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Grand Jury Returns 8 Indictments

Eight bills of indictment were returned by a 100th District Court Grand Jury Monday, September 15. In addition two criminal cases were heard by District Judge Robert Montgomery on Monday and a civil suit Tuesday.

Two indictments were returned against Clarence Coffee, one for the murder of Wayne Mills, and the other for the aggravated assault of Ruth Lewis, according to the list released by District Attorney Charles Darter.

Other indictments included in the list were:

- B.D. Burns, swindling by worthless checks, which were given to O.K. Tire Store and City Grocery on March 7 and 8.

- Terry Harris, forgery and passing in connection with a check given Allsups on April 17.

- Nina Morgan, aggravated assault against her husband, Neylon Morgan, June 1.

- James B. Jasmin, burglary of Cochran's July 20.

- Simon Cantu, who now lives on the North Plains, removal of mortgaged property. The injured party was City State Bank.

- Randy O'Hair, arson at Collingsworth General Hospital, August 9.

One charge was dismissed by the grand jury and investigation into another case is still under way.

Following Jasmin's indictment, he was tried and received a 15-year sentence to the state prison. An Amarillo resident, he was surprised by Night Officer Wilson Porter as he attempted to burglarize C&H Pharmacy through the back door.

Bill Jim Rush, also of Amarillo, was convicted on a charge of theft and received a three year sentence, which was probated, Mr. Darter said.

Tuesday was given over to a civil case Bailey Stinson vs. Charles Oren, both of Eric, Oklahoma, a trespass to try title in a boundary dispute. The property involved was 2.63 acres of land in the Oklahoma Strip.

A jury found that there was no adverse possession on the part of Stinson, —See #1, Page 2A

Five County Calves At Tri-State Fair

Five Collingsworth County youths are exhibiting calves at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo this week. All these calves were on exhibit at the Fair livestock show.

Lynn Tate has his grand champion, a Hereford, and Mark Fourmentin his reserve champion, a black, white-faced Angus-Hereford cross. Stan Tate is exhibiting a hereford while Joe and David Baumgardner have Charolais-Hereford crosses.

The calves will be judged Saturday, September 20.

These calves weigh from



NOW OPEN WIDE!

Carey Lewis Neeley, a teacher in the State School for Human Development, Amarillo, was a member of the team which conducted the free speech and hearing clinic in Wellington Saturday, September 13. Here she tells

Nancy Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davis, to open her mouth wide for an examination. Mrs. Neeley is the wife of Jimmy Neeley and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis.

Rockets Impressive in Improvement to Date

To say the Skyrockets are idle this week would be most misleading.

Such moments will be few indeed during the next week, as Wellington prepares to meet the Childress Bobcats in the first home game Friday, September 26.

Mrs. V. K. Orr, Sr. Longtime Vinson Woman, Dies

Mrs. V.K. Orr, Sr., who has lived most of her life in the Vinson-Wellington area, died in Harmon Memorial Hospital, Hollis, at 6:00 p.m. Sunday, September 14, after a short illness.

She and Mr. Orr made their home a short distance east of the Texas-Oklahoma State Line, in Harmon County. They had lived here for many years.

The former Alice Lee (Dollie) Castleman, Mrs. Orr was born at Breckenridge June 10, 1906, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Castleman. The family came to this area when she was only five weeks old.

She attended the OM School.

On December 24, 1924, she was married to V.K. Orr in Wellington. He also had come to Harmon County as a child. Their first home was in —See #2, Page 2A

Game time is 8:00 p.m.

Coach James Williams this week assessed the Rockets' progress through their first two games.

"Our offensive has been more impressive than I thought it would be when we were so shimmaged. We looked at the boys early and I was kind of concerned. But the kids have put it together and are blocking and moving the ball better now."

The defense also has been impressive. It has not allowed a touchdown by either opponent, Hollis or Paducah, and both teams were held to a total of 7 first downs.

"I'm real proud of the way they are coming," their head coach added.

"I think the school and the community is proud of them. We had three times as many people as Paducah in the game played there, even though it was raining. "We sure appreciate this, and I know our kids appreciate the backing."

We started preparing for Childress right after Paducah. It's going to be a different type of game, and I think the outcome will be determined a lot by the breaks. "Childress has a real good AA team, and we will be a Class A team. It will be a hard-hitting game, for they have a quality team.

The Rockets have only one injury. Ron Ingram, who had a pinched nerve in one shoulder, got hit another lick on that shoulder Friday, but with the off date, his coaches believe he will be ready to play.

"Overall, we have pretty good quickness, and we are pretty well of equal ability," Coach Williams assessed.

Dan Ford, Richard Sims and Sammy Gonzales give depth at the left halfback position. Jesse Davis has George Darton as his backup at the fullback position; and Edward Thomas, Randall Sims and Arnie Ingram make the wingback position secure.

Shane Tarver is backup man to Quarterback Geroge Brewer, but he can also play well at end. He has already accounted for three touchdowns and some long

receptions. "He really helped our offensive attack," said Coach Williams.

George Brewer, our quarterback, is a team leader and does a lot for the team. He throws well, and I can't say enough for his attitude. He's a fine athlete.

—See #3, Page 2A

Mrs. O. E. Rogers Dies Following Short Illness

Mrs. O.E. Rogers, a county resident for almost 50 years, died in an Amarillo hospital at 5:45 a.m. after a short illness. She had received a broken arm in a fall a short time ago, but was thought to be recovering well until she was stricken ill.

She and her husband, the late O.E. Rogers, farmed west of Wellington for many years before retiring and —See #5, Page 2A

Hay Camp Member-Guest Tourney Opens Saturday

Hay Camp Country Club will hold its first member-guest golf tournament Saturday and Sunday, September 20 and 21, with visitors coming from as far as Chicago, Illinois, and Phoenix, Arizona.

Plans were announced by Jim Terry, Hay Camp golf

A rate increase which will amount overall to approximately 7.9 percent was granted General Telephone Company by the City Council in its regular meeting Monday, September 15.

The members then passed a utility regulation ordinance which would require the three utility companies serving Wellington to appear before the council and make a formal application before any rate increases are put in effect.

The remainder of the meeting was given over to a study of the proposed budget for the 1975-76 fiscal year, amounting to \$368,859. Amendments proposed by council members will be made and the public budget hearing was set for Monday, October 6, at 8:00 p.m. in the council chamber, City manager, Glen Taylor announced.

The rate increase which the council granted General Telephone was well below the 29 percent rate increase that company requested. The increase granted was one recommended by the city's legal counsel, Paul Spillman.

Rates on all phones, both business and residential in Wellington were raised \$1.00 each per month. However, extensions were increased only 15 cents per month. The rates now in effect include:

Business, one party lines, from \$13 to \$14 per month; business, 2 party, \$10.95 to \$11.95;

Residential, one party line, \$6.15 to \$7.15; two party lines, \$5.10 to \$6.10; and four party lines, \$4.40 to \$5.40.

In the future, everyone will pay the same installation charge, City Manager Taylor said.

The utility ordinance, passed unanimously on a motion by Tom Wilkins and second by Earl Lynn Bartlett,

seeks to provide Wellington with the same control which the new public utilities commission will give statewide when it becomes effective January 1. The ordinance is aimed, in part, at preventing further rate increases by a "flow-through" clause. It also

provides that if a request for rate increase must be taken before the Railroad Commission, or to court, the legal fees of the city will be paid by the utility company.

The proposed budget, prepared by the city's auditor, Don Wells of Shamrock, calls for an

income of \$405,687 during the fiscal year, with expenditures of \$336,715.87.

The increase in income is from several sources, the upped water, sewer and sanitation rates; an increase in revenue sharing; and a grant of \$11,500 which the city received for completion of its sanitary landfill to conform to environmental guidelines; and an increase in sales tax.

Mr. Taylor, who prepared all figures for the budget, said he was working for something that was realistic, but which the city could live with.

The 1974-75 budget was approved at \$303,000, but the city actually spent \$336,000 in round figures.

Of the \$30,000 by which the budget was exceeded, Mr. Taylor explained that approximately \$18,000 of this was in capital improvements, including street improvement in north and northeast Wellington, where almost all of Wellington's black population lives, and on construction of the tennis courts at Ellison Park.



MRS. MURRAY DODSON

Mrs. Dodson Named To MHMR Committee

Mrs. Murray Dodson of Dodson recently was appointed to the District 6 Committee for the Amarillo Mental Health Mental Retardation Regional Center.

Appointed by County Judge Zook Thomas, she is one of three representatives from Collingsworth County. Other members are Mrs. B.M. Sims, who is also on the Regional Board from the Eastern Division, and Mrs. Kenyard Poteet.

Mrs. Dodson resigned at the beginning of 1975 after 25 years with the State Department of Public Welfare. Through her work, she became familiar with many of the problems which the Mental Health Mental Re-

tardation Regional Center seeks to help.

It is through the work of the district committee, with the regional center, that enabled Collingsworth County to have the Family Service Center, with Floyd Robertson, associate clinical psychologist, coming here for one-half day, on the first and third Thursdays of each month.

The three Collingsworth committee members will attend a District 6 board meeting in Clarendon Monday, September 22. District officers are Mrs. Tom Christian of Claude, chairman; Tom Posey of Memphis, vice chairman; and Mrs. Poteet, secretary.

District 6 committee members include: Armstrong County, Mrs. Christian and Artella Cobb; Collingsworth: Mrs. Dodson, Mrs. Sims and Mrs. Poteet; Donley: Maurice Risley, Nova Mooring, Frances Skelton and Jeff Walker, alternate; and Hall County: Miss Tops Gilbreath and Edna Mae Cook.

Spotting Meters Next Step in Water Program

Approximately 140 Collingsworth farmers and ranchers have entered the Thirsty Water rural water program, Tom Lewis, a director, said after the September 15 deadline.

All meters added in the future will cost \$250 if extra water is available.

Those in the program will pay monthly rates for water of \$20.00 with a charge of \$1.00 per thousand gallons over that.

As the next step in the program, a representative of the engineering firm, Biggs & Matthews, Inc., Wichita Falls, will go through the lines with a board member to spot the meters, Mr. Lewis said.

Preliminary plans have been drawn and these will be submitted to the state office of the Farmers Home —See #6, Page 2A

Fifty-two Children Assessed at Clinic

A team of speech and hearing specialists from the Panhandle Speech and Hearing Association and the Amarillo Public Schools examined 52 Collingsworth children at the second annual speech and hearing clinic Saturday, September 13.

This turnout was described as good, considering the weather.

The children, three to 6 years old checked, showed a total of 33 conditions which were noted and discussed with each mother after her child's examination was completed. Some of these, the parents were asked to watch. Others were referred to the

family doctor. Still others were asked to take their child to a specialist.

Kerry Ormson, who headed the team, noted the larger than usual number of children showing pressure in the inner ear. This could be caused by a number of things, including allergies brought on by fall vegetation, he explained. Should this be the case, the pressure will disappear after the first freeze, Mr. Ormson added.

Co-operation of the parents is of utmost importance. Mr. Ormson urged that the children be checked at the free speech and hearing —See #7, Page 2A

Industrial Workshop Planned October 22

An all-day industrial workshop for Wellington, Childress and Shamrock will be held at the Bura Handley Community Center Wednesday, October 22. Announcement of the workshop was made at the regular Chamber of Commerce directors meeting Monday, September 15.

Homer Tucker, industrial development consultant for the Texas Industrial Com-

mission in Austin, will conduct the program.

Members of the Collingsworth Chamber of Commerce had been planning a trip to Austin to attend a similar workshop, but State Representative Phil Cates of Shamrock arranged to have the meeting held in Wellington.

Details of the program will be announced later. —See #4, Page 2A

Hay Camp Holds First Pro-Amateur Tourney

A Pro-Am team headed by Ronnie Rosson, Lubbock golf professional, won the first Hay Camp Country Club Pro-Amateur Tournament Monday, September 15.

Other members of the team were Ullis Rosson of Lamesa and two Wellington golfers, C.T. Hubbard and Teddy Martin.

This team had a low ball of 60.

It was the first time pros have been invited to play in a Hay Camp tournament and without exception, they were pleased.

"They all thought we have a beautiful course and were amazed at the results achieved in the time we have been open. Everyone commented on it," said Hay Camp pro Jim Terry.

This was the major one-day tournament of the 1975 season.

After a cold rainy week end, Monday's weather was perfect by the time of the shotgun start at 2:00 p.m.

Second place in the tournament, with a low ball of 61, went to the team of John Smith, Vernon country club pro, with George Patterson, Carrol Kirby and Mrs. Ola Harrison, all of Vernon.

Tying for third and fourth, scoring 62 on the 18 holes were teams headed by a Vernon pro and a Wellington man.

Val Howard of Vernon Country Club had as his members Billy Raider and David Blue of Vernon, and Grant Woodlridge.

William Gragson was team captain for the other team, with members R.L. Mabery, Henry Sullivan, and Dan Booth of Hollis.

The low gross amateur was held by Bill Long, and the low net amateur score,

72-15-59, by Carrol Kirby. The low pro score of 69 was tied by Virgil Smith of Meadowbrook Municipal course, Lubbock and Ronnie Rosson of Lubbock Country Club.

Third place, 71 was posted by Hay Camp Pro Jim Terry and fourth, 74, by Val

Vocational Classes Begin September 22

Adult Vocational Training Classes in bookkeeping, typing, shorthand and upholstery will begin the week of September 22 and will again be sponsored by Texas State Technical Institute, Amarillo College and Collingsworth Community Action Center.

Registration for classes will be Monday, September 22 at the Community Action Center, 612 East Avenue at 7:00 p.m. Classes are open to anyone over 18 years of age regardless of whether they have completed their high school education or not.

Classes in bookkeeping and accounting will be taught by Mrs. Lorraine Parker and will meet on Monday nights at the Community Action Center. Typing classes will be taught by Mrs. Evelyn King and will meet on Tuesday nights at the Courthouse. Shorthand classes will also be taught by Mrs. King and will meet on Wednesday and Friday at 6:00 to 7:30 at the Community Action Center.

Upholstery classes will meet on Tuesday nights at 7:00 p.m. and will be taught by Mrs. Juaneita Richey. The meeting place will be Richey Upholstery Shop at 719 West Avenue.

Cost of the classes \$5.00 and this includes the books

Howard of Vernon. Smith is the only Black golf professional in this area, Mr. Terry said.

Two other pros participating were John Hammer of Hunsley Hills Country Club, Canyon, and Lawrence Bailey of Perryton Country Club.

This is the fifth year that adult skill classes have been offered in Wellington and during that time several hundred people have either learned a new skill or have upgraded their present skill.

Wellington was the first town in this area to take advantage of adult skill training, but since that time there are over 2000 people each year in the Texas Panhandle enrolled in this type classes. Those completing the class work receive Continuing Education Credits from TSTI.

For further information contact Mrs. Tessie Burba, Coordinator of Collingsworth County Community Action Center at 612 East Avenue or phone 447-2840.

#1-continued from page 1 according to the district attorney.

The trial of David Moore, under indictment for murder, was postponed awaiting additional psychiatric tests for Moore.

#6-continued from page 1 Administration, the financing agent, and then to the National FHA office. Water program members are hopeful that the contract for construction can be let by the first of the year.

August Sales Tax Amounts To \$5,724.71

Wellington's sales tax for the month ending August 29, amounted to \$5724.71 and the check is due to reach the city this week.

Figures were released by the office of Bob Bullock, comptroller of public accounts.

