



HULLS
By **KERNEL GENE, aPo**

A teacher told me one time that some day I would regret not studying my ancient history. Tuesday night I realized she was right. Just before going to sleep, I guess you would call it the twilight zone, I tried to recall the story of Caesar and Brutus. They were good political friends and had some very good times together. Then, one day Brutus slips a knife into Caesar's tummy.

Our politicians and union brethren seem to be having a ball in Washington eliminating the last of our state rights, our Right-to-Work Law.

Alas, poor Yorick! He knew not Brutus and Caesar. We probably won't either but history does repeat itself.

Now, if you think the above sounds a bit garbled, I will agree with you. However, has it occurred to you just how much of our Constitution and Bill of Rights has been garbled in the past few years.

Of course, it is too late to do much thinking now, but you might like to mull it over in your spare time... and since the unions are taking over the United States everybody can go out on strike and live off of unemployment.

Rev. Chester Sylvester Evangelist At Kokomo Revival August 6-15



Rev. Chester Sylvester of Mullin will be the evangelist for revival services to be held at the Kokomo Baptist Church beginning August 6th, and continuing thru August 15th.

Services will be held daily at 10:00 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Rev. Joe O'Neal, pastor, extends a cordial welcome to everyone to

DE LEON PEACH AND MELON FESTIVAL SCHEDULED FOR AUGUST 3-4-5-6-7

PROGRAM

TUESDAY, AUGUST 3 —

8:00 P. M. — Judging for Peach and Melon Festival Queen at Festival Grounds.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4 —

9:00 A. M. — Judging 4-H Club Booths at Festival Grounds
1:00 P. M. — Judging Melons & Peaches - Festival Grounds
1:00 P. M. — Judging Community Booths - Festival Ground
5:00 P. M. — Street Parade
8:00 P. M. — Queen's Coronation at Festival Grounds
10:00 P. M. — Merchandise Drawing at Festival Grounds

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5 —

7:30 P. M. — Carl & Pearl Butler from Grand Ole Opry and Columbia Records at Festival Grounds
10:00 P. M. — Merchandise Drawing at Festival Grounds

FRIDAY, AUGUST 6 —

7:30 P. M. — Old Fiddlers' Contest at Festival Grounds.
10:00 P. M. — Merchandise Drawing at Festival Grounds
10:15 P. M. — More Fiddling

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7 —

4:00 P. M. — Watermelon Slicing on Main Street
7:30 P. M. — Melon and Peach Auction at Festival Grounds
8:30 P. M. — Program - possibly a Hootenanny at the Festival Grounds.
9:00 P. M. — Miss De Leon Contest closes.
10:30 P. M. — Merchandise Drawing at Festival Grounds
11:00 P. M. — Drawing for \$300 worth of merchandise from Queen's tickets at Festival Grounds.



Miss Mary Martin To Represent Gorman In Peach-Melon Festival

Miss Mary Martin will represent Gorman as Duchess in the 51st Annual Peach and Melon Festival to be held in De Leon on Tuesday through Saturday, August 3-7th.

The Festival Queen will be selected on Tuesday evening. She, her court, visiting duchesses and dukes, will be in the downtown parade to be held Wednesday afternoon, and will also be honored on Wednesday evening with a ball.

The pretty 17-year-old blond is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Martin of Route 2, Gorman, and was named to represent the city of Gorman at the De Leon event by the Business Men's Club.

The popular senior in Gorman High School has been chosen as a cheerleader for the 1965-66 year. She was a member of the basketball team, was chosen class favorite her freshman year, and was Princess at Millsaps for the class favorites presentation program. She is a member of the FHA and a member of the First Baptist Church.

Escort for Miss Martin at the De Leon events will be Tommy Kirk.

D. M. WILSON CATCHES 40 LB. CATFISH, LAKE LEON

Mrs. Emily Yates of Gorman reports to the Progress office that fishing at Lake Leon is still good, and proof is a 40 pound catfish caught Monday by her brother-in-law, Mr. D. M. Wilson, and nephew, Dale.

Mr. Wilson lives on Route 3, Gorman.

MRS. GARY WAYNE FOX IN EASTLAND HOSPITAL

Mrs. Gary Wayne Fox fell at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Moseley late Sunday evening. She was hospitalized Sunday night in Eastland Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox moved to Gorman Monday and are at home in the Griffin rent house.

Mr. Fox will be a member of the faculty of the Gorman Schools this year.

Youth Revival At First Methodist Church Is Set For August 8-11

The First Methodist Church of Gorman will have a Revival, sponsored by the Youth of the church, beginning Sunday, August 8 and closing Wednesday, August 11th. Services will be held Sunday at 7:00 p. m. and each week night at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. James L. Finley, pastor of Calvary Methodist Church in Fort Worth, will be the preacher for the services.

Following the revival service each evening there will be a time of recreation, fellowship and refreshments in Fellowship Hall.

A special invitation will be sent to each neighboring church for their Young People to attend the revival.

All adult members and friends are urged to attend each evening and give all the assistance possible to the Youth-sponsored revival.

Special music will be given at each service by young people. Make your plans to be in these services. A big welcome awaits you.



Linda Wisdom To Be Desdemona Duchess At De Leon Festival

Linda Wisdom, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Wisdom of Desdemona, will represent Desdemona as Duchess at the Peach and Melon Festival to be held August 3-7.

Linda is a senior in Desdemona High School and has served as secretary and president of the FHA. She attended the 1965 State FHA Convention held in Dallas. She was voted Class Favorite and Best Dressed Girl her sophomore year. Also, editor of the school paper and a candidate for Halloween Queen her junior year. For three years she has participated in basketball. She is a member of the First Baptist Church.

Miss Wisdom's escort will be Gary Barker of De Leon.

Gorman Band To Be In De Leon Parade

Mr. Herman Alsup, director of bands for the Gorman Schools, has scheduled band practice sessions for 3 p. m. Monday, August 2 and also Tuesday, August 3.

The band will meet at 3 p. m. Wednesday, August 4, to go to De Leon to march in the Peach and Melon Festival to be held at 5 p. m.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

The Gorman School Band needs several band instruments and any one that has an instrument at home that is not being used, and would lend or donate it to the band, it would be appreciated by Mr. Alsup, director of bands. Some child may not be able to participate in the band unless instruments can be secured.

The school has several instruments that students may rent, but since the band has added so many new students, there are not enough instruments to go around.

Persons wanting to donate or loan their instruments may contact Mr. Alsup at the School or call the Band Hall, RE 4-5521.

Mrs. George Riley of Fort Worth visited this week with Mrs. Ed Wyatt and other friends in Gorman.

FUNERAL SERVICES ON WEDNESDAY FOR MRS. MARY DUPUY

Mrs. Mary Katie Owens Dupuy, 74, died at 11:20 a. m. July 26, 1965 in Gray's Nursing Home in Odessa where she had made her home for the past nine months. She had lived in Odessa for the past six years with a son, Otto Dupuy.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday, July 28, in the Baptist Church at Oliver Springs with Rev. L. R. Higginbottom officiating. Burial was in the Oliver Springs Cemetery.

A life-long resident of the Gorman area, Mrs. Dupuy was born August 14, 1890 in Erath County. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bill Owens, an area pioneer family.

She was married to Robert E. Lee Dupuy August 12, 1912 in Gorman. He preceded her in death in 1955. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Myrtle Smith of Gorman, Mrs. Ellen Nabors of Odessa, and Mrs. Ernestine Seitem of Modesto, Calif.; seven sons, Odell of Bakersfield, Calif., James of Denver, Colo., Paul of Snyder, Joe of Breckenridge, Herman of Seattle, Washington, and Arno and Otto Dupuy, both of Odessa; one step daughter, Mrs. Idell Long of Tulsa, Okla.; twenty-three grandchildren; eleven great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild, and several step-grandchildren; five sisters, Mrs. Polly Bennett, Salina, Calif., Mrs. Ruby Trimble of Coleman, Mrs. Cora McMullen of Gorman, Mrs. Marie Clark of Salina, Calif., and Mrs. Essie Roberts of Rhode Island; one brother, Jack Owens of Big Spring; and a host of nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Odis Rodgers, Hoyt Bryant, Claude Dennis, Tidy Eaves, Glenn Jordan, and Clifford Nelson.

