO. 9

The proposed amendment, adding Section 16a to Article V of the Texas Constitution, authorizes the legislature to provide a system for statewide assignment of judges of statutory courts with probate jurisdiction to hold court for other statutory court judges with probate jurisdiction or for judges of constitutional county courts.

ARGUMENTS

FOR:

1. Assigning statutory probate court judges to serve in other courts will eliminate unnecessary delays in resolving cases.

2. The system of assignment would provide an orderly and efficient method of providing a judge to hold court for a regular judge who is unable to perform his duties.

AGAINST:

1. There are currently only 11 statutory probate courts, and judges elected by the voters in only five counties would be hearing cases statewide in counties in which they had not run for election.

2. Since statutory probate courts are created by the legislature, a constitutional amendment providing for assignment of the judges of those courts to other statutory courts is not legally necessary and tends to imply that constitutional authority is required for the administration of statutory courts.

AMENDMENT NO. 10

The proposed constitutional amendment adds Section 12 to Article XI of the Texas Constitution. The new section authorizes the legislature to enact a law establishing a program by which a municipality may pay for the cost of replacing or relocating sanitation sewer laterals located on private property. Sewer laterals are sewer lines that connect buildings to the main lines (sewer mains) of the municipality's sanitation sewer system. Under the program, a municipality may pay for the replacement or relocation of a sewer lateral only if the replacement or relocation of the sewer main serving the private property. Furthermore, under the program the owner of the private property would be required to repay to the municipality,

within a period not to exceed five years, the cost, plus interest, of the replacement or relocation of the sewer lateral. To protect the municipality could attach to the private property a lien for the cost of the replacement or relocation.

ARGUMENTS

FOR:

1. The sanitation sewer mains and sewer laterals in some municipalities are old and dilapidated and must be replaced and, in some cases, relocated. The municipalities are responsible for the sewer mains. Sewer laterals that are on private property, however, are the responsibility of the private property owner. Replacement or relocation of the sewer laterals may be expensive for some property owners, costing several thousand dollars in some cases. The proposed constitutional amendment will allow for reducing the financial hardship on the private property owner by permitting the municipality initially to bear the cost of the replacement or relocation of the sewer laterals and by permitting the property owner to repay the municipality over a period not to exceed five years.

2. Under the program authorized by the proposed constitutional amendment, the municipality would contract for the replacement or relocation of the sewer laterals. This will allow for the municipality to contract collectively for the replacement or relocation of the sewer laterals, thus producing a better price than if each property owner negotiated his own contract.

AGAINST:

1. It is only certain low income property owner who are in need of the kind of program that the proposed constitutional amendment authorizes. The amendment should be drawn more narrowly to assist only these needy persons. All other property owners are able to arrange the necessary financing with private lenders for the replacement or relocation of sewer laterals. It is not the business of municipal government to act as a lending institution for persons who may easily arrange financing within the private loan market.

2. The availability of a program like the one authorized by the proposed constitutional amendment

will encourage municipalities to replace troublesome sewer mains and laterals and will discourage municipalities from searching for and using more innovative, less expensive measures for repairing the sewer mains and laterals.

AMENDMENT NO. 11

The proposed amendment of Article IV, Section 11, of the Texas Constitution makes the following changes in the pardons and paroles process in Texas:

(1) the composition of the Board of Pardons and Paroles, now required by the constitution to consist of one person appointed by the governor, one person appointed by the chief justice of the Supreme Court of Texas, and one person appointed by the presiding judge of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, would be changed to a composition authorized by the legislature;

(2) case law has interpreted the constitution and statutes as requiring the governor's approval before a parole is granted, and this amendment, in conjunction with amendments to the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1965, eliminates the need for that approval; and

(3) the constitution currently authorizes the governor to revoke paroles, and this amendment eliminates that authorization.

ARGUMENTS

FOR:

1. Requiring the governor to approve recommendations of the Board of Pardons and Paroles is duplicative and slows the pardons and paroles process.

2. Expansion of the board to six members would spread out the work load, resulting in a more thorough review of pardons and paroles decisions in a less

time-consuming manner.