The total period allocation was \$5,715.34. From this was subtracted a state service fee of \$114.31, and an additional \$286.12 was retained by the state. However, a balance of \$409.80 from a prior period was added to the August payment to give the \$5724.71.

Group Here for Hartman Rites

A group of out of town friends and relatives were here to attend the funeral of Mrs. L.W. Hartman Sunday, September 7.

These included Mr. and Mrs. Gale Hartman of Tahoka; John James of Liberal, Kansas; Mrs. Mae Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. John Wolford, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Creed, Don, Lynn and Sissie, of Lubbock, Mrs. Gladys Miller of Liberal, Kansas; Mrs. Janie Patterson of Childress; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lancaster, Mrs. Georgia Noles, Miss Mary Ruth Gentry, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Davis of Amarillo; and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hartman of Plainview.

GED Test Given Thurs.

The GED Test will be given Thursday, September 18 at 6:00 p.m. in the Wellington High School.

Anyone interested should contact Mrs. Melvin Cardwell at 447-2023.

Mrs. Cason, Sr. Has Surgery in Abilene

Mrs. Charles Cason, Sr., is recovering satisfactory from surgery performed Tuesday, September 9 in Abilene.

She is out of the hospital now and staying with her son, Charles Cason, Jr. until she is released to return home.

Harper Home After Surgery

Mr. and Mrs. John Harper returned September 6, from Bartlesville, Oklahoma, where he underwent major surgery twice. He is now able to be out and is improving, Mrs. Harper said.

Mr. Harper, who was a patient in Jane Phillips Memorial Hospital, was released for a four-day period before returning for the second major operation.

With them were their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Calvin Harper of Bartlesville, and Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Moore of Tulsa, which is 50 miles south of Bartlesville.

The couple visited in the Moore home for 10 days after Mr. Harper was released from the hospital the second time.

#2-continued from page 1 the OM community, but most of their married life was at Vinson. However, they also have lived at Borger, El Reno, Oklahoma and Wellington.

She was a member of the Church of Christ, and through the years took part in many affairs in her community.

Funeral services were conducted at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in Hollis Church of

Christ, with Minister Paul Evans officiating.

Graveside services were at Memorial Gardens, Wellington at 3:45, with arrangements under the direction of Coley Funeral Home, Hollis.

Nephews were pall bearers. Survivors include her husband, V.K. Orr, Sr.; three sons, V.K. Orr, Jr., of Wellington, Vista Lee Orr of Tulsa; and Franklin Orr of Reno, Nevada; two brothers, F.D. Castleman and L.J. Castleman of Hollis; six sisters, Mrs. Walter Randall, Mrs. Andrew Powers and Mrs. J.W. Shadix of Hollis; Mrs. Opal Reeves of Borger, Mrs. Carrie Alexander of Burnet and Mrs. Ernest Stewart of San Leandro, Calif. There are 7 grandchildren.

#4-continued from page 1 tournament attest that the course is in great shape."

Hay Camp Country Club Golf Course is fast gaining the reputation as one of the most challenging in the Panhandle-Western Oklahoma area.

#7-continued from page 1 clinic each year.

"We feel we have a very good working relationship with Wellington," he added.

One member of the team is a Wellington girl, Carey Lewis Neeley, wife of Jimmy Neeley and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis.

A review of the conditions found by the speech and hearing team shows that two children had eustachian tube problems, 9 showed vocabulary problems and three dental problems. Parents of two were advised to consult a speech therapist, to correct lisping, one needed attention to the tonsils.

Seven children were referred to the family doctors for

removal of ear wax plugs; four were advised to secure audiological assessment for the children; one was referred to an otolaryngologist; four to ear specialists. One child was found to have fluid in the middle ear and one to have negative pressure of the inner ear. Arrangements are being made for further assessment of one child with a cleft palate.

Team members were Fay Woodlridge and Mrs. Neeley, articulation; Audrey Taylor, receptive language; Freda Whitaker and Johnnie Mae Coleman, expressive language; Marsha Murphy and Kay Phillips, diagnostics; Mr. Ormson and his wife, Nancy and Cathie Marchand, hearing.

#5-continued from page 1 moving to the family home at 1108 Dalhart Street.

The former Frances Repine, Mrs. Rogers was born in Cedar County Missouri, February 22, 1893. She and Mr. Rogers were married November 5, 1911, at Batesville, Arkansas, and made their home there until coming to Collingsworth County.

She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Funeral services were conducted at Kelso Chapel Tuesday at 2:40 p.m., with Minister Tom Anderson of the Wellington Church of Christ officiating. Burial was in memorial gardens under the direction of Kelso Funeral Home.

Pall bearers were Gilroy Rummel, Paul Bell, Pat Bouchelle, Ray Null, Elmer Hiett and Shelton Nunneley. Surviving Mrs. Rogers are two sons, E.L. Rogers of

Amarillo and Henry Rogers. There are three grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Mr. Rogers died April 2, 1967.

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In the line, Don Allred, Randall Maxwell, Danny Morris, Jackie Black and Allen Sanders are doing a good job trying to get their backing assignments down. "If they do that, we'll keep moving the football," Williams added. Two others who are coming along well and showing improvement are the ends, Paul Hanna on the right side and Joe Baumgardner at left.

Versatile guards are found in Mickey Vassey and Ron Ingram.

David Null, likewise has versatility, alternating at either tackle position.

Another veteran of the team is Tony Martinez, who has started at end position three years and is described as "a steady football player."

Cliff Pennon won praise for himself in the Paducah game, doing an outstanding job on defense in getting to the opponent's quarterback. He accounted for four unassisted tackles.

Bob Cummings, who starts on a defensive unit at cornerback, is another of the Rockets the coaches declare is doing a good job.

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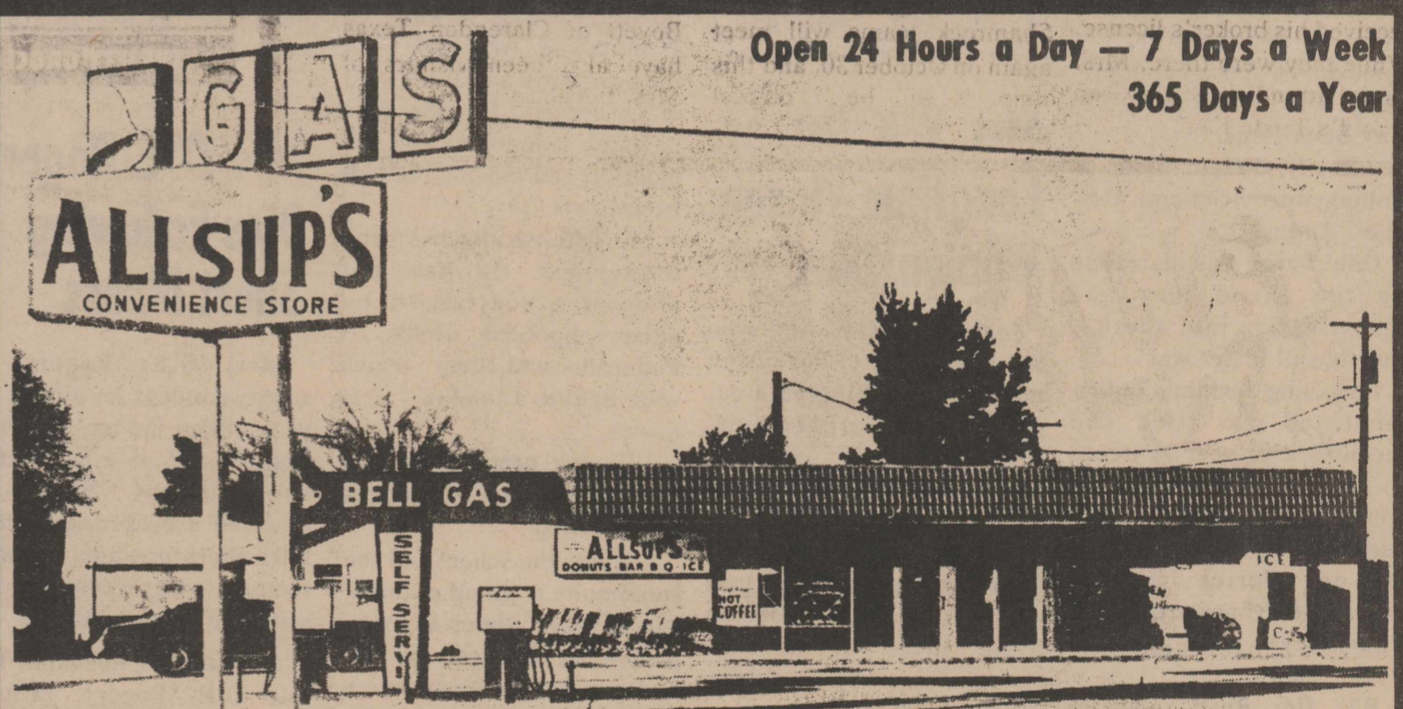
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Eighth Grade Meets Hollis Here Friday

After showing much improvement since their first game, Wellington Eighth Grade football team is "looking pretty good at this point," Coach Bruce Dollar said.

This team lost their opener to Shamrock 8th grade 22-8, after only four days of practice, against two weeks for their opponent.

The Firecrackers will play their second game of the season against the Hollis 8th grade Thursday, September 18, at Powell Field. Game time is 5:30 p.m.

"We're improving every

day," said Coach Dollar. Part of these boys played seventh grade ball last year, but we have some of them at new positions and some have never played football at all."

Coach Dollar has only 16 boys on his roster, one of the smallest 8th grade teams of recent years. This is due to an overall smaller eighth grade.

This year's Firecrackers at this time are lacking in speed, but they make up for it in enthusiasm and in their ability to play well together.

"We don't have any outstanding players. They are of about the same ability," said the coach.

Coach Dollar has listed this starting lineup:

Kevin Needham and Mike Thomas, ends; Dane Dodge and Kirk Patterson, tackles; Carlos Granados and Haskell Bonaparte, guards; Clint Nash, center; Robert Powell, halfback; Baldo Nevarez, fullback; Richard Archer, wingback and Marty Warwick, quarterback.

Other boys on the team are Jesse Garcia, halfback; Jerry Henry, guard; Craig Darter, Center; Greg Neeley, tackle and Neal Van Pelt, end.

Dodge, who was playing fullback in the game with Shamrock, scored the Firecrackers only touchdown, going over from the two yard line.

The teams were more evenly matched than the score might indicate, Coach Dollar said. It was strictly a defensive game and should have been a tie. Shamrock scored twice in the last period on long runs-situations in which the Wellington team's lack of practice showed.

The Wellington and Shamrock teams will meet again on October 30, and this time, it will be a district game.

Volunteer Ambulance Service Report

Mrs. J.F. Isaacs, Haskell Street to Collingsworth General Hospital, Aug. 18.

William Snelson, Thomas Nursing Center to Collingsworth General, Aug. 18.

Elzie White, 1807 East Avenue to Collingsworth General, August 20.

Mrs. Elbert Watts, 1507 Graham Street to hospital, Aug. 20.

Mrs. Gracie White, 1410 Childress to hospital, Aug. 24.

Mrs. L.E. Brisbin, 1200 Childress to hospital, Aug. 24.

Richard Sessions, Thomas

Nursing Center to hospital, Aug. 25.

Sam Gillespie, 1403 Floyd-ada to hospital, Aug. 27.

Sam Gilliespie, Collingsworth General to Thomas Nursing Center, Aug. 29.

Mrs. W.M. Williams, Thomas Nursing Center to Collingsworth General, Aug. 29.

Mrs. Ura Hogan, from her home east of Dodson to Collingsworth General, Aug. 20.

Mrs. Beatrice Jenkins, 1109 Bowie to Collingsworth General.

Thomas Nursing Center News

As fall approaches, Thomas Nursing Center is taking on a new look. The rooms are being painted, new name plates are being painted, and fall decorations are being put out. The residents are working on their new Christmas projects.

Tuesday evening, the residents enjoyed the monthly birthday party. Fall decorations accented the table. Entertainment was provided by Benny Kilgo. Residents having a birthday in September are Mrs. Martha Reeves, Mrs. Ella Cubine, Mrs. Jennie Powell, Mr. Leaburn Goswick, Mrs. Edna Bourland and Mrs. Vivian Waggoner.

Many of our residents have had some very special company in the past weeks. Visitors of Mrs. Mary Boyett have been her granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Allen of Joplin, Missouri, her niece Mrs. Eva Rayl from Ft. Worth and sister-in-law, Mae Wilson also of Ft. Worth. Albert and Dorothy Boyett of Clarendon Texas have also been visitors of Mrs. Boyett.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin

Kellough of Winters visit him over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davidson visited Mrs. Iva Davidson. Robin Maddox of Amarillo visited with his grandfather, Otis Roberson. Mrs. Joe Raburn of Dumas visited her aunt, Miss Virda Raburn. Julia Perry and Opel Plunkett were weekend visitors of Mrs. Mary Plunkett.

Henry Coker was visited by longtime friend, Abe Breedlove of Amarillo.

Visiting with George Brewer Sunday, were his daughters, Mrs. Juanita McNabb and Mrs. Jessie Lee Brown and his sister, Mrs. Myrtle Turley of Amarillo. They also visited Mrs. Nina Beard, Mrs. Sallie Harris, and Mrs. Maxwell.

Other visitors of Mrs. Nina Beard were Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Ingram from Oklahoma City, Okla.

Almost 100 million Americans, nearly half the U.S. population, are potentially eligible for Veterans Administration benefits.

Health Agency Opens Office

The West Texas Home Health Agency, a service available in Wellington, recently completed its new office in Childress.

Mrs. LaDell Maxwell, a licensed vocational nurse, covers the program in Wellington and Shamrock.

Home Health Care, it was explained, is under the Medicare program for people age 65 or over, or for people who have been entitled to disability benefits for 24 consecutive months, and provides skilled nursing and other health services in the patient's home.

Such services are provided under, Part A, hospital insurance following a qualifying hospital stay, or Part B, medical insurance with no requirement for prior hospitalization. This service must be prescribed by the physician and includes a number of services, such as part time skilled nursing

care, therapy treatment, medical social services.

Such home health agencies have policies established and supervised by physicians and registered nurses, are licensed under state and local laws, and are approved for participation in the Medicare program.

The West Texas Home Health Agency, with headquarters at Seymour, has a staff consisting of an executive director of nursing from Lubbock, Marie H. Milliken; an area director of nursing, Mary D. McGough of Seymour; local supervisor of nursing, Lo Ann Foster of Childress; and these LVN's: Winnie Harper, Edna Manual, Wanda Nail and Patsy Sims of Childress; Glynda Morgan and Alene Worthing of Memphis; Mrs. Maxwell for Wellington; and Cindy Cook, office secretary.

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Truett Hollands Visit Relatives in Illinois

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Holland recently returned from the Scivally family reunion and visits with other relatives at Anna and Johnston, both in southern Illinois.

These were relatives of the late Mrs. Rob Holland, and most of those attending the reunion were the children of the late Emerson Scivally and their families.

Part of the events were held at Dennis Scivally State Park, across the Mississippi River at Cape Girardeau, Missouri, also named for a member of the family.

The southern Illinois area where they visited has many places associated with Abraham Lincoln, and one of those they visited was the site of one of the Lincoln, Douglas debates.

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Social Security Schedule Given

A representative of the Amarillo Social Security office will be at the Heritage Room of Wellington State Bank on dates announced this week.

These are from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon on Mondays October 6 and 20; November 3, 10, 17 and 24; and December 1, 8, 15 and 22.