Honorary pallbearers were Marvin Blair, Albert Hendricks and Charlie Goodwin.

FINAL RITES FOR HARDY PARKER SET AT 2 P. M. THURSDAY

Mr. Hardy Parker of Eastland died in the Eastland Memorial Hospital on Wednesday, July 28 at 7:00 a. m.

Funeral services are scheduled for Thursday, July 29 at 2 p. m. in the Arrington-Hammer Funeral Chapel with burial in the Gorman Oaklawn Cemetery.

Miss Janice Brown Complimented With Gift Shower On Friday

A gift shower Friday evening in the home of Mrs. R. C. Mehaffey honored Miss Janice Brown, bride-elect of Max Grice.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Brown, Miss Brown will be married August 27 to the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Grice of Gorman. Party hostesses were Mmes. John West, Ray Rankin, T. Y. Gregg, Erich Arnold, D. R. Clark, Clea Echols, Carl Dean Stacy, Bill Greenhaw, Frank Rhymes, L. E. Singleton, and Miss Nina Glover.

Mrs. B. E. Brown, mother of the honoree, and Mrs. B. F. Grice, mother of the prospective bridegroom, received with Miss Brown. She was wearing a two-piece suit of blue lace.

Crystal candelabrum holding white candles and an arrangement of yellow pom-pom chrysanthemums with white wedding bells and white satin streamers with Max and Janice in silver lettering, centered the serving table, covered with an imported ecru linen cloth.

Appointments were of crystal and silver.

Serving were Lana Stacy, Connie Park, Charles Ann Jenkins, Carol Rankin, Jean Munn, Paula Eppier and Dorenda Arnold. Mrs. Larry Anderson registered guests in the bride's book, a gift from Mrs. R. C. Mehaffey.

Special guests were Mrs. L. D. Walls, Mrs. Marlin Felts, Mrs. Jack Jones, Gayle Jones and Mrs. Red Felts of Lueders and Mrs. Jerry Chaney and Miss Judy McMillen of Eastland.

James F. Scott To Hold Gospel Meeting At Church of Christ



The Church of Christ in Gorman wishes to announce, and invite all to attend, a protracted meeting August 2nd. through August 8th.

Brother James F. Scott, from Nocona, Texas, will be doing the preaching in this series of meetings.

Brother Scott is a dedicated preacher of the Gospel of Christ. And we feel sure you will be edified and inspired, and therefore, blessed by coming and hearing the soul-saving messages which he will deliver from God's word.

Services will be held twice daily at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. Monday through Saturday, and at the regular worship hours on Sunday - 10:45 a. m. and 7 p. m. Come and enjoy this spiritual feast with us.

Gorman 4-H'ers Keep Active During Summer

Summer is usually considered vacation time, but not wholly so for some of the Gorman 4-H'ers. This past week has been a busy one for Sarah Wright, Bobby and Barbara Williams, who have taken part in 3 separate events and are looking forward to at least 2 others coming up in August.

Monday morning Sarah Wright had all her 4-H work displayed in her home for the County Gold Star Committee which is made up of the past gold star winner, the home demonstration agents, and some other qualified person. This year Ruby Wende, the past gold star girl, Mrs. Frances Rooney, Texas Electric's Home Economist, Delmelia Dunn and Beverley Nicholson arrived about 8:30 at Sarah's home where they looked at all she had accomplished in 4-H and considered her for this year's Gold Star girl, which is the highest county award you can get. Sarah has beef cattle and public speaking as her main projects although she plans to carry others this fall.

Bobby Williams journeyed with seven other Eastland County boys to a spot on the Brazos River near Hillsboro where they spent last Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at District 4-H Camp. Being elected as a camp councilman Bobby said he missed some of the camp fun, but was rewarded by being able to help make the rules and regulations the other boys had to abide by. It was a very busy three days filled with many classes on wildlife and, of course, some swimming in the river. District camp is always one of the boy's highlights of the year because of the many new things they learn and the interesting way it is presented. All who have been make it a point to return as many times as possible. This was Bobby's second time and he hopes he will be able to go back again the next three years.

Barbara Williams attended the county 4-H girls camp as one of the leaders that planned the camp and helped the events move from one to another smoothly. A highlight of the camp was the "Miss Personality" contest which made a game of the citizenship lesson. The one who nominated a candidate also had to make her campaign speech, then the candidate was confronted with two real life situations in which to tell how she would handle them. It was the opinion of the judges that the 4-H'ers were pretty good citizen material and could handle some pretty difficult situations with ease. Barbara was relieved when her responsibilities were over, but

PANTHER SCHEDULE FOR 1965 IS ANNOUNCED AS SEASON NEARS

It's about time for all the boys and Gorman Panther fans to begin thinking about the 1965 football season.

The beginning date is only two weeks away, on August 16th. The new coaches, Dave Smith and Joe Ellis, would like to invite all the boys interested in playing football to contact either of the coaches by August 16. Also the coaches would like to invite all the fans to watch any practice session they desire. By watching the practice sessions the fans can get an insight as to what goes into the make-up of a good, winning team.

The coaches are also urging the boys to begin running a little each day to prepare themselves, in part, for the beginning of organized practice. See one of the coaches for a suggested workout schedule.

Football is a demanding sport. It takes the support of the school, community and the parents, as well as the boys that play, to have a winning team. A winning team is our main objective and all the support the different organizations and fans can give will be greatly appreciated.

A large number of boys are expected to report for football practice this season.

1965 PANTHER SCHEDULE

Sept. 9 - Graham "B" - Here
Sept. 17 - Ranger - There
Sept. 24 - Open Date
Oct. 2 - Hico - Here
(Saturday - Homecoming)
Oct. 8 - Cross Plains - There
Oct. 15 - Throckmorton - There
Oct. 22 - Valley Mills - There
Oct. 29 - Bangs * - There
Nov. 5 - May * - Here
Nov. 12 - Blanket * - There
Nov. 19 - Rising Star * - Here

* Denotes District Games
Sept. 9 - Oct. 22 — 8:00 P. M.
Oct. 29 - Nov. 19 — 7:30 P. M.



Addie Lou Campbell And J. R. Harle To Exchange Wed Vows

Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell of Carbon announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Addie Lou, to J. R. Harle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harle of Carbon.

The couple are 1965 graduates of Carbon High School. Vows will be exchanged on August 27, 1965 at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening in the First Baptist Church in Carbon.

Homecoming Planning Meet At Desdemona Set On Monday, Aug 2

The annual Desdemona Homecoming has been set for August 14, according to Homecoming President, Pug Guthery of Desdemona.

A planning meeting has been set for Monday, August 2 at 7:30 p. m. at the Community Tabernacle.

This meeting is for everyone interested in making the Homecoming a great success, and everyone is urged to attend and bring someone with you.

Three Area Firemen To Attend Firemen's Training School, A&M

Bill Green, Eastland; James Donald, Cisco; and Ray Williams, Gorman, has been selected to attend the 36th Annual Texas Firemen's Training School, according to an announcement made today by Jack Cozart, President of the Eastland County Farm Bureau. Mr. Cozart said that the Eastland County Farm Bureau, in cooperation with the Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies and the Texas Farm Bureau, was sending these men to this school in the interest of saving lives and property through better trained firemen.

The Eastland County Farm Bureau Board of Directors voted to send one man from each town in the county.

The school is being held on the campus of Texas A&M University July 25-30. This course deals with uses of new equipment as well as new fighting techniques.