3. The public would be better able to assign responsibility for pardons and paroles decisions if all six board members were appointed by a single elected official.

AGAINST:

1. The sensitivity of the pardons and paroles process requires the participation of the governor in pardons and paroles decisions.

2. Because the pardons and paroles process is directly related to actions taken by courts, the chief justice of the supreme court and the presiding justice of the court of criminal appeals should appoint members to the board.

3. The current system for granting pardons and paroles has worked satisfactorily, and other bills passed by the 68th Legislature designed to decrease prison overcrowding eliminate the need for a constitutional amendment.

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Sept. 2, Hollis.....	15 — 27
Sept. 9, Canadian.....	12 — 11
Sept. 16, Childress.....	6 — 21
Sept. 23, Nocona.....	47 — 0
Sept. 30, Stinnett.....	23 — 0

DISTRICT GAMES

Oct. 7, Quanah.....	15 — 7
Oct. 14, Shamrock.....	20 — 7
Oct. 21, Memphis.....	31 — 12
Oct. 28 Clarendon.....	23 — 21
Nov. 4 Panhandle.....	There 7:30 p.m.

JR. VARSITY

Sept. 8, Clarendon.....	12 — 14
Sept. 15, Shamrock.....	20 — 14
Sept. 22, Memphis.....	0 — 0
Sept. 29, Panhandle.....	0 — 32
Oct. 6, Quanah.....	12 — 0
Oct. 13, Shamrock.....	24 — 0
Oct. 20, Memphis.....	1 — 0
Oct. 27, Clarendon.....	20 — 0
Nov. 3, Panhandle.....	Here 7:30 p.m.

8TH GRADE

Sept. 8, Clarendon.....	16 — 6
Sept. 15, Shamrock.....	16 — 6
Sept. 22, Memphis.....	36 — 6
Sept. 29, Panhandle.....	8 — 0
Oct. 6, Quanah.....	24 — 0
Oct. 13, Shamrock.....	38 — 0
Oct. 20, Memphis.....	50 — 8
Oct. 27, Clarendon.....	34 — 0
Nov. 3, Panhandle.....	Here 6:00 p.m.

7TH GRADE

Sept. 8, Clarendon.....	16 — 8
Sept. 15, Shamrock.....	30 — 0
Sept. 22, Memphis.....	6 — 28
Sept. 29, Panhandle.....	0 — 6
Oct. 6, Quanah.....	0 — 30
Oct. 13, Shamrock.....	26 — 8
Oct. 20, Memphis.....	0 — 36
Oct. 27, Clarendon.....	26 — 8
Nov. 3, Panhandle.....	Here 4:30 p.m.

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Obituaries

Eva Cornelius, Early Arlie Resident, Dies

Mrs. Eva Cornelius, the last surviving charter member of the Dodson Church of the Nazarene, and one of the earliest members of that denomination following its organization, died Friday Oct. 28 in Childress General Hospital.

Mrs. Cornelius was a small child when she came with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Dreamus Gunstream, to the Arlie community. Later she and her husband, the late Mort C. Cornelius, farmed in the Kelley community many years and more recently she made her home at 1207 West Avenue, Wellington.

The Dodson Nazarene Church was formed about 77 years ago, under a brush arbor at Arlie by her father and her father-in-law, the late Rev. Tom Cornelius. It was one of the first Nazarene churches to be founded following the

organization of that denomination. In 1913, the church was moved to Dodson.

Mrs. Cornelius was born May 28, 1897 in Ellis County. She received her education in the Arlie School.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius married in September 1916, in Wellington.

Mr. Cornelius died Oct. 13, 1957.

Funeral services were conducted at the Wellington Church of the Nazarene at 2:30 p.m. Monday, Oct. 31. Officiating were the Rev. Donald E. Bland, pastor, and the Rev. C.M. Huff, pastor of the Dodson Church of the Nazarene. Burial was in Dodson Cemetery under the direction of Schooler-Gordon Funeral directors.

Pallbearers were Milburn Derryberry, Melvin Cardwell, Rodell Byers, Tommy Lewis, Eddie Davis and Garland Hightower.

