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BY THE EDITOR

Texas voters should look to the month of November 1960, as another time of decision, for it is in this month which a General Election will be held.

At this time a new President and Vice President will be elected. All other elective offices, both National and State, will likewise be voted upon.

There will be much pre-election campaigning and ballyhoo by both Democratic and Republican candidates. And, because of the publicity in the newspapers, and on radio and TV, interested voters will be afforded ample opportunity to study the various candidates and their respective platforms.

At the same time Texans will again be called upon to amend their Constitution, but the four propositions which will be submitted for approval or rejection are not likely to attract as much attention as the candidates.

Nevertheless, these amendments should be carefully studied by every voter, because each involves matters of finance even though the specific subject matter of the amendment is unrelated. The amendments will be headed as follows: **"Proposed Constitutional Amendment To Be Voted On At An Election To Be Held On November 8, 1960."**

Amendment No. 1 would authorize the Legislature to create a Hospital District including Lamar and Hidalgo Counties, and County Commissioner's Precinct No. 4 of Comanche County.

Amendment No. 2 would increase to three and one-half percent (3½%) the maximum permissible interest rate on bonds hereafter issued by the Veteran's Land Board.

Amendment No. 3 would allow an annual salary for Members of the Legislature of not to exceed $4,800 per year, and a per diem allowance of not more than $12.-00 per day for the first 120 days only of each Regular Session, and for 30 days of each Special Session of the Legislature. The Regular Session would be limited to 140 days.

Amendment No. 4 would give the Legislature authority to classify loans and lenders, license and regulate lenders, define interest and fix maximum rates of interest.

Voters should study these amendments carefully, and watch their newspapers for further discussions of these amendments. Above all, plan now to vote!

Missile Sites To be Open for Public Inspection

US Army Missile Firing Batteries near Abilene will open to the public their two new Air Defense Sites on August 5th and 6th. Captain Keith B. Verburg commands the North Missile Site located on FM Road 1193 on the West Side of Ft. Phantom Lake. Captain Elgin L. Eskridge commands the South Missile Site located on the San Angelo Highway 277. 6 miles south of View. The Sites will be open for visitors on Friday, August 5th, from 10:-00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m. and on Saturday, August 6th, from 10:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m.

Lieutenant Colonel Joseph P. Guinn, Commander of the 5th Missile Battalion (NIKE-HERCULES) 517th Artillery, said that these sites protect more than 29 Texas counties covering 18,000 square miles against airborne attack.

Visitors will be shown a film of missle firings against aerial targets and will spend about an hour touring the buildings and tactical equipment. On display will be NIKE-HERCULES Missiles, radars, fire control equipment and Sentry Dogs used for guarding the equipment. Full explanation of the equipment will be given. Photographs will be permitted.

W. E. SWITZER TAKING RESERVE TRAINING

Fort Chaffee, Ark. — William E. Switzer of Santa Anna is receiving refresher military training at Fort Chaffee this week with the 95th Division, the nation's top-ranked reserve training division.

Switzer was called to active duty for two weeks to test the reserve's ability to process, equip and train a large number of men in a limited time. He is one of 2,200 on-unit reservists ordered to report to Fort Chaffee from cities in Texas, New Mexico, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Arkansas. Camp began July 23 and will end August 6.

Switzer has been assigned to Co. B., 95th Inf. Reg.

Campbell Named Honorary Board Chairman of WTU

Abilene — Price Campbell was named Honorary Chairman of the West Texas Utilities Company Board of Directors on Friday, stepping down from the active chairmanship he has held since 1955.

Cal Young, WTU President, said there are no immediate plans to name an active chairman to replace Campbell.

Campbell began his forty-five years of service in the electric industry when he was employed at Marshall, Texas, by the American Public Service Company, predecessor of the West Texas Utilities Company.

He came to Abilene in 1920 as an engineer for the companies that were to become the West Texas Utilities. In 1930, Campbell was named President of the company and held that position until 1955, when he reached the mandatory retirement age of 65 and was named Chairman of the Board.

His election as Honorary Chairman came as a result of his attaining the mandatory retirement age for the Board Chairman. As Honorary Chairman, Campbell will be relieved of his administrative duties but will continue as an active director of the company and will maintain an office in the First National - Ely Building.

Widely known for his work in the development of West Texas, Campbell has been interested in numerous civic and area development programs.

Among other activities, Campbell is a director of Texas A & M College, Board Member of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and the United Fund of Abilene, and a Trustee of the Abilene YWCA.

B. B. Nichols Buried Thursday

Funeral services for B. B. Nichols, 88, were held in Brownwood Thursday, July 28, at 2:00 p. m. Burial was in the Winchell Cemetery. He died at his home about 8:30 a. m. Tuesday, July 26th.

Mr. Nichols lived in the Santa Anna area for many years before moving to Brownwood about 20 years ago. He was a retired farmer and member of the Church of Christ. He was born December 7, 1871.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Ola Russell of Brownwood; six sons, Marvin and Ira Nichols, both of Brownwood, Jim Nichols of Houston, Charlie and Buck Nichols of Corpus Christi, and Vernon Nichols of Kelleyville, Okla; 17 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren.

Leroy Nichols of Abilene, a grandson, visited in Santa Anna on Tuesday of last week, on his way to Brownwood.

Large Crowd Attends REA Meeting Friday

An estimated 4,000 persons were present for the annual meeting of the membership of the Coleman County Electric Cooperative, held at the Rodeo Grounds in Coleman last Friday night. The meeting opened with registration of members.

The Santa Anna Stage Band, under the direction of former Band Director James Mallow, presented 30-minutes of musical entertainment before the business session got underway. The business meeting was followed with entertainment and a drawing for a number of prizes.

During the business meeting, C. L. Newton, manager, said the total assets of the cooperative is now $3,394,250. They owe REA just over $2 million and have paid the REA in interest $113,-871, plus principal of $737,840. Notes paid off before due amount to $338,662 and advance payments made amount to $365,-319. Total operating expenses for 1959 was $471,791 with the total revenue being $675,517.

During the year just ended, the cooperative refunded $46,-533 to it's members. The refund was in proportion to the member's patronage. Other refunds will be made each year, as the cooperative steadily grows stronger.

Miss Edith Brannan of Brownwood visited on Friday with Mrs. J. W. Taylor.

Don't Relax When You Drive

"Summertime is the time for fun and relaxation, but not when you're driving."

With these words, J. O. Musick, general manager of the Texas Safety Association, reminded Texas drivers that everyone wants to get in the car and go places for a day, or a month, of relaxation. Thereby crowding streets and highways throughout the State.

"Since August is one of the biggest vacation months, we're urging all travelers to take safety along on their trips. It's fun to drive for relaxation, but don't relax your safety-guard," Musick said. "Too often vacation trips are planned without any thought for safety on the road, and what often starts out to be a pleasure trip ends up as another traffic tragedy."

The safety expert said that the best way to avoid danger on a vacation trip is to understand certain basic safety measures and remember them. He listed these basic measures as being: Control of speed, keeping the car safety-checked and in good condition at all times; scheduling your driving for daytime hours and allowing for occasional breaks to minimize fatigue; and obeying traffic signs and signals.

"If a driver starts out on the road fully determined to follow these common sense rules to protect himself and his family in highway traffic, there is little doubt that his vacation will be safe, relaxing and fun," Musick said.

V. A. Should Be Informed of Address Changes

Veterans or their dependents receiving compensation or pension from the Veterans Administration should report immediately any change of address to avoid delay in receipt of their benefit checks.

VA officials said that the request should be in writing, and signed. Both the old and the new address should be given in notifying the VA of the fact that they have moved. In addition, it is always well to file a change-of-address card with the local post office.

Among the thousands of letters that the VA receives each month are many which cannot be answered because the writer fails to identify himself with address or claim number. The writer's full name, the address and the "C" number or insurance number, if there is one, should always be included.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thate and Misses Elsie Lee and Ruby Harper left Thursday morning for a vacation trip to Washington, D. C., and other points of interest in the northeast.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClellan are the grandparents of a son born to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Pierce Saturday in a Brownwood hospital. The new arrival has been named Mark Allen. Mrs. Pierce is the former Frances McClellan. The Pierces also have a daughter, Paula Sue.

Mark Davis and Patricia were in Brady Sunday afternoon to visit Mrs. Tom Bryan of Rockwood, a patient in the Brady hospital, as the result of a spider bite on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Curry and Harvey spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Luke Pricer and family in Abilene. Danny visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gober.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Grant of Fort Worth visited a part of last week with relatives. On their return to Fort Worth they took Darla Williamson, who has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Lura Williamson, with them.

Visitors in the Warren Aldridge home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Aldridge of Fresno, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Amon Aldridge and Amy Kay of Lawn, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vanderford of Santa Anna.

Mrs. Jane Sorensen of La-Puente, Calif., and Mrs. Frances Boyd of Colton, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy West on Thursday and Friday of last week. They also visited Mrs. Horace Phillips while here.

Dog License Sales Increase This Week

Mrs. Pauline Garrett, City Secretary, reports the sale of dog licenses in the city has increased considerably during the past few days, and that it shows no apparent decrease in volumn as yet. Mrs. Garrett said 23 licenses have been sold to dog owners during the past few days. That, compared with the fact that not one had been sold before the middle of July, is a considerable increase.

The offer of a bounty of $1.00 for stray dogs being brought to the City Hall continues through the month of August. On Tuesday morning eight strays had been turned in by local people.