The men going from Eastland County will be among 140 men throughout the state whose attendance at this school is being sponsored by the Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies and the County and State Farm Bureaus.

Mrs. Charles Day and her mother, Mrs. E. R. Bettenton of Abilene, are visiting relatives and friends in the Dallas area this week.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Distribution dates for USDA Surplus Foods in Eastland County for the month of August will be as follows:

Monday, August 9 - Eastland, Olden and Ranger.

Tuesday, August 10 - Pioneer, Rising Star, Okra, Carbon, Gorman and Desdemona.

Wednesday, August 11 - Cisco, Scranton and Nimrod.

The Order of the Easter Star Lodge, Chapter 443, meets Monday, August 2, at 8 p. m.

The Gorman Volunteer Fire Department meets Monday, August 2 at 7 p. m. at the Brown Jug.

Regular Fourth Sunday Singing will be held at Kokomo on Sunday, July 25 at 2 p. m.

Boy Scout Troop No. 38 meets the second Monday of each month at 6 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

The Gorman Rebekah Lodge meets each Tuesday evening.

The Friday Afternoon Duplicate Bridge Club meets each Friday at 1:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

The Gorman Duplicate Bridge Club meets each Thursday at 7:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

stated, "It wasn't as hard as I thought it would be."

The 4-H Club was organized for the purpose of developing better citizens of our present youth and some of this is accomplished through these activities. The accomplishments are many for the youngster who will stay with it, both now and in their future, as leaders in their communities.

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PLUMBING WANTED - For your plumbing needs call Garvice Hattox at Higginbothams. Phone RE 4-5319. 11-64fnc

FOR SALE - 3 Bedroom House, double garage and workshop, storage house, fourteen pecan trees. Bill Parr, RE 4-2236. 5-20fnc

FOR SALE - Six room house with 115x130 lot. House recently redecorated inside, new carport, seven large pecan trees in full production, cement cellar and outside storage house, small garden plot. Located across street from Church of Christ. See Gabe Wright Mrs. H. L. Smith or Mrs. T. Y. Gregg. 1-21fnc

REAL ESTATE - Farms, ranches, city property. We strive to please. Listings appreciated. Delton Coggburn, Ph. 7842, De Leon. 2-6fnc

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FOR SALE - Clarence Pittman place. Good house, six rooms and bath, basement cellar, garage, carport, 29 acres land, 14 acre peanut allotment, rest in grass. 2 miles S. W. of Gorman near Frank Gray Park. Phone RE 4-5504 Gorman. 7-1-fnc

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FOR SALE - Two half-Shetland fillies, two years old. Glenn Jordan, Rt. 1, Gorman. 6-10-fnc

FOR SALE - Two-wheel camping out trailer. Will sell cheap. Mrs. B. E. Wilson, Ph. RE 4-5539 or see at my home. 2-7-29c

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FOR SALE - See Burl Harper for your Greeting Cards - All Occasions and Christmas. Phone RE 4-5662. 1-7-29p

HELP WANTED - Man to lay brick wall in dug well. Will need portable water pump. Write T. J. Collins, P. O. Box 122, Clyde, Texas. 2-8-5p

TRUCKS FOR SALE - Johnston Truck & Supply. New & Used Trucks & Trailers. 725-2181, Cross Plains, Texas. 4-8-5c

WANTED: Real Estate Listings. As I am the only licensed real estate agent in Gorman, I would appreciate your farm, ranch and city property listings. Don E. Rodgers, RE 4-5563. 7-15fnc

FOR SALE - 1956 Ford Pickup. Good condition. Contact L. G. Powell, 3/4 mile NW of Lake Leon Dam. Ph. MI 7-1983. 3-8-5p

FOR SALE - Former W. C. Browning home. See Norman Park or Phone RE 4-2243. 5-13fnc

DESDEMONA NEWS

By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

The Church of Christ closed a week of revival services. Minister was Mr. Payne Hattox of De Leon.

A meeting will be held at the Community Tabernacle on Monday night, August 2nd, at 7 p. m. to make plans for the annual Homecoming to be held here Saturday, August 14th. Tell your neighbors and make plans to be at this very important meeting.

This announcement was made by the President, Pug Guthery.

Mrs. Jessie Lewis remains a patient in the Gorman hospital following a fall she received in her home several days ago.

Mrs. Tony Ash is a house patient in her home following surgery in Ranger Hospital several days ago.

Miss Jerry Sharp is quite improved following surgery in De Leon Hospital several days ago and expects to be home any day now. She has reset her wedding date for Saturday night, July 31 at 8 p. m. at First Baptist Church.

Mr. Wess Majors is home following an extended visit with a daughter in East Texas.

Visiting in Denton with their daughter, Mrs. Luenell Maupin, this past weekend were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen, and sister, Jo, who had spent two weeks with Nelle, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brazil and children of San Jose, Calif. are here for a month's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carr, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chubbie Forman and children, Glenda and Ricky of Irving, spent the past weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guthery, on the first stop of their vacation trip that will take them through Colorado and into the Yellowstone National Park in Wyoming.

WANTED - Home for four, six-weeks old puppies. Fred Rogers, Phone RE 4-5445. 1-7-29c

FOR SALE - South 60 acres of the L. L. Burns place. 21.8 acre peanut allotment, 11 acres Maize. 37 acres cultivation. Pasture fenced with hog wire. Mrs. Erma Burns, 325 Meadow Park Dr., Ft. Worth, CI 6-4403. 7-15fnc

FOR SALE OR LEASE - 105 acre farm for sale or lease. 20 acre peanut allotment. Easy terms. Four and one-half miles NW of De Leon. Contact C. B. Coggburn, 209 Bowie St., Phone 3082, De Leon, Texas. 3-7-29p

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This community extends to Mrs. Mary Harrell their deepest sympathy upon the loss of her son-in-law, Mr. Marion Watson, who passed away in Oklahoma last week. Mrs. Harrell has been with the family quite a long stay during his sickness and death.

Mr. and Mrs. Ott Ragland and Mr. Frank Genoway were in Oklahoma to attend the funeral of Mr. Marion Watson last week. He was a niece's husband of the Genoways.

Mrs. Lola Pollard of Carleton and Mrs. Bill Norris, also of Carleton, spent last Thursday here visiting their cousins, Mrs. Ruth Craig Ethel Keith and Mrs. Dorothy Tidwell and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Burleson and son, Jarrell, will return to Amarillo sometime this week after spending the weekend here with her parents, the A. L. Williams, and his parents, the Russ Burlesons. Jarrell, the son, has had quite an extended visit with his grandparents.

Larry, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dean Ragland, is here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ragland.

Miss Linda Greenhaw of NTSC at Denton spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Greenhaw. Linda expects to finish her degree in August.

