



**HULLS**  
By KENNEL GENE BAKER, aPc

If plans work out this column will soon be put out to pasture and "maybe" I will be permitted to write a column headed "Mayor Mumbblings" or something.

For some time my assistants have been trying to tell me in a gentle way that I should play more golf or put in more time with the Boy Scouts, etc. After last week I am almost inclined to agree with them, if Joe had not dropped by Thursday afternoon I would probably still be trying to publish last week's Progress. Somehow eighteen hours a day are not easy to handle anymore.

And, word has come to me third hand that if someone took the Progress over it would probably do better. No desire to get into personalities, but the Progress never did depend on this person's business too much and when we did there wasn't much profit involved.

Looking back to February 15, 1945 when I wrote my first column, "Quotes from an Amateur Publisher-Editor." At that time about 500 papers were being printed. At present we print 1130 papers. When I joined Billy Dee Hamrick in October of 1943 the Progress had one hand-fed printing press. Today, we have two automatic printing presses and three modern offset presses with most of the photographic equipment used in making printing plates for these machines. At one time we had eight to twelve employees, most of whom were students. Today all of these young men are self-employed or have responsible positions in their chosen professions. All have played a role in our growth but Joe Bennett stayed after others left and has kept the wheels rolling when it looked as though the old machinery was worn out.

Of course, Estelle Craddock and Willy Gilbert assist Joe in taking the weight off the Kernel's back. Perhaps I may be a bit conceited in saying that our success has been caused by our desire to offer instant service to any one at all hours in our printing department.

As to the newspaper, I believe it speaks for itself. YOU are the judge.

Thanks for letting the Kernel unwind.

City Commissioners held a called meeting Monday night for the purpose of hiring a new Water Superintendent. Jimmy Turner, has accepted a position in Eldorado, which is near Ft. Worth.

Mr. Tommy Davis of Dublin, who has been with the City of Dublin and comes well recommended, will be moving to Gorman next week to take the superintendent's place.

The Mayor, striving to help every body, has gotten his head in a noose again. Although knowing it was a violation of the law, Mayor Baker requested that the Commission ease up on mini-bike and motor bike riders, especially those who are riding them to work in the fields.

However, it seems there are those who want to flaunt their privileges which, naturally, makes it hard on those trying to help others.

So, our only alternative is to go by the "letter of the law."

All parents or guardians, who have children with mini-bikes or motor-bikes, and are driving them without licenses are requested to meet with the City Commission on Monday evening, July 19, 7:30 P. M. in the City Office.

We hope those who come will bring helpful suggestions or questions that can be answered.

According to State Law "no one can operate a motor vehicle without a driver's license."

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Paul Nunley from his mother.

Paul's Progress was renewed for another year.

ST. JOE BAPTIST CHURCH  
HOMECOMING SET JULY 25

The St. Joe Baptist Church will hold their Homecoming on Sunday, July 25th. A good program is planned. Bro. Bob Watson, former pastor, will bring the homecoming message. Lunch will be served. Singing will be enjoyed in the afternoon.

You are invited to attend.



## Sara Elizabeth Greer and John Ed Kimble Say Vows

Sara Elizabeth Greer and John Ed Kimble were united in marriage on July 1, 1971 in a double ring ceremony. Col. A. E. Dyer of Baird officiated. Dyer is a long time friend of the bridegroom.

Sara is the daughter of Mrs. Doyle W. Greer and the late Doyle W. Greer of Gorman. John is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Kimble of Gorman.

The bride received her B. S. degree from McMurry College in Abilene and her M. E. from North Texas State University in Denton. She has taught for the past several years in the Fort Worth Public School system.

The bridegroom received his B. A. degree from North Texas State University. He holds a graduate degree from the American Institute of Banking. He is currently Assistant Vice President and Data Processing Manager of the First State Bank of Abilene.

The couple will reside in Abilene where Mrs. Kimble will be employed by the Abilene Independent School District and Mr. Kimble will continue his association with the First State Bank.

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## Farm Bureau Barbecue & Queen Contest Date Set

The Eastland County Farm Bureau's annual Barbecue and Queen Contest will be held August 21, 1971, in the City Park in Eastland. Henry Fry, Route 1, Cisco, and Herman Harrellson of Route 2, Cisco, will serve as chairmen of the Barbecue. Mrs. Glenn Jordan of Route 1, Gorman, will serve as chairman of the Queen Contest.

To enter, a girl must be a daughter or sister of a Farm Bureau member. She must be single and between the age of 16 and 22 on September 1, 1971.

Girls who wish to enter the Eastland County Farm Bureau Queen Contest should check with Mrs. Glenn (Zelda) Jordan at 639-2289.

## Dr. J. O. Jolly is Guest Speaker for LVNA on Monday

The Licensed Vocational Nurses' Association, Division No. 64, met Monday evening, July 12, in the Conference Room of the Eastland Memorial Hospital.

Dr. J. O. Jolly, D.D.S. of Eastland, guest speaker for the meeting, presented a hilarious recording of songs and recitations of doctors and nurses in training and of the various branches of medical work. The program of travesty was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

A report on the LVNA Workshop held in Waco in June was given by Mrs. Louise Kimmell, President of Cisco.

After the meeting, Eastland hostesses served refreshments of potato salad, crackers, pickles, cookies, lemonade and coffee to the following: Mrs. Merle Fowler, R. N., and LVN's Christell Gaines, Luda Parsons, Louise Kimmell, Elizabeth Stroud, Iva Hooks, Marsha Thomas, Alice Eakin, Gene Cox, Gertrude Wallace, Emma Gregg, Lucille Broom, Gladys Edwards, Lola Marschall, Jane Collins, Ina Simpson, and Julie Cassey.

Emma Gregg, of Cisco, was winner of the crocheted beads and ring at the drawing held after the meeting adjourned.

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## TERRY SHELL NOW WITH TEXAS CENTRAL

Terry Shell is now employed by Texas Central Railroad at Dublin Texas. Terry graduated from Gorman High School in 1962, and from the University of Texas at Austin in 1966 and 1969. He has been working in Houston during the last two years. He says he is glad to be back.

Terry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Shell of Stephenville.

## MISS GORMAN TO BE NAMED FRIDAY AT 12:30

The new Miss Gorman of 1971 will be announced at the Brown Jug on July 16th at approximately 12:30 noon. The Gorman contestants and their parents will be honored guests at a luncheon provided by the Chamber of Commerce. The public is cordially invited to attend.

A special event is also scheduled to take place at that time.

Why not plan to eat in the dining room at the Brown Jug (dine treat) this Friday, July 16th and support our young ladies who take their time to promote our town in such a pleasant way.