There are only two dates in October, as the other Mondays, the 13 and 27, are legal holidays, Columbus Day and Veterans Day.

The representative will assist anyone on matters relating to Social Security, Supplementary Security Income or Medicare.

Those who cannot meet him here may come to the Social Security office at 317 East Third Street, or by phoning 806-376-2241.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Lanier were in San Antonio last week where he completed a course in real estate and received his broker's license. While they were there, Mrs. Lanier attended the Mexican World's Trade Fair.

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DAR Changes Meeting Day

La Paisana Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will open their year Monday, September 22, with a dinner meeting at Cherokee Inn Restaurant.

Mrs. Richard Fourmentin will be the hostess, and the dinner hour is 6:30 p.m.

All future meetings will be on the fourth Monday, Mrs. Fourmentin said.

Those who cannot be present September 22 should call her at 493-2636.

Shower Given Edith Black

Miss Edith Black, fiance of Patrick Wayne Robertson of Clarendon, was honored with a bridal shower in that town Sunday, September 7, in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Leeper.

After guests had viewed the gifts, they were served from a table laid with a white cloth and centered with an arrangement of fruit. Crystal appointments were used.

Guests called between three and five in the afternoon.

Hostesses with Mrs. Leeper were Mrs. James Owens, Mrs. Ralph Hill, Mrs. Van Howard, Mrs. Duane Nichols, Mrs. Chauncey Hommel, Mrs. Nina Dale, Mrs. Theron Holland, Mrs. Clyde James, Mrs. Bill Wise, Mrs. Steve Ellis, Mrs. John Holland, Mrs. Bob Trout, Mrs. Lacy Nobles, Mrs. John Alarid, Mrs. Della Allen, Mrs. Dave Croslin, and Mrs. Guy Sibley.

Attending from Wellington, along with Miss Black, was her mother, Mrs. Elmer Black.

Mrs. Sims to Attend TFWC Board Meeting at Austin

"Your Proposed Constitution", a discussion of the pros and cons of the new Texas constitution by several leading authorities, will highlight the Annual Fall Board Meeting of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, September 30-October 2, at the Driskill Hotel and the Austin Headquarters.

Mrs. B.M. Sims, third vice president of the Texas Federation, will attend, and Mrs. David Britt of Wheeler, president of the Top of Texas District, also is due to be present.

Among the invited officials slated to participate in the

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MISS EDI WATKINS

Fall Wedding Planned by Edi Watkins, Mike Williams

Mr. and Mrs. Harold F. Watkins, 1601 El Paso Street, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Edi Agness, to Michael Dee Williams.

Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Billy D. Williams, 2004 Graham Street.

A late fall wedding is planned.

Miss Watkins is a graduate of Wellington High School and attended West Texas State University. She is presently employed in the business office of Collingsworth General Hospital.

Her fiance also graduated from Wellington High School and attended West Texas State University. He is now with Highway 83 Equipment Co.

Mrs. Owens UMW Speaker

Mrs. Gorman Owens was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Lydia Group, United Methodist Women Monday afternoon, September 15, opening with a devotional, "Pray without Ceasing."

Mrs. E.F. Bartlett was hostess. She next gave the program study, "Eight Bells and All Is Well," the story of a radio minister.

Attending were Mrs. Bob Hightower, Mrs. A.L. Elliott, Mrs. R.R. Crawley, Mrs. J.B. Stevenson, Mrs. J.D. Wilson, Mrs. Chester Fires, Mrs. Fred Covey, Mrs. Owens, and the hostess, Mrs. Bartlett.

Never swim alone.

Retired Teachers Unit Will Open Year on September 23

The Collingsworth County unit, its National Association of Retired Teachers, will open the 1975-76 year with a called meeting Tuesday, September 23, at the Greenbelt Electric Co-operative directors room. It will begin at 4:00 p.m.

Film Shown WYH Sept. 2

Wellington Young Homemakers met Tuesday, September 2 at the Greenbelt Building.

The club saw a film on giving blood, and discussed taking cookies for the bloodmobile which was here Tuesday, September 9.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Joe Harris and Mrs. Ronnie Hartman.

Members present were Mrs. Eddie Maxwell, Mrs. Tommy Powell, Mrs. Jerry Settle, Mrs. Leamon Bawcom, Mrs. Hartman, Mrs. John Henard, III, Mrs. Nicky Watts, Mrs. Mike Smith, Mrs. Dan Langford, Mrs. Gary Killian, Mrs. Emmett Bobbitt, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Gary Lemons, Mrs. Vennum Fitzgerald, and Mrs. Kenneth Davis. One guest was present, Mrs. Dwaine Binford.

LVN Banquet In Shamrock

LVNA Association, Division 83, celebrated its 5th anniversary at a banquet Monday evening, September 1 at the Maverick Restaurant Dining Room, Shamrock.

The table centerpiece was or red, white and blue carnations, and miniature nurses caps filled with mints and nuts served as decorations.

Mrs. J.K. Porter, president, conducted the business meeting, at which plans were discussed to attend the 26th State Convention in Dallas October 8, 9, 10 and 11. The program for the convention will include diabetes and burn care. Four or five

John Coleman, legislative chairman, will discuss the proposed new state constitution, and all members are urged to bring their copies in order to follow more closely the changes.

Mrs. Jack Lowry, president, reminded members that this meeting date is for September only, and in October the meeting will return to its regular date, the first Tuesday of the month; October 7.

Quail FHA Initiation

Quail FHA held the new member initiation in conjunction with a Mexican supper at the Home Ec Cottage Friday evening, September 12. Those initiated were Carol Ann Daves, Connie Daves, Donna Langley, LeAnn Marcum, and Cindy Aycock.

Senior members present were Sharon Childers, Gary Wischkaemper, Brian Barton, Tommy Caldwell, Bill Green, Johnny Needham; juniors, Kathy Guthrie and Rita Fielding; sophomores, Karen Caldwell and Melissa Guthrie.

Those parents attending were Mrs. Dennie Marcum, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Langley, Mrs. Jimmy Aycock, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. N.E. Childers, the sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Riley and other guests.

members plan to attend the convention.

Those attending the banquet from Shamrock were Mrs. Becky Morgan, Mrs. Bonnie Dodson, Mrs. Jewette Hayes, Mrs. Billie Welty, Mrs. Jeanie Hale and one visitor.

Mrs. Lucille Gilmore and Mrs. Milburn Gibbs went from Wellington.

Ten percent of U.S. drowning victims normally are under five years of age, while 14 percent are 54 or older.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Nell Cook recently were her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey Harrell of Borger. They also went to Tipton, Okla., to visit Mrs. Cook's sister, Mrs. Grace Grose, and family.

Children need adult help in learning to become self-directing and responsible for their own actions, Mrs. Ilene Miller, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Never sleep in a tightly closed room heated by an unvented unit.



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Edith Daye

to

Mr. Patrick Wayne Robertson

on Saturday, the twenty-seventh of September

Nineteen hundred and seventy-five

at four o'clock

First Baptist Church

Wellington, Texas

Reception immediately following

Who's New in the Wellington Area

Rev. and Mrs. Steve Dolloff are the parents of a son, Michael Trey, born September 5 in Childress General Hospital. He weighed 5 pounds, nine ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl McKinney are the parents of a son, Greg Alan, born September 12 in Collingsworth General Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds and 5 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Garza are the parents of a son born September 9 in Collingsworth General Hospital. He weighed seven pounds, nine and three-fourths ounces and was named Michael Anthony. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E.S. Hale, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garza of Del Rio.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cook of Long Beach, Calif., are the parents of a son, Jess Neff, namesake of his great grandfather, Jess Neff Cook of Wellington. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.N. Cook of Roswell, N.M. and the great grandmother is Mrs. Nell Cook and Mrs. J.M. Strong of Wellington.

Dodson HDC Met Sept. 9

The Dodson Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Lynvel Black Tuesday, September 9.

Mrs. Wayne Reynolds gave the council report and inquired if a club member would be available to attend the district meeting in April.

Mrs. Arla Felts presented a lesson on community environment and leadership. She also demonstrated the use of fusables on different materials, giving a pillow top as a door prize. The group was also shown how to tie string beads and ties with the love knot.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. A.V. Lowrie and anyone is welcome regardless of race or sex.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. Fred Boyd, Mrs. Floyd Wilhite, Mrs. Purl Tippie, Mrs. Thurman Crownover, Mrs. Lowrie, Mrs. Felts, and the hostess Mrs. Black, Leslie and Larrie.

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Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

On Sunday, the 28th of September, 1975

From 2:00 to 4:00

At the Bura Handley Community Center

Wellington, Texas

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In honour of the
Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary of
Mr. and Mrs. Coy Vaughan
their family

requests the pleasure of your company

at Open House

on Sunday, the twenty-first of September

from three until five

Bura Handley Community Center

Wellington, Texas

D. Civic Club Holds Meeting

Mrs. Clarence Black and Mrs. Lynvel Black were co-hostesses for the Dodson Civic Club which met Thursday, Sept. 11 in Nellie's Dining Room.

Mrs. Murray Dodson, president, called the meeting to order, and Mrs. Purl Tippie led the allegiance to both the United States and the Texas flags.

Mrs. T.E. Lennon read the minutes of the last two meetings, and Mrs. B.B. Martin gave the treasurer's report and the year book committee report.

Mrs. Fred Boyd gave the program on making federation work, "Sea to Shining Sea Unity".

A brief memorial service was held in honor of a deceased member, Mrs. J.T. (Bernice) Bogle. Mrs. J.C. Howell gave a poem and Mrs. Clarence Black led the closing prayer.

Refreshments were served to one visitor, Mrs. Nell Vitarelle of Amarillo, Mrs. B.T. Webb, Mrs. Howells, Mrs. Garland Hightower, Mrs. Purl Tippie, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Thurman Crownover, Mrs. Lennon, Mrs. Dodson and the hostesses, Mrs. Clarence Black and Mrs. Lynvel Black.

Mrs. Kelso Reviews Book

The Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church was the scene Thursday evening, September 11 for the Naomi Sunday School Class social.

Mrs. Dalton Vaughan presided over the business session.

Mrs. Jimmy Kelso reviewed the book "Above All Else" by June Hunt, the daughter of a world renowned industrialist, who writes that she found true meaning to life through faith in Jesus Christ. She is the daughter of H.L. Hunt.

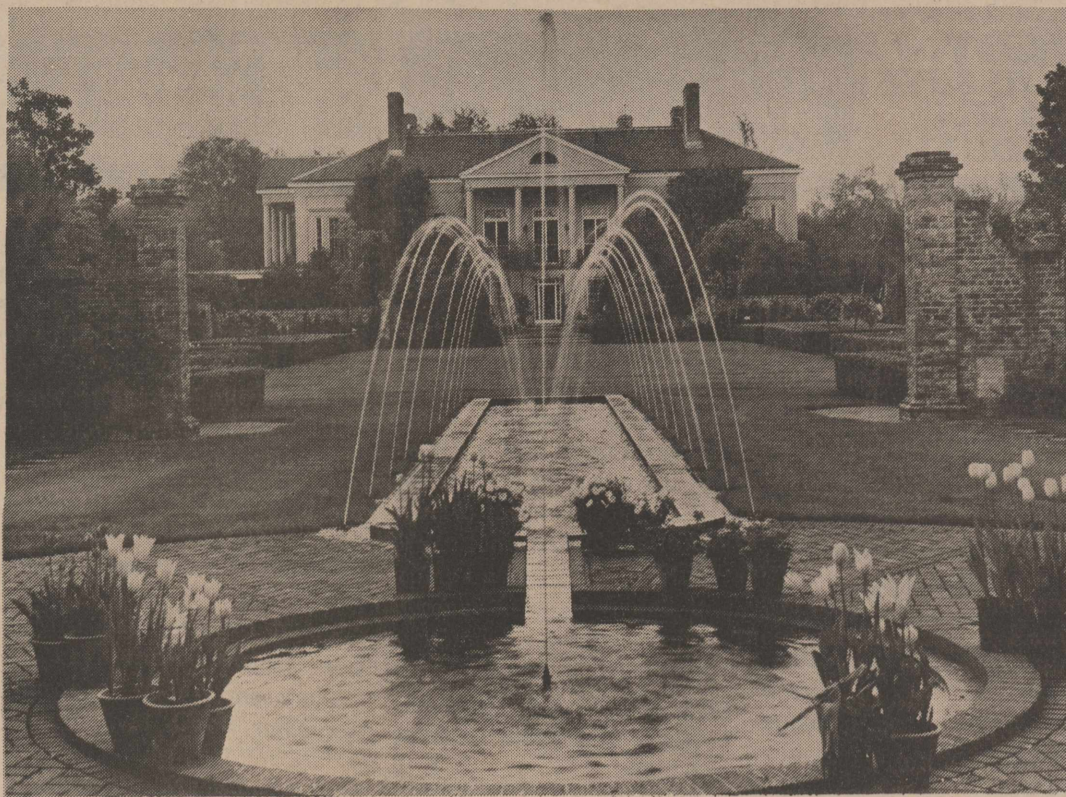
She is a singer and spoke at the Billy Graham Crusade in Lubbock last week, the night the Jimmy Kelsos were there.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. John Nash, Mrs. Ernest Maxwell, Mrs. Coy Vaughan, Mrs. C.T. Hubbard, Mrs. Woodrow Wood, Mrs. Mickey Kendricks, Mrs. Cicero Gulley, Mrs. Herman Belew, Mrs. J.L. Harper, Mrs. Goldie Barnett and the hostesses, Mrs. Kelso and Mrs. Vaughan.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Cocke, their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Cocke, all of Roswell, N.M., visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Harris Royal. The Cocke family formerly lived in Wellington.

The dragonfly is a creature of the air, never walking. Its legs are used only for catching prey and as landing and perching gear.

The group was led in closing prayer by Mrs. Georgia Owens and Mrs. Ocie Lewis.



LONGUE VUE GARDENS AGAIN OPEN

Longue Vue Gardens in New Orleans are again open to the public for touring after two months of redesigning and planting. Longue Vue is an 8-acre private estate, minutes from downtown New Orleans, now operated as a non-profit foundation. Part of

the gardens, surrounding the Spanish Court, were inspired by gardens of the Alhambra in Granada Spain. In the Walled Garden, which changes its personality with the seasons, Chrysanthemums will soon be at their most brilliant.

Fall, Winter Eveningwear Takes on "Elegant" Look

Elegant is the word for fall and winter eveningwear this year, according to Margaret Ann Vanderpoorten, clothing specialist.

"Long dresses will dominate the scene. The shape of the dress will be more

important than its glitter, but glitter and shine will still be there," the specialist said.

Noting a specific shape in fashion, Miss Vanderpoorten said that the long, dramatic toga in liquid matte jersey, draped to perfection will be an important look.

"One idea to keep in mind is simplicity. Simplicity that is feminine and romantic, but not too dressed up, can be expressed in a soft chiffon blouse and wrapped velvet skirt," she suggested.

Also, a Chinese influence is showing up in long satin dresses with Mandarin collars,

Hays Host Visitors

Rev. and Mrs. Robert Lawrence have been visiting her cousins and aunt, Miss Myra Hays, Miss Larlu Hays and Mrs. J.L. Hays this week.

The couple have just returned from a 6 week mission tour of Korea with World Evangelists. Rev. Lawrence served as a chaplain in Korea and had hoped to return.

The Korean Christians accompanied Rev. and Mrs. Lawrence as they visited in the homes, and the people were very responsive to the gospel.