One lady brought in a stray dog and used the bounty money to purchase a license for her dog. Others have just collected the bounty money.

We have not been informed of any new cases of rabies during the past few days. However, this is no time to relax control measures. There is no telling how many animals in this area are afflicted with the disease. All animals subject to the disease should be watched closely, and if they show any signs of peculiar actions, a veterinarian should be called.

Cats, dogs, skunks, fox and many other animals are subject to the disease. It can be transmitted from one animal to another by biting, or it can be transmitted to humans by biting or by humans coming in contact with the disease and exposing places where the skin is broken.

Rabies is deadly to humans or animals after it develops, but can be controlled after exposure, but before it develops.

CORRECTION

In last weeks Harvey Grocery advertisement, we erroneously advertised four cans of biscuits for $1.00. ITI should have been four cans of biscuits for 25c.

Mother of Six Killed in Accident Lived at Trickham

Mrs. Beula Kingston informs us that Mrs. Leland K. Letterman, who was killed in a car-truck accident in Odessa Thursday of last week, along with six of her children and two other persons, formerly lived in Trickham.

Mrs Kingston said she was formerly Inabeth Trotter, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Thompson of Brownwood, and daughter of Emily Thompson Trotter.

The Thompsons formerly lived on the Guthrie Ranch, and later had rooms with Mrs. C. F. Shields at Trickham, before they moved to Brownwood. Mrs. Kingston said Mrs. Letterman's mother first married W. W. Trotter, and after two children were born to the union the Trotters separated, and each later married again.

She said anyone wishing to know the address of the Thompsons, it is 2208 Coggin, Brownwood.

166 Widows of Confederate Vets Get Pensions in Tex.

There are 166 widows of Confederate veterans in Texas who are now receiving pension from the Veterans Administration, P. J. Mims, Manager of the Waco VA Regional Office said today.

There are also two children of Confederate veterans on the VA pension rolls in Texas, Mr. Mims said.

Pensions are paid to widows of Confederate veterans pursuant to a law dated July 1, 1958, which places them on the same basis as widows of Union soldiers in the War between the States. They receive $40.64 if under 70 years of age and $65 a month if over 70.

Children receive a pension only until they reach age 19. However, if before their 18th birthday they become permanently incapable of self-support through mental or physical disability then the pension payments are allowed to be made after age 18. There are no exceptions to this regulation for Confederate or Union children.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price and Jack Price left last week for Minneapolis, Minn., where they are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Price and family.

William Brown Elected President Of School Board

William R. Brown, who has been serving as Vice President of the Santa Anna School Board, was elected President in the regular meeting Tuesday night. Brown takes the place of Add T. Walker, who was killed in an accident recently. Tom Stewardson was elected Vice President and Mrs. Catherine Markland is Secretary.

The board voted to accept an insurance policy offered by the Texas Reserve Life Insurance Company of San Antonio. This policy can be purchased by the student, but is not required. For $3.00 the policy covers the student up to a maximum of $5,000 for any one accident during the school hours or during any school sponsored program. It also includes a $500 Tutoring clause, which means that if a student is injured and cannot attend regular classes a tutor can be employed to teach the lessons missed because of the accident. The policy can also be purchased for $10.00, which covers the student for a full year, 24 hours a day, and furnishes the same benefits. The policy is only 50 cents more than the other policies the school has accepted, but it furnishes considerable more coverage.

The board elected Wilbert Bailey to drive the Colored school bus to Coleman during the school year. They also voted to sell construction company caliche from the Plain school ground.

Services for H. M. Tidmore On Thursday

Funeral services for H. M. Tidmore, 87, are scheduled to be held at the Stag Creek Tabernacle in Comanche County at 3:00 p. m. Thursday, August 4. Mr. Tidmore died in the Santa Anna Hospital, at 3:00 a. m. Wednesday. Johnny Hallford of Talpa, will be the officiating minister.

Mr. Tidmore was born January 15, 1873 in Watervalley, Miss. He was a retired farmer. In 1943 he moved to Coleman County from Runnels County, about four miles south of Santa Anna. About a year ago he moved into town.

Survivors include one son, Freddie Tidmore of Maverick, Texas; four daughters, Mrs. Aaron Thomason of Talpa, Mrs. L. J. Dodson and Miss Doris Tidmore, both of Santa Anna, and Mrs. Charlie Ray of Gouldbusk; one sister, Mrs. Walter Smith of Sidney; two brothers, R. L. Tidmore of Retan and Fred Tidmore of Comanche; 10 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Burial will be in the Stag Creek Cemetery under the direction of Wright's Funeral Home of Brownwood.

Wilbur R. Mitchell Buried Sunday

Funeral services for Wilbur Robert Mitchell, 54, were held at the Steven Memorial Chapel in Coleman at 2:00 p. m. Sunday, July 31. Mr. Mitchell died in the Coleman hospital at 9:30 p. m. July 29th. Burial was in the Coleman Cemetery, under the direction of the Steven Funeral Home.

Mr. Mitchell was born in Santa Anna October 12, 1905, to John and Nettie Mitchell. For the past 18 years he has been living on Rural Route 1 out of Coleman. He was a carpenter for County Precinct No. 1. He was a member of the University Baptist Church of Abilene.

Rev. Paul Smith, pastor of the Concho Baptist Church of Coleman, was the officiating minister. Pallbearers were Ernest Killingsworth, Clifford Seals, Homer Cleckler, Robert Rutledge, J. D. Burson and Elgie Robins.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Lena Mitchell of Coleman; his mother, Mrs. Nettie (Weaver) Mitchell of Santa Anna; two sons, Robert and Jerry Don Mitchell, both of Coleman; two daughters, Mrs. Cloyce M. White of Abilene ad Mrs. Louise Ray of Louise, Texas; one sister, Miss Vivian Mitchell of Brownwood; and four grandchildren.

Revival Meetings

There are a number of revival meetings now in progress in Santa Anna and others will begin in the near future. The following is the list we have:

NORTH SIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. T. C. Melton is the evangelist in a revival meeting that will continue through Sunday of this week. Rev. Melton is pastor of the Oak Street Baptist Church in Abilene.

Attendance has been good and a lot of interest is being shown. The church extends a cordial invitation to all to attend each service. Morning services are at 10 a. m. and evening services at 7:45 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. E. V. Brooks, pastor of the Oak Street Baptist Church in Colorado City, is the evangelist in this revival effort that will end Sunday. Rev. Brooks is assisted by Rev. Billy R. Crews, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Sterling City, as Song Director. Services are being held at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Interest is good in the meeting and atendance is excellent. The church has set a goal of 203 in Sunday School for Sunday morning. Everyone is cordially invited to attend each service.

NORTHSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Walter Burch of Abilene will be the evangelist in a Gospel Meeting that will begin at the Northside Church of Christ Monday, August 8. Services will be held on the church lawn each evening at 8 p. m. through Sunday, August 14. Regular services will be held Sunday morning.

Mr. Burch has assisted in meetings at this church before, and is well known throughout this area. Everyone has a cordial invitation to attend each service.

SOUTHSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

R. L. Wall of Quanah, Texas, will be the evangelist in a Gospel Meeting that will begin at the Southside Church of Christ Sunday, August 7. Richard Hill of Coleman will have charge of the song services.

Sunday morning services will be held at 10:30 and evening services will be held at 8 o'clock. The church extends a warm welcome to everyone to attend each service.

CLEVELAND CHURCH OF CHRIST

Claude Walkup of Goule, Okla., will be the evangelist at the Cleveland Church of Christ in a meeting that will begin Sunday, August 14 and continue through Sunday, Aug. 21.

Services will be held each evening at 8:15. A cordial invitation is extended to each and everyone to attend each service.

Happy Birthday

"Happy Birthday" to all who have birthdays during the next week. Below are listed the birthdays we have this week.

AUGUST 5
Mrs. Annie Munger
Mrs. Kate McIlvain
George Stewardson Jr.
Bobby Morgan
Mrs. Kenneth Bowker

AUGUST 6
Mrs. W. E. Vanderford
Virginia Wise
Ronnie Hardy

AUGUST 7
Mrs. Jess Griffith
J. E. Richardson
Mrs. Howard Blackwell
Ray Davis
Molinda Scroggins
John Hensley

AUGUST 8
Mrs. W. C. Cammack
Jimmy Henderson
Mrs. C. F. Yancy
Lonnie Bledsoe

AUGUST 9
Mrs. Nick Buse
Mrs. Johnny Ethel Horton
Bill Mulroy Jr., Birmingham, Ala.

AUGUST 10
M. L. Guthrie Jr.
Mrs. Ruby Hartman
Mrs. Dave Ellis
Curtis Bryan
Wayne Langford
Dr. L. O. Garrett
Mrs. Cecil Day, Coleman

AUGUST 11
Mrs. Roy Blackwell
Billy Don Haynes
Mrs. Mary Cole

Would you like for your name to be published on your birthday? If so, please be sure to let us know when it is. Next week we will publish names of those having birthdays between August 12th and August 18th.

State Capital NEWS

Austin — About a dozen state agencies thus far have presented their budget requests for the 1961-63 biennium.

As yet none has failed to ask for more money than it's presently getting.

Many agencies cite Texas' growing population as justification for expansion. They say, in effect, that they are in the same position as the housewife who has to put another potato in the pot to set another place at the table.

Others seek to woo state funds with a "bread cast upon the waters" approach. They contend that money spent on developing the state's resources will come back multiplied in the form of increased state revenue.