The chamber feels the beauty pageant sponsored by the Woman's Study Club to pick the Eastland County Peanut Princess was one of the best. It ran smoothly and all contestants did a splendid job. One of the judges remarked, "It's a shame they cannot all win."



Sarah Kirk



Christi Fuller



Cheryl Hudson

Three Gorman girls besides the reigning Miss Gorman (Karen Hallmark) competed in that contest and one of these girls will reign as Miss Gorman during the coming year. She will be asked to represent our town in the Peach and Walnut Festival, The Dublin Fair, Pecan Queen's Contest, and in the Miss Eastland County Pageant next spring, which is a preliminary to the Miss Texas Contest.

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## TAX MAN SAM SEZ

It's not any news to Texans that folks in Texas are different and that the laws may also be different. There are still a lot of Texans around that don't know about the effect of the Texas Community Property Law on their Federal income tax. Retired Texans can often get a substantial tax saving through having a double retirement income credit on their tax return.

In the other hand they may also lose their retirement income credit through the community half of the income earned by their spouse. You can get Publication 555 from Internal Revenue Service office. This publication tells you how community property affects you.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Byrd of Cisco, who recently retired from West Texas Utilities and teaching at Abilene, visited their niece, Mrs. E. C. Decker and twins on Sunday.

## LAST RITES FOR JOHN HAMIL HELD JULY 9

John Thomas Hamil, 77, died at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday, July 7 in the Blackwell Hospital.

Funeral services were held at 9:30 a. m. Friday, July 9 at the Church of Christ with Robert Bostick, minister, officiating. Grave-side rites were held at 4 p. m. at Lamesa Memorial Park in Lamesa. Burial was under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Mr. Hamil was born February 1, 1894 in Tyler. He had lived in Gorman eight months, moving from Odessa.

Survivors are eight sons, E. F. of West Virginia, H. C. of Odessa, A. C. of Monahans, J. G. of New Orleans, La., J. E. of Beaumont, Ira B. of Gorman, Ray D. of Hawaii, and Marlin E. of Vietnam, two daughters, Mrs. Edna Byrd of Corsicana and Mrs. Janie Hiller of Odessa; 33 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and one brother, O. R. of Bossier City, La.

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OMAR BURLISON  
Congressman  
17th District

WASHINGTON, D. C. — WHEN THE LION IS WOUNDED, THE HYENAS GATHER AROUND. — That's the law of the jungle for both men and beast.

ABOUT EVERY PLACE IN THE WORLD where the United States has an interest, whether it be military or economic, our position is eroding. Those nations which have been tied to America or their own self-interest are showing an alienation not evidenced since the end of World War II.

THE LATEST EVENT IS OCCURRING IN VENEZUELA. In recent months eyes were turned toward Chile where President Allende, the first Marxist-Leninist to be elected in Latin America, has been moved to nationalize American industry.

THE COPPER INDUSTRY HAS LARGELY supported the governments of Chile, Bolivia and Peru for years. The pressures from the leftist are so strong in all these South American countries that it looks as if they can not stop short of total confiscation.

VENEZUELA HAS BEEN MADE THE MOST prosperous nation in Latin America from 80 percent of the profits of foreign oil companies, mostly American, operating there. But its Congress is about to finalize what is called "Hydrocarbon Reversion Law," which shifts the ground rules from concessions granted oil companies in 1943. Under present Venezuelan law, concessions were granted to run 40 years or until 1983. At the expiration of this term no compensation would have to be paid to the companies for their production. The concessions would revert to the Venezuelan Government but under the law, which reports indicate is almost certain, all assets of the companies would also be taken over — rigs, pipelines, real estate, buildings and even the bowling alleys. The companies will be required to post a bond on their yearly profits to insure their good behavior.

IN THE LAW, THE VENEZUELAN GOVERNMENT asserts the right to take over direction of the companies at any time. In other words, they want to be in a position to order the companies when to drill and where, direct the laying of pipelines and force the companies to keep shelling out when they can have no economic motive for investments they no longer will own a few years hence.

WHY THIS NEW LAW AND WHY JUST NOW? There are no real left-wing pressures on the Government of Venezuela. The violent revolutions of a few years ago against the "Yankee imperialists" died down with no present effects. Venezuela, because of foreign oil companies, has the highest standard of living in all Latin America. It has a democratically elected government and things are running more smoothly for them than they ever have. Could it be that they are observing the world situation and conclude that this is the thing to do?

IN ADDITION TO THESE BIG THINGS, Venezuela, Ecuador and Peru, claiming fishing rights 200 miles from shore, arrest and impound United States fishing boats and impose fines on the individual operators. Thus far we have only protested and reimbursed the fishing boat owners for their fines. Shrimp boats out of Corpus Christi and Brownsville have been recent victims. Their operations are important to our Texas economy.

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COULD IT BE THAT BECAUSE THE UNITED STATES has so eroded its own credibility as a major power by its performance in Vietnam that it has become an obvious target for harassment?

OTHER INSTANCES OF RESISTANCE and a lack of respect for our Nation is occurring in parts of the world where our presence has been sought and encouraged.

WHEN THE LION IS WOUNDED, THE HYENAS GATHER AROUND.

## Know Your School

By Charlie L. Garrett, Supt.

For the past several months, at the request of the board of trustees, I have been making a study of the needs of the school and what it will take to meet these needs. You will recall that several items of information have appeared in the paper and that a survey sheet was sent to every family who had children in school. The study was to try to determine how much, if any, the people would like to expand the present program and to determine if they would be willing to pay additional taxes for such an expansion. The number of replies to the questionnaire was not as great as was expected, but they did come from a cross section of the people. I appreciate the replies that were returned and the concern that was expressed for the future of the school. Seventy-three percent of those who replied did favor an expansion, or at least hold the line position. Some showed opposition and gave reasons why, which I appreciated.

As you possibly recall, it was stated that in order to hold the line and maintain the number of teachers that were employed in 1970-71 it would take an additional \$6,000.00 and to add more teachers to meet the needs of special students and to give more personal attention to individual students, it was the decision of the board that more teacher should be added. This would certainly, I feel, improve the quality of education offered in our schools.

Even though it was the desire of the board to expand and offer the best possible education to the children of the community, there were mixed feelings on a tax raise of that much at this time, with the farm picture as it is in the community. In the board meeting on last Thursday, this problem was discussed at length and it was the decision of the board to just try to hold the line with last year and to add the one extra teacher. In order to meet this goal, a budget has been prepared and it appears that this can be done with approximately the \$6,000 increase mentioned before. This is possible only by keeping items of operation at a bare minimum. This has been done, and it is hoped that no unforeseen expenditures arise during the year. As I have pointed out on many occasions, the cost of operating your school will continue to increase due to the inflationary trend in which we find ourselves. If you will review the trend in cost of living for the past six years since I have been superintendent, you will find, according to government reports, that the cost of living has increased more than 25 percent. During this same time you have been asked for only one tax increase of 11 percent. You can see that this lacks 14 percent of being as high as cost of living increases.