Survivors are 3 daughters Mrs. Velma Owens of Salem, Oregon, Mrs. Ruby Patterson and Mrs. Leona Dickerson both of Wellington; 2 sons, Manson Cornelius of Alta Loma, Calif., and Ruben Cornelius of Granada Hills, Calif.; 9 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren.

The family requested that memorials be made to the Dodson Cemetery.

Young Service Will Be Held On Friday

Services for Mrs. Matilda Young, 85, will be conducted Friday, Nov. 4, at 2 p.m. in the Bowie Street Church of Christ. Hubert Brown will officiate and burial will be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors.

Grandsons will be pall bearers.

Mrs. Young died at 6:40 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 30, in Thomas Nursing Center. She was born Oct. 15, 1898 in Richland and had lived here for much of her life.

She was married on July 15, 1961 to Miniken Young in Wellington. Her preceded her in death.

Mrs. Young was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors are a son, Eddie Jones; 17 grandchildren, 32 great grandchildren and 7 great great grandchildren.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

Emma Robinson, widow of A.L. Robinson, Quail, to Arthur E. Robinson of Hereford, Cleo L. Robinson of Amarillo, Jess L. Robinson of Hereford, Mary Louise Robinson Owen of Lubbock, Emmie Olene Robinson Jett, C. Leroy Robinson of Fritch, Eunice M. Robinson Mathis of Art, C.W. Robinson of Canyon and Shirley Ann Robinson Brown of Amarillo: one tract described in a previously filed deed from S.T. Nichols; a second tract out of SE/4 sec 51, blk 21, Quail.

Rayburn R. Holton of Dallas County; O.D. Holton, Jr., of Watauga County North Carolina; Lawson H. Holton of Lamb County, Bobbie E. Gholson of Hardeman County, and John Holton to Benjamin L. Carson: tract 210' x 150' out of S/2 SE/4 sec 50, blk 21.

Richard Garcia, Sr., to Mike Pena: lots 1 and 2, blk 51, Wellington.

Special warranty deed: Dorothy D. McDowell Griffin of Uvalde County to John Duncan McDowell and wife, Joy Williams McDowell: sections 28, 29, and 51, and E/2 sec 50, (2240 acres) and surface rights to 960 acres being sec 24 and N/2 sec 25, all in block 23.

John Duncan McDowell of Wheeler County to Dorothy D. McDowell Griffin of Uvalde: surface rights to 320 acres being the S/2 sec 25, blk 23.

City of Wellington to C.E. Pitts: Lot C, blk 14, North Wellington Cemetery in the northeast part of Wellington (Memorial Gardens.)

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to the Gas Utility Regulatory Act, Lone Star Gas Company hereby gives notice of the Company's intent to implement a new schedule of rates effective

November 9, 1983

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Mrs. Cochran Injured in Austin Accident

Mrs. Jimmy Cochran will be a patient in Brackenridge Hospital, Austin, for about a week for treatment of injuries received in a two-vehicle accident Saturday, Oct. 29.

Mrs. Cochran and her daughter Carol Pendley were returning to the Pendley home after the University of Texas-Texas Teach football game when a car ran a red light and struck their car on the passenger side, where she was riding, her son Scott Cochran said.

She is being treated for 4 broken ribs and a fractured pelvis. Mr. Cochran is with his wife.

Norwood.

Thursday through Sat., Jan. 12, 13, 14 - Kelton Tournament.

Mon. Jan. 16 - Kelton there.

Thurs. Jan. 28 - Briscoe there.

Thurs. Feb. 2 - Mobeetie there.

Mon. Feb. 6 - Wheeler there.

H.E. Davis, Jr. Has Heart Attack Sat.

H.E. Davis, Jr., was stricken by a heart attack at his home Saturday night, and entered Collingsworth General Hospital Sunday morning.

He was reported as resting easy Tuesday evening, but doctors have told the family that 72 hours from the time he suffered the attack will be required before the damage to his heart can be known.

He will be hospitalized 10 to 12 days, according to his daughter Kathy Linville.