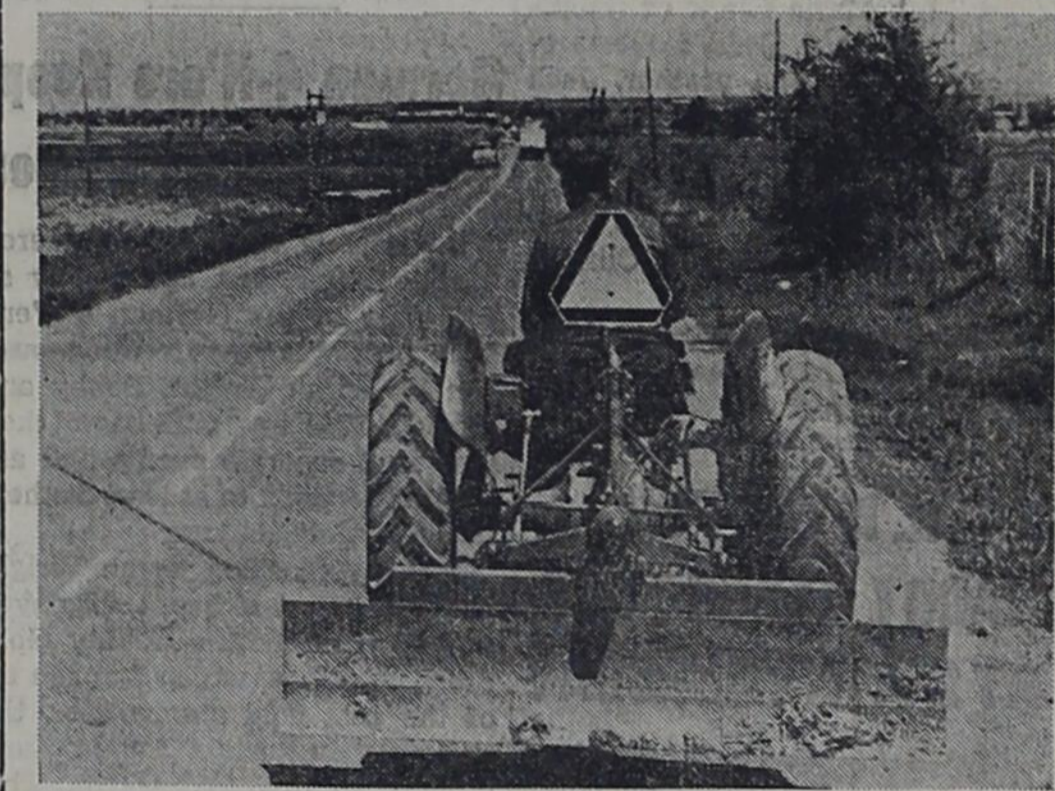
Rev. Johnnie Burleson of De Leon filled the pulpit on regular appointment at the Bible Baptist Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stewart and children of Olden spent the weekend here with her mother, Mrs. Omata Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Dennis of McGregor and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carlton of Gorman visited with their mother, Mrs. Sylvia Abernathy, the past weekend.

Mrs. Lucille Taylor and Mr. Donnie Rogers of Eastland and Mr. Houston Leneer of Fort Worth visited one day last week with a sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Lane.

Mr. Murrah Foote, who underwent surgery in Eastland last week, is expected to be home one day soon and his son and family to join him.



SAFETY DEVICE - In order to combat the growing number of accidents involving slow-moving vehicles, a safety emblem has been developed to alert motorists approaching from behind. The emblem, shown mounted on the rear of the above tractor, is brilliantly colored for quick recognition either in daytime or at night. A comprehensive program to encourage use of the emblem by farmers and others who operate slow vehicles and to acquaint the public with its meaning is being coordinated in Texas by the Texas Farm Bureau Safety Department.

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KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mrs. Ed Wyatt visited last week in San Antonio, Houston and Graham. She met a son, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Groene of California, in Fort Worth for a visit Thursday at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Welch.

Visiting this week with Mrs. Effie Broom and other relatives were Mr. and Mrs. Gladen Little and granddaughter, Suzane Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Little of California. They attended the Sipe Springs Homecoming on Sunday and Mrs. Little received a corsage for traveling the longest distance to attend the homecoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook of Baytown, Mrs. W. A. Williams of Rising Star and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rhymes of Breckenridge were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhymes and all attended the Sipe Springs Homecoming on Sunday.

Mrs. David McVey of Magnolia, Arkansas is visiting this week with her sister, Mrs. R. C. Mehaffey, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Barton Eppler. She will attend the Eppler reunion at Lake Whitney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Fairbatter and family of Abilene were week

Mrs. Docy Williams and Mrs. Myrtle Reid were shopping in Stephenville last Friday.

Mrs. Salada Northcutt was in Strawn Monday of last week to attend Requiem Mass held for Mrs. Lena Marine at St. James Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Kullenburg of Austin and Mr. Dan Johnson of Pampa were recent visitors with Mrs. Salada Northcutt and Grannie and Eva Northcutt.

Cecil Carr left early Monday for Kingsville to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ken Maltby for an extended visit.

end visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fairbatter, and Milton Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burkett, Jr. and James, left Monday to fly to Ecuador to visit their son, Joey, who is in the Peace Corps there.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Pair of Springer, N. M. spent the weekend with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Pair recently purchased the W. R. Taylor home and will move to Gorman this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bell and family of Greenville spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Effie Broom, and attended the Sipe Springs Homecoming on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mears and Johnny met Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collins and Karen, a friend of Cleburne, and Brenda Bigby of Fort Worth, in Fort Worth Saturday and all attended "Camlot" at Casa Manana.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Claitor have recently returned home from a visit with their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Fitzgerald of Denver, Colorado and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McMillan of Perryton.



"LET YOUR LIGHT SO SHINE..." is exemplified in this attractive electric sign that has been installed by members of the Church of Christ. Audy Moore, minister, said members of his church have been saving a long time to buy this sign. The Progress staff joins others in complimenting these folk. It not only adds to the beauty of their building but is pleasing to the eye as one drives by.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Avery Yarbrough were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Smith, Debbie and Billy of Irving, and Arthur Ray Yarbrough of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haynes, Flora, Carol and Roy, Jr. of San Jose, Calif., arrived Thursday for a three week visit with his father, Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Reeves.

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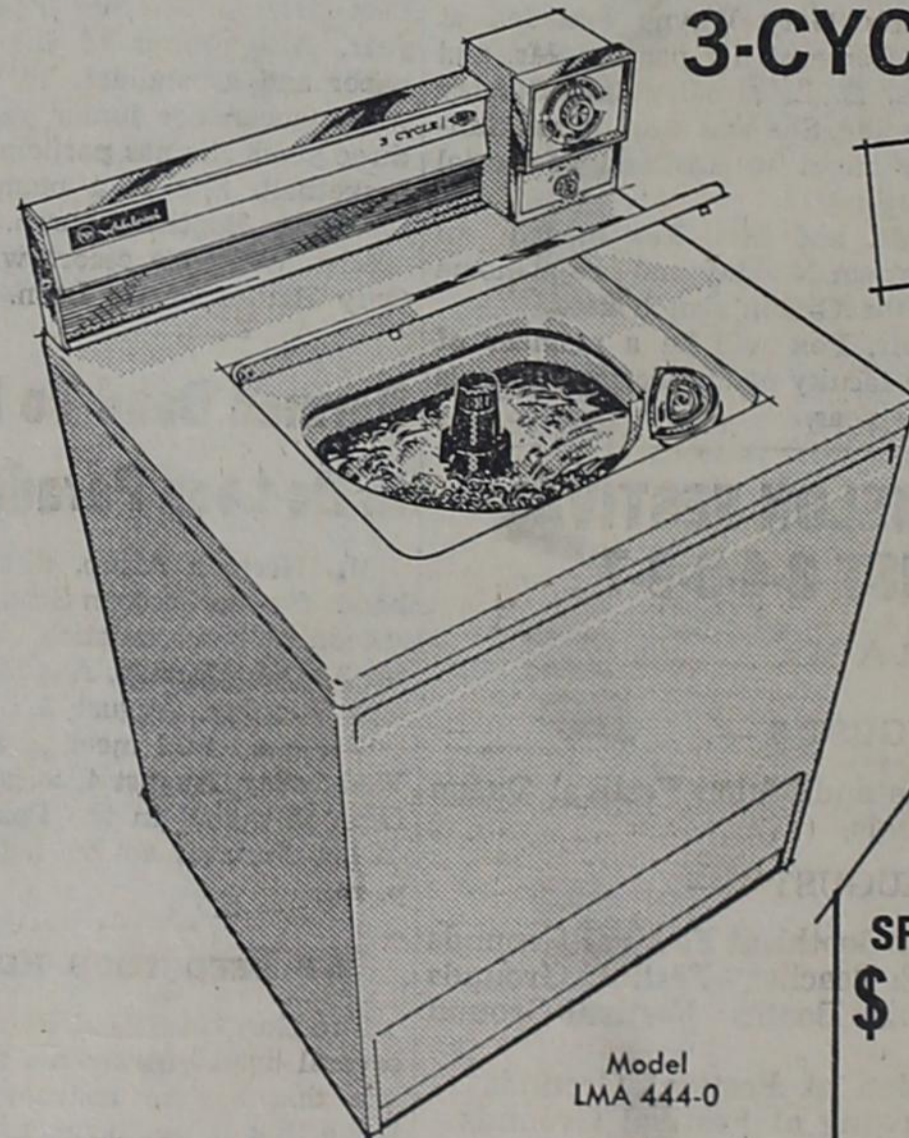
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WASHINGTON, D. C. — SINCE 1962, THREE TAX CUTS have been wrangled through Congress. Total tax reductions in three separate actions will amount to about \$20 billion.