In order to meet the present need and to be able to meet the future needs without having a re-evaluation of property, the board voted to change the percent of assessment so that any increase in the future years could be taken care of by adjusting the rate. At the present time we are assessed for tax purposes a 25 percent of the so-called market value. On this 25 percent assessed value, we are paying \$1.50 for operation and \$.31 for bond payment. Without changing the assessed ratio, it would be necessary to raise the market value of all property in the district, which would take much time. The board has the right to fix the percentage of assessment and the rate within bounds set forth by law. This is the action that the board has taken.

The percent of assessed value was increased to 33 1/3 percent of market value rounded to the nearest five dollars. With this increase in assessed value, the rate was figured at the point where enough money could be collected to meet the demands of both operation and for bond payments. The new rate was tentatively set at a total rate of \$1.45 as compared with the current rate of \$1.81. It will take about 1/7 (\$0.207) of the total rate to meet bond payments which will leave the rate for operation at \$1.243. This rate should bring in enough money for the current year. In future years this rate may be raised if necessary to meet the budget, or lowered if necessary.

I hope that the people of the community will stay behind your

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## TWO GORMAN STUDENTS WILL ATTEND CITIZENSHIP SEMINAR

Two Gorman High School students will represent Eastland County when they travel by chartered bus Tuesday, July 20, to Baylor University in Waco where they will attend a Citizenship Seminar July 20-24 conducted by the Texas Farm Bureau.

They are Marilyn Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Thompson; and Danny Ervin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ervin. Marilyn and Danny are both students at Gorman High School and will be seniors next year.

The Eastland County Farm Bureau is sponsoring the local students at the four-day training school. Some 400 students from 150 counties across the state will be attending the session.

Five outstanding, nationally-known lecturers will address the Waco training school, according to Jack Cozart of Cisco, president

of the Eastland County Farm Bureau.

They are: Dr. C. L. Ganus, president of Harding College, Searcy, Ark.; Dr. C. L. Kay, assistant president of Lubbock Christian College; John Noble, Muncy, Pa., author of "I Was a Slave in Russia"; W. Cleon Skousen, Salt Lake City, author, lawyer, educator, and former FBI agent; and Richard Perigo, Dallas, former convict and narcotics addict who is now executive director of H. I. P. (Help Is Possible), an organization formed to prevent narcotics addiction.

The purpose of the seminar is to give the student a better understanding of the American system and way of life. Emphasis will be placed on the economic, moral, and social aspects of the American society. Instruction will consist of lectures, films, and panel discussions.



Marilyn Thompson, age 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Thompson, will be a senior in Gorman High School next year. Some of her activities during the past three years are: sophomore class favorite, all district guard in basketball her junior year, class officer all three years in high school, Beta Club officer, student council officer, FHA officer. Marilyn was the highest ranking student in the junior class this past year.

## LOOK WHO'S NEW

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Danny Ervin, age 16, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ervin of Desdemona. He will be a senior in Gorman High School next year. Some of his activities in high school during the past three years are: member of the Beta Club, class officer for three years, active member of the student council. Danny plays football, basketball and track and was a three sport letterman this year. He will be the vice-president of his class next year and president of the student council at Gorman.

## WSCS Enjoy Dish Luncheon and Guest Speaker

A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed by members of the WSCS and their guests on Monday, July 12, in Fellowship Hall of the Gorman Methodist Church. Special guests were Dr. A. E. Pino of the local hospital, and his wife, Dr. Pino, the featured speaker of the luncheon, spoke feelingly of his native country, Cuba.

In his address Dr. Pino traced the history, both economic and political, of Cuba from the time of its discovery by Columbus in 1492 through the present Castro regime until 1967, when Dr. Pino immigrated to the United States. He told of the complete annihilation of all Indians from Cuba by disease and hardship in the early days of colonization; of early attempts by the Cubans to gain their freedom from Spain; of their gratitude to the United States for our help in the Spanish-American war. He pointed out that people who have been in a state of war for many years find it most difficult to trust peaceful, slow means of political change but tend to continue to depend on military means. For this reason many changes in regime in Cuba have been brought about by military coups.

Although he is some years younger than Fidel Castro, Dr. Pino attended the same high school with Castro for one year, and knew his family and political background. He stated his firm conviction that Castro has always been Communist and always will be. He said that Castro's revolution and regime have failed, in that they have failed to improve his countrymen's lot in the basic areas; food, shelter, business, and family life. He cited the immigration of sixty-thousand Cubans every year as a proof of that failure.

Dr. Pino concluded his address with an appeal to Americans to learn to value, and work to keep, that most prized possession: freedom.

Mrs. Charles Duran presented Dr. Pino with a gift from the Society as a token of their appreciation for the address and for his and his family's contributions to the community.

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Last weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Rodgers were his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Schafner Rodgers of Dallas.

## Lesser Cornstalk Borer Found in Area Peanut Fields

AUSTIN — Texas Agricultural Commissioner John C. White has issued a progress bulletin on the status of the lesser cornstalk borer in the Central Texas peanut producing area.

The lesser cornstalk borer, Texas most serious peanut insect pest, is now found in 65 percent of the fields surveyed by the De Leon Research Lab, De Leon, Texas. Infestations range from none to a high of 18 percent larvae found in the fields.

Treatment for the control of the lesser cornstalk borer has been applied to 54 percent of the area surveyed.

Because the lesser cornstalk borer is appearing in more peanut fields and at an earlier date than last year, Commissioner White urges all farmers to check their fields for this important insect pest as soon as the peanuts emerge from the ground. The fields should be further checked on a weekly basis.

Commissioner White added that when and if it is necessary to treat for the lesser cornstalk borer, the directions for the use of insecticides should be noted and carefully followed.

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## Revival at Rock Bluff Baptist To Begin on Friday

A Revival Meeting will begin at the Rock Bluff Baptist Church on Friday night, July 16, with evening services only. Bro. C. O. Clements of Cisco will do the preaching.

Prayer group services will begin at 8:00 p. m. with preaching services at 8:30.

The pastor, Rev. Walter Rippey, and the members invite everyone to attend these services.

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## Leon Homecoming Slated on Sunday

We want to invite each and everyone to our annual Leon Homecoming the third Sunday in July, which is Sunday, July 18th.

Our meeting place is the Gorman Fire Hall. The hall is air conditioned and has plenty of chairs.