Almost all emphasize the difficulties of luring and holding highly trained personnel at present state salaries. Some say, too, that they've been working with a too-short stick for years and need some "keep up with the times" improvements.

Budget proposals are presently being studied by the Legislative Budget Board and the Governor's budget staff. Each will make recommendations, and the final decision will be made next year by the Legislature.

With a money-short, tax-fighting session ahead, it won't be easy for anyone.

These budget requests have been added to those already under study.

STATE PARKS

An investment in state parks is an investment in the Texas tourist industry and a potentially rich source of additional funds for the state treasury.

This is the theme of the State Parks Board in asking for a $2,000,000 appropriation for the next two years. This is almost double the present spending level.

Of this million-dollar-a-year appropriation, the Board proposes to use $700,000 a year for improvements, $300,00 a year for administration.

Texas, says parks director Bill Collins, spends less on its state parks than Rhode Island. He cited figures showing that Texas would get $81,000,000 a year more in tax revenue if each out-of-state visitors stayed in the state one more day.

GENERAL LAND OFFICE

A bigger budget is asked by the General Land Office and Veterans Land Board to assure the state's realizing full value from the resources of state-owned lands.

A two-year budget of $3,042,339 is asked.

Land Office noted the state now has clear title to 8,000 square miles of tidelands. It wants to employ three oil scouts and a geological director to explore the development of the tidelands' mineral resources. Altogether, 29 new land office employees are being asked.

Land Office claims that for every dollar it has spent in the past 22 years, $90.18 has been returned to the state treasury in revenue.

AGRICULTURE

Complexities of increasingly scientific farming put greater demands on the State Department of Agriculture, says Commissioner John C. White.

His "sink or swim" budget request is for $3,061,421 for the coming two-year period. This compares with a $1,930,966 appropriation for the present period.

White said the "chemical revolution" in agriculture today puts heavy responsibilities on his department. He also asked for more equipment and more salaries for personnel to check weights and measures.

HIGHWAYS

State Highway Department is asking for a two-year allocation of $698,600,000.

Of this, $348,300,000 would be for the 1961-62 period; $350,300,000 for the 1962-63 period. This compares with $337,000,000 spent by the Highway Department in 1959.

Most of the highway revenue comes from special earmarked sources, such as the gasoline tax, license fees, etc. Department is asking $600,000 from the general revenue fund to be used for tourist advertising.

GAME AND FISH

Game and Fish Commission is asking for what it calls a "statue quo" budget except for salary raises for some of its top technical personnel.

Commission is asking for $12,034,945 for the coming two-year period compared to $11,593,651 for the present biennium.

Executive Director Howard Dodgen declared the commission's top echelon employees are "grossly underpaid" for highly trained persons, some with master's degrees.

STATE COLLEGES

Three colleges, East Texas State, Stephen F. Austin and Sam Houston State Teachers College, have told the Commission on Higher Education they need more money.

Expected enrollment increases, need for higher faculty salaries and need to lower the student-teacher ratio were cited as reasons for the requests.

East Texas is asking $2,446,555 for the first year, $2,547,125 for the second year of the 1961-63 period. This compares with a present annual budget of $1,676,424.

Stephen F. Austin asks $2,063,719 the first year, $2,048,603 the second, compared to the present $1,244,370 a year.

Sam Houston wants $2,970,261 the first year, $2,992,190 the second. Present annual spending is $2,040,677.

These requests along with all those from state-supported colleges and universities, will be studied and screened by the Higher Education Commission before a recommendation is presented to legislative and executive budget officials.

WHERE TO GET IT

With new spending requests piling up, the search for new money-making plans is ranging far and wide.

Four board-based tax plans are being considered by tax hunting sub-committee of the Governor's State Finance Advisory Commission.

They are: (1) a payroll tax, paid half by employers, half by employees, (2) a utilities customers tax adding a percentage to all utility bills, (3) a business activities tax which would combine some of the features of payroll, gross receipts and corporate income taxes and (4) a transfer which would be similar to a sales tax.

Other ideas suggested to the panel include higher taxes on liquor and beer, sales tax on soft drinks and restaurant meals and a tax on sporting events.

TAX-MAN SAM SEZ:

A neighbor of mine brought up an interesting point over the back fence the other day. This neighbor's maid had been working for him for some time. My neighbor, being a good law-abiding taxpaying citizen, proposed paying social security tax on his maid as required by law and also to provide the maid with financial security for her declining years. The maid, however, had refused to give her Social Security number and threatened to get another job if he paid social security tax on her. I pointed out that the maid might decide to file for social security benefits twenty years from now; that my neighbor would still be liable for the tax, plus penalty, plus interest, twenty years from now since he had not filed a tax return; that the Social Security Administration would ask Internal Revenue to collect the tax off my good neighbor; that it might possibly be in my neighbor's best interest to file a quarterly tax return on his maid at the present time. Needless to say, the IRS acquired a new household employer taxpayer. If you have a maid, you are probably liable for social security tax. If you are liable, it would probably pay you to pay. You can get Circular H which tells your responsibilities as a household employer from IRS.

"Riding the rods" refers to hoboes riding on the brake rods under railway cars.

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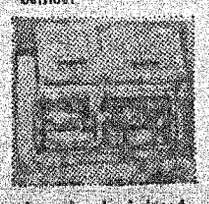

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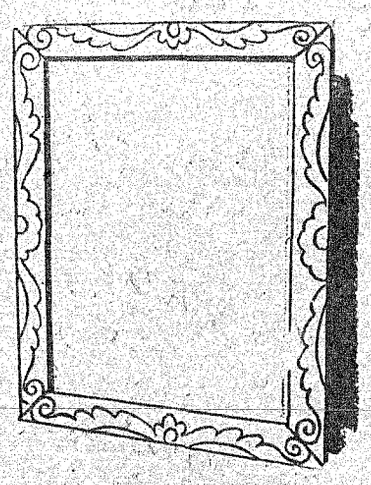

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Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. SUNTER

Mr. and Mrs. Uless Maness were dismissed from the Brady Hospital on Tuesday of last week. Among their visitors while there were Mrs. A. S. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Freeman and children of San Antonio. At home, visitors have been Miller Box of Fort Worth, Boss Estes, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson, Mr. Bob Steward, the John Hunters, Mrs. A. L. Crutcher and Ludy Jane, Johnny Steward, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mobley and Gregg, Mrs. Aubrey McSwane, Mrs. Kate McIlvain and the Ray Diaz family of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mobley and Gregg returned to their home in Odessa last Wednesday, after a visit of several days with relatives.

Mrs. Tom Bryan was admitted to the Brady Hospital Thursday of last week because of a spider bite on her hand.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Arnold and Meri Jan of Mid West City, Okla., returned home last Friday after a vacation with the A. L. Kings and other relatives. The Kings and Arnolds joined other relatives at Lake Brownwood last Wednesday.

Nikki Johnson is home sunburned after spending last week with relatives at Lake Brownwood.

Mrs. J. A. Hunter visited last Tuesday morning with Mrs. A. L. Crutcher, Mrs. N. J. Buttry and Mrs. L. L. Bryan were Sunday afternoon guests. Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillan visited Saturday afternoon.

Raymond Trent of Denver City spent Thursday to Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter and Don.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Glass, Coleman and Linda of Austin were weekend guests with the Hunters. Coleman and Linda remained to visit two weeks with their grandparents and the Tommy Briscoes at Waldrip.

The J. A. Hunters, Coleman and Linda were Sunday supper guests with the Briscoes.

Mrs. Eva Metcalf and Alden of Coleman visited last Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Clyde Pittard.

Sunday supper guests in the Pittard home were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Griffin of Fisk and Leon Griffin, stationed in California.

Barbara McIntire spent Sunday with Linda Pittard. Anita and Mary Broadway joined them in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Nevans, Mrs. George Chapapus and Kathy joined friends Sunday at Sonora and visited the newly opened caverns.

Mrs. Joe Wise and Mrs. Evan Wise were Tuesday business visitors in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson came home last Wednesday after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roger Dudley at Ozona, Mr. and Mrs. Jim West and Cleve at Midland, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Phenix and Cynthia at Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richardson at Artesia, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cooper and family in Snyder.

Visiting during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Evan Wise were Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Box of San Angelo, Mrs. Gussie Wise of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Miller Box of Fort Worth. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Wise of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Wise also visited Mrs. J. W. Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Inman of Abilene spent two days last week with Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Buttry. Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bryan visited Saturday evening. Mrs. Bill Rehm of Uvalde came Sunday to spend this week.

Mrs. M. D. Bryan accompanied by Mrs. Floyd Smith and family of Santa Anna went to Monahans last week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Joey Bryan and family. Steve and Regina came home with Mrs. Bryan to visit awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Johnson and Nikki visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwane and Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Box of Abilene visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moore and Mrs. Rosa Belle Heilman.

Lonzo Moore of Brady spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Moore. Edwin Fowler of Coleman was a Sunday afternoon visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ercell Ellis of Palestine spent Saturday and Sunday with Dave Ellis.

Mrs. Mamie Herring of Fort Worth spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Nevans.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan and girls spent Sunday at Lake Brownwood.

Misses Colleen and Sue Wise of Fort Worth spent the weekend with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Will Bryan of Iraan visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. L. Brusenhan Sr. Mrs. Bill Polk and Candy of Salt Gap visited Sunday in the Brusenhan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCreary and girls are vacationing this week in Old Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Traylor and boys of Coleman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Kemp.

Mrs. Kemp announces the birth of a new great granddaughter, Rae Ann Kerbow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Kerbow of Austin. The baby was born in the Coleman hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Traylor of Coleman.