Mrs. Lawrence is the former, Inez Glaze. She grew up in the Fresno community and graduated from Wellington High School.

Mrs. Sanford Hosts Council

Christian Women's Council of First Christian Church met September 8 at 8:00 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Jack Sanford. The hostess opened the meeting with prayer, and Mrs. Zook Thomas, president, conducted the business meeting.

Mrs. Raymond Neeley presented the lesson, a review of "Tho He was Crucified", by C.M. Ward, describing the crucifixion of Jesus.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Thomas and her guest, Mrs. Dewey Butler, Mrs. Tommy Powell, Mrs. Kane, Mrs. Neeley, Mrs. Bill Lindsey, Mrs. Emil Kersten, Mrs. Ozro Bartlett, Mrs. Sandown Smith, Mrs. Charles Darter and the hostess, Mrs. Sanford.

4-H Club Begins Year

Helping Hands 4-H Club met in the home of Mrs. Bob Weatherly August 28 to plan a float for the county fair and a booth in the country store.

On September 5 the club met and with the assistance of their parents built the float.

Members present for these meetings were Kathleen Reeves, Stacey Weatherly, Leigh Myrick, Renee Lacy, Melanie Pendleton, Jennifer Pendleton and Catrina Atkinson, Mrs. Weatherly and Mrs. Dick Pendleton.

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Lillie HD Club Honors Mrs. Arla Felts Sept. 11

The Lillie Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, September 11, in the home of Mrs. Jim Lowe.

Mrs. Elmer Haralson presided, while Mrs. Lowe gave the devotional and led in prayer.

Roll call was answered by naming "My favorite teacher."

The Home Demonstration Council report was given by Mrs. Malcolm Horton, then Mrs. Lowell Wells suggested that the club do something for the children who rode on the float in the fair parade.

A quilt was presented to Mrs. Arla Felts, county home extension agent, in

appreciation for her work and as a going away gift.

One new member, Mrs. Earl Hunter, was welcomed.

Mrs. Felts presented the program on wise use of leisure time.

Anyone interested in becoming a member or visiting the club at any time is invited to come. Meetings are on the second and fourth Thursdays, at 2:00 p.m.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Ozro Bartlett, Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. Wells, Mrs. Haralson, Mrs. Kyle Lindley, Mrs. Horton, Mrs. Clyde Emmert, Mrs. Fred Yarbrough, Mrs. Felts and the hostess, Mrs. Lowe.

B&PW Opens Year With Plans for Bicentennial

Mrs. Dudley Phipps, president, directed the meeting of the Wellington Business and Professional Women's Club Tuesday, September 9, to open the new year.

Mrs. Lynn Wright, first vice-president and program chairman, was in charge of the program with the theme for the year - Bicentennial: perspective for Women.

These chairpersons took part also: Mrs. Billy Williams, personal development; Mrs. Fred Yarbrough, civic participation; Mrs. Raymond Patton, world affairs; and Mrs. Lester Harwell, second vice-president and membership chairman.

Two new members were received in the club: Mrs. Gary Lemons and Mrs. Cecil Shanks.

Plans were made for attending the District 10 conference in Bowie on September 27-28. The Wellington Club will suggest plans for celebration of the Bicentennial as their part of the workshop.

Mrs. Ernest Harwell is the Bicentennial chairperson for the local club and Miss Myra Hays is District 10 Bicentennial chairperson. Mrs. Patton, Mrs. Bura Handley and Mrs. Wright will assist in preparing the workshop material. Mrs. Phipps reported on the club booth in the Country Store at the Fair.

These members were present: Mrs. Pearl Aaron, Mrs. Truman Estes, Mrs. Handley, Mrs. Harwell,

Mrs. Ernest Harwell, Mrs. Dan Henard, Mrs. Peggy Holland, Mrs. Mark Killian, Mrs. Jack Lowry, Mrs. Tommie Murdock, Mrs. Patton, Mrs. Phipps, Mrs. Rufus Sweat, Mrs. Louise Templeton, Mrs. Zook Thomas, Mrs. Doc Turner, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Yarbrough, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Lemons, Mrs. Shanks and Miss Hays. Mrs. John Thomas from Plainview was a guest of Mrs. Zook Thomas.

Pittmans Wed Sixty Years

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pittman will host a reception in honor of their sixtieth wedding anniversary on Sunday, September 21, from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. This will be at the family home in the Vinson community.

Friends are invited to call.

Mrs. Evia Rayl and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mae Wille of Ft. Worth visited Mrs. Celia Johnson from September 4 to 9. Mrs. Rayl, who is Mrs. Johnson's sister, lived here more than 40 years ago. They attended the Collingsworth County Fair, the first Mrs. Rayl has seen since she moved from here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Smith of Odessa visited last weekend with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tingle and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Sain.

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Bill Spillman Listed In Outstanding Men

The Board of Advisors for the Outstanding Young Men of America Awards announced that Bill Spillman has been selected for inclusion in the 1975 edition of Outstanding Young Men of America.

The Outstanding Young Men of America Program is sponsored by leading men's civic and service organizations throughout the nation. Serving as chairman of its 12-man advisory board is Doug Blankenship, U.S. Jaycee past president.

A young Wellington attorney, Mr. Spillman received his Juris Doctor degree

from Baylor University School of Law. He was on the staff of the Law Review and held offices in collegiate legal fraternities. He practices law with his father, Paul Spillman.

He is currently serving as president of the Wellington Kiwanis Club and is a past director of the Collingsworth Chamber of Commerce.

A first lieutenant in the Texas National Guard, he is commanding officer of the Shamrock unit.

He is married to the former Norma Beseda of Waco, also a Baylor University graduate. They have a year-old daughter, Ashley.

"In every community there are young men working diligently to make their city and country a better place in which to live," said Mr. Blankenship. "These men, having distinguished themselves in one or more fields of endeavor, are outstanding and deserve to be recognized for their achievements. The criteria for selection include a man's voluntary service to community, professional leadership, academic achievement, business advancement, cultural accomplishments and civic and political participation.

Cynthia Carman On Honor Roll

Cynthia Kay Carman is one of the 615 University of Texas at Austin students who has been named to the School of Communication honor roll. To qualify, a student must have completed 12 or more hours of graded work with a grade-point average of 3.25 or higher and must have received no grade below C.

Miss Carman is the daughter of Col. and Mrs. Ken Carman of Ft. Walton Beach, Fla., and the granddaughter of Mrs. J.G. Hunt and the late Mr. Hunt. She has visited in Wellington many times.



4-H'ers are concerned about safety—on the farm, in the home, on the highway and during recreation. Nearly 332,000 of them take part in the national 4-H safety program sponsored by General Motors and conducted by the Cooperative Extension Service.

Restoration Begins on State Railroad Park

MAYDELLE -- Probably the longest and narrowest park in the United States is shaping up between Rusk and Palestine in East Texas.

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's Texas State Railroad will run some 24.5 miles through the East Texas pine forest and by summer 1976 will offer the public a glimpse of railroad's golden age at the turn of the century.

According to park superintendent Ed McLaughlin, restoration work on the line's vintage steam engines is underway, to put them in first-class running shape. This restoration, being done by a Houston firm, involves repairing appliances, replacing flues and bolts, welding and refitting broken brackets and pipes and replacing the water bunkers on each tender. One of the locomotives should be finished in about two months and renovation on all of them should be completed by the end of summer.

At present the State Railroad has four steam engines, the oldest and smallest of which was built in 1896. This engine, number 2248, is a 4-6-0 10-wheeler and was used primarily as an exhibit engine in the Los Angeles area.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ORDER TO ADVERTISE FOR A NEW MOTOR GRADER AND LOADER

In a regular meeting of the Commissioner's Court of Collingsworth County, on September 8, 1975, the Court authorized the County Clerk to advertise for a new motor grader and a new wheel type loader. Bids will be for purchase with or without trade and/or a total cost bid with guaranteed maintenance and repurchase. County will offer for trade one 1963 Cat Loader and 1963 Gallion Motor grader. See Chester White, Road Administrator for specifications on guaranteed maintenance and repurchase.

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We have written in the past about the tremendous jumps in the cost of city administrations and services. That's one reason New York City is bankrupt—the absence of checks and balances in dealing with the municipal unions and now the city is bankrupt and will most likely be forced to take bankruptcy.

But another fiscal time bomb is ticking away in literally hundreds of cities and municipalities. The problem is pensions and, unless the problem is solved properly, it could destroy the credit rating of many cities by lavishing pension benefits on retired municipal workers but failing to provide funds to pay the pensions.

Social Security is a prime example on the federal level because the impact of inflation has not been taken into account in the contributions the federal government must make to the Social Security Administration. The taxpayer will have to make up the difference there just as he will in his own city.

Few cities are in as bad financial shape as New York City, but many cities are inviting disaster by not putting funds aside today in order to pay pension benefits in the future. In effect many cities have been "borrowing" the money by not paying into the pension funds the monies needed to meet future liabilities, but instead spending those funds for current operating expenses. The result is a numbers game that will boggle your mind. For instance, a recent survey of 44 Pennsylvania cities showed that only 1/4 of those cities' pension funds were adequate and that together the 44 cities had an unfunded or unprovided-for pension liability of over \$1 billion. There are five big municipal pension funds in New York City with assets totaling \$1.5 billion. Future liabilities of those five pension funds now total over \$6.8 billion. The Los Angeles police and firemen's fund with assets of \$400 million has unfunded liabilities of over \$1.5 billion.

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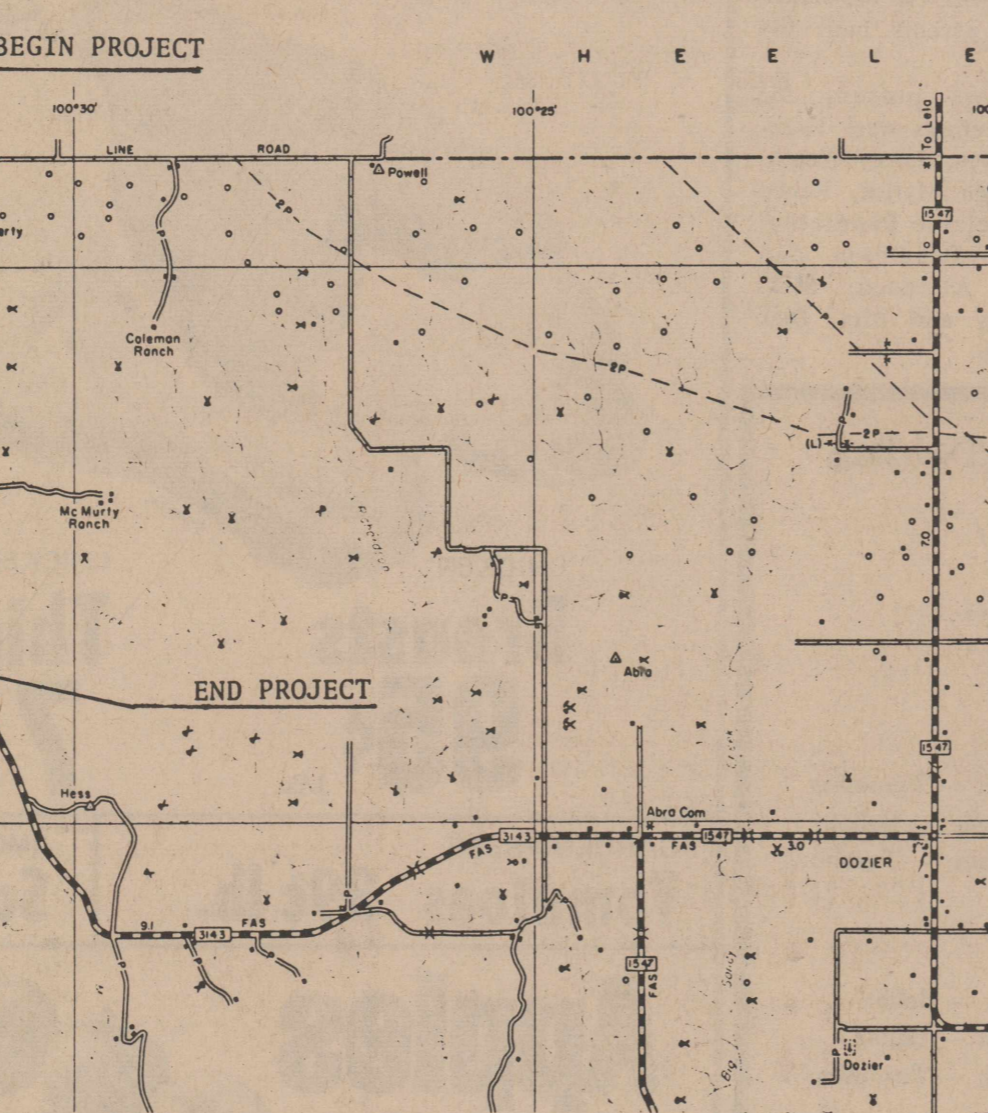
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complete F.M. Road 3143.

All interested persons are urged to attend and express their views concerning this improvement project. Social, economic and environmental aspects will be considered.

Right of way requirements and the State's relocation assistance programs and relocation plans, services for displacees, and information

concerning the relocation assistance office will be discussed.

Any questions concerning this informal meeting may be directed to the office of Mr. O.V. Johnson, Supv. Resident Engineer of Wellington, or Mr. Lewis H. White, District Engineer of State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, P.O. Box 909, Childress, Texas, 79201.

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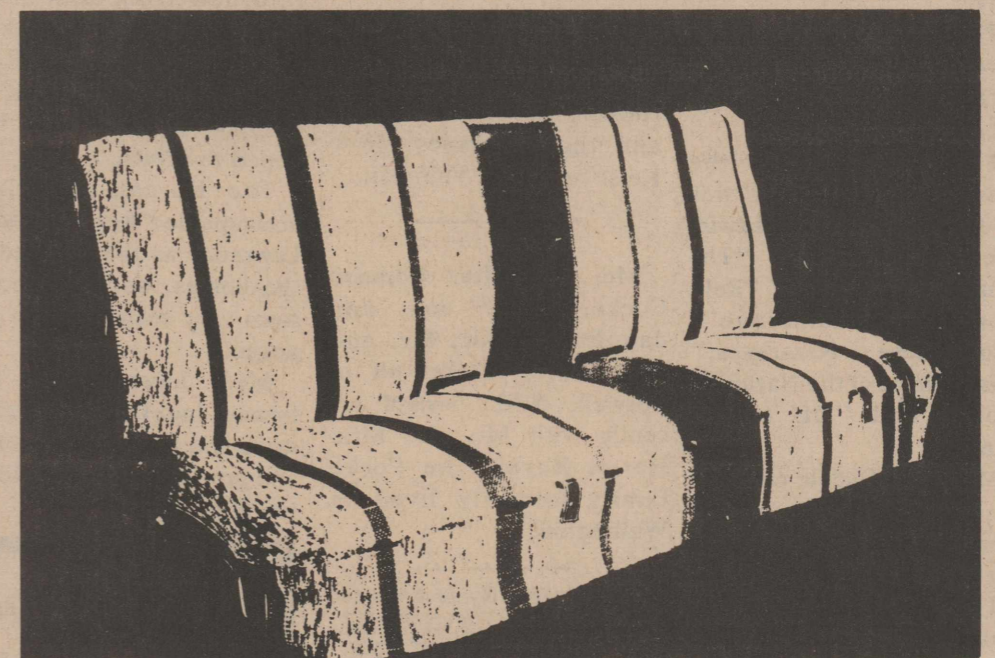
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May God richly bless each of you.

