

# TID BITS

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BY KATHLEEN  
WHILE HVG IS GONE

Some years back scientists were predicting that we would gradually lose the use of our legs for lack of use. Humans have been walking since time began but since the appearance of the motor car it has been almost a lost art. Now thanks to the energy shortage we may regain the use of our legs, and even learn to enjoy walking. For a time it was almost a disgrace to walk, you were considered some sort of an oddity to admit you walked to a meeting.

There are people who have walked for years and they know the joys of walking, not only from a physical well being but the recreational value as well. Walking is for everyone, it can replace diets, tranquilizers and pills. Rhythmic walking can smooth out the nerves, let out tense muscles, calm excessive feelings, brighten attitudes and lighten the burdens we carry. We need it to freshen our senses and to restore perspective.

We are living in the most favored environment the world has ever known and its price is heart disease and obesity. Health experts and doctors recommend walking as the very best exercise. In energy, time and money it is the cheapest exercise known, no special equipment unnecessary, perhaps a stick for dogs or for balance. The best reason for walking is the pleasure of it; walk around and get to know your neighbors, see somebody's garden, hear a bird sing. It's the only way to see the country while traveling, get out of the car and walk in a new town, only then can you get the real feel of the place. Perhaps Eastland could lure some travelers to get out of their cars and stretch their legs by walking through out town; that is if we had any sidewalks. Our Senior Citizens need sidewalks too, as well as school children and everyone.

## Eastland Fireman Appointed To State Fund-Raising Committee



JOHNNIE GRIMES  
(Photo by James Dabney)

BY JAMES DABNEY  
A veteran Eastland fireman, Johnnie Grimes, 49, has been appointed member of a state-wide committee to raise funds for the proposed State Firemen's and Fire Marshals' Museum and Library to be constructed in Austin.

The appointment was made recently by Vernon B. Rucker, State Chairman.

Grimes said the museum will be used to help preserve and restore many old pieces of fire equipment, and to preserve the memoirs and papers of many who have now passed. It will also be used to help educate the public to the fact that fireman's work involves more than just fire fighting.

The new museum will also serve as headquarters, and provide offices for the State Firemen's Association, and will be known as "headquarters" for all firemen in Texas. It will

In explaining the State Firemen's and Fire Marshals' Association, Grimes said the organization was formed in 1876, and is a clearing house for more than 40,000 Texas firemen...both volunteer and paid.

Grimes said there are over 700 dues paying member departments in Texas, with 16 District Associations, plus County and Rescue Associations being represented.

also provide a meeting place for firemen while conducting business in Austin, Grimes said.

The organization promotes Lower Fire Insurance rates, annual fire prevention contests, lobbies for better laws regulating fire safety, improved pensions for both volunteer and paid firemen, and is seeking to standardize and improve specifications for all fire fighting equipment.

Grimes said that all monies raised will go into savings accounts to gain interest until such time as enough money has been raised to begin construction.

Certificates will be awarded to large donors, Grimes said. A gold certificate laminated in plastic will be awarded for contributions of \$500 or more. A blue certificate will be awarded for contributions between \$250 and \$500 and a red certificate will be given for contributions between \$100 and \$250. All other contributions will be acknowledged by personal letter, according to Grimes.

All contributions, which are tax deductible, should be made payable to "State Firemen's and Fire Marshals' Association Museum Fund", and mailed direct to the organization's headquarters at 114 West Ave. D., Killeen, Texas.

## REYSCHLAG Insurance Weather Report

Clear to Partly Cloudy with hot afternoons through Thursday. High Thursday in upper 90's.

# EASTLAND

# TELEGRAM

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Gorman Fireman Kim Cockerham, left, and Joe Bennett, owner of the Gorman Progress, put water on the Tex - Farms building in downtown Gorman during Tuesday afternoon's damaging fire there. The building and its contents were a total loss. (Photo by Myrna Dabney)

## Gorman Fire Destroys Three Businesses

BY JAMES DABNEY  
Fire that began in a shop area at the rear of Tex-Farms, Inc., in downtown Gorman late Tuesday afternoon, spread quickly to the Tex-Farms building, Rankins Army Surplus and Smith Drug, destroying all three businesses and causing damages estimated from \$100,000 to \$200,000. Thick, black smoke from the 5:30 p.m. blaze could be seen from Pumpkin Center, south of Eastland.

Fire departments from Eastland, Ranger, Cisco, Olden, Carbon, Dublin, DeLeon and Comanche assisted the Gorman department in quelling the blaze. Assistance was also offered by the Brownwood fire department at the height of the blaze.

At 7:30 p.m. fires were still burning in all three businesses, and brick walls had toppled in, along with ceilings of the one-story business buildings.

Ray Rankin, owner of one of

the businesses, said he lost an inventory of over \$15,000 which did not include valuable antiques. His estimate also did not include the building, which he did not own.

At the height of the fire, there were more fire trucks on the scene than fire plugs to tie on to; so firemen pumped water direct from their trucks.