Reed Steward of Lohn spent Thursday with the Johnny Stewards.

Mr. and Mrs. Chick Rehm and Mary Nell of Faifurrias and Mrs. Howard Rehm of Uvalde are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Steward and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rehm. The Rehm family reunion will be on the river at Johnny Steward's next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elry Kelly, Debra and Candy of Coleman visited Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. James Steward and Jamie Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rehm and family spend Sunday with the Mack Rehms in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nixon of Valera were Saturday supper guests in the E. L. Estes home. Mr. and Mrs. Estes and Geneva visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Slate in Gouldbusk.

Mrs. Preston Gorden, Wendell and Marty of Corpus Christi were Thursday luncheon guests with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith. Friday visitors were Mrs. A. J. Gunn of Brownwood and Mrs. Dora White of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Gray visited Saturday to Tuesday in Odessa with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Routh and boys.

Among those attending the annual Steward family reunion at the Brady Park Sunday were Bob Steward, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper and LaQuinn, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Steward, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward and Sonsy, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Steward and girls, John X. Steward and Mr. and Mrs. James Steward and Jamie Kay.

The Home Demonstration Club will sponsor a family night party at the Community Center Friday night, August 5. Bring ice cream or cake, dominoes and card tables. Committee on arragements are Mrs. Dick Deal, Mrs. James Steward and Mrs. Jack Cooper.

Mrs. Roy Blackwell is recuperating at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Roland Caudle, following surgery. Her address is Box 122, Stephenville, Texas.

Sunday guests with Mrs. Mern Shuford were Mrs. N. J. Buttry, Mrs. L. L. Bryan, Mrs. Kate McIlvain, Mrs. A. L. Crutcher and Ludy Jane and Mrs. M. D. Bryan.

Mrs. E. D. Black and children of San Angelo are visiting her father, Tom Bryan, while Mrs. Bryan is in the Brady Hospital because of a spider bite on the hand.

Mrs. Carl Buttry, Jerry and Lana were in Stephenville last Thursday on business and visited Mrs. Roy Blackwell in the Caudle home.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bryan and Leann, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward and Sonsy and James Hodges enjoyed a Sunday outing at Lake Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob McMinn in Santa Anna Saturday afternoon. J. C. Deal of Abilene was a Sunday dinner guest.

Mrs. John X. Steward came home Monday. Her back injury is slightly improved. Mrs. Jackie Turner, Steve and Kim of Midland are visiting the Stewards.

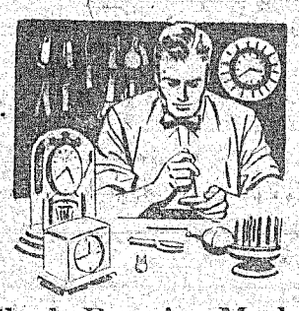
Mrs. Ray Steward visited Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Claud Box. The Rey. and Mrs. David Morrison and son were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Box. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Box of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Riddle of Coleman and Misses Mickey and Debra Steward.

Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes, Douglas and Mike left Thursday to visit Mrs. J. O. Harkey and other relatives at Los Angeles, Calif. Enroute, they spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Estes and Gordon at Big Spring.

Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Reeves and family in Lubbock. Mrs. Reeves, Truett and Bryan accompanied them on Saturday on the California trip.

Reg's Trading Post — Coleman

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson are vacationing in Ruidosa, N. M.



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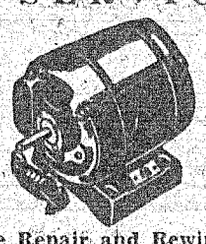

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TO: Roy Elliott, Defendent, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 119th District Court of Coleman County at the Courthouse thereof, in Coleman, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 5th day of September A. D. 1960, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 22nd day of July A. D. 1960, in this cause, numbered 8442-B on the docket of said court, and styled Josephine Elliott, Plaintiff, vs. Roy Elliott, Defendent.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce. No children and no community property, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirement of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Coleman, Texas, this the 22nd day of July A. D. 1960.

Attest: G. A. HENSLEY Clerk, District Court
Coleman County, Texas
(SEAL) 31-34c.

Charcoal Rot is Grain Sorghum And Corn Disease

College Station — Charcoal rot is a common disease of grain sorghum and corn in most areas. The fungus root rot causes more damage than head smut in many areas. Close to 100 percent infection may occur in susceptible selections or varieties. Losses are said to be heaviest during years of little rainfall with dry wind during [illegible].

Damage is noticed during June and July in South Texas. The disease appears in north Texas during August and September.

Damage is easiest to detect when the plants are approaching maturity. Charcoal rot damaged plants have poorly filled heads or ears with light weight grain. Diseased stalks ripen and dry early.

Weakening of the stalks by the fungus in many cases causes them to lodge. Stalks are soft and discolored at the base with the pith disintegrated and shredded. Small 1-2 pin-point blackish seed bodies (sclerotia) may be among the shredded pith.

Other crops affected by the disease are sunflower, cotton, leadcane, sugar beets, sweetpotatoes, [illegible], sunflowers, [illegible], southern peas, beans and peas. Crops [illegible] in the southern states and [illegible] or [illegible] are not damaged seriously.

Abundant moisture from rain or irrigation water in the latter part of the growing season practically controls the stem rot form. Crops fail to resist the disease in their period of growth [illegible] they have high vigor. [illegible] effort [illegible] resistant hybrids.

[illegible] extension agent [illegible] information. Ask for [illegible] B-912, Grain [illegible] Texas" [illegible] "Charcoal Rot of [illegible] in East Texas."

Rootplowing and Seeding Costs Studied In South Texas

College Station — The invasion of mesquite and other woody plant species on the Rio Grande Plain has been a serious problem for several years. In an effort to regain some of the lost forage production, many ranchers in that area have invested in range improvement projects. The most popular method of pasture improvement has been rootplowing and reseeding with blue panic or buffel grass. This operation has in many instances resulted in phenomenal brush kills and successful grass stands.

A study has been conducted by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station in an effort to determine the costs of the operation, including the costs of additional treatments needed to insure the desired results. Ranches used in the study ranged from 162 to more than 18,000 acres, with an average of 2,010 acres. Total area rootplowed and seeded per ranch ranged from 10 to almost 1,200 acres.

Common sequence of the operation was to first chain the brush, then rootplow and seed, and defer grazing on the treatment area. Local contractors did most of the work. The most frequent contract prices quoted were $3 per acre for chaining, and $10 per acre for rootplowing and seeding. One dollar per acre was the assigned cost for non-use of the land for one year.

Of the 490 contract operations observed during 1957-58, 166 resulted in grass stands. This is 33.9 percent success. Using the 66.1 percent failure as a risk factor, the determination was made that treatment including chaining, rootplowing and seeding, and range deferment, resulted in a cost of $18.63 per acre. This figure does not include additional costs of fencing, water facilities, grubbing and weed control, which may or may not be necessary.

Benefits received from this method of range improvement vary and many cannot be measured at this time. Increases in livestock carrying capacity and in calf weights, fewer insects and reduced handling costs were reported, however.

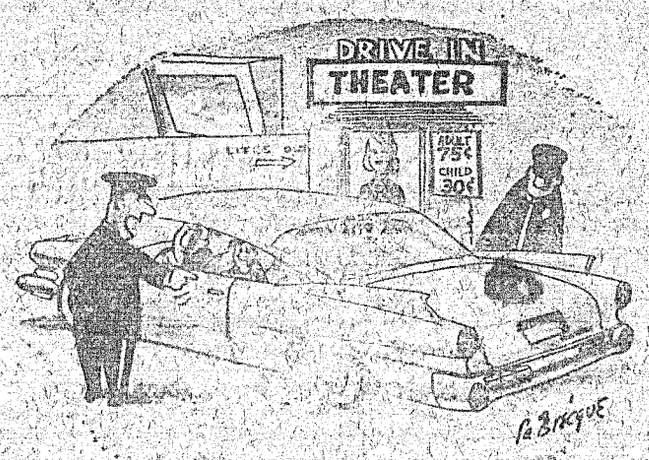
Indications are that the areas rootplowed and seeded successfully can be handled best as temporary pastures in a manner similar to Sudangrass.

The results of this study have been published, and may be obtained by writing the Agricultural Information Office, Texas A & M College, College Station, Texas. Ask for MP-425.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Henderson and Orabeth of Snyder, brought Mrs. Hardy Blue home after a few days visit with them. They spent the weekend here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bowker and children are vacationing in Ruidosa, N. M.

Attend church regularly.



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Safety Council Speaks Out on Farm Pond Safety

College Station — The farm pond or stock tank has become a familiar sight in Texas. These ponds are important sources of pleasure and that indispensable commodity — water. Unless proper safety precautions are taken, however, these same useful ponds can become a source of tragedy, says the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council.

To emphasize the seriousness of farm pond hazards, the Safety Council points to a recent nationwide tabulation of causes of farm deaths. Texas ranked sixth in the number of deaths caused by drowning. This is one "Top Ten" list, they add, that Texas should not be on.

Anyone who has a pond or tank on his land should observe and enforce the following safety precautions. These measures could save a lot of grief, reminds the Safety Council.

Post safety instructions for boating, swimming and skating.

Mark safe swimming areas.

Place lifesaving devices such as ring buoys, ropes and long poles around swimming areas.

Do not allow anyone who cannot swim to get into the water.

Know accepted methods of artificial respiration.

Fence pond so that children cannot play around pond without supervision.