The Family of
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Deck's Didactics

—by Deskins Wells

Louis Graham, whose work as a counselor was outstanding when he was with the Wellington School System, is concerned with the present school law and its effect on the smaller schools of the state. He thinks it must be changed if the schools such as Samnorwood and Quail are to continue to operate.

Louis thinks the bill was conceived by educators from the metropolitan areas and that it was their representatives and senators who passed it. He sees little chance of a special session being called to consider a change. It is a serious situation facing these smaller schools and an organized effort is being made to present a united front before the next session of the Legislature.

While they have their problems, the school trustees and administrators of these smaller schools are not confronted with the busing problems that is such a headache to the schools in all of the large cities. Here there is only one school for them to attend. The pupils are loaded on the bus whether they be black, brown or freckled and off they go to school.

Caprock Canyons, 12 miles east of Silverton, is one of seven new state parks named by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission. The park contains the upper canyons of the north and south forks of the Little Red River. It is a large park in area and will be one of the scenic parks of Texas when it is fully developed. As the crow flies, I would estimate that the new park is somewhere around 70 miles from the famous Palo Duro State Park -- perhaps nearer.

There is much to see near home that is beautiful and interesting if we could only realize it. There are people here who take pleasure in their memories of the Grand Canyon or Yellowstone National Park as they should: but they have never been to see "TEXAS" in that wonderful Palo Duro State Park.

Here is more interesting news from Texas Parks and Wildlife: They have recently brought in some Nile perch from Lake Rudolph and Lake Tanganyika in Africa. These fingerlings will be used as brood fish in a control program to see if they will be of value in Texas waters. These fish grow to a size of 300 pounds in African waters. You fishermen need not get your hopes up too soon, for it will take time to see if they are practical or not.

Autumn starts next Tuesday, September 23; but the feel of fall has been in the air since the cold fronts sent the temperature tumbling and brought the welcomed rains. Fall does not arrive on a certain date. Neither does it come rushing in like a true norther. Rather it is a succession of backs and fills with a touch of winter now and a blast of summer later. The change comes drifting down like steam from the compass on a foggy morning. It is gradual but our body senses tell us autumn

Rocket Junior Varsity Downs Shamrock 22-2

The Skyrocket Junior Varsity opened the season with a 22-2 victory over the Shamrock Junior Varsity in Powell Field Thursday, September 4.

After an open date September 11, the team will meet Hollis B team here Thursday, Sept. 18, at 7:00 p.m. according to Coach Robert Hicks.

Ricky Jones scored the first Rocket touchdown, on a six-yard sweep, after a long drive. This came during the first period and the try for extra point was good on a pass from Carl Taylor to Jon Sessions.

Shamrock's only score came during the first half, when Wellington fumbled the ball, then picked it up only to tackled in the end zone by a Shamrock player for a two-point safety.

Erminio Nevarez scored for the Rocket JV in the third period, again from six yards out. The Carl Taylor-Jon Sessions passing combination was good a second time for the extra points.

The final Rocket score came in the fourth quarter on a 25-yard run by James Thomas. The try for extra point failed and the game ended 22-2.

"I am real pleased with the way the boys have come along since the first of the season," Coach Hicks said. "If they continue to improve, we can look forward to a good season, for there is a lot of ability on the team."

Members of the B team are:

- Carl Taylor, 12, QB.
- Joe Thomas, 50, C.
- Mike Ray, 77, G.
- Charles McIntosh, 55, G.
- John Birkey, 75, T.
- Richard Garcia, 72, T.
- Jon Sessions, 85, E.
- Emilio Nevarez, 45, HB.
- David Baumgardner, 25, E.
- Dickie Moore, 40, FB.
- Pat White, 11, HB.
- Robert Sterling, 80, E.
- Leonard Chambers, 64, G.
- Roy Cardwell, 10, E.
- Scott Peeks, 65, G.
- Harold McKinney, 71, T.
- Chris Watts, 66, G.
- Chuck Darter, 44, E.
- Alvin Pennon, 20, HB.
- Terry Manuel, 70, T.
- Roy Outley, 22, HB.
- Kevin Hall, 81, E.
- Ricky Jones, 42, FB.
- Craig Needham, 21, WB.
- James Thomas, 33, HB.

is here as well as the mind and eye.

By the way, the compress land and trackage is advertised for sale in this issue of the paper. It is not in the want ads; but is printed on page 3 of Section B.

Haunting sounds that linger in the memory -- the lonely wind moaning around the eaves of the house -- the singing of telephone wires on a cold night and the whistle and fainter whistle of a departing train.

7th Grade Showing Much Improvement

Wellington's youngest football team, the seventh grade, are showing consistent and impressive improvement since their first game Thursday, September 4, a 22-0 loss to Shamrock.

At that time, however, Coach Ronny Glenn had had only four days to introduce the fundamentals of football to his 27 team members. Shamrock came into the game with a week and a half of practice.

"They have really improved since that game," said

Early County Resident Dies At Lubbock

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. John Toles of Lubbock, which occurred the last of July.

Mrs. Toles will be remembered by long-time residents as Audie Penrod, daughter of a pioneer couple, Mr. and Mrs. J.I. Penrod. It was for them that Penrod Hill was named.

Mrs. Toles death was unexpected and came a short time after she had returned from a tour of the Holy Land.

She grew up here and graduated from high school about 1916.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Elliott and Mrs. Mangum of Lubbock, and one son, Penrod Toles of Albuquerque, N.M.

TV Translator Membership Date Extended

The cut-off date for users of the Greenbelt TV Translator System has been extended to October 1, Marshall Peters, secretary, announced this week.

Only 120 memberships had been collected by the original cut-off, September 15, whereas last year the system had 230 subscribers.

Mr. Peters emphasized that if the system cannot collect enough money during the membership drive to pay for the year's operations, service will have to be cut off.

Coach Glenn. "They scrimmage against the 8th grade every day and do a real good job. I feel we're going to have a real good team and should do well."

This year's seventh grade team is as large if not larger than that of last year. Some good speed is appearing in several of the boys, and Jody Coleman, quarterback, is throwing the ball well, according to his coach. "He hasn't worked on throwing enough to get it down yet, but he's coming along," Glenn added.

"They do a real good job on defense, they hit you good and they're pretty smart," he summed up.

The seventh grade does not have a game this week and will not play until October 2, when they meet Memphis. An attempt is being made to get this game in Wellington.

Starting in the backfield are Coleman, quarterback, Channy Wood, fullback; Tim Anderson, halfback; and Scotty Ingram, wingback.

In the line are Darrell Vernon, center; Doug Riley and Delmer Turner, guards; Harold Scott and John Morris, ends; Clint Bergvall, Jim Bob Collins and Lennox Archie, alternating at ends.

Most of these boys also play on defense, with Taylor Pauls added to the group.

- Jody Coleman, 10, QB.
- Tim Anderson, 30, B.
- Channy Wood, 41, B.
- Clint Bergvall, 21, E.
- Lennox Archie, 80, E.
- Delmer Turner, 51, G.
- Doug Riley, 72, G.
- John Morris, 63, t.
- Darrell Vernon, 76, C.
- Scotty Ingram, 20, B.
- Steven Vassey, 75, G.
- Sidney Herring, 40, E.
- Eddie Aguilar, 62, G.
- Harold Scott, 50, T.
- Taylor Pauls, 82, E.
- Jerry Lee, 60, G.
- Chris Lynch, 83, B.
- Jim Bob Collins, 81, E.
- Timmy DeVoss, 71, G.
- Cody Anglin, 73, T.
- Juan Granados, 65, T.
- Mark Fourmentin, 64, T.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Tingle of Wolf City visited this week with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tingle.

Revival Opens September 22 at Friendship Church

Revival services will begin at Friendship Missionary Baptist Church on Monday, September 22 and continue through the following Sunday, September 28.

The Elder Sam Reeves, pastor of Antioch Baptist Church, will do the preaching, according to the Rev. Roland Jenkins, pastor.

Morning services, beginning at 7:00 a.m. are planned through the week in order that those who are working, especially men in their crops, can attend before beginning their day's activities. Evening services during the week will be at 8:00 p.m. Sunday services will be at the regular time.

Friendship Baptist Church is located 9 miles west of Wellington. It may be reached by going west three miles on FM 338, then continuing westward on FM 1056.

Booster Club Selling Hats

Members of the Skyrocket Booster Club are selling booster hats, in the school colors of red and white, as one of their fund-raising projects.

These may be purchased from any member for \$3.50 per hat.

The group held its weekly meeting Tuesday, September 16, at 7:30 p.m. in the Farm Bureau building, when a film of the Wellington-Paducah game was shown.

Collins at Graham Evangelism School

The Rev. and Mrs. Roy Collins were in Lubbock recently to attend the Billy Graham School of Evangelism, held in conjunction with the Billy Graham Crusade.

Rev. Collins said that within the next month he will be meeting with the various committees of the church concerning its entire program.

Major emphasis will concern improvement of television over Cablecom Channel 5.

Dialing Change Due as 1-Plus Service Nears

In Order to provide Wellington telephone customers with 1+ Dialing (or Direct Distance Dialing) in the last quarter of 1975, it is necessary to change the number party line customers must dial to call another person on their party line, according to J.H. Davis, division manager for General Telephone Company.

If you are a party line customer and want to dial another number on your party line, you must dial 39 plus the seven-digit number listed in the directory effective September 18, said Mr. Davis.

These changes are necessary because the present numbers start with the digit "1". When 1+ Dialing is established, "1" will give you access to the long distance network. To avoid conflict, the numbers must be changed.

If Wellington customers have any questions in regard to these changes, they should contact the local Business Office of the Telephone Company, Davis added.

Lunchrooms

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Monday, Sept. 22: Ground beef with spaghetti, whole kernel corn, green beans, fruit, hot rolls, butter, 1/2 pint milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 23: Barbecued ground beef patty on a bun, lettuce and tomato salad, pickles, tater tots, catsup, carrot sticks, grapes, cookie, 1/2 pint milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 24: Salmon patties, catsup, whipped potatoes, tossed salad, apple sauce, hot rolls, butter, 1/2 pint milk.

Thursday, Sept. 25: Macaroni with cheese, pinto beans, onion and pepper rings, cauliflower, fruit juice, salt sticks, 1/2 pint milk.

Friday, Sept. 26: Cubed beef with natural gravy, whipped potatoes, sweet sour mixed greens, fruited jello, hot rolls, butter, 1/2 pint milk.

Pickup Hits Parked Car

A late-model pickup, driven by Sonya Scott, collided with a car belonging to Mickey Kendrick and parked in front of his home, between 11:00 and 11:30 p.m. Saturday, September 13, Deputy Richard Keller reported.

Miss Scott, 18, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scott. She was taken

to Collingsworth General Hospital, where she remained for treatment until Monday. She was traveling north on East Avenue, when the accident occurred.

There was considerable damage to both vehicles, Deputy Keller said.

Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Winton recently returned from a vacation in Colorado. They were in South Fork, Colorado fishing from September 3 to September 12.

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WHEREAS Constitution Week is sponsored nationally by the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and locally by La Piasana Chapter of DAR, in recognition of this document which is our Charter of Freedom.

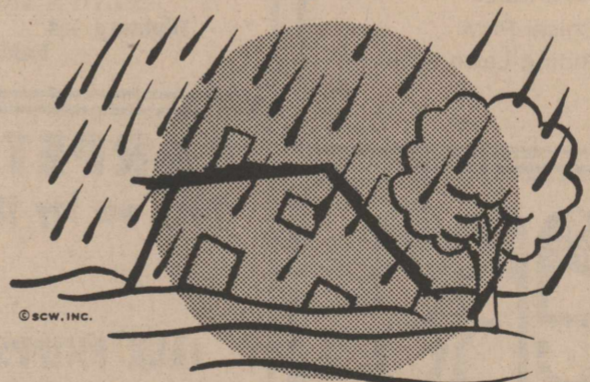
NOW THEREFORE, I, Billy Hatch, Mayor of Wellington, do urge that all of us join with the DAR in reading, studying and evaluating the Constitution as the protecting power of our daily freedom.

Given under my hand this the 12th day of September, 1975.

Billy Hatch, Mayor
City of Wellington

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Hightower Urges Farmer-Rancher SBA Eligibility

WASHINGTON* D.C.-- Congressman Jack Hightower today announced significant legislative progress toward granting to farmers and ranchers full eligibility for Small Business Administration loans.

The House Small Business Committee, of which Hightower is a member, this morning approved H.R. 9056, which was drafted to amend the Small Business Act.

"The bill's principal purpose was to make it absolutely clear to the Small Business Administration that small farmers and ranchers are eligible for full SBA assistance," Hightower said. As the SBA interprets the act today, farmers and ranchers are eligible only for product disaster loans.

The Congressman said there was never a statutory prohibition against giving SBA assistance to farmers or ranchers, but the SBA had arbitrarily excluded farmers and ranchers by its administrative procedures.

"The committee's action today makes it very clear that we believe farmers and ranchers are businessmen and should be treated accordingly," Hightower said.

Hightower said that during subcommittee hearings he and other congressmen advised the SBA Administrator, Thomas Kloppe, that the Congress never intended to exclude small farmers and ranchers in the original SBA Act. Mr. Kloppe, who has been nominated as Secretary of the Interior, said the SBA would not change its interpretation of the act without clear statutory expression of eligibility.

"This bill will provide that expression," he said.

The bill must now be passed by the full House and Senate and be signed by the President before becoming law.

"I will do whatever I can to assure its passage," Hightower said, "and to assure full compliance by the SBA with the intent of Congress."

DAR Sponsors Activities For Constitution Week

A proclamation asking Wellington residents to observe Constitution Week, Wednesday, September 17, through Tuesday, September 23, was signed this week by Mayor Bill Hatch.

Constitution Week is sponsored throughout the country by the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, and commemorates the signing of the Constitution of the United States.

La Paisana Chapter, DAR, sponsors Constitution Week each year in Wellington with special activities in the school, Mrs. Richard Fourmentin, regent, has reminded.

This week also was proclaimed by President Gerald R. Ford.

"The purpose of the observance of this week is to renew appreciation for our Constitution and our country," said Mrs. Fourmentin.

There will be a flag raising at one of the Wellington schools, and special materials, emphasizing the importance of the Constitution, will be distributed during the week.

"The DAR reminds you that the freedoms of religion, press, speech and the rights to petition and assembly, which we enjoy as citizens are guaranteed to by the Constitution. We must maintain constant vigilance to protect these freedoms, for once they are lost to us, they can never be returned," the regent declared.

La Paisana Chapter members also remind that on September 17, 1787, thirty-nine delegates from 12 of the 13 original states, meeting in Philadelphia, signed the Constitution of the United States. For many years, the DAR has actively supported Constitution Week as one of their patriotic projects. The tremendous growth of our nation is proof of the greatness of the Constitution under which we live," the regent continued.

The Constitution, it was pointed out, is the oldest still in active use in the world today and is the basic

document of the United States Government, a government which protects the individual liberties of its citizens.

As part of its observance of this week, the DAR recommends the teaching to youth of the virtues of and a dedication to the preservation of the American Revolution, and such as faith in God, courage, honesty, high

moral standards and a respect for other people.

"There is no other country as free as ours. There are no other people more energetic, creative, progressive, generous nor happier than ours. During Constitution Week, La Paisana Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, ask that we all stress in word and spirit the "Blessings of Liberty."