THE CUT IN 1962 reduced corporate taxes by approximately \$1.3 billion through more liberal depreciation rates.

THE REALLY BIG ONE CAME IN 1964, when the reduction was \$14 billion.

THE RECENT EXCISE TAX CUTS ARE ESTIMATED TO SAVE CONSUMERS about \$5 billion by 1969, when all the benefits will be in effect.

EACH OF THESE MEASURES TOOK QUITE A BIT of doing, since logic suggests that when there are budget deficits, it is no time to cut taxes.

THE THEORY HAS BEEN

ADOPTED THAT by cutting taxes, putting more money in the hands of taxpayers, more money will be spent and more taxes will be collected. Thus far, it appears this theory may be working. More taxes are being collected, but it also must be recognized that times are good.

FOR ALMOST FIVE YEARS NOW, THE general economy has been on the incline. On the other hand, the deficit sheet shows a comparable rise in debts. In this same period, the rise in the public debt, which includes the debt of the Federal Government, the States, municipalities and other entities of government, has been tremendous. The debt of individuals has increased by more than \$40 billion, while the corporate debt has increased by more than \$200 billion in this period of prosperity.

AS INDIVIDUALS, IF WE DID NOT HAVE TO PAY our debts, we would be in pretty good shape.

FUTURE TAX CUTS ARE IN

THE OFFING. A lot of "ifs" are involved.

IN THE WAR IN VIET NAM DOES NOT become an all-out conflict, future tax cuts in 1967 will probably occur.

IF ECONOMIC CONDITIONS SHOULD TAKE a turn for the worse, cuts could come next year. This will follow the theory that the time to cut taxes is in economic decline, but contradicts the cuts made in 1962, 1964, and 1965, unless our debts are also included in the figures relating to "good times."

WHILE CONSIDERATION WILL BE GIVEN to general tax cuts, the tax eye is on additional sources of revenue. At the time, it points to additional taxes for airlines, truckers and barge companies. The reasoning here is that the airlines use tax supported airports, the trucks use highways and the barge lines use Government dredged and maintained canals and waterways. It is estimated that the take from these three sources particularly high run around \$500 million a year, with the truckers paying almost half of it.

TAX REFORMS TALKED A-

Browsing with Bev

By Beverly R. Nicholson,
Eastland County RHD Agent

Today's eyeglasses now provide better looks as well as better vision. The latest styles for frames range from bombe or slender rectangular frames to jumbo owl eyes. For the young at heart, the new wrap-around band-type frames with lenses narrowed down to slits are good for boy-watching.

From a fashion standpoint, choose frames that enhance your face. Exercise restraint in wearing jewelry so the total effect remains uncluttered. If you wear glasses all the time, adapt your hair style to the glasses. Adapt you make-up to your glass frames, too. Make sure your brows show above the frames, but don't draw in theatrical lines. Let mascara dry before putting the glasses on again. Choose eye shadow colors carefully, avoiding a too dark shade if the frames are also dark. Above all, don't let your eyes, the frames, and the shadow add up to a strident mixture of colors.

Keep your complexion lovely because glasses call extra attention to your face. A daily soap-suds facial will help you achieve the clear skin so necessary to look attractive in fashionable glasses.

Going fishing? Here are some helpful hints on how to preserve your catch. Fish can be kept in good condition for as long as 24 hours without refrigeration if they are bled, cleaned, washed and salted as caught. Use a fine grade of pure salt, mixing in a tablespoon of pepper for each cup of salt. Rub the salt into the flesh, using about one tablespoon to three-quarters of a pound of fish.

ABOUT SO LONG are still under consideration by the experts. It will not be accomplished in the immediate future. Tax reforms usually mean the closing of loopholes, but it also means more efficient administration of tax laws already on the books. It may also mean new formulas for applying taxes to individuals, corporations and cooperatives.

ONE PROPOSAL HAVING SOME RATHER STRONG SUPPORT of the economic experts is that a portion of taxes collected by the Federal Government be returned to the States. Under this theory it is recognized that the Washington tax bite siphons off sources of revenue from the States, Counties and Cities. It makes money scarce to provide services to the people now being furnished by the Federal Government.

A LOT OF LEAKAGE WOULD OCCUR under this system in a dollar's flight from back home to Washington and back again.

IF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT WOULD GIVE CREDIT to the taxpayer on all taxes paid to the State, County, municipality and bonded districts, we would have more self-government and more local responsibility. This proposal will definitely be submitted when more tax writing is done.

GRANDDAUGHTER OF MRS. JAKE SKILES SERIOUSLY HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Tresa Davis, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Davis of Midland, and great-grand daughter of Mrs. Jake Skiles of Gorman, was seriously injured on Monday, July 19, when a pickup truck ran over her in the front yard of her home.

The infant is in a Midland hospital with a broken hip and leg. She also lost the sight of one eye and suffered severe body bruises. She was on the critical list at the hospital until Monday, and is still in the intensive care ward of the hospital.

Mrs. Davis will be remembered as Sharon Allen.

Dust some salt onto the skin as well.

Place the salted fish in a box or basket loosely packed with green leaves. Then cover the container with several thicknesses of burlap. Keep the burlap damp. Rinse the fish well before cooking.

To keep fish as long as a week or ten days, roll them in salt and pack away with as much salt as will cling. Before cooking them, soak the fish in water for about ten hours to remove the salt. Change the water several times during the soaking.

RAY NEAL LITTLE HONORED WITH PARTY ON JULY 25

Mrs. Albert Hendricks and the Junior Sunday School Class of the Kokomo Baptist Church honored Ray Neal Little with a party on Sunday, July 25 in celebration of his 10th. birthday.

Cake and punch were served to Danny Snider, Bobby Eaves, Chester Joiner, Tim Sublett, Christi Fuller and the honoree.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 2, 1965. SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14 proposing Amendments to Section 4, 22 and 23 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide a four-year term of office for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Comptroller of Public Accounts, Treasurer, Commissioner of the General Land Office and Secretary of State; and certain statutory state officers; providing for the necessary election and the form of the ballot; and providing for the necessary proclamation and publication.

RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 4, Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 4. The Governor shall be installed on the first Tuesday after the organization of the Legislature, or as soon thereafter as practicable, and shall hold his office for the term of four years, or until his successor shall be duly installed. He shall be at least thirty years of age, a citizen of the United States, and shall have resided in this state at least five years immediately preceding his election."

Section 2. That Section 22, Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 22. The Attorney General shall hold office for four years and until his successor is duly qualified. He shall represent the state in all

suits and pleas in the Supreme Court of the state in which the state may be a party, and shall especially inquire into the charter rights of all private corporations, and from time to time, in the name of the state, take such action in the courts as may be proper and necessary to prevent any private corporation from exercising any power or demanding or collecting any species of taxes, tolls, freight or wharfage not authorized by law. He shall, whenever sufficient cause exists, seek a judicial forfeiture of such charters, unless otherwise expressly directed by law, and give legal advice in writing to the Governor and other executive officers, when requested by them, and perform such other duties as may be required by law. He shall reside at the seat of government during his continuance in office. He shall receive for his services an annual salary in an amount to be fixed by the Legislature."