Come and bring someone with you and bring a basket lunch. Meet old and new friends and spend the day with us.

R. H. Watson, President  
Florence Richardson, Secy.

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## Senior Citizens

The Senior Citizens met at the Fire Hall at 1:30 p. m. July 13th, with games of dominoes and 42, with time out for cookies, candy, tea and punch.

The following were present: Lovell Boy Kirk, Denny Moss, Paul Dietz, Honest (Crook) and Bossy Bennett, Ollie Eaves, Electra Tatum, Bill Logan and Queen Bee Herweck.

Several were absent. Florence Kent lost her wig and could not come. The Littlefields had to take care of their (7) baby kittens (bottle feeding). The Hendersons were hog watching (expecting baby pigs). The Newton Bennetts were bird watching and entertaining relatives. The Easters were trying to keep from fighting.

Be with us next Tuesday. Just leave your troubles at home and come to be with us. We need you.

Honest (Crook sometimes)  
Reporter

Oh, Yes! I forgot. Nota Underwood had a hang over and could not come.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Holliday were his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holliday of Woodson and a nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Holliday, Matt and Lori of Billings, Montana. Mr. Holliday returned to the VA Hospital in Dallas Tuesday and came back home on Thursday.

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## ITEMS OF INTEREST

Regular third Sunday. Singing will be held July 18 at the Congregational Methodist Church in Gorman, beginning at 1:30 p. m.

FOUND — A belt belonging to Keith Atchison. Progress office.

FOUND — Two car keys attached to an attractive key holder has been turned in at the Progress office.

## WANT-ADS

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**FOR SALE** — Console stereo with radio, tape recorder, dual speakers, 20 extra rolls tape, excellent condition. Larry Kibodeaux, Call 734-5585. 6-10fnc

**FOR SALE** — Six room brick home, corner lot, front and back porches, on Rogan St. in Gorman, has large extra lot with pecan trees, street frontage. See Mrs. Dean Kirk, Ph. 734-5584. 3-25fnc

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**FOR SALE** — 3 acres land in Gorman. 2 1/2 acres in city limits. Contact J. M. Moates, 3500 Redbluff Rd., Apt. 1, Pasadena, Texas 77503, Telephone 472-1080. 2-4fnc

**FOR SALE** — New Electric Victor adding machine. Two used Underwood typewriters, excellent condition. Estelle Craddock, Progress Office, 734-5410.

**FOR SALE** — Large building lot just outside city limits on old Carbon Hwy. Mrs. Calvin Brown, 734-5596. 4-29fnc

**FOR SALE** — Ten Disc Krause one way plow, rubber tires, complete with hydraulic cylinder. Rodney Stephens Ph. 734-5886. 4-22fnc

**FOR SALE** — 138 acres, good net fences, mostly cleared, tank, spring, fine lake site, 5 miles town \$157.50 acre — 158 acres, pavement, spring creed, 1/2 bottom land, most in Coastal, \$250 acre — 244 acres pastureland, 2 tanks, well, cabin, deer, turkey, \$125 acre. Cogburn Realty, Hwy. 6, Phone 893-6666, De Leon. 6-10fnc

**SPRAYING SERVICE** — Lawn spraying to kill weeds and grass-burrs. Also spraying houses for termites and insects. Free estimate reasonable rates. Nathan Files, 734-5729. 7-8fnc

**FOR SALE** — Camper that fits a long, wide wheel pickup, \$50. 5 HP Yardman Tiller, bought new, only used about 7 hours. \$155. J. E. (Shorty) Lawrence Box 495, Gorman. 7-8 fnc

**WANTED** — Two men experienced in construction labor. J R Files, Phone 734-5464, Gorman. 1tp

**LOST** — Ledger book containing breeding records and identification numbers of poultry. Book size about 7" x 12" and 100 pages. Probably lost on Highway east of Gorman. \$20 reward. R T Perry, 734-5675 Gorman, Texas 4-7-22p

## Hearing Tests Are Important

If you have a hearing problem of any kind you we it to yourself to have an Electronic Hearing test made to find why, and what can be done to help you before it is too late. The tests are free and will only take about 20 minutes of your time. We check your ears for packed wax, the tubes that let your ears breathe, then with the machine we check your hearing nerve, (bone reading) air conduction, (outside sounds) then measure how much sound the ear will take. We can pinpoint your problem and explain in plain English what can be done to help you, then you make your own decision. We never try to high-pressure you into buying anything. There are thousands of people today suffering from hard of hearingness, (even some that wear Hearing Aids), just because they waited too late to do something about it. . . don't let this happen to you.

Mr. Joe Treadway will hold his regular Hearing Aid Clinic at the City Library at City Hall in De Leon, Monday, July 19th from 10:30 AM til noon. We invite you to come in for your free test.

We do repair service on most makes of Aids, and have a full service on cleaning, tubes, batteries for your Aid, and can always save you money. We are Licensed by the State of Texas to fit and Dispensing of Hearing Aids. We are always close by when you need us. We are in the Stephenville office, (Skipper Real Estate Bldg.) every Thursday, and in the Hamilton office every Friday to run special tests and assist you in every way.

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## HIGHLIGHTS And SIDELIGHTS From State Capitol

By Bill Boykin  
Texas Press Association

**AUSTIN** — The 1972 political campaigns already are beginning to shape up — 11 months before primary election dates.

William P. Hobby, president and executive director of the Houston Post, is the first announced candidate for lieutenant governor. State Sen. Ralph Hall of Rockwall is expected to enter the race soon.

Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes is seeking advice of supporters on how he should run his race for governor. Barnes announced last month he will be a candidate, and has been busy traveling most of the time since.

Uvalde rancher-banker Dolph Briscoe moved quietly ahead with plans for a gubernatorial campaign in spite of Barnes early entry. Briscoe reportedly has a preliminary campaign event (a youth rally) scheduled for Uvalde July 23-24.

Gov. Preston Smith keeps hinting he may seek a third term, and a lot of folks are convinced he means it.

Former Sen. Ralph Yarbrough says frankly he is considering running either for governor or the U. S. Senate. Republican Sen. John Tower has no hope of escaping Democratic opposition in a re-election campaign. Others mentioned as possible Democratic opponents for Tower include Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong, State Sen. Joe Christie of El Paso and Houston attorney John L. Hill.

Top Democrats cite the need for a strong united party effort, particularly for the November presidential campaign, convention nominations battles and the U. S. Senate race. That's why they are keeping a close eye on naming a successor to State Democratic Chairman Dr. Elmer C. Baum of Austin.

Baum denied a published report he already had resigned but didn't rule out the possibility he may step aside soon. Two aides to the Governor have been working on selection of a replacement chairman.