B Team Puts Record On the Line Thurs.

The Skyrocket B team--an aggregation that has not lost a game since the second of its seventh grade season, will play in Powell Field Thursday, September 18, meeting the Hollis Tiger B team.

This may prove to be an equally strong opponent. The Oklahomans also must look back to their seventh

grade for a loss. That year they chalked up two.

Game time Thursday is 7:00 p.m.

In their first game, the Rocket B team won over the Shamrock Irish 22-0, in a game played here.

Coach Robert Hicks has 28 boys on his roster, and most of these are from last year's 8th grade District 2-A championship team. Added to these are a few who saw action for the B team during the 1974 season.

"They look quite a bit better than the B team last year," said Assistant Coach Phil Bailey.

Hollis B team is made up primarily of last year's strong 8th grade team, which had an undefeated season.

"They're a pretty potent little bunch," said Coach Bailey.

Coach Hicks is starting Carl Taylor at quarterback, and the others in the backfield are Emilio Nevarez, Rickey Jones and Craig Needham.

Starting in the line are Joe Thomas, center; Charles McIntosh and Mike Ray, guards; John Birkey and Richard Garcia, tackles; and Jon Sessions and David Baumgardner, ends.

The Skyrocket B team plays a District 2-A schedule for the most part. However, Wheeler has no team in this category for the 1975 season, and McLean presently has no B team. Other games are a second meeting with Hollis, also Memphis, Claude, Silverton, Shamrock and Clarendon.

County Reports Three August Rural Accidents

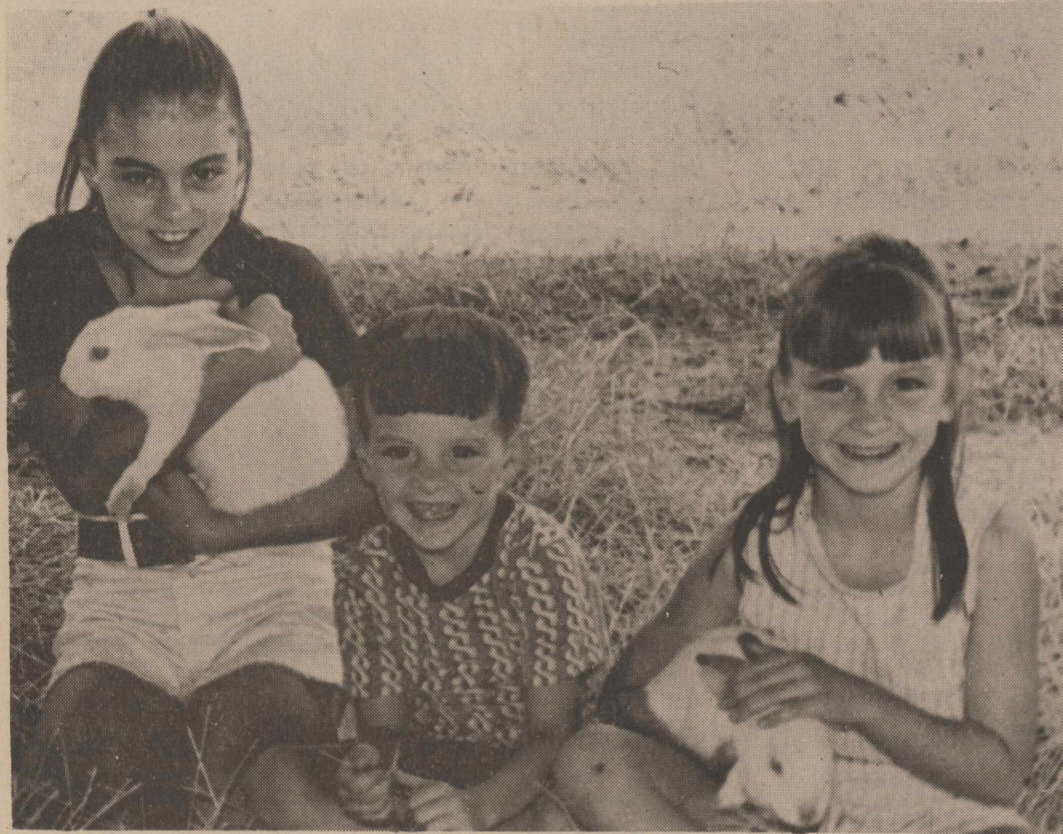
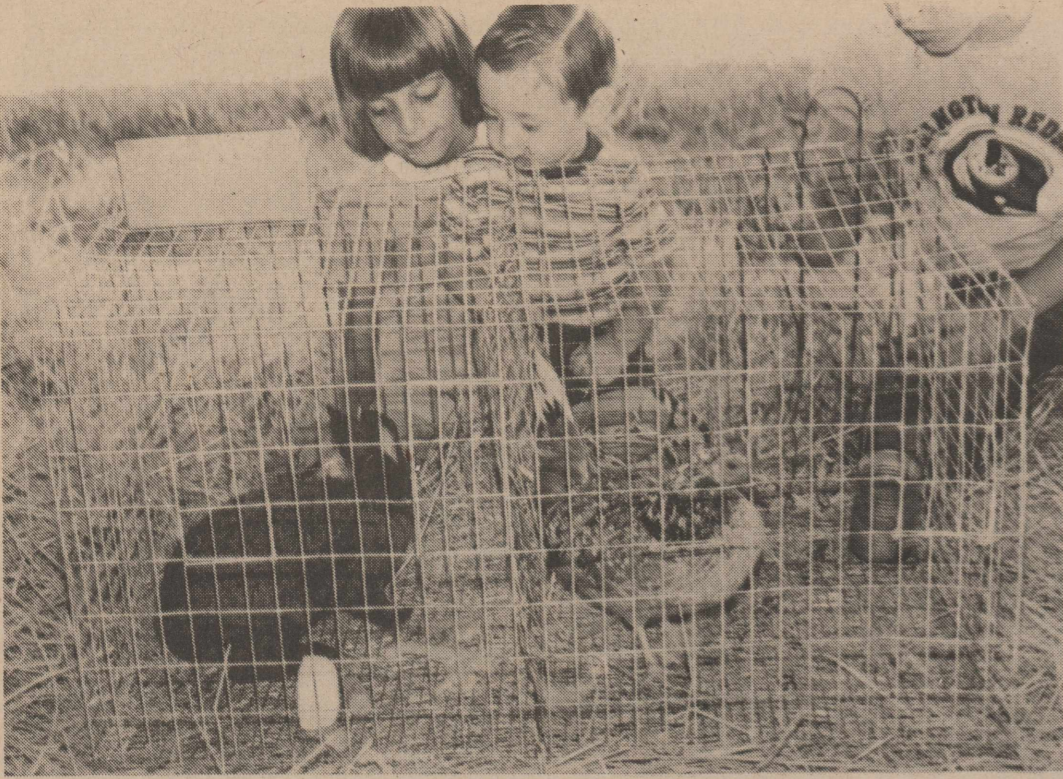
The Texas Highway Patrol investigated three accidents on rural highways in Collingsworth County during the month of August, 1975, according to Sergeant D.W. Womack, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in no persons killed and no persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first eight months of 1975 shows a total of 22 accidents resulting in three persons killed and 13 persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for August, 1975, shows a total of 596 accidents resulting in 16 persons killed and 292 persons injured as compared to August, 1974, with 542 accidents resulting in 30

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SMALL ANIMAL WINNERS

Each of these pets received a blue ribbon in the small animal show, part of the Collingsworth County Fair. At top, right, is Lesa White and her kitten; center, Brian Wilbur holds his terrapin; and below, Craig Needham shows his pet badger. At top left,

Vonda Fitzgerald entered a black rabbit and a chicken. Her little sister, Vee Ann, watches with her. Below, Mendy Morgan, shown at left, Jamie Morgan and Kim Morgan, who brought their pair of rabbits.

Skyrockets Blast Dragons 39-0 Fri.

BY H.K. BALLARD

The Rockets traveled to Paducah last Friday night and showed them what playing football was all about. The Rockets took the field as a team and played the game as a team, blasting the Dragons 39-0.

First quarter action, and the entire game, was marked by a lot of fumbles of the rain-slick ball. After Paducah gave up the ball on the first series of downs Wellington's Shane Tarver took the punt, fumbling but recovering. The Rockets made a great drive from their own 11-yard line to the Dragons 15-yard line, where the Rockets fumbled. The Dragons took

possession, fumbled three plays later and Edward Thomas jumped on the loose ball and the Rockets were in Paducah's territory again. The Dragons held the Rockets all 4 downs and took control of the ball, but on the first play the Dragons fumbled and Cliff Pennon recovered the ball on Paducah's 29-yard line.

After a series of downs the Rockets found themselves on the Dragons' 24-yard line, but the next play Wellington fumbled and Paducah took over on their own 24. After penalties, a quick kick and some passes Paducah finally punted the ball away, where the Rockets took over at Paducah's 42 yard line.

There was no scoring in the first quarter, but the Rockets changed that with a quick score in the opening moments of the second quarter. Jessie Davis ran 28 yards for a T.D. but a clipping penalty denied the score. But with Brewer passing to Tarver the Rockets found themselves back in the end zone for a T.D. Brewer passed to Thomas for the extra 2 points, and the Rockets led 8-0.

On the first play from scrimmage after the kick-off the Dragons fumbled and Tony Martinez recovered the ball in Paducah territory. Two plays later the Rockets fumbled on Paducah's 25 and the Dragons recovered. But hold on to your hat, Paducah fumbled again, Don Allred found it and the Rockets had it back on Paducah's 20. A few plays

later George Brewer ran 8 yards for another Rocket T.D. and Jessie Davis kicked the field goal and the Rockets led 15 to zip.

Wellington defense did not give anything to Paducah. Ed Thomas intercepted a pass and the Rockets were on the 28-yard line of Paducah. With some excellent running by Dan Ford and passes from George Brewer to Shane Tarver, Wellington moved the ball down field where Arnie Ingram carried the ball in for another Rocket T.D. A fake field goal and a quick pass to Shane Tarver put Wellington ahead 23-0.

After the kick-off the Paducah quarterback pitched back to Garrett, who fumbled and did not realize that it was a live ball. The Rockets recovered the ball and took possession again in Paducah's territory.

With the running of Sammy Gonzales and George

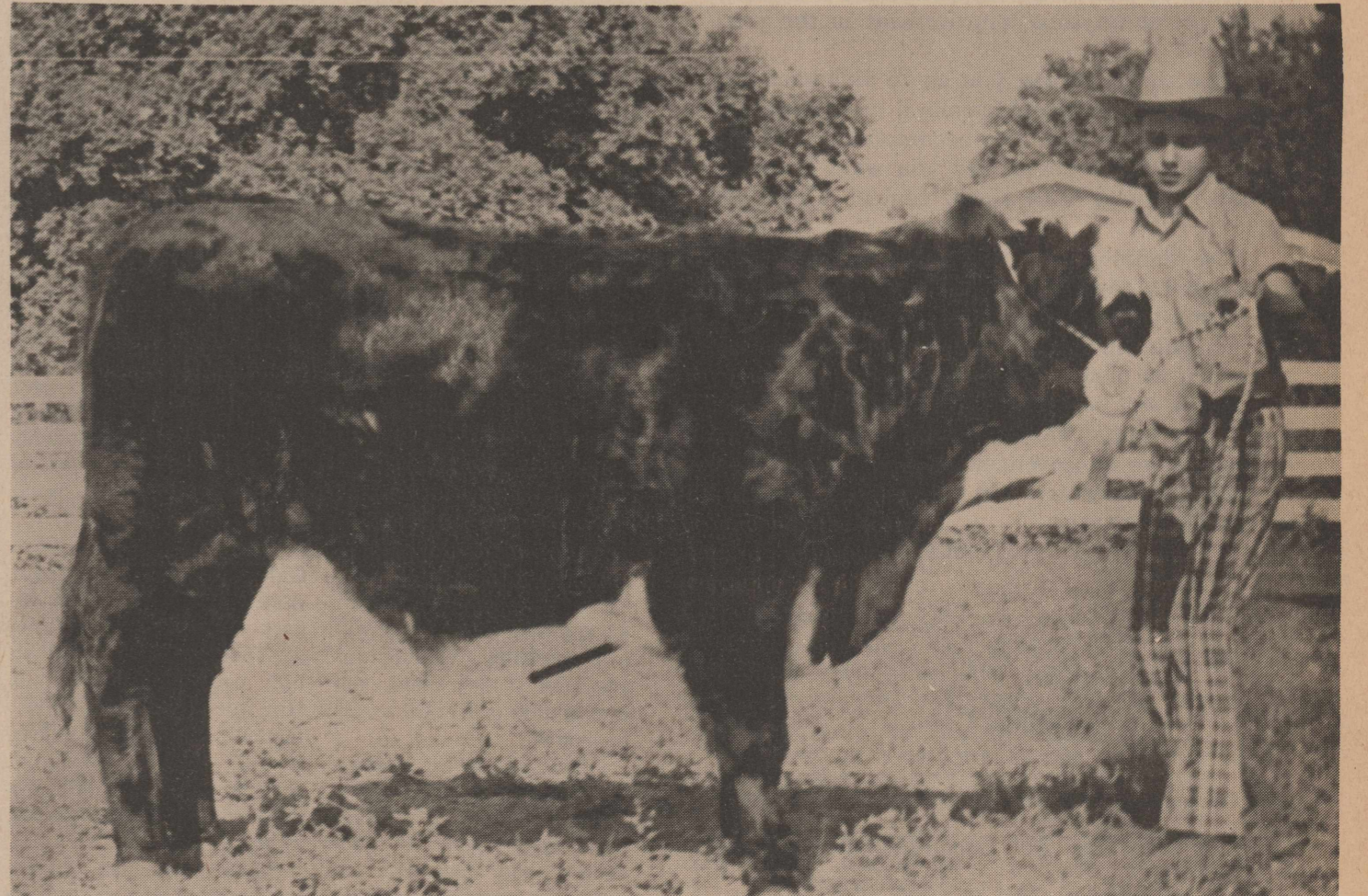
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A WINNER FROM HARMON COUNTY

This float with a patriotic theme, using the Statue of Liberty and the United States flag, was the entry of the Harmon County Cham-

ber of Commerce, Hollis. It placed second in the adult organization division of the Collingsworth County Fair parade.



RESERVE CHAMPION

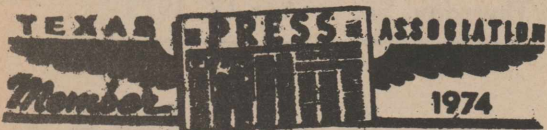
This handsome black and white steer, fed and exhibited by Mark Fourmentin, was reserve champion of the steer show, a part of the Coll-

ingsworth County Fair. Mark is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fourmentin and is a consistent winner with his calves.

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Highway-Transportation Week Meaningful to Us

Next week, September 21-27, we observe National Highway and Transportation Week, which in Texas is sponsored by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation. The theme is "Transportation, America's Lifeline."

The highways that cross Collingsworth are indeed our lifeline, for almost everything we use, almost everything we ship out, goes over our highways, either by public carrier or trucks owned by suppliers.

On the more local level, the fine system of farm to market roads is a tribute to the warm relationship which has existed through the years between the officials of this county and State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, formerly the Texas Highway Department.