Section 3. That Section 23, Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 23. The Comptroller of Public Accounts, the Treasurer, the Commissioner of the General Land Office, and any statutory state officer who is elected by the electorate of Texas at large, unless a term of office is otherwise specifically provided in this Constitution, shall each hold office for the term of four years and until his successor is qualified; receive an annual salary in an amount to be fixed by the Legislature; reside at the Capital of the state during his continuance in office, and perform such duties as are or may be required by law. They and the Secretary of State shall not

receive to their own use any fees, costs or perquisites of office. All fees that may be payable by law for any service performed by any officer specified in this Section or in his office, shall be paid, when received, into the State Treasury."

Section 4. The foregoing Constitutional Amendments shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1965, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendments providing a four-year term of office for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Comptroller of Public Accounts, Treasurer, Commissioner of the General Land Office, Secretary of State, and any statutory state officer who is elected by the electorate of Texas at large, unless a term of office is otherwise specifically provided in this Constitution."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendments providing a four-year term of office for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Comptroller of Public Accounts, Treasurer, Commissioner of the General Land Office, Secretary of State, and any statutory state officer who is elected by the electorate of Texas at large, unless a term of office is otherwise specifically provided in this Constitution."

Section 5. Nothing contained in this Resolution shall be construed so as to extend the term of office of any officerholder previously elected to a two-year term.

Section 6. The Governor shall issue the necessary Proclamation for the said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

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BUSINESS MEETING - - - 8:00 P. M.

KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Henry, Patty and Ned of Ozona, visited last week with their sister-in-law, Mrs. Pete Snider, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Lon Snider also visited in the Snider home.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Rodgers, Mike and Bob, and Kathy Brown, visited in Abilene on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gilbert, Lisa and Stephen.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller, Christi and Ricky, were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ford and son of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stewart of De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Flatt of De Leon, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and Kris.

Ricky Fuller underwent a tonsillectomy last Wednesday at the Blackwell Hospital in Gorman. It was thought that Ricky was doing fine, but he started hemorrhaging early Monday morning and had to be returned to the hospital. He was feeling better on Tuesday morning. We wish you a speedy recovery Ricky.

Rev. and Mrs. Jackie Heath of Fort Worth and Mrs. Vera Stewart of Ranger visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan on Sunday afternoon. Rev. Heath, a former pastor of the Kokomo Baptist Church, has just completed study at the Southwestern Theological Seminary in Fort Worth.

Teddy Jordan is visiting this week in Floydada with Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Lewallen and family and with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewallen, in Muleshoe.

Danny Snider spent Sunday with Bobby Eaves.

Visitors at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning were Mrs. Alvis Scitern of New Hope, Mrs. Otis Jordan and Tammy of Cisco, Martha Preston and Daryl

Hirst of Gorman, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hallmark and girls of Abilene.

Martha Preston, Daryl Hirst, Glenda Jordan and Mike Rodgers brought the special music at the morning services at the Kokomo Baptist Church Sunday morning. They were accompanied by Mrs. Claude Fuller on the piano.

Mrs. Bo Caraway and Mrs. Glenn Scitern spent Saturday night in Killeen with their husbands who are doing National Guard duty at Fort Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Noell of Oklahoma City were visiting with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McNeely, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lasater and Mrs. Gerald Scitern and Brenda left Tuesday morning for a visit with friends and relatives in Sundown. They will return home on Thursday.

Mr. Jush Mounce of Kermit visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Atchison and family of Fort Worth were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Brown on Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal returned home from their vacation trip on Sunday. They had visited with their daughters, Mrs. Freddie Shackelford and family at Dumas and Mrs. Nat Meares and family at Snyder, and with Mrs. O'Neal's mother, Mrs. Frances Scott, at Hamlin and Mr. O'Neal's brother, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neal, and their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Thompsey Young, at Hamlin. Mrs. Young was in the hospital at Anson. Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal also visited in several towns where they had taught school before moving to Kokomo.

Mrs. Trannie Stephen and Mr. Earnest McNelly of Breckenridge were married recently in Breckenridge. They are making their home in the Kokomo community.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Leonard of Phoenix, Arizona and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Thompson of Morenci,

OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS

By FLORENCE RICHARDSON

Our Thought For The Week:

People, like tacks, are useful, if they have heads and are pointed in the right direction.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Henderson and Mrs. Oscar Reid visited the Clyde Setzlers a few days ago. Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Lindley,

Arizona visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan.

Those from the Kokomo Baptist Church at the service at the Lawndale Nursing Home on Sunday afternoon were Rev. Buel Bryan, Albert Hendricks, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan, Mrs. John Lasater, Glenda Jordan, Mike Rodgers and Martha Preston and Daryl Hirst of Gorman.

Mrs. Lynn Campbell, Mrs. Willis Morrow, Mrs. W. S. Creager and Alma Lee Creager of Levelland were here last week to attend the funeral of Mr. W. B. Higginbottom and visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Higginbottom and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow. Mrs. Creager and Alma Lee remained for an extended visit with their daughters and sisters. Mmes. Morrow, Higginbottom, Creager and Miss Creager visited in Breckenridge on Tuesday with a niece and cousin, Mrs. Ralph Fite.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Henderson were in Rising Star on Sunday afternoon to attend the Golden Wedding Anniversary celebration of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan visited with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller and family on Sunday night. Emmett Lasater of Fort Hood spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lasater.

Robert Lindley and Mrs. Sadie Russell have been in Alabama the last two weeks visiting their sisters and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hirst, Mrs. Bruce Hirst and Patty, and the Homer Richardsons were in Eastland Saturday morning visiting the Hardy Parkers.

The Harry Cooper family of Odessa are visiting here with their parents, the Cooper and Rawls families.

Mrs. E. A. Turner (nee Fondayne Hirst), Mrs. Charles Harpols and baby of Aubrey, Texas spent Saturday night with the B. A. Hirsts and Sunday in Eastland with the Hardy Parkers. Mrs. Turner is a niece of Mrs. Parker and Mr. Hirst.

The B. A. Hirsts, R. H. Watsons, Buel Bryans, Homer Richardsons, Mrs. Bond, Bruce Hirst, Mike Rodgers, and the Loyd Glassons met the Harvie O'Neals at Lake Proctor Thursday afternoon. All had a picnic outing.

Mrs. Horace Tatum of Lamesa was here over the weekend for the Watson reunion.

The Jim Johnsons visited the Henry Johnsons last week.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our deepest appreciation and thanks for all the kindness shown our family during the illness and death of our husband and father, W. B. Higginbottom. We are most grateful to Dr. Rodgers, Dr. Brown, the nurses and staff at the Blackwell Hospital for their untiring efforts and services; to the Methodist Church for the use of their building and to the ladies that served the food, and to our friends and neighbors and relatives for all the words of comfort, the food, cards, and flowers.

A special thanks to Mr. O. R. Buchanan of Higginbotham Funeral Home and the people who sat at the funeral chapel, to each of the pallbearers, to Mrs. Buchanan and the quartet.

May God be as gracious to each of you in your time of sorrow as He was to us.

Mrs. W. B. Higginbottom
Mr. & Mrs. Edgar Higginbottom
Mr. & Mrs. Lesta Higginbottom
Mr. & Mrs. Escar Singleton
Mr. & Mrs. Ed Glover, Jr.

Ray Neal And James Little Honored With Party On Birthdays

On Saturday night, July 24, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little honored their sons, Ray Neal and James, with a birthday party at their cabin on Lake Leon. James was 3 years old on July 20, and Ray Neal was 10 years old on July 27.

After the boys opened their many gifts and the children sang Happy Birthday to them, homemade ice cream and cake were served to those attending.

Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. John Little, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Little and Cay, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Boles and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hallmark, Becky and Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Clif-

ford Nelson and Cassie, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and Kris, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White, Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett, Mrs. L. L. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Collins and Judy, and the honoree's sister, Nelda Little.