Make sure that an adult supervises all recreation around pond.

Average Texas Farm Workday Was 10.1 Hours on June 1

College Station — Texas farmers and ranchers had an average workday of 10 hours, 6 minutes on June 1, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

That's a half-hour less than the average for farmers in all states of the nation, more than two hours less than the Wisconsin farm workday, but a full hour more than Nevada and Florida farmers put in.

This was brought out in the farm labor request issued by USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service, based on reports from federal-state Crop Reporting Service offices in each state.

The national average was 10.6 hours. Wisconsin led with 12.2 hours, while Nevada and Florida were lowest with 9.1 hours. Colorado farmers averaged 11.2 hours, Kansas, 10.9, New Mexico, 10.7, Oklahoma, 10.2; Texas 10.1; Arkansas, 9.8; and Louisiana, 9.3 hours.

Farm operators in the nation averaged about an hour more each day than their hired hands.

Seasonal length of the farm workday has changed very little in this area during the last three years, although a slowness in the crop season was evident in some locations when the June 1 survey was made. The June 1 average for Texas in 1950 was 11.6 hours. In the war year of 1943, it was 12.8 hours.

Weather at this season seems to have little effect on the amount of time the farm operator works, even when he can't be in the fields. The number of seasonal hired workers is more sharply influenced by weather conditions, but the workday length for regular hired help is more consistent, even in undesirable weather.

Control Ants With Insecticides

College Station — Ants can be a real household nuisance but applications of the right insecticides will bring them under control in a hurry. Entomologists of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station say that chlordane or dieldrin, sold in many stores as roach and ant sprays, are very effective against ants.

The entomologists point out that several species of ants can become pests in the home. Some may nests in the house, but most build their nests outside and find their way inside through openings. Once they find a food supply they set up a regular route between the food and their nest.

The most common species found in Texas are the Pharoah, thief, black crazy, fire and Argentine ants. They range in size from the tiny Pharoahs to the much larger fire ants. They feed on any kind of food material in the home including sweets and greasy foods. The thief ant prefers greasy foods.

For inside the home applications, the entomologists recommend a two or three precent chlordane or a five-tenths (.5) percent dieldrin household spray. Special attention should be given to drainboards, window sills, door openings and pantry shelves.

For outdoor applications, the entomologists recommend a 10 percent chlordane, 2 percent dieldrin heptachlor dust. If an emulsion spray is used, they strongly urge that label directions be followed. They suggest that a band of insecticidal dust or spray be applied around the foundation wall and that all ant nests in the yard be treated.

They point out that repeated applications of the insecticides may be needed to give complete control of ants. They suggest that a copy of L-311, "Texas Guide for Controlling Household Insects", be obtained from the local county extension agent. The Guide lists control measures for the more commonly found household insects including those attacking fabrics, foods, structures and humans.

Fort Worth Has The Time

Texans have a big time.

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Fact of the matter is, it's the world's largest. It's the clock that's atop the 30-story Continental Bank Building in Fort Worth.

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The clock itself is five stories high. It weighs 77 tons and the numerals are so large — 25 feet high and nine feet wide — that the clock can be read from a distance of five miles.

Gonzales Honors Flag

A plaque commemorating the making of the first battle flag of Texas hangs on the walls of the museum at Gonzales, in South Texas, the town where the flag was made.

It was the first flag on which the now famous "lone star" was used.

This flag carried the words "Come and Take It" in answer to the Mexican Army's demand for return of the Gonzales cannon. The cannon had been given to the Texans by the Mexicans for defense against the Indians.

Good Enuf for Comstock

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Mrs. Clara Traylor spent last week in Sterling City with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Traylor.

Mrs. Ben H. Moore and daughter and three grandchildren are visiting in Cloudcroft, N. M.

Webb Golston is visiting his mother, Mrs. Rex Golston.

Reg's Trading Post — Coleman

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Turney have purchased the home of Mrs. J. J. Kirkpatrick, located on Avenue B.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Caylor of Lohn were in Santa Anna Monday, attending to business and visiting her mother, Mrs. J. J. Kirkpatrick.

Accidents in the farm home kill more than 2,700 and injure nearly 400,000 farm residents each year.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hinkle of Waco were visitors with her mother, Mrs. P. Crugar, last week.

Members of Mrs. Byrd Arnold's family spent most of last week with her. They are: Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Arnold and Jan of Mid West City, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Keith Featherston and family of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Mal Burklow and Arnold of San Antonio, Mrs. Prebble Gregory of Fort Worth, Jerry Johnson of Cleburne and Nikki Van Johnson of Rockwood. One of the sons brought a boat and the group spent most of the time at Lake Brownwood.

Mrs. A. D. Longbrake of Texas City visited last week with her mother, Mrs. Taylor Wheeler. Mrs. Wheeler returned home with Mrs. Longbrake. They plan a visit in the Ozark Mountains in August.

Mrs. Roy Gardner of Coleman visited with friends in Santa Anna Friday afternoon.

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Stephenson-Dean Reunion Held

The fifth annual reunion of the W. W. Stephenson family was held Saturday and Sunday, July 30-31 at Lake Brownwood. All the surviving children were present for the occastion.

The group enjoyed swimming, boating, fishing and visiting during the stay at the T. N. Evans home.

Present this year were: Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Stephenson and children and Gerald Stephenson of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dean and children and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pruitt and children of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Dean and children of Rockwood; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Phillips of Hereford; Mrs. Elsie Glassey of Cheyenne, Okla; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stepsenson Jr. and children of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dean and Ruth of Bangs; Mr. and Mrs. James Cliett of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stephenson, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haynes and children, and Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Evans, all of Santa Anna.

Several visitors were also present.

CARL BUTTRY'S HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillan honored Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry with a birthday dinner at the Rockwood Community Center on Sunday. The gift table was centered with a arrangement of plastic roses, flanked by the decorated birthday cake and gifts.

Present were Mrs. Hettie Pearson of Coleman, Mrs. Garland Clemons, Dee Don and Deana of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Crutcher and Mrs. Gertrude Brinson of Bangs, Lana and Jerry Halmon of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King, the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. Buttry and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. McMillan.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Scarbrough announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Janet, to Mr. Lewis Barker Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Barker Sr., of Coleman.

Plans call for the vows to be exchanged at the Scarbrough home at 7:30 p. m. August 20th.

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Rockwood WMS Social at Rockwood

Mrs. Jim Rutherford and Mrs. Henry Smith were hostesses to the Woman's Missionary Society social meeting at the Rockwood Community Center, Monday. Mrs. Rutherford directed recreation and gifts were exchanged.

Ice cream and cake were served to Mrs. Ray Caldwell, Mrs. Evan Wise, Mrs. L. Brusenhan, Mrs. F. E. McCreary, Mrs. Goldie Milberger, Mrs. C. H. Wise, Mrs. Jack Cooper, Mrs. Dick Deal, Mrs. Matt Estes, Mrs. Curtis Bryan, Mrs. Lee Miller, Mrs. Junior Brusenhan, Mrs. A. L. King, Mrs. Rutherford, Mrs. Smith and four children.

Mrs. Cliff Herndon Hostess to Circle

The Nitia Daniell Circle of the First Methodist Church met Tuesday, August 2 at 8:00 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Cliff Herndon. Mrs. Herndon presided in the absence of Mrs. Mildred Galloway, who is out of town.

Mrs. Herndon opened the meeting with a prayer. The devotion, "Light For Today's Children" was given by Mrs. Lucille Dean. The scripture was taken from the "Sermon on the Mount."

Mrs. Wilma Welch led the program, "Let Children Be Heard." She was assisted by Mrs. Martha Thompson, who gave "Children of America." Mrs. Lolette Curry gave "Children of the Orient" and Mrs. Welch gave "Children of Africa and Children of Latin America."

After the business meeting a refreshment plate of cocoanut cake and ice cream was served the above-named and Mrs. Eva Nell Benge, Mrs. Margaret Crews, Mrs. Mabel Craig, Mrs. Anna May Powell and Miss Pauline Eubank.

The meeting was closed with a prayer by Mrs. Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moore and son, Marshall, of Tom Ball, visited his mother, Mrs. Sam Moore, over the weekend. They went on to Odessa to visit her mother, Mrs. Irene Vaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lovelady and girls of Texas City are on their vacation. They visited his mother, Mrs. Kate Holmes, then went on to west Texas, where they visited Mrs. Jack Powers in Midland and Junior Switzer in Odessa. They also planned to visit the Carlsbad Caverns before returning to Santa Anna.

The Dewey Dunns of Abilene spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Parker.

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Safety Expert Urges Care on Cookouts

College Station — Nothing smells better on a soft summer evening than a steak or chicken cooking over a charcoal fire. A burning house or a burned hand adds nothing to the pleasure derived from a cookout, however W. L. Ulich, extension agricultural engineer, says that a few precautions will help keep accidents from marring an otherwise pleasant occasion.

One of the first safety measures to take, says Ulich, is to set up your grill or dig the barbecue pit in an open place well away from buildings, trees, dry leaves, grass or brush.

If you use a charcoal-lighting fluid, be sure to use it according to directions. Soak a little into the briquets, before starting the fire. Never use gasoline, paint thinner or any other highly combustible fluid to kindle charcoal, Ulich warns.

The safest way to kindle charcoal is to use dry, crumpled paper, or a light substance like excelsior, under the pile of charcoal. Simply light the paper as in starting an ordinary wood fire. It may take a little fanning to get the charcoal kindled, but when you see grey or whitish spots around the edge of the charcoal, it is kindled. In 20 minutes or so it will be hot enough to grill.