Sometime soon, set aside an afternoon to drive these roads. See for yourself how they cover the county - from FM 338 at Dodson to Rolla; FM 1547, which extends from Memphis in the southwest corner, through Quail, Marella, Abra, Dozier and Lone Mound and into Wheeler County. Or turn northwest at Abra to within a few miles of McLean, an area we in the southern part of the county do not often visit.

There are shorter FM roads, those extending off State Highway 203 or FM 338; FM 1056 to Buck Creek; FM 1981 and FM 2344 to Lillie, Salt Fork and Marella; FM 1439 east from Lutie. Each of these is a pleasure to drive and also vital to our economy.

The FM road program is a continuing work, and the county is now looking beyond those projects already approved to others that will bring still more farms and ranches closer to all-weather roads.

Other Editors Say . . .

The Individual Determines Growth

Sitting in on the last meeting of the City's Planning and Zoning Commission, it occurred to me what a fine opportunity the community has to advance itself over the next 20 years if the proper groundwork is laid.

For the first time in the history of the city, a comprehensive plan (with a background of technical details) for progress is ready to go to work for us. We now have a city manager form of government to provide continuity to long-range projects. With a city sales tax, income from two gas wells, revenue sharing and available grants working for us, we should be able to accomplish much in the way of permanent physical improvement in the years ahead.

Now, here's where you as an individual citizen come in. You should make it clear what you would like to see your city accomplish in the way of capital improvements. Do you want a paving program? Do you favor a civic center? A new city hall?

The Planning and Zoning Commission has in mind putting together a mock-up envisioning improvements the comprehensive plan outlines for the future so you can see what your city could be like in 20 years if we plan and work together.

But it will be up to the taxpaying citizens to say to the commission: "We want more paving, we want more improvements in the water system; we want a civic center!" In other words, the input must come from you.

- The Shamrock Texan



At one time, moral courage was believed to reside in the heart, physical courage in the stomach, wisdom in the head, affection in the kidneys, and spirit in the blood.



Tuna or similar-sized cans make good containers in which to bake little cakes for lunch boxes. Slice the cakes and fill them with frosting.

STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN - A big state land trade has been proposed to obtain a scenic new park on 30-mile-long Matagorda Island.

Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong suggested the swap of 18,000 acres of state-owned land near Fort Bliss in El Paso County for the federally-owned share of the island.

A joint House-Senate committee unanimously decided the state should own the island which lies south of Port Lavaca.

The U. S. Air Force has decided it will not continue use of Matagorda as a bombing range, but the U. S. Interior Department wants it as additional refuge for the whooping crane.

Armstrong said Matagorda offers among the best sports fishing and hunting in the country, and it is within easy auto range of Houston, San Antonio and Corpus Christi citizens.

Matagorda's beach is growing rather than expanding, the committee was told.

Federal holdings on the island total nearly 19,000 acres. The state owns 16,369 acres and private interests 15,570 acres.

Parks and Wildlife Commission Chairman Pearce Johnson questioned wisdom of the trade, however.

Rates Set

The State Insurance Board has set medical malpractice rates in the state's assigned risk pool 40 per

Constitution Aired

Secretary of State Mark White announced a program to encourage voter registration for the

Texas Taxes



By BOB BULLOCK, State Comptroller

Austin--When someone owes \$10,000 in delinquent sales taxes, you can be sure it's no Mom-and-Pop operation.

Delinquent taxes of \$10,000 represents \$200,000 in total taxable retail sales. While \$200,000 in sales doesn't make one a business giant, it's plenty big enough to expect the business to be run properly, its book kept in order and its taxes paid.

I point this out to emphasize that in our current crackdown on delinquents we are not picking on "the little guys." The figures speak for themselves:

Between May 7 and August 15 we shut down 31 retail operations whose sales tax delinquencies totaled \$1.1 million. That represents \$22 million in total taxable sales--or an average of \$710,000 in sales each. This is not small potatoes.

Look at some of the individual cases which go into making that average: a San Antonio liquor dealer owed more than \$400,000 in delinquent taxes and had inventories on hand worth twice that. A Waco appliance dealer owed \$112,000, a Dallas concrete firm \$91,202, a Houston area pharmacy chain \$64,000 and an Austin tire dealer \$47,000.

By the same token, we did shut down some "small" operations who owed less than \$10,000 and I don't apologize or feel any need to explain. It is very simple that if a delinquent owed, say, \$1,500 last year and didn't do anything about it, he will owe probably \$2,500 this year--and if left alone will owe \$3,000 or \$3,500 a year from now.

This is your money, whether it's \$100 or \$10,000. To let it "ride" only means that many more of your dimes and quarters and dollars are going into pockets where they don't belong.

We will bring into the state and city treasuries the \$1.1 million owed by the 31 places we have visited--one way or

another. Many of these businesses have already made satisfactory payoff arrangements with us and have been allowed to reopen.

This is particularly true of the "smaller" operations. One Houston restaurant shelled out \$9,500 cash in \$100 bills on the spot to keep its doors open. Since they had the money, I don't know why they let themselves go delinquent for the past four years! A drug store in Houston handed us \$7,000 from the cash register and got another \$2,000 from the bank to pay up and stay open.

The Austin tire dealer gave us \$12,000 in cash, agreed to pay \$2,000 a month and put up a bond to reopen his business.

I think that when the average working man and woman looks at these figures it is clear that we aren't talking about "little people". Even so, the mishandling of a small amount of the public's money is just as bad as the mishandling of a large amount. The law is equal and uniform, regardless of size, and I intend to see it enforced equally and uniformly.

Beyond the \$1.1 million worth of delinquencies we have had to seize, our crackdown has had good results with literally hundreds of accounts which were on the borderline of being seized.

The former owner of a Galveston-area supermarket came up with \$15,000 for his back taxes because he knew we could get a judgment on his present property. A Houston delinquent "just figured" we might be talking to him and he voluntarily paid \$55,000 due. (He was dead right--we were looking at him.)

Since sales tax money comes from the customer's pockets, there is no excuse for delinquencies. As long as there are delinquents, there is no excuse for not doing something about it.



"COW SERVANTS" AROUND THE CHUCK WAGON
Rocking Chair Rancho cowboys posed around the chuck wagon for this photo taken around 1890. Sir Archibald Majoribanks, English co-manager of the ranch, always referred to the hands as "cow servants." The dog in left foreground is believed to be the extra large Newfoundland Majoribanks kept at the ranch. The photograph is from the files of the Collingsworth County Museum. It was donated by Horton Kutch. From time to time during the bicentennial year, The Wellington Leader will run other photographs of historical interest from the museum files.

November 4 constitutional revision election.

White also said an all-out effort will be launched to encourage voters to study the proposed document.

Proponents and opponents of revision will outline their views at a conference sponsored by Texas Press Association, Texas Daily Newspaper Association and Texas Association of Broadcasters here Sept. 19

AG Opinions

Texas Department of Public Safety may provide criminal history information to the State Bar of Texas and Department of Public Welfare to assist in licensing responsibilities. Atty. Gen. John Hill held. In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

• Texas Student Publications at The University of Texas, is no longer a legal entity and cannot hire an attorney without regents' approval.

• Temporary and part-time state employees accrue sick leave, but leave for the part-timers is ac-

quired on a proportionate basis.

• The Employees Retirement System of Texas may grant credit for service as a county attorney to a qualified member of the System.

• The Teacher Retirement System can purchase insurance for liability under the Texas Tort Claims Act. Insurance for the System's building, contents and papers may also be purchased, but workmen's compensation coverage may not be.

Appointments

Gov. Dolph Briscoe named William N. Allan of San Antonio and William D. Parish of Weslaco to Texas Air Control Board and reappointed Fred Hartman of Baytown.

Other recent Briscoe appointees included: Arlyn Kloesel of Austin and Doyle Harrell of Fort Worth (reappointment) to the State Board of Pharmacy; Tully Shahan of Brackettville as 63rd district attorney; Carroll C. Curry of Itasca to the Texas Board of Licensure for Nursing Home Administrators; Dr.

William Thomas Arnold of Houston (reappointed) to Gulf Coast Waste Disposal Authority; Hyden A. Albert of Austin and Gene R. Danish of San Antonio (reappointments) to the Polygraph Examiners Board; Mrs. Blake Sparenberg of Austin to the State Board of Canvassers; John H. Kultgen of Waco (reappointment), T. J. Richards of Paducah and Talmadge D. Steinke of Waco to the Board of Regents of Texas State Technical Institute and William L. Connell of Wichita Falls, R. Edmonds Palm of Fort Worth and Abelardo Villarreal of Alice (reappointment) to the Governor's Committee on Aging.

Rex C. Cauble of Denton, Lucien Flournoy of Alice and David Witts of Dallas were selected chairman, vice-chairman and secretary of Texas Aeronautics Commission. Cauble and Flournoy were re-elected.

No Gas Shortage

Texas should not have a severe natural gas shortage this winter, Governor Briscoe said after an organiza-

tional meeting of his new energy council.

The Governor said he does not believe Congress will allocate Texas gas to other states.

Briscoe and Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby urged more emphasis on developing new sources of energy--including solar, wind, geothermal and waste material burning.

Short Snorts

Texas officials filed suit in Washington in an effort to keep the state out of federal Voting Rights Act coverage.

An Austin district judge refused to grant a temporary restraining order sought by Texas Association of Proprietary Schools to prevent enforcement of new Board of Education rules.

Oscar Laurel of Laredo has resigned as Good Neighbor Commission director, effective December 31.

Sept. 21-27 has been designated Highway and Transportation Week.

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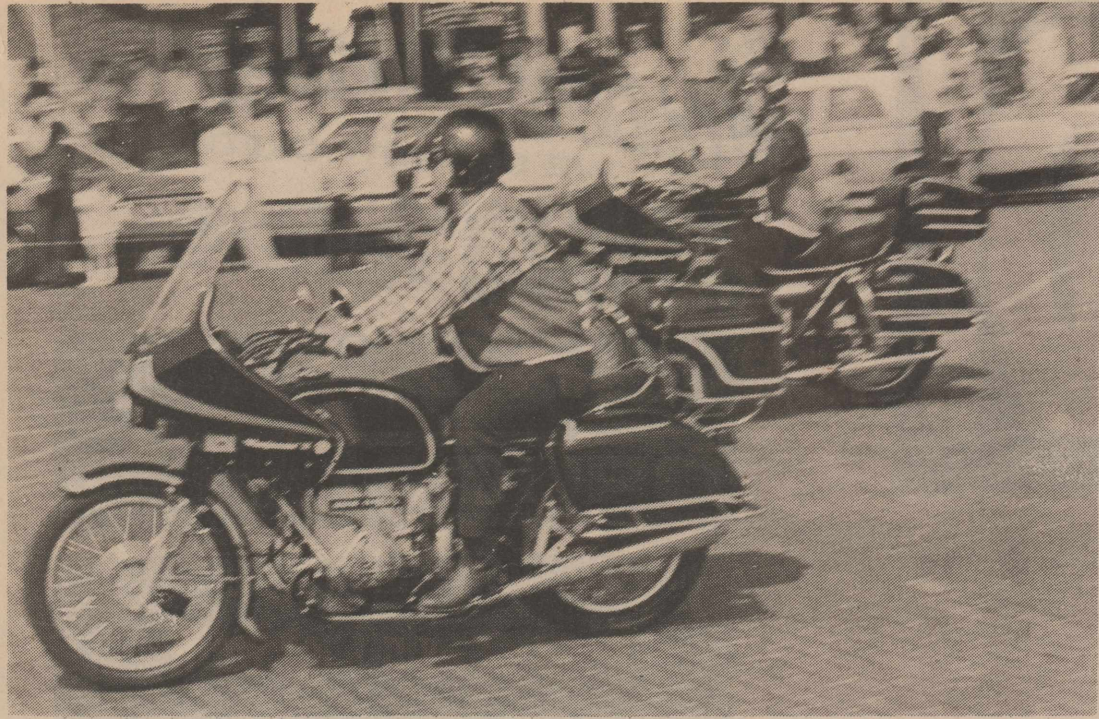
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PARADE WINNERS

These three are members of the Wellington Cycle Club and won first place in the motorcycle division of the Collingsworth County Fair Parade. They were dressed in their colorful red and white vests, bearing the emblem of their club.

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#1—continued from Page 1B Darton and a pass to Edward Thomas, in which a penalty was called on the Dragons, the Rockets found themselves on the 16-yard line about to score again. A pass

#2—continued from Page 1B persons killed and 314 persons injured. This was 54 more accidents, 14 less killed, and 22 less injured in 1975 at the same period of time.

The report in neighboring counties includes:

Childress: 6 accidents, no deaths, four injuries.

Cottle: two accidents, no deaths, one injury.

Donley: 6 accidents, no deaths, 5 injuries.

Gray: 18 accidents, no deaths, 15 injuries.

Hall: two accidents, no deaths, 5 injuries.

Hemphill: two accidents, no deaths or injuries.

Wheeler: 5 accidents, two deaths, 5 injuries.

to Richard Sims moved them closer, then Brewer kept the ball on the next play and plunged into the end zone for another T.D. After missing the 2 point conversion, the Rockets went in at half time with a 29-0 lead.

The second half started with Paducah turning the ball over after four downs. The Rockets picked up one first down; then on the next series of downs gave up the ball. Paducah, with their backs to the wall, found themselves on their 8 yard line facing fourth and long yardage. A fake punt, and a pass found them more than enough yardage for a first down but a good lick by a Rocket defender caused Garrett and the ball to be separated and the Rockets Tony Martinez recovered on the 50 yard line.

Another good drive by the Rockets ended with fumbling the ball to Paducah on Paducah's 5-yard line. The

second string defense of Wellington made the Dragons cough-up the ball and Paducah punted short. Arnie Ingram handled the ball, but it was dislodged with a hard hit. Richard Sims snatched it out of the air, and Wellington kept possession.

From the 22-yard line, mixing passing and running as they did all night, the Rockets moved downfield where Dan Ford made an 8-yard run for another Rocket T.D. Brewer pushed over for the 2 point conversion and Wellington went ahead 37-0.

In the 4th quarter the teams turned the ball over several times when Coach Williams turned the second string offense loose on to the field. Starting from Paducah's 30-yard line the Rockets moved to Paducah's 6 before turning over the ball. But the Rockets second string defense held Paducah and the Rockets took

possession on the Dragon 8-yard line.

Shane Tarver, at quarterback, ran around his left end and passed to Randall Sims, but it was picked off by Paducah's Garrett. But again the Rockets wanted in the end zone and in the closing moments of the game the second string defense caught the Dragons in their own end zone for a two point safety.

The game ended with the Rockets blasting the Dragons 39-0. This week the Rockets have an open date but the following Friday, Sept. 26, the Rockets will battle Childress, here at 8:00. This will be a great game so make plans to be there right now.

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W - Shane Tarver 25 pass from George Brewer (Edward Thomas pass from Brewer)

W - Brewer 4 run (Jesse

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Davis kick)

W - Arnie Ingram 1 run (Tarver pass from Brewer)

W - Brewer 1 run (pass failed)

W - Dan Ford 7 run (Brewer run)

W - Safety

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Scott and Lisa of Morton visited in the home of Mrs. Ray Scott this weekend.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Covey and son, Scott, spent the weekend in Lubbock with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Olan Moore and Heather.

Eddie Slay of New York City was in Wellington with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Slay, on business Monday, September 15. He has moved his family back to Canyon.