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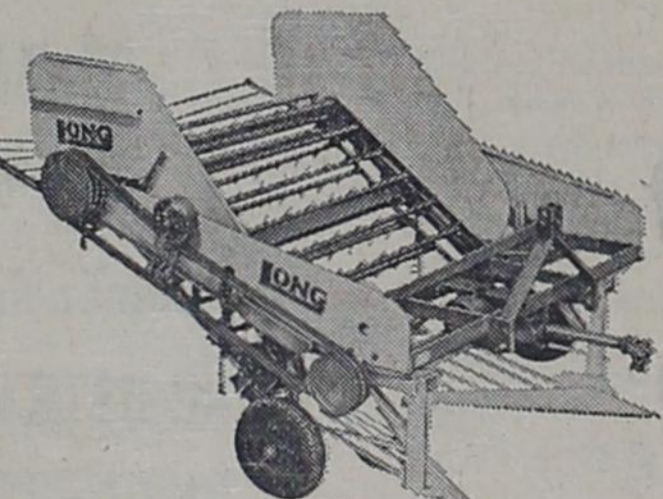
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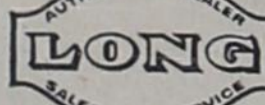
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 2, 1965. SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 24 proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Article VII, Section 17, providing a method of payment for the acquiring, constructing and equipping of buildings and other permanent improvements at certain state institutions of higher learning; providing for allocation of funds therefor; authorizing the issuance of bonds or notes and the pledging of allotted funds for the payment of same; providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.

LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 17 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 17. In lieu of the state ad valorem tax on property of Seven Cents (7¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation heretofore permitted to be levied by Section 51 of Article III, as amended, there is hereby levied, in addition to all other taxes permitted by the Constitution of Texas, a state ad valorem tax on property of Two Cents (2¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the continuing payment of Confederate pensions as provided under Section 51, Article III, and for the establishment and continued maintenance of the State Building Fund as provided in Section 51b, Article III, of the Constitution.

"Also, there is hereby levied, in addition to all other taxes permitted by the Constitution of Texas, a state ad valorem tax on property of Ten Cents (10¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the purpose of acquiring, constructing and initially equipping buildings or other permanent improvements at the designated institutions of higher learning provided that none of the proceeds of this tax shall be used for auxiliary enterprises; and the governing board of each such institution of higher learning is fully authorized to pledge all or any part of said funds allotted to such institution as

hereinafter provided, to secure bonds or notes issued for the purpose of acquiring, constructing and initially equipping such buildings or other permanent improvements at said respective institutions. Such bonds or notes shall be issued in such amounts as may be determined by the governing boards of said respective institutions, shall bear interest not to exceed four per cent (4%) per annum and shall mature serially or otherwise in not more than ten (10) years; provided further, that the state tax on property as heretofore permitted to be levied by Section 9 of Article VII, as amended, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed Thirty Cents (30¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation. All bonds shall be examined and approved by the Attorney General of the State of Texas, and when so approved shall be incontestable; and all approved bonds shall be registered in the office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas. Said bonds shall be sold only through competitive bids and shall never be sold for less than their par value and accrued interest.

"The following state institutions then in existence shall be eligible to receive funds raised from said Ten Cent (10¢) tax levy for the twelve-year period beginning January 1, 1966, and for the succeeding ten-year period: Arlington State College at Arlington Texas Technological College at Lubbock North Texas State University at Denton Lamar State College of Technology at Beaumont Texas College of Arts and Industries at Kingsville Texas Woman's University at Houston Texas Southern University at Houston Midwestern University at Wichita Falls University of Houston at Houston Pan American College at Edinburg East Texas State College at Commerce Sam Houston State Teachers College at Huntsville Southwest Texas State College at San Marcos West Texas State University at Canyon

Stephen F. Austin State College at Nacogdoches Sul Ross State College at Alpine Angelo State College at San Angelo.

"Eighty-five per cent (85%) of such funds shall be allocated by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas on June 1, 1966, and fifteen per cent (15%) of such funds shall be allocated by said Comptroller on June 1, 1972, based on the following determinations:

"(1) Ninety per cent (90%) of the funds allocated on June 1, 1966, shall be allocated to state institutions based on projected enrollment increases published by the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System for fall 1966 to fall 1978.

"(2) Ten per cent (10%) of the funds allocated on June 1, 1966 shall be allocated to certain of the eligible state institutions based on the number of additional square feet needed in educational and general facilities by such eligible state institution to meet the average square feet per full time equivalent student of all state senior institutions (currently numbering twenty-two).

"(3) All of the funds allocated on June 1, 1972, shall be allocated to certain of the eligible state institutions based on determinations made in the June 1, 1966, allocations except that the allocations of fifty per cent (50%) of the funds allocated on June 1, 1972, shall be based on projected enrollment increases for fall 1972 to fall 1978, and fifty per cent (50%) of such funds allocated on June 1, 1972, shall be based on the need for additional square feet of educational and general facilities.

"Not later than June first of the beginning year of each succeeding ten-year period the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas shall reallocate eighty-five per cent (85%) of the funds to be derived from said Ten Cent (10¢) ad valorem tax for said ten-year period and not later than June first of the sixth year of each succeeding ten-year period said Comptroller shall reallocate fifteen per cent (15%) of such funds to the eligible state institutions then in existence based on determinations for the said ten-year period that are similar to the determinations used in allocating funds during the twelve-year period beginning January 1, 1966, except that enrollment projections for succeeding ten-year periods will be from the fall semester of the first year to the fall

semester of the tenth year. All such designated institutions of higher learning shall not thereafter receive any general revenue funds for the acquiring or constructing of buildings or other permanent improvements for which said Ten Cent (10¢) ad valorem tax is herein provided, except in case of fire, flood, storm, or earthquake occurring at any such institution, in which case an appropriation in an amount sufficient to replace the uninsured loss so incurred may be made by the Legislature out of any General Revenue Funds. The State Comptroller of Public Accounts shall draw all necessary and proper warrants upon the State Treasury in order to carry out the purpose of this Amendment, and the State Treasurer shall pay warrants so issued out of the special fund hereby created for said purpose. This Amendment shall be self-enacting. It shall become operative or effective upon its adoption so as to supersede and repeal the former provisions of this Section; provided further, that nothing herein shall be construed as impairing the obligation incurred by any outstanding notes or bonds heretofore issued by any state institution of higher learning under this Section prior to the adoption of this Amendment but such notes or bonds shall be paid, both as to principal and interest, from the fund as allocated to any such institution.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at the General Election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A.D. 1965, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon: "FOR the Amendment to Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Section 17 thereof, providing a method of payment for the acquiring, constructing and equipping buildings and other permanent improvements at certain state institutions of higher learning."

"AGAINST the Amendment to Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Section 17 thereof, providing a method of payment for the acquiring, constructing and equipping of buildings and other permanent improvements at certain state institutions of higher learning."

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

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KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mrs. T. C. Wylie of Ranger visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Nona Leazar.

Don McKnight left Friday for a vacation on the Joe Burkett Ranch at Kerrville.

Mrs. Margaret Ellison of Abilene and her mother, Mrs. Fanny Burkett of Gorman, left Sunday and returned Monday from Kerrville where they met Mrs. Burkett's son and family from Phoenix, Ariz. and attended the funeral of Mrs. Burkett's father, Mr. Walter Linhardt, of Kerrville.

Attending the Sipe Springs Homecoming Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Porter and Mrs. C. O. McKeenham of Lawndale Home For Senior Citizens, who received a corsage for having the largest number in a family present.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Campbell moved last week to Jacksboro where Larry has employment.

T.Sgt. G. W. Gilmore of Vandenburg AFB, California, visited his mother, Mrs. Pearl Gilmore, on Friday. He has been assigned to an AF School in Wichita Falls for eight weeks.

Mrs. T. F. Morrow spent the weekend in Eastland with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Haley.