All power in downtown Gorman was lost temporarily until crews from Texas Electric Service Co., in Eastland were called. Crews from Lone Star Gas Company were also called from Eastland to turn off dangerous gas leaks in the downtown area.

Gorman fire officials had a few anxious moments as they received a report from a nursing home in the area that an emergency alarm was going off in the building, indicating another emergency in the downtown area. Persons on duty at the home thought for awhile sparks might have set the home on fire. The alarm sounded when power failed at the home.

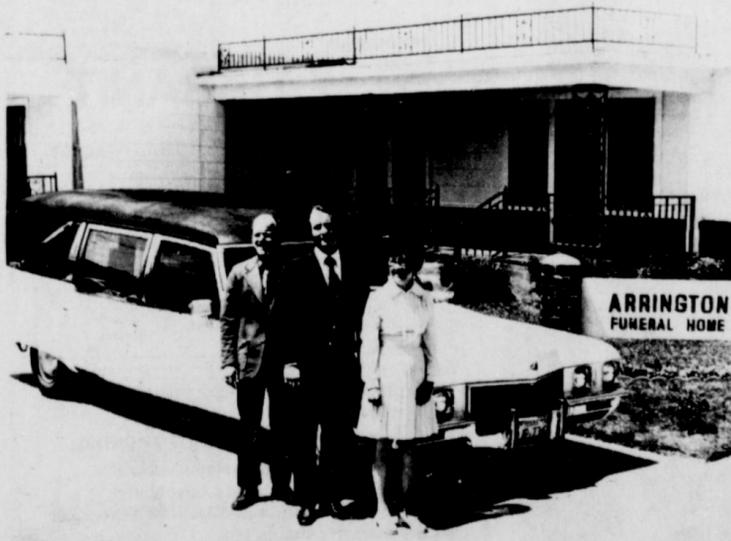
There were no injuries reported by 8 p.m. when area firemen began rolling up hoses and departing for home. Fire units from Gorman remained on duty all night, however, making sure sparks did not re-ignite the fire.

## Abilene Judge Named To Local Jury

Judge Esco Walter, associate justice of the 11th Court of Civil Appeals in Abilene, was selected Monday as a juror in a \$5.6 million civil suit being heard in Eastland's 91st District Court.

The judge's appointment to the jury could bear a special significance, since his court is next in the line of jurisdiction should his case be appealed.

It is also believed that Judge Walter is the highest-ranking member of the state bar to have been chosen for jury duty in Texas since recent laws were changed permitting judges and practicing attorneys to serve on juries.



ARRINGTON FUNERAL HOME

Staff members at Arrington's Funeral Home proudly display new Funeral Coach in front of Arrington's after its arrival in Eastland last Friday. Displaying the new addition are: from right, Mrs. Eula Arrington Cauble, Kenneth Cone, Manager and Funeral Director and Delbert Biggs, trainee - funeral director. Biggs is also a licensed vocational nurse.

The new funeral coach is a Cadillac, designed and built by Miller Ambulance Co., of Memphis, Tennessee. The "Meteor - Classic", was designed as a combination funeral coach and ambulance.

The vehicle has thermostatically controlled air - conditioning in both front and back.

Not present when the picture was taken was Eddie Underwood, assistant, who was on vacation at the time. (Photo by James Dabney).

## All Trophy Day Set At Gorman

There will be an All Trophy Play at the Gorman Roping Arena Sunday at 2:00 p.m. Trophies will be awarded in six places in every event. An All-Around Trophy will be awarded in each age group. Age groups will be: Pee Wee-8 years and under; Jrs.-9 to 13; Srs.-14 to 18; Adults-19 and over.

Events will include Western Pleasure, Pole Bending, Flag - Barrel Racing, Goat Tie, Ribbon Roping.

For the Sr. Age group only there will be a \$2.00 entry fee.

## Eastland A&M Student Earns Honor

James E. Wright of Eastland has earned "Distinguished Student" ranking at Texas A&M University, announced Registrar Robert A. Lacey.

The undergraduate honor is awarded students who have excelled academically. Recipients must earn at least a 3.25 grade point ratio (out of a possible 4.0) during the most recent grading period.

"Distinguished Student" ranking is limited to 10 percent of TAMU's undergraduate enrollment.

Wright, a senior engineering technology major, is the son of James E. Wright of 400 Foch.

## Lone Cedar Holds Foursome

A Scotch Foursome was enjoyed by eleven couples at Lone Cedar Country Club on Sunday, July 14.

Another Scotch Foursome has been scheduled for August. An exact date will be announced later.

First place winners were Tommy Wofford and Sally Hargus. Second place winners were Joe Anderson and Evelyn Daniels. Placing third were Harold Ray and Bonnie Rice. Fourth place winners were Don Doyle and Pat Shook.

Those who played were Mr. and Mrs. Arlowe Fokken, Mr. Russell Walker, Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Collins, Tommy Wofford, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson, Sally Hargus, Mr. Glenn Swift, Mr. and Mrs. Don Doyle, Mrs. Varge Daniels, Mrs. Pat Shook, James Doyle and Miss Cathy Jordan.