Ulich suggests that the charchef — and others who join in the cook-out — wear heavy fireproofed gloves, both in building the fire and using it. He also suggests that cooking will be done more conveniently with long-handled forks, tongs, skewers, skillets and saucepans.

As a final suggestion, Ulich recommends having a pail of water handy so that you can douse the fire in an emergency or when leaving the picnic site.

When you have taken these precautions, sit back, relax, and enjoy that wonderful aroma of charcoal cookery.

Good Management Needed to Reduce Cotton Root Rot

College Station — Plan several years in advance to effectively reduce cotton root rot, advises Dr. Harlan E. Smith, extension plant pathologist. Root rot losses of cotton can be reduced. However, a combination of practices carried on for a number of years is necessary for best results.

Deep plowing this year will help in most cases to reduce the disease next year. The turning under of a large tonnage of organic matter prior to growing cotton will help. The growing of resistent crops in rotation also helps. However, none of these are a sure control when used alone. For example, rains immediately following the deep plowing will tend to cancel out the benefits of disease reduction. Too, crop rotation helps little if susceptible weeds grow in resistent crops.

Producing early cotton will, in most cases, help the cotton to escape root rot damage. Several factors are important in producing early cotton including the control of seedling diseases.

For additional information, contact your extension agent and request a copy of the publication, MP-361, "Root Rot Losses of Cotton can be Reduced."

Fading-Out Common Lawn Trouble

College Station — Fading-out is a common summer disease of lawn grasses in all areas of Texas. It most often occurs on grasses that have suffered from lack of soil moisture in midsummer. Fading-out is sometimes called "melting out," "going out," or "gray leaf mold."

Irregularly shaped dead areas occur in the lawn. Isolated, scattered sprigs of living grass are usually found in the disease areas. Leaves die back from the tip end. Runners or stems of the grass may have small dead spots. These spots may or may not enlarge and girdle the stem. Roots may be rotted.

The disease is caused by a complex of Helminthosporium, Curvularia and Fusarium species of fungi. These soil molds are most active following a heavy rain or watering on grass that has previously been weakened by drought. There is an indication that soil nematodes may be associated with fading-out in some cases.

Fading-out is controlled by proper management of the lawn. Proper watering, fertilizing, mowing and aeration are important.

In lawn areas that respond slowly to proper management practices in the summer, zineb or captain fungicide drenches may prove helpful. Use the above fungicides at the rate of 2 to 4 pounds per 100 gallons of water. Wet the grass with the solution down to the soil line. Use a sprinkler can or hose on sprayer for small areas. Apply drench right after mowing. Also, drench the healthy grass beyond the disease area to a width of several feet.

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PHONE 56

Decision Making Time on Cotton Harvesting Near

College Station — The time for harvesting this year's cotton crop is fast approaching, and the farmer should be considering how this harvesting is to be done. If the crop is to be machine harvested, the problem arises of whether it would be better to own or hire the machine.

Cecil Parker, extension farm management specialist, says that often it is cheaper to have the crop custom harvested than it is to own the equipment. By hiring the custom work, the farmer can avoid the investment in machinery and use the capital elsewhere in the farm business. The farmer's labor problem is eased if the custom operator furnishes all the labor for the job. Also, because the custom operator is skilled in operating and maintaining the machinery, the farmer may get a faster, more efficient job, Parker points out.

Before deciding on hiring custom work, however, the farmer must make sure that the answer to each of the following questions is "yes." Is equipment for custom work available? Will it be available when I need it? Are the operators dependable and efficient?

A machine may be purchased, however, with the idea of doing custom work in addition to personal work. This would lower the farmer's cost of harvesting his own crop, Parker continues. Other factors, such as alternative use of labor and capital, should be considered before the farmer decided between owning or hiring a machine.

Parker suggests talking with the local county agent before any decision is made.

Consumption Of Processed Foods Gains

College Station — The boy who walked residential streets several years ago shouting, "Green peas, already shelled," has given way to more elaborate food processors. The vegetable vender who sold his produce door-to-door has almost passed out of the picture, John McHaney, extension economist, says that today practically all farm foods purchased by U. S. civilian consumers go through some form of processing. This processing varies from trimming, grading and washing, to factory preparation of elaborote dishes and meals.

Frozen foods consumed by U. S. civilians during the 30-year period 1925-54, increased ninefold, and canned food consumption increased 275 percent, reports McHaney. According to the specialist, the proportion of foods processed beyond the minimum degree necessary for retail sale went up from 25 percent in 1925 to 35 percent in 1954. Over the same period, the proportion of total supply of farm foods handled by marketing agencies rose from 80 percent to 91 percent.

Estimates of future trends indicate that increases in per capita consumption of and expenditures for processed foods are likely to be half again as much as those for relatively unprocessed foods in the next 15 or 20 years, McHaney concludes.

Leukosis Control Hints Offered

College Station — Control of leukosis, the number one poultry killer in the U. S., cannot be accomplished by the application of antibiotics in mature birds, Dr. R. W. Moore, assistant professor of veterinary medicine in the Texas A & M College System, says that leukosis can only be controlled at two levels of production, the breeder level and the grower level.

Since leukosis shows up in mature birds, many poultrymen believe that only mature birds may be infected. This is not the case, says Dr. Moore. Leukosis is caused by a group of viruses characterized by an exceedingly long incubation period. In almost every case the bird becomes infected during the first five weeks of its life. Once a bird has reached maturity, says Dr. Moore, it has very little chance of contracting the clinical disease.

Control at the breeder level consists of trying to breed birds with as much natural resistence as possible. This is only partly successful, says it has been a major [illegible] increasing ability of laying birds. If birds are purchased from a reputable dealer and still develop a considerable amount of leukosis, it usually means that the amount of virus challenge was so great that it overcame their natural resistance.

Grower level control consists of isolating all young birds from mature birds. Ideally, the young birds should be cared for by a separate caretaker. Raising more than one group of chicks on the same [illegible] dangerous, says Dr. Moore.

Leukosis [illegible] costly, but through the use of proper control methods the poultryman can greatly reduce his losses from this disease, concludes Dr. Moore.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Baker over the weekend were members of their family: Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Pelham and Randy of Wichita, Kans., Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Baker and daughters of San Angelo, Eugene Baker and children of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Baker and sons of Copperas Cove, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sheppard and children of Breckenridge, Mrs. Donie Sawyers and children of Breckenridge and Mrs. Roy Hattaway and children of Sandersfield, Ga.

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Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1960.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 8 proposing an Amendment to Section 49-b, Article III, of the Constitution of Texas, increasing to three and one-half percent (3-½%) the maximum permissible interest rate on bonds hereafter issued by the Veterans' Land Board; providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.

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

Section 1. That Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, be amended by adding thereto the following:

"The foregoing notwithstanding bonds hereafter issued by the Veterans' Land Board pursuant to the authority of this Section 49-b of the Constitution may bear a rate or rates of interest not to exceed three and one-half percent (3-½%) per annum.

"This Amendment shall become effective upon its adoption."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the state [illegible] Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1960, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Amendment to Section 49-b of Article III of the Constitution of Texas, by adding thereto a provision authorizing the Veterans' Land Board to issue the bonds authorized under such Section to bear interest at a rate or rates not to exceed three and one-half percent (3-½%) per annum.

"AGAINST the Amendment to Section 49-b of Article III of the Constitution of Texas, by adding thereto a provision authorizing the Veterans' Land Board to issue the bonds authorized under such Section to bear interest at a rate or rates not to exceed three and one-half percent (3-½%) per annum."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast were in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution and be effective from the date set forth in said Amendment, and the Governor shall issue a proclamation in keeping therewith.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall [illegible] laws of the state.

Shields News

By Mrs. E. S. Jones

[illegible] Cheyenne, Wyoming [illegible] Sidney.

Mr. [illegible] visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Holt of Abilene on Mrs. Holt's birthday, Saturday. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Holt of Shreveport, La. and Mr. Bill Holt of Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Elliott and Jane of Camp Chase, Ark. and Mr. and Mrs. Fitz Jones and Karen returned home Thursday from Texas. [illegible] Barton and family visited the Black [illegible] Pashmar and [illegible] South Dakota. [illegible] Barton [illegible] Coleman Baptist Church [illegible] birthday [illegible] Saturday.

Miss Kathy Columbus of Mineola spent Thursday with Georgia Ennis.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stewart and Mr. E. S. Jones attended morning service at the Hopewell Baptist Church in Runnels County and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McWilliams.

Miss Mary Milligan and Mr. Charles King and family of Coleman left Monday on a vacation trip through New Mexico and Colorado.

Mr. Sandy Tupper went to Kermit Saturday where he has employment [illegible] on field.

Mrs. Garth Yancy of Santa Anna and Carl Yancy of Fort Worth were weekend visitors with Mrs. M. C. Yancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price left Wednesday for a visit with their son Jack and family in Minneapolis.

NIWOT NEWS

BY THE NIWOT KIDS

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh and children visited in Sweetwater Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Ford.

Mrs. Jewell Clifton and Dorine attended the funeral services Wednesday in Brady for her nephew, Bobby Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larue Mitchell of Brady.

Mrs. Minnie Blanton visited from Thursday to Monday with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Blanton and family at Kempner, Texas.

Mrs. Patsy Day of Coleman visited with her mother and children, Mrs. Jewell Clifton, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Cupps and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cupps Saturday night.