**COURTS SPEAK** — Texas Supreme Court overturned a lower court decision that a Tarrant County charitable institution (YMCA) is not liable for damages to a boy who lost an eye in a camp accident, and ordered a new trial.

In other recent actions, the High Court:  
\* Directed Austin trial court not to issue any more orders to prevent service by the new Southwest Airlines between San Antonio, Houston and Dallas.

\* Held Fort Worth and Waco prosecutors must go ahead with pending cases involving Sunday closing laws before they file any more injunction suits.

\* Sent back to intermediate court for further consideration a Zavala County widow's suit against a butane gas supplier as the result of the accidental death of her husband in an explosion and fire.

\* Set a July 21 hearing in Humble Oil and Refining Company's appeal from lower court findings that it must pay to the state \$92,788 in taxes on oil taken from lease on Corpus Christi Naval Air Station, federal property.

\* Set a July 21 hearing in a case involving whether corporations can claim exemption from the penalty provision of state se-

curity sale laws. Two Lubbock men brought the case.

\* Held Exchange Bank and Trust Company of Dallas must pay to a construction concern \$25,725 on forged company checks which it cashed by mistake.

**APPOINTMENTS** — Governor Smith named Secretary of State Martin Dies Jr. of Lubbock chief justice of the Ninth Court of Civil Appeals in Beaumont. Appointment removed Dies from speculation as a possible candidate for U. S. Senator, lieutenant governor or congressman.

Smith appointed former State Rep. Jack Ray McLaughlin of Fort Worth as commissioner of labor statistics, succeeding Tommy V. Smith.

Other Smith appointees during the past week include Bowie County Criminal District Attorney Guy E. Jones of Texarkana as judge of the new 202nd district court; N. L. Cooke of Texarkana as criminal district attorney succeeding Jones in Bowie County; Bell County Court-at-Law Judge Donald L. Busby of Belton as 146th district judge; Dr. William Kenneth Thurmond of Fort Worth and Dr. Charles Max Cole of Dallas (re-appointed) to State Board of Health.

Curtis C. Gunn of San Antonio and Jack C. McKenzie of Corpus Christi are chairman and vice-chairman of the new Texas Motor Vehicle Commission to police auto dealers. Other members are H. G. Andrews, Jr. of Stamford, Dick Mc-

Clain of Houston, Fenner Tubbs, Sr. of Lubbock and W. O. Bankston of Dallas.

Richard Keahey, native of San Angelo, was appointed executive director of Texas Veterans Land Program succeeding W. W. Glass who held the job eight years.

Jack Banner of Wichita Falls, Robert L. Tempston of Amarillo and Morgan K. Talbot of McAllen are chairman, vice-chairman and secretary of Texas Bar Foundation.

**BANK DEPOSITS, INTEREST UP** — A recent statewide survey showed bank deposits steadily increasing — some to record levels at mid-year.

Mid-year records are considered unusual, and the boom is regarded as proof of the basic economic strength in spite of drought, unemployment and other problems.

At the same time, major Texas banks went along with eastern institutions and raised prime interest rates. Increase was from 5.5 per cent to six per cent for prime loans to quality borrowers.

Eastern banks also raised interest rates on time accounts which may attract even more deposits in savings accounts in the next quarter of 1971.

**SAFETY PROGRAM STEPPED UP** — Governor Smith approved three Texas Alcohol Safety Action projects designed to control abusive drinker-regarded, as the number one traffic safety menace in Texas.

Applications went to National Highway Traffic Safety Administration for federal funding approval.

Projects are in Harris County (\$311,200); Dallas (\$239,300) and Central Texas (Bell, Coryell, Hamilton, Lampasas, Milam, and Mills counties, \$300,700).

Aim is to identify problem drinker-drivers, apply a variety of possible solutions and evaluate results as to the overall effectiveness.

**GAME FISH RULES CHANGED** — Ten county commissioners courts have voted to amend 1971-72 game and fish regulations proposed by Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission.

Legislature this year authorized five more counties to reject proclamations passed by PWC. Similar authority had been given 18 counties, subject to vote of commissioners courts.

Ten counties which disapproved portions of proclamations are Edwards, Dimit, Hays, Kendall, Kimble, Medina, Real, Robertson, Sutton, and Uvalde. Banda, Coke, Crockett, Frio, Kerr, Kinney, Lampasas, Menard, Reagan, San Saba, Schleicher, Val Verde and Zavala counties approved laws as submitted.

**BANKING BOARD TO MEET** — State Banking Board scheduled a Thursday (July 15) meeting to consider dates for hearings on 56 new state bank charter applications.

Board also will consider new rules and regulations in accord with recent legislation, charter applications which may be ready for vote, and requests by banks for changes in business locations. Meeting will be the first since Dr. Elmer Baum resigned last May. James Lindsey of College Station was named to the Board to succeed Baum.

**SHORT SNOTS**  
Air Force planes began spraying last week to halt the spread of Venezuelan equine encephalomyelitis, a mosquito-spread disease.

Texas received one of eight major grants in the nation (\$370,122) for an area-wide model project on aging, to be located in Houston.

Texas disabled veterans will receive free 1972 auto licence plates

under a new program.

Properties of Copperas Cove Industrial Foundation, Inc., non-profit corporation to promote industrial development, are not exempt from ad valorem taxes, Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin held.

Board of Mental Health-Mental Retardation has approved selection of architects for new MH/MR facilities at Vernon, Dallas and Kerrville.

Funding of new National College of District Attorneys at Houston has been approved — by U. S. Law Enforcement assistance fund, M. D. Anderson Foundation and Moody Foundation.

Strain of bacteria that can "chew up" oil slicks is ready for its first environmental test near Corpus Christi, according to University of Texas Marine Science Institute at Port Aransas.

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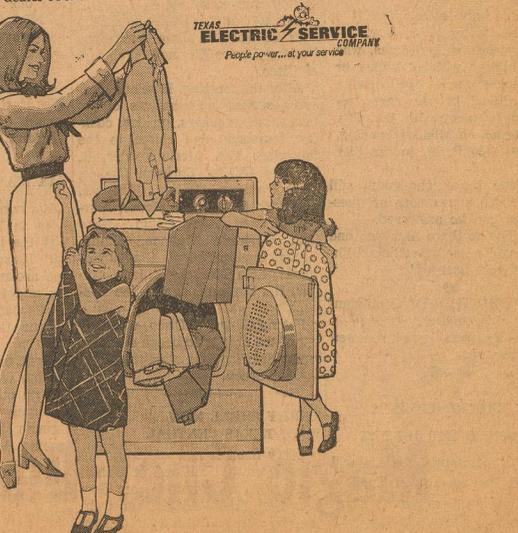
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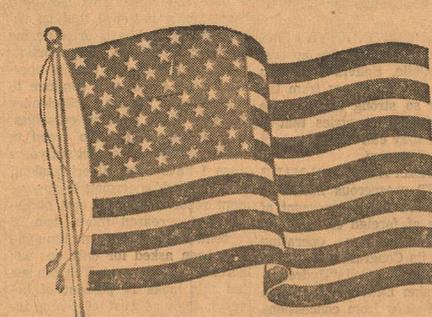
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WATER - WATER — Found this picture Thursday. It happened several years ago. Maybe some of you remember?