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THE HEIGHT OF SPOOKINESS

First place winners in the costume contest at the Wellington PTO Halloween Carnival Saturday, Oct. 29, were, from left: Dustin McKinney, best ghost; Mindy Martin, most unique costume; and best overall costume (two categories), Ashley Spillman, cutest costume; Shannon White, most bewitching witch; and Eddie Mote, spookiest costume. At right is Veronica Peters, as E.T. won the best TV and movie theme costume category.

Carnival Winners Named

Contest winners in the annual Wellington PTO Halloween carnival were announced by Mrs. Bill McKinney, president.

The entertainment, which drew one of the largest crowds in recent years, was held Saturday evening in the elementary school.

Costume winners were: Spookiest: 1st Eddie Mote, 2nd Russell McCann, 3rd Toby Clark.

Cutest: 1st Ashley Spillman, 2nd Shonda Colson, 3rd Donnitta Davis.

Most unique: 1st Mindy Martin, 2nd Scotty Morgan, 3rd Rusty Strickland.

Best ghost: 1st Dustin McKinney, 2nd Nelson Wilbur.

Most bewitching witches: 1st Shannon White, 2nd Tracy Davis, 3rd Kari Glenn.

Best TV and movie theme costumes: 1st Veronica Peters, 2nd Cody Martin, 3rd Nicole Williams.

Best overall costumes: 1st Mindy Martin, 2nd Jonathan Skelton.

This year's pumpkin carving contest drew the largest number of entries ever. Pumpkins became everything from be-whiskered cats to scarecrows, witches, hobos and many

other fantasy characters.

These winners were:

Kindergarten-1st grade: 1st Micha Tarver, 2nd Jonathon Skelton, 3rd Amber Linville.

2nd-3rd grades: 1st Jennifer Thomson, 2nd Jason Fike, 3rd Kent Hudson.

4th-5th grades: 1st Jana Pruitt, 2nd Dana Langford, 3rd Ashley Spillman.

Junior High: 1st Nicole Linville, 2nd Robin Burnam, 3rd Bobby Wilkerson.

High school: 1st Jodi Blacksher.

Adult: 1st Manuel Ramos. Proceeds will go for projects to benefit elementary school Mrs. McKinney pointed out.

In addition to the contests, food and the traditional Halloween booths and games entertained the children and their parents and friends.

Norwood Schedule Announced

The 1983-84 playing schedule of the Samnorwood Eagle and Eagletts was announced this week by Kenneth Martindale, principal. The junior high schedule was also announced.

All non-district varsity games will begin at 6:30 p.m. unless another time is given.

District games will start at 7 p.m.

All junior high games will begin at 6:30.

NON-DISTRICT GAMES

Tuesday, Nov. 22 - Lakeview at Norwood

Tuesday, Nov. 29 - McLean at Norwood.

Thursday through Saturday, Dec. 1, 2, 3 - Wellington Tournament

Tuesday, Dec. 6 -

Wellington at Norwood.

Thursday through Saturday, Dec. 8, 9, 10, Samnorwood Tournament.

Tuesday, Dec. 13 - Hedley there.

Tuesday, Jan. 3 - Lefors at Norwood.

Friday, Jan. 6, Lakeview there.

DISTRICT GAMES

Tues., Jan. 10 - Allison there.

Friday, Jan. 13 - Briscoe at Norwood

Tues., Jan. 17 - Kelton at Norwood.

Fri. Jan. 20 - Wheeler there.

Tues., Jan. 24 - Mobeetie at Norwood.

Fri. Jan. 27 - Allison at Norwood.

Tues. Jan. 31 - Briscoe there.

Fri. Feb. 3 - Kelton there.

Tues. Feb. 7 - Wheeler at Norwood.

Fri. Feb. 10 - Mobeetie there.

JUNIOR HIGH

Tues. Nov. 15 - Lela at Norwood.

Mon. Nov. 28 - Allison there.

Mon. Dec. 5 - Kelton at Norwood.

Mon. Dec. 12 - Briscoe at Norwood.

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Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of JAMES W. SULLIVAN, Deceased, were issued to me, the undersigned, on the 21st day of October, 1983, in the proceeding indicated below my signature hereto, which is still pending, and that I now hold such letters. All persons having claims against said estate, which is being administered in the County of Collingsworth, are hereby required to present the same to me, respectively, at the address below given, before suit upon same are barred by the general statutes of limitation, before such estate is closed, and within the time prescribed by law. My residence and mailing address is: P.O. Box 1069, Wellington, Texas 79095.