Mr. Earl Blanton of California is visiting his father-in-law, Mrs. M. F. Blanton, this week. Also visiting Mrs. Blanton is her daughter and family, Mr. and [illegible]

[illegible] Harrell Cupps [illegible] Regular [illegible] They [illegible] the State Capitol. [illegible] they went on to Galveston and other points of interest.

Mrs. J. R. Bolton and Mrs. Mary Allen of Brownwood spent last Thursday night and Friday with Mrs. Frances Everett and other relatives.

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By MRS. TOM RUTHERFORD

Friends of Mrs. Gardainer will be sorry to hear she isn't improving as well as hoped for following surgery in a Brady hospital last Tuesday. Special nurses are still with Mrs. Gardainer. She is in a terrible amount of pain, Mr. Gardainer was home shortly Friday.

Mrs. Charles Squibb and children, Randy, Terry and Ginger of Dallas, came to Coleman by airplane from Dallas Monday morning, and are visiting this week with Mrs. Matassa and children in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney. Mrs. Matassa met them in Coleman.

Becky Turney of Santa Anna is visiting Cindy Watson a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart visited her mother, Mrs. Bob Johnson in Coleman Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and Rocky of Brownwood spent Saturday night with the Tom Rutherfords. Lynda Sue Rutherford is spending this week with them in Brownwood.

Mrs. Walter Yancy and children, Sandra and David, visited in the Bert Turney home Sunday and were their supper guests.

Sammie Shields visited one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Rob Sheffield and son in Brooksmith, and Mr. and Mrs. Bensman of near Winchell.

Richard Bailey of Menard returned home Sunday after visiting with Freddie Colbough in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Degal several weeks.

Greeting Mr. Zack Bible during the weekend were, Mr. and Mrs. James McCoy and daughter of Dallas, Mrs. Bertha Simmons of Santa Anna, Mrs. Stella Hash and Mrs. Elva Rutherford of Brownwood.

Lyda Rutherford and Linda Abernathy spent Saturday night with Mrs. Fitzpatrick and Cheryl. Mr. Fitzpatrick and boys were fishing.

Mr. Warren Gill of Brownwood was on the ranch Monday and called in the Bert Turney home. Mr. Gill reported Mr. Roy England is doing very well, recovering from injuries sustained in the Coleman Pool. He is a patient in the Memorial Hospital in Brownwood and will possibly be hospitalized several weeks yet.

Mr. and Mrs. James Watson and children visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Watson in Santa Anna Sunday.

We received a telephone call from our daughter, Mrs. Bob Smith, in Snyder Sunday night. They arrived at their home in Snyder Sunday afternoon after two weeks vacationing in California. They reported a wonderful trip.

Mrs. Degal reports her son, Demar Colbough, has recently volunteered for the Army, and is stationed at Fort Hood. Delmar entered the service from Odessa.

Mr. Robert Lowe of Coleman and his son-in-law, Mr. Jimmy Brooks, also of Coleman, were Saturday night supper guests with Mr. Lowe's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rodgers on the Taylor Ranch.

Don and Neill Fitzpatrick spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Snowden of Lohn.

Mrs. Omelia Sams of Midland, Mrs. Nora Glover and Mrs. Luella Tolson of Seymour visited in the Tom Rutherford home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford of Rockwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Zack Bible Sunday afternoon. The group then called in the Floyd Morris home where they enjoyed a fish fry. Others enjoyig fish were Mrs. Carter and Leon of Brownwood, Oscar Lovelady and Mr. and Mrs. John David Morris of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Morris and boys of Brady were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris Saturday. Jamie Lee retured home after visiting in Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris were transacting business in Brownwood Monday. Enroute home they visited her father, Mr. Perkins in Bangs. They reported Mr. Perkins is feeling very well.

CHILDREN VISIT MR. AND MRS. S. F. TUCKER

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Tucker and Davis, of the Crossroads Community, had all their children except one daughter, to visit with them during the weekend. On Sunday all the family met at the Coleman Lake for a picnic lunch.

Conversation, swimming and water skiing were enjoyed.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hutcherson and Johnny of Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tucker, Roy, Linda and Danny of Indian Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Price, Harold and Doyle of Brownwood; and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rutherford, Don, Joe and Larry, all of Santa Anna.

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Thumbnail Listing Of Events at State Fair

Dallas — What's cooking at the State Fair this year?

The 1960 Diamond Jubilee Exposition, celebrating the Fair's 75th anniversary year, will offer a number of "Jubilee specials" yet to be revealed, but in the meantime, here is a thumbnail listing of some of the major shows and other attractions for this year.

The entertainment calendar will be topped by the Rodgers and Hammerstein musical, "Flower Drum Song," and by the 20th birthday edition of the always-popular "Ice Capades." The Mobil Sky Revue will present free daredevil serial acts daily, and the million-dollar Midway will feature a number of brand new thrill rides.

In addition, the State Fair "Shower of Stars" will present some of the nation's best known entertainers in big free shows. The stars who will appear will be announced at an early date.

A record total of $120,770 in premiums will be offered in the various livestock, horse and poultry show events of the 1960 Fair. The Pan-American Livestock Exposition will be held Oct. 8-16 and the Junior show will follow during the second week of the Fair. The state Fair Horse Show will be staged all during the Fair in the new Livestock Colliseum.

The third annual Texas International Trade Fair will have exhibits from all over the world. The Automobile Show will introduce many of the new 1961 models. The Agriculture Show will feature the importance of chemistry to modern farming and ranching.

Other exhibits will include those in the Electric Show and Natural Gas Show, Playtime USA, farm implements and machinery, antique autos, the Home and Family Show and special features of all the fairgrounds museums.

Free daily fashion shows will be a highlight in the Women's Building, along with the traditional exhibits of home-making skills.

College and professional football will be played in the Cotton Bowl with the Fairtime schedule being topped by the Texas-Oklahoma classic, and including also SMU vs. Rice, Dallas Texans vs. Oakland Raiders and Dallas Cowboys vs. Cleveland Browns.

Dates of the 1960 State Fair are Oct. 8-23.

John H. King, son of the former Stella Watson of Santa Anna, recently purchased the Robert Lee newspaper. Mrs. Stella King was raised in Santa Anna and moved to Ballinger soon after her marriage in the early 1930's. For the past seven years her son has been working for the Big Spring newspaper.

Rev. and Mrs. Harry Wigger of Missouri, a former pastor of the First Baptist Church, were visitors in Santa Anna last week.

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TDA NEED FOR FUNDS URGENT

The Texas Department of Agriculture, which has had an increase of only one percent in appropriations from the State General Revenue Fund in the past ten years of demanded and expanded new services, has now reached a point of "sink or swim" in its essential needs.

This was emphasized by Texas Agriculture Commissioner John C. White when he presented the proposed TDA budget for the 1961-1963 biennium to the Legislative Budget Board and the Governor's budget division. These two budget agencies will draft recommendations on proposed appropriations to the 57th Legislature when it convenes in January, 1961.

In the past ten years, it was pointed out, while services and activities of the department have been credited with a threefold expansion, appropriations from the General Revenue Fund coming directly from the taxpayers have increased only one percent. The expansion has been made possible by careful spending, reorganization and full utilization of all available personnel and increased collections from programs administered by the department.

The time has now come, Commissioner White told the budget panel, when the urgent request for additional funds must be met "If the Texas Department of Agriculture is to continue to be recognized by Federal agencies, other state departments of agriculture and the agricultural industry of Texas. We are in the second half of a technological revolution. The first part was mechanical. The second part is chemical. We are dealing with a new type of scientific agriculture in which we feel our resposibilities are greater than ever before."

Aside from purely agricultural advances, Commissioner White said that new spending by the department is essential to carry on its responsibilities in enforcement of accurate weights and measures regulations. The average family of four in Texas is estimated to have a financial stake of at least $100 a year in accurate weights and measures enforcement, he said, and this is one of the vital functions of the TDA. During 1959, even with inadequate equipment and personnel, the department was able to condemn and seize or condemn for repair a total of 34,870 scales, pumps, weighing devices and pre-packs.

Another request will be for funds to initiate a badly needed livestock auction market reporting service. Preliminary planning indicates that the means to initiate such a program on the part of the TDA will require an appropriation of approximately $50,000 per year, which will be matched by the Federal government under existing cooperative agreements. Demands for such a livestock auction market reporting service have been widespread and insistent.

Get a License Before Fishing During August

Austin — Aother warning has been issued by the director of law enforcement of the Game and Fish Commission to buy fishing licenses before starting on your trip in August.

"A number of people will be going on vacation during August," he said. "Some of them are just careless; others think because there is only a month left of the present season, they can get by without a $2.15 fishing license. Every month they find this to be pretty expensive because wardens have been asked to make careful check on fishermen without licenses."

The director also warned against rushing the hunting season. Dove shooting in the North Zone will be permitted after September 1. New hunting licenses also will be required. They will be available at local sporting goods stores the last week in August.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Cooper moved to Brownwood over the past weekend, where he has gone into a new business venture. The Coopers lived here more than a year and made a large number of friends in this area.

Mrs. Jack Conn of Wortham, spent two weeks visiting in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Craig and family.

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A poison control center (PCC) is a place which helps family doctors keep patients from becoming statistics.

Each year a hundred or so Texans — mostly children — become statistics by virtue of being accidentally poisoned. In the last four years, State Health Department record keepers have added 364 new names to the grim list of deaths by poisoning. PCC's undoubtedly have kept the list from being much longer.