**ARCHITECTS' DRIVE** — This symbol is the identifying mark supporting the statewide public education campaign on environmental opportunities announced by the Texas Society of Architects. TSA President Tom Bullock, Houston, said his group intends to encourage the participation of all Texans in a campaign to motivate active concern for the environment. This symbol will remind Texans to make it a habit to ask this question: "Am I handling Texas with care?"



## A Hymn Is Born BY CLINT BONNER

### My Country 'Tis Of Thee

A busy youth writes a song in half an hour

Samuel Francis Smith was always busy . . . always on the go. Just like Lowell Mason who was forever buzzing about Boston composing music, publishing song books and directing choirs. It was early in 1832 that Boston's civic-minded William C. Woodbridge gave Lowell Mason some songs he had brought back from Germany. Woodbridge had come across the songs while studying European school systems and thought Mason might want to translate some of them for his choirs. The music showed promise but, to Mason, the words might as well have been written in Egyptian symbols. Then Mason thought of young Samuel Smith, the ministerial student and Harvard graduate who knew 15 languages.

Samuel Smith lived in the shadow of the church where they hung the lantern that night Paul Revere rode the horse. So he naturally absorbed his share of patriotism. It was, according to Smith's account, a half hour before sundown Feb. 2, 1832, that he got around to translating one of the German songs for Lowell Mason. It was under the patriotic title (in German) "God Bless Our Native

Land" England had also been using the tune to "God Save The King" for a hundred years. But why translate the German words? He took a piece of scrap paper "six inches long and half as wide" and, by the time the sun was down, he had written some verses of his own. The following July 4th Mason's children's choir sang "My Country 'Tis Of Thee" for the first time.

On Nov. 16, 1895, a famous Baptist minister hurried to catch a train. He was on his way to fill a preaching engagement. Besides writing books, teaching languages at Newton Center, and holding important posts in his denomination, he was the author of 150 church hymns. The conductor of the train was about to sing out his traditional "board," but lowered his arm. Something had happened on the platform of one of the coaches. Perhaps the old gentleman had taken the steps too spryly for his 87 years. At any rate, Samuel Francis Smith died as he had lived . . . on the go.

Of all his work, Dr. Smith is best remembered for his missionary hymn "The Morning Light Is Breaking" and for these verses he wrote on a scrap of paper in half an hour when he was 26 years old.

My country, 'tis of thee,  
Sweet land of liberty,  
Of thee I sing;  
Land where my fathers died,  
Land of the Pilgrim's pride,  
From every mountain side,  
Let Freedom ring.

My native country, thee,  
Land of the noble free,  
Thy name I love;  
I love thy rocks and rills,  
Thy woods and templed hills,  
My heart with rapture thrills,  
Like that above.

Let music swell the breeze,  
And ring from all the trees,  
Sweet freedom's song;  
Let mortal tongues awake,  
Let all that breathe partake,  
Let rocks their silence break,  
The sound prolong.

Our father's God to Thee,  
Author of liberty,  
To thee we sing;  
Long may our land be bright,  
With freedom's holy light,  
Protect us by Thy might,  
Great God, our King!



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before the 91st Court Eastland of  
Eastland County at the Courthouse  
thereof, in Eastland, 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 9th day of August A. D.  
1971, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in  
said court, on the 24th day of  
February A. D. 1971, in this cause,  
numbered 25,553 on the docket of  
said court and styled C. S. Sparks,  
Et Al, Plaintiff, vs. Wayne Rose,  
Et Al, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature  
of this suit is as follows, to-wit:  
Suit is by C. S. Sparks and J. M.  
Sparks, plaintiffs in trespass to  
Try Title as provided by Rule 783  
of the Rules of Civil Procedure for  
the District Courts of Texas and the  
Statutes appertaining thereto,  
the said plaintiffs, C. S. Sparks  
and J. M. Sparks, alleging that  
plaintiffs, C. S. Sparks and J. M.  
Sparks are the owners in fee simple,  
save and except a one-half  
(1/2) mineral right, of the following  
described premises situated in  
Eastland County, Texas:

All that certain lot, tract or  
parcel of land being 70 acres off  
of the East side of the NE/4 of  
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County, Texas and being more  
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THENCE S. 790 vrs.; THENCE E.  
512.8 vrs.; THENCE N. 790 vrs. to  
the place of beginning.

If this citation is not served with-  
in ninety days after the date of  
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served.

The officer executing this writ  
shall promptly serve the same ac-  
cording to requirements of law,  
and the mandates hereof, and  
make due return as the law di-  
rects.

Witness, Joe T. Gray, Clerk of the  
91st Court of Eastland County,  
Texas.

Issued and given under my hand  
and the seal of said court at East-  
land, Texas, this 22nd day of  
June A. D. 1971.

Joe T. Gray, Clerk,  
91st Court  
(SEAL)

Eastland County, Texas  
By Mary Jane Rowck, Deputy

### KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN  
ICE CREAM SUPPER

There will be a community ice  
cream supper at the Kokomo Com-  
munity Center on Saturday, July  
17 at 8:00 p. m. This is sponsored  
by the Kokomo Community Club  
and the Kokomo Home Demon-  
stration Club. All families in the  
community and others interested  
are invited to come and bring a  
freezer of ice cream or a cake.  
During the last meeting of the  
Kokomo HD Club on June 21, Mrs.  
J. C. Clearman was elected as  
nominee for delegate to the Texas  
Home Demonstration Convention in  
Dallas on Sept. 20-23. The Na-  
tional HD Convention will be meet-  
ing in Dallas during this time, and  
the delegates will also attend some  
of the meetings.

### CARAWAY REUNION

The children of the late John and  
Della Caraway met for a family  
reunion at Lake Proctor during the  
July 4th weekend. Caraway chil-  
dren attending were Mr. and Mrs.  
Marshall Caraway of Hamilton,  
Mr. and Mrs. Whitt Graham (Lora)  
of Eastland, Mrs. Emma Over-  
street of Visalia, Calif., Mr. and  
Mrs. J. C. Caraway of Kokomo  
and Mrs. Earl Caraway of Hous-  
ton. Those unable to attend were  
Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Caraway of  
Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Doug  
Manning (Velma) of Watsonville,  
California.