Dated this 31st day of October, 1983.
Priscilla Chase Sullivan, Independent Executrix of the Estate of James W. Sullivan, Deceased, No. 2187 in the County Court of Collingsworth County, Texas, Sitting in Maters Probate 16-1c

PUBLIC NOTICE

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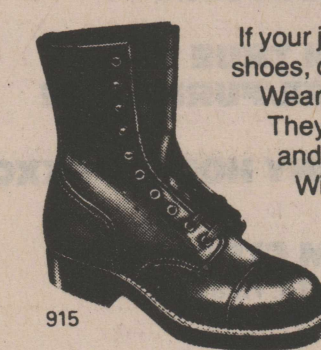
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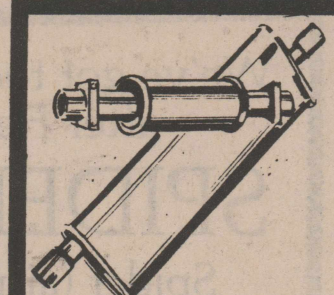
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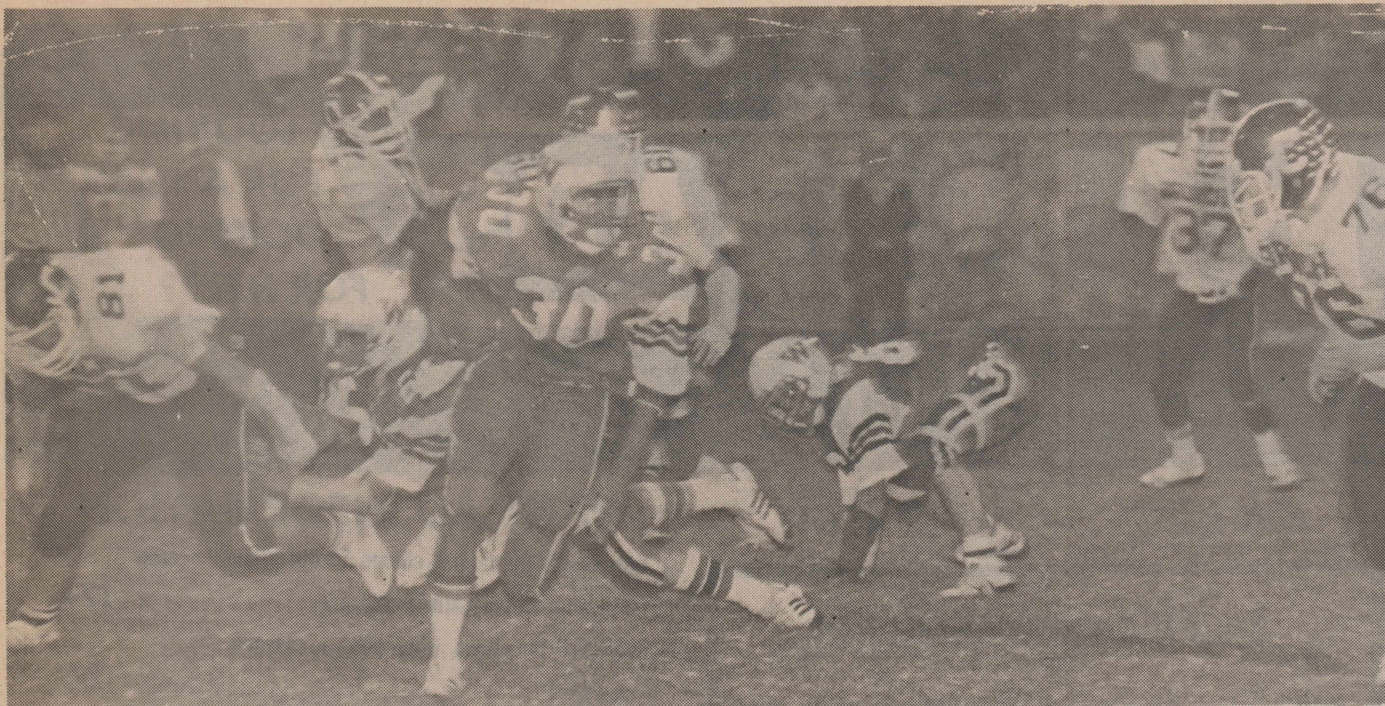
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Skyrocket Dewayne Culppepper, 30, breaks outside in Wellington's 23-21 win over Clarendon.