Deborah and Jimmy Dean, Jr. have returned home following a two weeks visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Shell and Mrs. J. Frank Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. James Isabell and family of Brady and Mrs. McCutchen and children of Rising Star, sister of Mrs. Isabell, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Nettie Isabell, and sister, Frances.

R. C. Snider of Wellman spent the weekend with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dennis. Also Mr. and Mrs. B. F. White, Larry, Randy and Gregg of Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Boyd vacationed last week in Edna with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Lawson, and with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gilder of Coleman.

The first definite mention of grape wine is found in a Mesopotamian manuscript of 2100 B. C.

One hand-operated mill was provided for each group of five to ten men in the Roman army and the soldiers ground their own corn.

Thomas Coke Cluster Elects New Officers

Officers of the Thomas Coke Cluster of the Cisco District to serve for the new conference year were elected Monday evening, when the cluster group met in Rising Star at the First Methodist Church for a regular meeting.

Steve Perdue of Eastland was elected President; Terri Baum of Coss Plains, Vice-President; Anita Acrea of Gorman, Secretary-Treasurer, and Mack Sutton of Gorman, Publicity.

Those attending the Rising Star meeting were Rev. and Mrs. S. A. Baker, Marilyn Shell, Anita Acrea, Elizabeth Parr and Mack Sutton.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank everyone who have been so thoughtful of us. For the cards and every deed of kindness and especially for the prayers that are offered daily for us. I have received many beautiful cards and letters and I want to take this means of saying thanks to each of you, and also we want to say thanks to our friends and neighbors for the labor they have done in the crop for us.

May the Lord bless each of you and again thank you for everything.

What we appreciate more is the daily prayers.

L. D., Opal & Debbie Holliday

46 Congressmen Issue Joint Letter On Oil Import Program

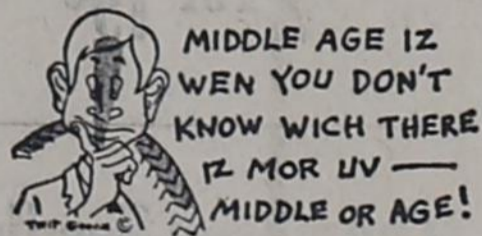
A joint letter signed by 46 members of the U. S. House of Representatives from 18 States was today sent to Secretary Udall, Chairman of the Inter-Agency Committee reviewing the Mandatory Oil Import Program, requesting that Congress be advised of the proposed changes in the program now under consideration. The Congressmen also asked that they have the opportunity to express their views concerning the proposed changes before final action is taken by the Committee.

Many members of Congress are deeply concerned about the depressed economic condition of the domestic oil industry and the resulting adverse effects upon the local economies of the oil producing areas throughout the U. S. Of greater concern is the fact that the domestic industry for several years has been stagnated in its effort to find and develop reserves that will be needed to meet future requirements for peacetime growth and defense preparedness.

Drilling and development of domestic reserves must be encouraged and accelerated, otherwise, our defense posture will become critical.

The issues involved are vital and important to every citizen. Since the determinations of the Inter-Agency Committee will be far-reaching, perhaps for years to come, it seems to me that members of Congress are fully justified in insisting upon being informed on this important matter and having the opportunity to express their viewpoint.

Texas Congressmen signing the letter were: Omar Burleson; George Mahon; Graham Purcell; John Dowdy; O. C. Fisher; Bob Casey; Walter Rogers; Henry B. Gonzalez; Lindley Beckworth; J. J. Pickle; Jim Wright; Joe Pool; Richard White; and Ray Roberts.



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Rep. Wayne Gibbons Named To Legislative Council Of 59th Legis.

AUSTIN — Speaker of the House Ben Barnes today announced the appointment of Representative Wayne Gibbons of Breckenridge to the Texas Legislative Council of the 59th Legislature.

The Council, of which Barnes is vice chairman, is a permanent legislative service agency with a full-time professional staff which provides research, statutory revision and bill-drafting assistance. Council members, who determine policy and provide general direction for the agency's work, are designated by the presiding officers of the House of Representatives and the Senate after each regular session of the Legislature. They participate actively in dealing during the interim with problems of state-wide significance confronting the next Legislature. Appointments to the Council are considered choice assignments by legislators because of the influence and prestige attached to membership.

In announcing the appointment, Speaker Barnes said, "Representative Gibbons is uniquely qualified to render distinguished service in this capacity because of experience gained in three terms in the Legislature and one previous term as a member of the Council. His knowledge and experience will provide continuity in the work of the agency and enable him to make significant contributions in developing a constructive program for the 1967 legislative session."

During the 59th Legislature this year, Gibbons was chairman of the House standing Committee on Insurance and also served on the Committees on Congressional and Legislative Districts; Oil, Gas, and Mining; Rules; and State Affairs.

A man's alimentary canal is from 25 to 30 feet long.

Eighty-nine of Texas' 254 counties have general library service.

Introduction of the automatic loom from Holland into England caused riots in 1675.

Sen. Tom Creighton On Interim Election Law Study Committee

AUSTIN — Lieutenant Governor Preston Smith today announced the appointment of Senator Tom Creighton of Mineral Wells to the interim Election Law Study Committee.

The 27-member group, authorized by resolution passed during the recent legislative session, will make a complete study of the Texas Election Code with a view to recommending changes which may be necessary or desirable. It will report to the Legislature in 1967.

Senator Creighton, who was president pro tempore of the Senate during the Regular Session of the 59th Legislature this year, is serving his second term, having begun his service in 1961. During the session this year, he was

chairman of the Game and Fish Committee and vice chairman of the Committee on Jurisprudence in addition to serving on the following standing committees: Banking; Counties, Cities and Towns; Finance; Legislative, Congressional and Judicial Districts; Oil and Gas; Privileges and Elections; State Affairs; and Transportation.

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Visitors in the home of Mrs. Myrna Winters last Tuesday were her brother, Wayman Mason, and daughter, Martha, of Ballinger. Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Evans of Rosenberg and Marie and Carol Aiken of San Marcus spent the weekend with Mrs. H. R. Gilbert.

SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE CONTINUES

Our store-wide Summer Clearance Sale is still in progress. We still have many Good Buys in all departments that must be sold to make room for New Fall Merchandise.

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Brenda Thompson In Lions International Parade In Los Angeles

Miss Brenda Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Thompson of Jacksboro and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Smith of Gorman, participated in the Lions Annual International Parade in Los Angeles July 8th.

Brenda, who began her formal education in the first grade in Gorman is now a freshman in Jacksboro High School. She is a member of the Jacksboro High School Band which was chosen to participate in the Lions International Parade down Hollywood Boulevard in Los Angeles. The Jacksboro band was one of 180 bands participating in the parade. Texas had more bands represented than any other state.

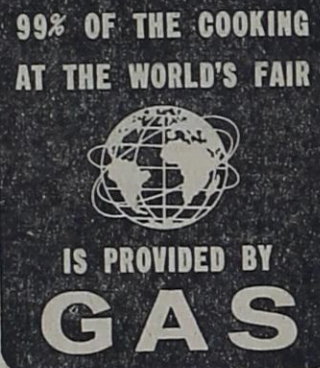
The band made the trip to California in chartered air conditioned buses. While in California band members and sponsors enjoyed the Art Linkletter Show, live on CBS, and attended Disney Land, followed by a trip to Barstow, Calif., and an overnight stay at the Holiday Inn. The 8-day tour took them through Las Vegas, Nevada, across Hoover Dam, Grand Canyon, the Painted Desert, and the Petrified Forest.

While in Los Angeles the band members and sponsors were housed in the Residence Hall on the campus of the University of California.

Most yeasts die after the alcohol concentration of a fermenting liquid reaches four per cent; at this point only wine yeasts can continue fermentation until the alcohol concentration reaches 15 per cent.

Davy Jones is the popular name of sailors for an evil sea spirit or the devil generally.

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