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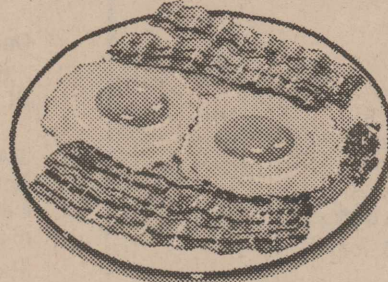
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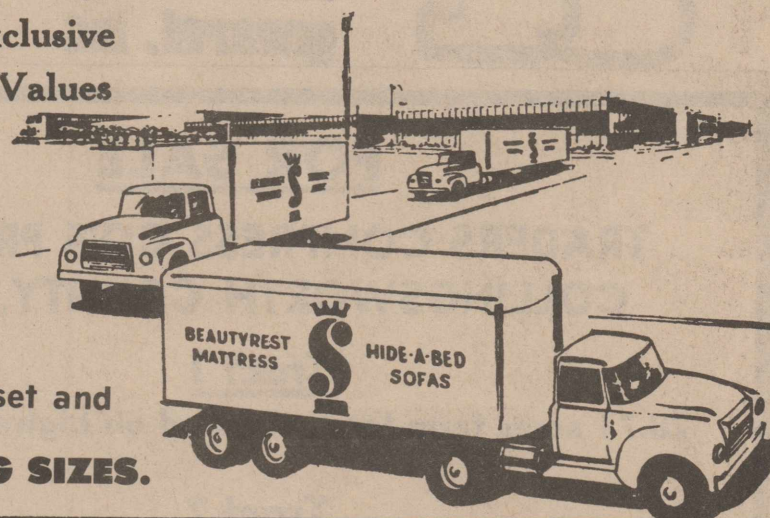
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Samnorwood Future Farmers entered the reserve champion agricultural booth in the Collingsworth County Fair September 5 and 6. The exhibit was prepared by the FFA

members under the direction of Jimmy Brown, vocational agriculture teacher. All products were grown in the Samnorwood community.

Mrs. Belew at County FHA

Mrs. Alton Belew has received an appointment as county office assistant for the Collingsworth County Farmers Home Administration. She succeeds Miss Myra Hays, who retired after 38 years service. Mrs. Belew has been working in the office three months under an emergency appointment. She received a career conditional appointment under Civil Service, the first step in all Civil Service appointments, according to Raymond Hodges, county FHA executive.

"Mrs. Belew will have general office duties, and she is already doing an outstanding job in the work," said Mr. Hodges. "FHA is fortunate to have Mrs. Belew and proud of the progress she has made." A graduate of Wellington High School, Mrs. Belew has been on the staff of The

Wellington Leader, deputy tax assessor-collector, and an employee of the State Department of Public Welfare. The Veterans Administration since 1944 has guaranteed some nine billion GI home loans valued at more than \$112 million.

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Guy Clement Has First Plane Ride at Age 89

A few weeks after his 89th birthday, Guy T. Clement had his first airplane ride, a trip from California, where he visited a son, to Amarillo. On the other hand, he rode in a balloon some 19 years ago, an experience few, if any, of his friends

Mr. Clement says, but at the same time he thinks he will be taking other airplane rides.

Midge Damage Seen on Guar

If moisture is not a limiting factor, guar under dryland cultivation in the Texas Rolling Plains produces about 75 percent of its buds between 45 and 90 days after the crop emerges, according to C.E. Rogers of Vernon. Experiment Station and USDA research showed that this is the time the crop is most susceptible to midge insect damage. In irrigated tests, May-planted guar showed reduced production at all rates of bud removal, whereas in June and July planted guar, respectively, 40 and 100 percent of the buds had to be removed before there was a significant reduction in the number of pods that were produced. This means that in late-planted guar, midge control may not increase pod production. A Veterans Administration budget of \$16.4 billion for fiscal year 1976 is the largest in history and double that of 1970.

They drove across Northern New Mexico, from Raton west through Red River and Chama. They crossed the new bridge over the Rio Grande Gorge, 660 feet deep, west of Taos. While at Bloomfield, he, with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Clement, visited a grandson, Royce Clement in Montrose, Colorado; and a granddaughter, Mrs. Barbara Taylor, of Farmington. His next stop was with another son, Buford Clement and family, in San Ysidro, Calif., near San Diego. It was from here that he made his homeward trip by plane. Mr. Clement recalls that his balloon ride was during a stay in Litchfield, Arizona, and the craft was the famous Goodyear Blimp. Balloons have a much easier take-off,

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SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS (S.J.R. NO. 11)
SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 4, 1975

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

Revising the separation of powers, legislative and executive provisions of the Texas Constitution. Article II, Separation of Powers, is amended to: Provide that the powers of government of the State of Texas are divided among three distinct branches: legislative, executive, and judicial. Except as otherwise authorized by the constitution, members of one branch may not exercise any power properly attached to either of the others.

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

Revising the judiciary provisions of the Texas Constitution. Article V, The Judiciary is amended to: Establish a unified judicial system consisting of the supreme court, court of appeals, district courts, and circuit courts. Existing county courts and county judges are continued until otherwise provided by law. All judges (except municipal judges), district attorneys and district clerks must be elected by the people. The supreme court and the court of criminal appeals are merged into a single court of last resort, and this supreme court is authorized to provide for efficient administration of the judicial system and to balance case loads. Individual rights for a trial by jury and appeal by the accused are continued. The state is granted the right to appeal in criminal cases in limited circumstances, and the legislature is permitted to establish methods of appeal to the courts from decisions of state agencies. The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows: "The constitutional amendment revising the JUDICIARY PROVISIONS of the Texas Constitution." If adopted by the voters, will become effective September 1, 1976.

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

Revising the voting and election provisions of the Texas Constitution. Article VI, Voter Qualifications and Elections, is amended to: Provide for registration and qualifications for voting including voter residency requirements to be established by law. A citizen of the United States who is at least 18 years of age and who meets the registration and residence requirements provided by law is a qualified voter unless the person has been convicted of a felony and for that felony is incarcerated, on parole, or on probation, or unless the person is mentally incompetent as determined by a court. Voting by the people in all elections must be by secret ballot, and the legislature shall provide by law for residence, registration, and absentee voting

requirements, for the administration of elections, and for the protection of the electoral process. The general election for state and county officers is to be held in even-numbered years on a date prescribed by law. The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows: "The constitutional amendment revising the VOTING AND ELECTION PROVISIONS of the Texas Constitution." If adopted by the voters, will become effective September 1, 1976.

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

Revising the education provisions of the Texas Constitution. Article VII, Education, is amended to: Provide that the Permanent and Available School Funds and the county public school funds are continued for the support of the free public schools. The State Board of Education is retained and the Permanent and Available University Funds are continued for the benefit of The University of Texas and Texas A&M Systems. A new Higher Education Fund for Texas is established for the benefit of colleges and universities outside The University of Texas and Texas A&M Systems. The state ad valorem tax of ten cents on \$100 valuation is continued as the source of revenue for the Fund. The ten cent higher education tax may be changed by law within the ten cent maximum. The legislature may allocate by law a portion of the Higher Education Fund to certain state vocational and technical institutes. The article provides that the public education system must furnish each individual an equal educational opportunity, but a school district may provide local enrichment of educational programs exceeding the level provided by the state consistent with general law. Authority to issue Permanent University Bonds is continued but the bonds may not exceed 30% of the Permanent University Fund.

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

Revising the finance provisions of the Texas Constitution. Article VIII, Finance, is amended to: Provide that state taxes may be levied and collected only by general law and to prohibit any state ad valorem tax on real property or tangible personal property except the ten cent tax provided for in Article VII and a

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

tax of two cents on the \$100 assessed valuation to provide funds for the State Building Fund. Provides that all real property and tangible personal property must be taxed equally and uniformly in proportion to market value. Existing exemptions from ad valorem taxation are continued. The present deduction of motor fuel taxes for highway purposes and the Available School Fund is retained. The "pay-as-you-go" principle for the operation of state government is retained. The legislature shall establish separate formulas for appraising land to promote the preservation of open-space land devoted to farm or ranch purposes and may establish separate formulas for appraising land devoted to timber production. The \$3000 exemption from state ad valorem taxation for residential homesteads is continued and the legislature by law may increase this amount. A separate \$3000 exemption from ad valorem taxation by political subdivisions is provided for the residential homestead of persons at least 65 years of age and the political subdivision may increase this amount. The legislature by law may exempt from ad valorem taxation certain property owned by veterans' organizations, non-profit water corporations, and persons in need because of age or disability, and economic circumstance. The legislature may also exempt property to preserve historical, cultural or natural history resources. Taxpayers are provided a new method of correcting inequitable tax assessments by paying ad valorem taxes under protest and suing for a refund in a district court. State debt may be authorized by law only if approved by a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature and submitted to and approved by a majority of the qualified voters of the state voting on the question. Public funds and public credit may be used only for public purposes and no public funds or public credit may be used to influence the election of a public officer. The article prohibits a retail sales tax on agricultural machinery or parts, fertilizer, feeds or seeds, prescription drugs or medicine, or food, except food sold by restaurants for immediate consumption. An assessment voted by marine food or agricultural producers on their product sales is not a tax if provision is made for the individual producer to receive a refund of the assessment when the producer does not desire to be assessed. The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows: "The constitutional amendment revising the EDUCATION PROVISIONS of the Texas Constitution." If adopted by the voters, will become effective September 1, 1976.

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

Revising the general provisions of the Texas Constitution. Article X, General Provisions, is amended to: Provide the basic requirements relating to public officeholders such as the official oath and residency requirements. The provision defining the separate and community property of spouses is retained, and the protection of a homestead from forced sale is continued. The legislature is required to protect certain personal property from forced sale. Current wages for personal service are not subject to garnishment. A private corporation may not be chartered except under general law, and no bank may engage in business at more than one place in this state. The legislature must provide for the regulation of bank holding companies. The present system of local-option elections for the prohibition or sale of alcoholic beverages is continued. The legislature is required to prohibit lotteries and gift enterprises but may permit certain bingo games and raffles. The presently existing provisions for retirement benefits of teachers and other public employees are modified to allow the state to contribute more than 10%. A policy that the quality of the environment of the State of Texas is to be protected is established, and the legislature is required to implement and enforce this policy. No state funds may be used to remove surface water from the river basin of origin if the surface water is necessary to supply the reasonably foreseeable water requirements of the basin for the ensuing 50 years, unless the removal of water is sufficiently replaced to the point of removal from outside the state or is on a temporary, interim basis. The seaward beaches of the Gulf of Mexico and coastal submerged lands belonging to the state are held by the state in perpetual trust for the people, and subject to reasonable limitations prescribed by law, the public has the free and unrestricted right of use and benefit of the beaches. The provision is continued that, except as otherwise provided by law, a rate of interest in excess of ten percent a year is usurious, and that if a contract does not specify a rate of interest, the rate under the contract may not exceed six percent a year. Discrimination against handicapped persons is prohibited, and a goal of the state is established to provide every resident access to adequate, comprehensive health care. The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows: "The constitutional amendment revising the GENERAL PROVISIONS of the Texas Constitution." If adopted by the voters, will become effective September 1, 1976.

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

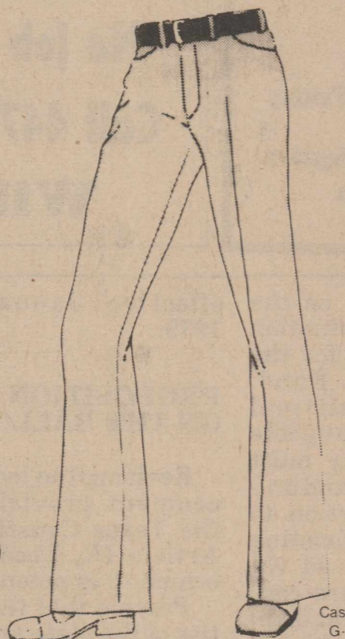
Revising the mode of amending provisions of the Texas Constitution. The proposed article will be the last article of the constitution. If only Proposition No. 8 is adopted, the article will replace Article XVII of the present constitution. If other propositions are adopted, the article will be appropriately renumbered to remain the last article of the constitution. If all propositions are adopted, the article will be Article XI. Article XVII, Mode of Amending the Constitution of the State, is amended to: Establish a procedure for constitutional amendments requiring a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature and majority approval by the voters. The calling of a limited or unlimited constitutional convention with voter approval is provided. The question of whether to call a constitutional convention must be submitted to the people every 30 years. The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows: "The constitutional amendment revising the MODE OF AMENDING PROVISIONS of the Texas Constitution." If adopted by the voters, will become effective September 1, 1976.

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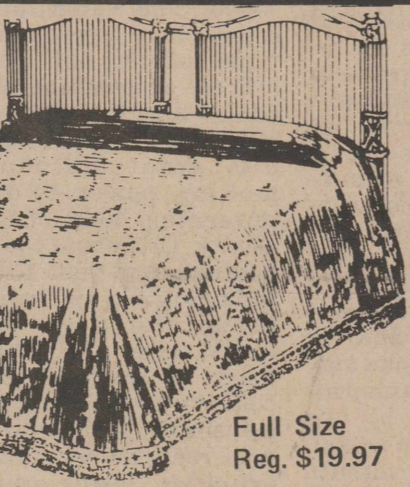


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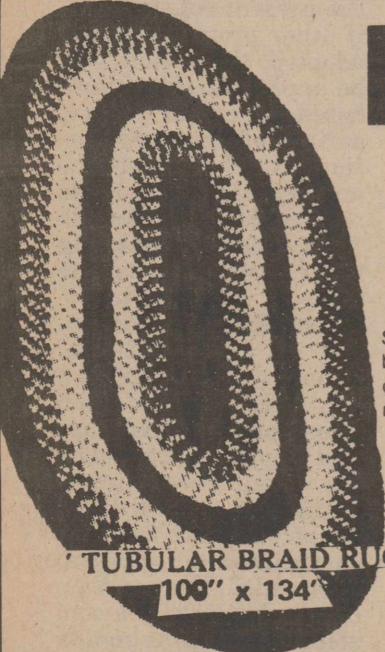
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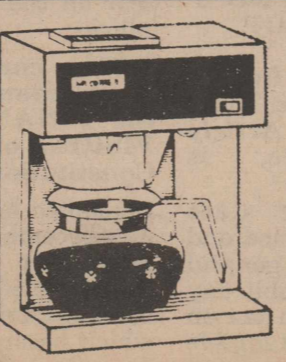
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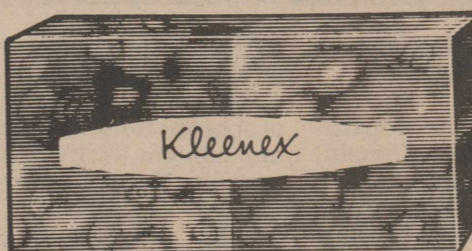
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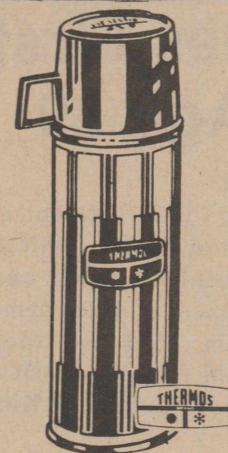
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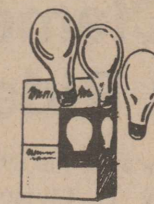


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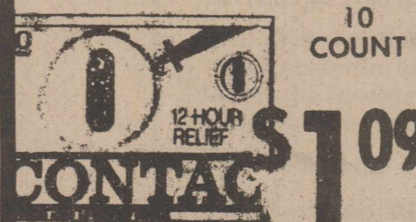


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