The Crew Comes Through: Rockets 23, Bronchos 21

The Crew Is Through!
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That was the chant from the Clarendon side of the field as the ball game opened Friday, Oct. 28 at Powell Field.

But when the final buzzer sounded the Wellington Skyrockets had a 23-21 win and ticket to the UIL playoffs. And Clarendon fans, sports writers and pollsters all had to admit, as the Skyrocket slogan says this year, "The Crew Ain't Through."

Many football fans said it was the best high school football game they'd ever seen. Few penalties, few mental errors, great defensive efforts and two offenses that threatened to break the big play at any time kept the outcome in question until the final down.

Wellington took a 6-0 lead with 4:13 to play in the first quarter on a 6-yarder by Dewayne Culppepper after Skyrocket Chad Holland's fumble recovery gave the Rockets field position at the Clarendon 34. (The extra point try failed.)

A 60-yard drive on the Rockets' next possession set up a 36-yard field goal by Mark Hunnicutt to make it 9-0. (It wasn't much of an effort for Hunnicutt, whose kickoffs consistently went through the goal posts.) That drive saw one of the Rockets' two pass completions (on four tries) of the night, a 7-yarder from Joe Bill Munn to James Benton who was drilled the moment he caught the ball, but hung on anyway for a 1st. And Benton and Dewayne Culppepper followed some fierce offensive line blocking to make two other first downs in the drive by inches.

Clarendon came back with its own 62-yard drive that ended in a 6-yard TD by quarterback Dyron Howell. Arlis Thomas' extra point kick made the score 9-7, Wellington, at halftime.

The Rockets made it to Clarendon's 21 before a 26-yard loss put the Rockets out of scoring range just before halftime.

Clarendon came back with the big play on their first possession after the half. Broncho Rodney Smith dodged 8 would-be tacklers on an incredible 68-yard broken field run to put Clarendon ahead 9-13, (the extra point kick failed) with 10:30 to play in the third quarter.

The Rockets turned things around again in the third quarter with a fumble recovery on the Clarendon 20. James Benton carried for 9 and then Dewayne Culppepper scored from the 11. Mark Hunnicutt's extra point kick made it 16-13, Skyrockets.

The Rockets held up Clarendon's next drive at midfield, keyed by a 3rd and 9 play by Kendall Harris. Wellington wound up with the ball at their own 17.

And with 4:34 to play in the third quarter, the Skyrockets broke their own

big play when Wellington linemen gave Dewayne Culppepper the one step he needs, and Culppepper flew 83 yards for a touchdown. Mark Hunnicutt's extra point kick gave Wellington a 23-13 lead.

The Skyrocket defense held Clarendon to five yards in three plays on their next possession with outstanding defensive efforts by Darvin Nix and Rodney Saldana.

But Clarendon came back in the fourth quarter with an 18-yard gain by Rodney Smith and a 13 yard pass from Dyron Howell to Doug Walker. And at 8:06 to play the Bronchos scored on a 4-yard run by Rodney Smith. Smith scored two extra points on a pitch-out, and that left the Rockets clinging to a 23-21 lead.

The Skyrockets took the kickoff at their own 24 and moved to Clarendon's 10 yard line, (keyed by a 29-yard dash by Culppepper behind a great block by Chad Holland) before turning the ball over.

With 3 minutes to play Clarendon went to the air, but Wellington's pass defense was up to the test, particularly on the fourth down that saw Wellington's Bill Reeves play a perfect

defense by batting the ball away from the receiver at the last second.