Grandchildren attending were  
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Leach of Terrell,  
Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Earl Caraway  
and family of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs.  
Lester Caraway and family of  
Ralls, Mr. and Mrs. Bo Caraway  
and Shannon of Kokomo, and Mr.  
and Mrs. Glenn Scitern, Becca and  
Allen of Kokomo.

Mrs. Elver Everton and Donna  
Doyle of Eastland returned home  
last week from a weeks visit with  
Mrs. Everton's daughter and fam-  
ily, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stewart  
and Melissa Ann in Tulsa, Okla.

Mrs. Emma Overstreet of Visalia,  
Calif. has returned to her home  
after a visit with her brothers,  
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Caraway of  
Kokomo and Mr. and Mrs. Whitt  
Graham in Eastland. Mattie Sparks  
and Ludie Morgan of Brownfield  
were also recent visitors with the  
Caraways and Grahams.

Wednesday visitors with Mr. and  
Mrs. Albert Hendricks were Mr.  
and Mrs. Paul Hoy and family of  
Marietta, Ga., Mrs. Roy Buchanan  
and Kelly of Arlington, Mrs. Don  
Brumbelow, Sherrie and Cynthia  
of Eastland, Evangelist Randy Mc-  
Donald of Portland, Teddy Jordan,  
Mrs. Delmon Eaves, Deliah and  
Mark, Mrs. Pauline Eppler, Mrs.  
W. A. O'Neal, Mrs. Glenn Jordan,  
Rev. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal, and  
Richard Chadwick.

Mrs. Ann Fields and Paula of  
Big Spring is visiting this week  
with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields  
Teresa and Lyndell.

### OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS

By FLORENCE RICHARDSON  
Our Thought For The Week:  
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### THE GORMAN PROGRESS, Eastland Co., Texas, JULY 15, 1971

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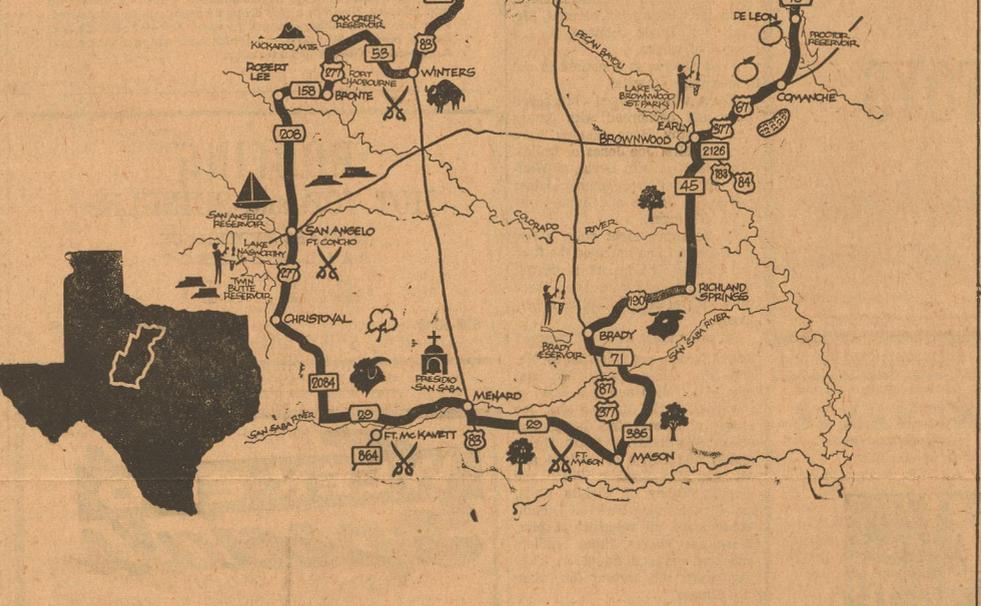
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such wild schemes as trying to  
"shut down the Government." They  
are visionary rich and judgment  
poor.  
Indeed, with respect to the May-  
day demonstrations in the Nation's  
capital, the most neutral and ob-  
jective observers must have felt  
that some influential components  
of our society, judging from their  
reactions, were sympathetic to the  
rebellious hordes who vowed "to  
bring the Government to a halt."  
As elementary as it may seem,  
common sense and public morality  
are necessary parts of liberty un-  
der the law. In the recent past,  
we have seen some ridiculous in-  
cidents in the name of rights, lib-  
erty, and freedom which were com-  
pletely devoid of common sense and  
morality. In fact, many such events

were staged as if to perturbate de-  
gradation and depravity rather  
than anything so uplifting and  
noble as rights and freedoms. Also,  
in my mind, we are right to ques-  
tion the sincerity of petitioners,  
regardless of their cause, who haul  
down the Nation's flag and destroy  
and burn government property.  
Citizens taking to the streets to  
air their grievances should re-  
member that they are exercising  
a most cherished right under the  
system of law. Their presence, how-  
ever restrained and controlled,  
creates some degree of inconve-  
nience and hardship for others, not  
to mention the costs involved which  
must be borne by the local and/or  
Federal Governments. These con-  
ditions are understandable. How-  
ever, when demonstrators delib-  
erately defy authority and violate  
the rights of others, let them know  
that the same system of law which  
willingly grants the opportunity to  
be heard will quickly and effect-  
ively curb their excesses. Liberty  
without law is a myth.

J. Edgar Hoover, Director



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# DESDEMONA NEWS

By ETHEL KEITH

## Did You Know That:

It is easy to see the wrong side, but do we ever look on the right side.

Mrs. Gary Barker and little son spent several days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wisdom, Gary is teaching in Teague Public Schools and is supervisor over the city swimming pool in the summer.

Mrs. Jerry Buckley and children Cindy, Belinda, John and Jeff, spent a week on Padre Island and Corpus Christi. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams of Kermit.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Reid and son of Alvin spent Saturday night with his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Reid. She had been visiting in Baton Rouge, La. and also in Alvin.

Mrs. Felix Sparks was in Fort Worth on Tuesday for a check up after having surgery. She had a good report.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Abernathy of San Angelo visited his sister, Mrs. Evah Sparkman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Johnson returned home Friday after spending a week with relatives at Copperas Cove.

Mrs. Xenia Watson and daughter, Mary Sue Abbott of Fort Worth, visited with Xenia's brother, Sam Powers, on Tuesday of this week. Late news is that George Moore is a patient in Llano Hospital suffering from a heart condition.