Fifteen PCC's now operate in Texas under local physicians' guidance. The most recent one was set up in San Antonio July 18. Others are located in Abilene, Austin, Corpus Chrisit, Dallas, Fort Worth, Galveston, Grand Prairie, Harlingen, Houston, Tyler, Wichita Falls, Odessa, San Angelo and Waco.

Hugh D. McGaw, a State Health Department occupational health engineer who works intimately with them, describes a PCC's round-the-clock operation like this:

"A curious youngster eats some of his mother's cosmetics and it makes him sick. His mother calls the doctor, but he doesn't know what toxic ingredients the cosmetic had in it. So he calls the nearest PCC, reports the brand name. A quick check of an index card file reveals the toxic substance and the antidote."

Twelve of Texas 15 PCC's are equipped to provide emergency treatment, in addition to supplying detailed information on antidotes on a moment's notice.

McGaw says that PCC's in Texas' major cities handle some 150-250 calls every month. And the volume is increasing all the time, with more and more potentially hazardous products being marketed each year.

"Poison control centers are not intended to answer queries directly from the public," says McGaw. "They're set up to serve the physician who serves the patient. This is the way they can be of most benefit."

Even if the ingested product turns out to be harmless, the PCC has still saved the patient the discomfort of having his stomach pumped, McGaw points out.

He and other state health officials would like to see centers in the Panhandle, on the Southwestern border, and in far West Texas so all areas of Texas would be within an economical telephone call of a center.

The Department's division of occupational health supplies a file of information on poisonous materials and their antidotes after the center has been established. (A weekly feautre of the Health Education Division, Texas State Department of Health.)

U OF T FOOTBALL PLAYERS HAVE HIGH SCHOLASTIC AVERAGE

Austin — In the 1959-60 school session University of Texas football players had a higher scholastic average than the average of all athletes and in the Spring Semester — for the third succession — no varsity player failed enough work to make him ineligible to maintain his scholarship.

Further among football men, it was noted that none failed in tough engineering courses, none failed in some of the more "solid" courses such as government and history, and no freshman football player failed chemistry, normally one of the more "rugged" courses, in the Spring Semester.

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The Upper Room

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Read Mark 4:35-41.

O Lord, how manifold are thy works! in wisdom hast thou made them all: the earth is full of thy riches. (Psalm 104:24.)

We were living for a few weeks in a seaside cottage. One night a severe storm awakened us with resounding crashes of thunder and the roar of the sea. In the morning the sun broke through the clouds and shed its light upon every dancing wave. Color and brilliance replaced the blackness of the night. Our sense of the majesty of God in the storm was followed by a feeling of trust and security.

God our Creator reveals Himself in manifold ways. The night and the day, the storm and the sunshines are alike in His keeping. The marvels of the world unite with the handiwork of the heavens in declaring His provision and love. He overcomes our anxieties and fears. Our faith in Him can carry us safely through the darkest period of life into the light and peace of eternity. All of life, here and beyond, is ordained to bring God's light and beauty into our souls.

PRAYER:

Eternal God, who hast created and knowest all things, we come into Thy presence with reverence. How great and compassionate Thou art to consider our needs! May we accept Thy grace and soverign will in our lives. We pray in Christ's name. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Today I will seek a closer fellowship with God.

— Herbert A. Sawyer (Pennsylvania)

Some Vets Widows May Be Entitled To More Pension

Some veterans' widows receiving dependency and indemnity compensation may be entitled to receive higher payments as the result of a recently enacted law, P. J. Mims, manager of the VA Regional Office in Waco said today.

The amount of dependency and indemnity compensation is now based in part on the rank of the deceased veteran at the time of his separation from service.

The new law, known as Public Law 86-492, allows the widow to receive payments based on a higher rank, provided the veteran satisfactorily held the higher rank for at least six months and was holding it within 120 days of the date of his death or separation from the service.

The VA lacks the necessary information to identify these eligible widows. Widows whose husbands at one time held a rank higher than their rank at separation, under the above conditions, should contact the nearest VA office, Mr. Mims said.

Additional information about these and other VA benefits may be obtained at any VA office.

Reg's Trading Post — Coleman

Dove Studies Make Possible Longer Season

Austin — The dove population of the central management area, which includes Texas, has increased 14 percent this year, according to estimates of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. Since 1953 there has been a 69 percent increase.

These figures were given to Howard Dodgen, executive secretary of the Game and Fish Commission, as one of the reasons this year's dove season was extended to 60 days and the possession limit increased to 30, or the daily bag limit of 15.

For many years there were only two management areas considered in the national survey — eastern and western. The dove banding program and call counts made by biologists, however, have indicated the central management area, where the heavy population increase has been noted.

According to the department figures, 95 percent of the unit's hunting kill is produced within the area. Thus the major portion of the doves killed in Texas were hatched in the central unit.

Texas biologists and game wardens for a number of years carried out a banding program and call counts, to assist in the overall program.

TAX-MAN SAM SEZ:

If you are starting a business you need to find out about your Federal taxes. You can get Circular E at the Internal Revenue Service to help you of your responsibilities for withholding taxes on your employees. You may also find the IRS publication, "Tax Guide for Small Business" worth far more than the 40 cents it costs. Knowing what to do about your Federal tax responsibilities is an important part of running any kind of business today.

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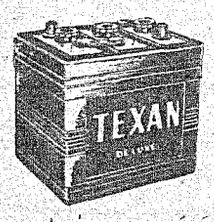

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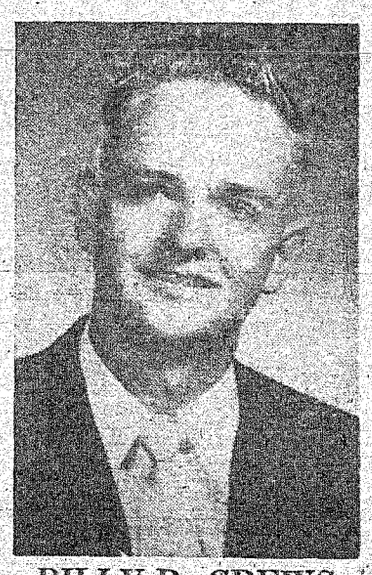

BILLY R. CREWS
MUSIC DIRECTOR

July 29 - August 7

EVERYONE WELCOME

RAYMOND JONES, PASTOR

Church Attendance Last Sunday

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Enrollment	326
Sunday School (9:45)	163
Morning Worship (10:00)	165
Training Union (7:00)	56
Evening Worship (8:00)	142

NORTH SIDE BAPTISTS

Sunday School (10:00)	52
Morning Worship (11:00)	56
Evening Worship (7:30)	66

Hospital News

Admitted Since 7-25-60

Mrs. S. A. Beard, Bridgeport
Miss Doris Tidmore, city
Mrs. Pierre Rowe, city
H. M. Tidmore, city
Mrs. Wallace Collins Jr., city
Mary Espeis, Coleman
Mrs. L. A. Wynn, Coleman
Mrs. Clark Miller, city
Mrs. Lily Willis, Coleman

Dismissed Since 7-25-60

G. J. Thompson, Coleman, deceased
Mrs. S. A. Beard
Mrs. D. H. Tidmore
Mrs. Pierre Rowe
Mrs. Wallace Collins
[illegible]

Still Patients

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Births

A son, Wallace Collins III, born to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Collins Jr., Wednesday morning, July 27. He weighed 8 pounds and nine ounces.

Brothers visited Mrs. R. H. Holmes last week and signed Mrs. Nora Glass of Sagemont, Mrs. Mollie Smith of Houston and Mrs. Lulu Pope of Bridgeport in.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Anderson of Brownwood have visited the apartment of Mrs. A. L. Oder on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kilgore and family of Brownwood spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Katie Hughes and visited with the L. J. Lovelady.

Cole-Anna
Drive-In Theatre
THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
AUGUST 4-5-6
SONYA WILDE in
"I Passed for White"
—PLUS—
BEVERLY GARLAND in
"Thunder Over Hawaii"
SUNDAY & MONDAY
AUGUST 7-8
JUDY HOLLIDAY in
"Bells Are Ringing"
TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY
AUGUST 9-10
EDMOND O'BRIEN in
"The 3rd Voice"

OAK
Drive-In Theatre
FRIDAY & SATURDAY
AUGUST 5-6
AVA GARDNER in
"On the Beach"
—PLUS—
REX REASON in
"Miracle of the Hills"
SUNDAY & MONDAY
AUGUST 7-8
KEN CURTIS in
"My Dog, Buddy"
—PLUS—
ROBERT CUMMINGS in
"The Barefoot Mailman"
TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY
AUGUST 10-11
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"Helen of Troy"

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303 Cans
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Big 2½ Cans — Sliced
PEACHES 4 Cans $1

Big 2½ Cans
PURPLE PLUMS 4 Cans $1

Big 2½ Cans — Whole
APRICOTS 4 Cans $1

GIANT 46-OZ. CANS
TOMATO JUICE 4 Cans $1

303 Cans
BLACKBERRIES 5 cans $1

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PINEAPPLE 5 cans $1

303 Cans
PEARS 5 cans $1

303 Cans
CHERRIES 5 cans $1

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Peaches 5 Cans $1

APPLE SAUCE 303 Cans 7 Cans $1

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POTATOES 10 cans $1

Steele's — 300 Cans
PORK & BEANS 10 cans $1

Steele's — Golden or White — 300 Cans
HOMINY 10 cans $1

Steele's — 300 Cans
SPAGHETTI 10 cans $1

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