That play turned the ball over to the Rockets at the Clarendon 13, but a scrappy Clarendon defense held the line, and Clarendon got the ball for a final try at their own 4-yard line with 1 minute to play. Clarendon tried the passing attack again, but the Rockets came through again, this time with Jay Warrick almost intercepting one of the final attempts.

Rocket JV Wins Over Bronchos 20-0

Skyrocket Junior Varsity moved smoothly by Clarendon JV 20-0 Thursday, Oct. 27, on Broncho Field.

Wellington's first score came early in the game when James Patterson scored on a 57-yard touchdown pass from Chuck Brown. The extra point run failed and the score was 6-0 at half time.

"We had a couple of other

The victory gave the Skyrockets a 7-2 record for the season, and left them undefeated in district play.

	Well	Clar.
First Downs	17	16
Net Yds Rushing	291	287
Net Yds Passing	17	35
Total Yds Gained	308	322
Passes Attempt	4	14
Passes Complete	2	2
Passes Intercept By	0	0
Number of Punts	5	5
Punt Average	40.0	42
Opp Fumble Recover	0	0
No. Penalties	6	4
Yds Penalized	27	35
Wellington	6	3
Clarendon	0	7
W - Dewayne Culppepper 6 run (run failed)		
W - Mark Hunnicutt 36 FG		
C - Dyron Howell 6 run (Arlis Thomas kick)		
C - Rodney Smith 68 run (kick failed)		
W - Culppepper 11 run (Hunnicutt kick)		
W - Culppepper 83 run (Hunnicutt kick)		
C - Smith 4 run (Smith run)		

opportunities in one of which we fumbled. We had trouble holding onto the ball," said coach Carl Taylor.

In the third quarter, Neal Duncan caught a 35 yard pass from Mauro Villanueva, but again the pass for extra point failed, and the score was 12-0.

Late in the third, Mauro scored on a one-yard run. Clarendon got a bad punt off and the Rocket JV had a good return, followed by a good run by Brown and another by Patterson that put the ball down to the one yard line.

This time Wellington made the extra points on a pass from Villanueva to Michael Mackey.

"We tried to play all the kids so we didn't score in the last quarters," said Taylor.

Clarendon was unable to get inside the Wellington 20 yard line the entire evening.

The Skyrocket JV had 18 first downs, Clarendon had 7.

"The whole offensive and defensive units did an excellent job," said coach Taylor.

7th Graders Take 26-8 Win Over Clarendon

Wellington 7th Grade football team defeated Clarendon 26-8 Thursday, Oct. 27 to even their season record at 4-4.

Wellington held Clarendon scoreless until the final play of the game.

On the third down of the game Thomas Crytser scored on an 80-yard quarterback bootleg and Mark Myrick ran the extra point play to make it 8-0.

In the second quarter Carter Nash scored on a 20-yard sweep climaxing an 85-yard drive. Wellington held a 14-0 lead at halftime.

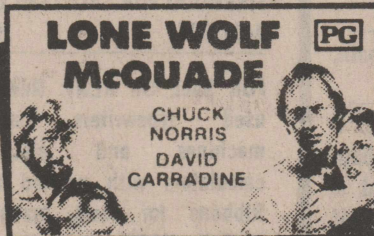
In the third quarter Carter Nash scored on a 5-yard dive to make it 20-0.

And in the fourth quarter Marvin Lynch scored on a 5-yard sweep giving Wellington a 26-0 lead.

But with five seconds remaining on the clock, Clarendon snapped the ball and dashed for an 80-yard touchdown sweep with no time remaining on the clock. An extra point run made the final score 26-8.

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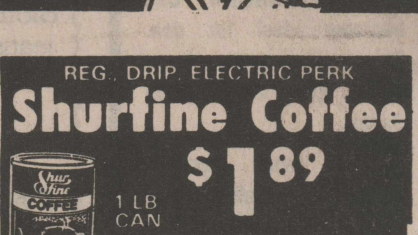


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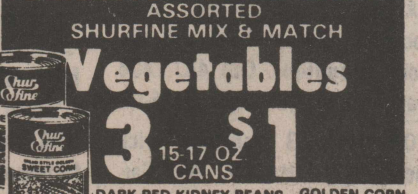
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