Orval and Robbie Edwards and children attended the Edwards reunion at Lake Brownwood the 4th. Orval's father and his eleven brothers and sisters were all present. In-laws, nephews, nieces, grand and great-grandchildren were too numerous to mention. I understand that mesquite trees don't make a very good shade for picnics.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hilliard of Gordon and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Phil Hilliard and children, Rob, Joey and Kristy, visited Mrs. Hilliard's mother, Mrs. Alta Parks, Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard have just returned from California after visiting his brothers, Sike and Truman Hilliard.

Mrs. Iva Buchan had the pleasure of having her daughters with

her the 4th. They met at Lake Leon. They were Mr. and Mrs. Farris Walker of Nacogdoches, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wright, De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Anderson of Stephenville and Mrs. Bonnie Wilhite of Monahans. Several grand children were present. The highlight of the day was the five generations being present. They were Mrs. Iva Buchan, her daughter, Mrs. Farris Walker, Mrs. Betty Walker Tompkins, Mrs. Sharon Tompkins Mason and baby.

Mrs. Jewel Hallmark and Mrs. Alta Parks were in Stephenville this past week visiting with Mrs. Hallmark's mother, Grandma Key, who is a patient in the nursing home. Grandma Key was 95 years young Saturday, July 10th.

Another member of our "Do Nothing Club" has returned home from the De Leon Hospital. Ethel Keith came home Friday after a 21 day stay in the hospital. We are in hopes that they will all be back in circulation again soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bostick of Lamesa spent Saturday night with his aunt, Mrs. Alta Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sherrod of Stephenville visited a cousin, Mrs. Ethel Keith, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Ethel Riggs is again in the Stephenville Hospital.

Visitors in the home of Nannie Guthrey over Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Foreman, Glenda and Ricky, and a sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Beaty of Goree. Speedy Clark of Gorman filled the pulpit at the Methodist Church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Bro. Williams, who is on a two weeks vacation. Gene Baker came over and led the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson and son and daughter of Cincinnati, Ohio are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Johnson, for a couple of weeks.

Fred Shelton is a patient in the Stephenville Hospital.

Those who enjoyed blackeyed peas and cornbread with James and Dorothy Ryan Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bryan of Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Joiner and Willie Joiner and Julia Freeman of Ranger.

On Saturday night quite a few from Desdemona attended the Ranger Rodeo. The report is that it was a real good rodeo and there were several injured but none seriously.

Saturday night a "steak suppre" was served to the following by Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Clark: Mr. and Mrs. Hal Gallop and son, Brad of Paragould, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Halley of Sweetwater, Jay Halley of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Halley and Bruce of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Wilson and Stephen Halley of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Pauline Hicks of Dublin. These were all relatives of Mrs. Clark, two sisters, three brothers and one son and daughter. They also were all present for "Sunday Dinner."

Those who went to Austin this weekend to take the test for their diploma on hair styling were Vonnie Guthrey, Ulenda Weaver and Jackie Carlton. Those who went along for the ride were Dorothy Roberts, Kevin Weaver, Karen Fair and Belinda Guthrey.

Little Shelly Horan spent several days this week with Grandma and Grandpa Roberts and great-grandmother, Docy Williams.

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- ¼ cup milk
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- ¼ cup sugar
- 2-8oz cups cottage cheese sieved
- 1-6oz can limeade concentrate, thawed and undiluted
- ½ cup heavy cream whipped
- Green vegetable coloring
- Whipped cream
- Fresh strawberries

Cut cake, lengthwise, into 4 equal slices. Lay slices flat and cut each, from top to bottom, into eight strips. Stand strips, on flat ends, around the inside of an 8-inch spring form mold—by keeping the slices of strips together, the edge will be scalloped on top. Soften gelatin in water in small sauce pan and melt over very low heat. Remove and keep in warm place. Combine lightly beaten egg yolks, milk, salt and sugar in top of double boiler; place over hot water and cook, stirring constantly, until slightly thickened. Remove from hot water and blend in melted gelatin. Stir in cheese and limeade concentrate, blending well. Fold in whipped cream. Whip egg whites until stiff but not dry and fold into mixture. Blend in a few drops of green coloring if desired. Pour into mold, taking care not to upset strips of cake. Chill at least 2 hours before serving. Garnish with whipped cream and strawberries. Yield: 4 to 12 servings.

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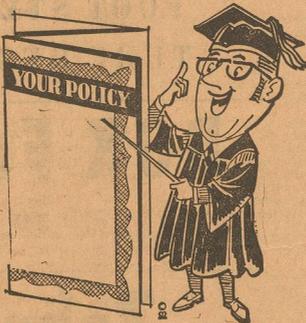
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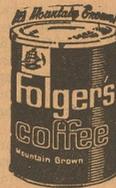
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### CAN YOU FIND?

Christ exhorted, "Search the scriptures..." (John 5:39) The Bereans were noble for, along with receiving the word with all readiness, they "searched the scriptures daily." (Acts 17:11). Today we should heed the Lord's exhortation and emulate the example of the Bereans. Kind reader, as you "search the scriptures," can you find the following?

1. THE NAME YOU WEAR IN RELIGION? Remember, speaking of the name Christ, "Neither is there salvation in any other; for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved." (Acts 3:12). In searching the scriptures, can you find,

2. THE CHURCH OF WHICH YOU ARE A MEMBER? If the Bible is our road map from earth to heaven, how can we expect to reach the desired destination being a member of some institution whose name does not even appear in its pages? Think it over! In searching the scriptures, can you find,

3. THE WORSHIP YOU RENDER? Can you present authority and sanction for the burning of incense, washing of feet, and instrumental music in worship to God today? Where is the scripture? In searching the scriptures, can you find,

4. THE CONFESSION YOU MADE? What confession did you make before you were baptized? Did you confess, "I believe that God for Christ's sake has pardoned my sins"? Can you find it in the Bible? In searching the scriptures, can you find,

5. THE BAPTISM TO WHICH YOU SUBMITTED? Did you have water sprinkled or poured upon you when you were an infant - or maybe later? Can you find book, chapter and verse from the scripture for such a practice in the Christian age? Where can we read that sprinkling is baptism or that infants are proper subjects for such? Also, if you were baptized because you were already saved, where do you read of such in the Bible?

In conclusion, we ask, can you be satisfied rapidly and speedily marching toward eternity having patterned your life after matters which you cannot find in the scriptures? This is a serious matter! We urge you to search and study the scriptures and see if the way you walk is really the way of God and Christ.

For a more and deeper discussion and study of these, as well as other important Bible questions, we would like for you to attend our SUMMER MEETING, JULY 26-AUGUST 1. Robert Bostick, our local minister, will be doing the preaching. Plan to come and bring your Bibles and let us study together the Word of God.