## Game Day

Next game day at Lone Cedar will be Friday, August 2, beginning at 10 a.m. Games will be played all day and lunches will be served.

## Game Room Added

## Jody's Pizza Adds Parlor

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Jody is open for business Wednesday thru Saturday til midnight and all day Saturday.

## Reception Honors CJC President

A public reception honoring President and Mrs. Norman Wallace Jr., and family will be held at the Cisco Junior College Hotel Annex Corral Room on Monday afternoon, July 22.

## Chamber Of Commerce

CHAMBER NEWS

We were happy to have Eastland supporter Bob Vaught pay us a visit recently. Bob came by the office and said he would like to join the Chamber of Commerce and offer his support.

We have several supporters on individual membership. If you are an Eastland booster and would like to support the Chamber, please come by or give us a call.

We are receiving many letters and phone calls from all over the country from persons wanting to lease dove, quail and deer hunting rights. If you have such or know of any, we would be happy to pass the information on.

The Chamber has two pet projects going now. We are working with other Chambers in an effort to promote Amtrack service from Fort Worth to El Paso and also a Port to Plains Highway 1-27 from Houston to Lubbock.

The proposed Highway would come from Houston to Eastland and connect with I-10 and on to West to Roscoe and, follow Highway 84 to Lubbock.

If you have a house or apartment for rent we would appreciate your call.

## EASTLAND MEMO:

Let us review two facts from our last article: The Hummingbird, regardless of size, normally has to refuel every 10 to 15 minutes, and secondly, when a hummer habits a feeder regularly, you can often stand within a foot of the feeder without causing him concern.

We find the Black Chinned Hummingbird is most common in our area, and he sports a black and violet patch of color on chin and throat, while his mate is greyish to white in the same area. They are more vocal than any other Hummingbird, and sing a high pitched song similar to whistling through the teeth. When one chases another it makes a staccato light smacking sound. This bird's version of the Hummingbird courtship flight is a figure of eight, while another variety dives 100 feet by the female to court her. The female builds a walnut size nest of plant down, and spider webs along with other material. They have two dull white eggs. When the mother feeds the young with her long bill it appears to impale the baby, but quite the contrary, is most gentle.

The Hummingbird generally perches above a feeder and dive bombs any intruder to his feeding spot. They do not ever seem to clash, but are continually chasing each other. At one time we counted some nine pair chasing each other around three feeders last summer, and in feeding they did empty a feeder twice in one day. It was unusual, but when this feeder emptied so quickly, there was no sentry guarding it. If you wish to attract Hummingbirds secure a feeder, mix one part sugar to four parts water, and add a few drops of food color. Place your feeder close to flowers where the birds might feed and gradually move it to where you want it. H Honeysuckle does a great job of calling in the Hummers, and watching Hummingbirds can almost be hypnotic.

Hummingbirds diet also consists of insects and spiders. This includes the Ruby Throat which is also in our area. A hint to a new watcher: in the spring keep an eye on the Indian Paint Brush.

An Eastland Bird Watcher

## Tourney Set July 27-28

The annual Partnership Golf Tournament will be held Saturday and Sunday, July 27-28 at PAR Country Club located between Comanche, DeLeon and Dublin on Lake Proctor.

Starting time will be 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. shotgun starts on both days. Players are limited to 112 teams, entry fee is \$60.00 per team with carts available at \$7.50 per team.

Prizes in each flight are as follows: (1) Hogan Director Irons, (2) Hogan Director Woods, (3) 4 dozen Hogan Balls, (4) 3 dozen Hogan Balls, (5) 2 dozen Hogan Balls (6) 1 dozen Hogan Balls.

Entertainment, free to players and wives, includes a buffet dinner on Saturday evening and a dance on Saturday night. Camp sites are available in adjacent federal parks with swimming and dining room facilities open to players and their families with temporary membership in private club.

For further information call Pro Howard Burtshelle at 817-879-2296; mail entry fee to Joe Maxwell, Box 766, Comanche, Texas.

## Funeral Services Held Wednesday For Berni Blowers

Berni Blowers of Dripping Springs passed away Tuesday, July 16th.

Services were at the Baptist Church in Dripping Springs on Wednesday, July 17.

Graveside services will be in Eastland on July 18 at about 3:00.

Survivors include his wife, Mary (Cox); one daughter, Mrs. Allen Hall of Channel View; and three grandsons.



The Eastland twirlers pictured above, attended the annual Southwest Twirling Camp and Drum Major Clinic held at Cisco Junior College June 2-7. The Eastland group were among 325 baton twirlers and drum majors from all over Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, and Arkansas in attendance at the camp.

Staff for the camp was headed up by Ken Sasser of Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Mr. Bill Woods of Seagraves, Texas, was drum major director, and Mr. Eris Ritchie, Public Relations Director for Cisco Junior College was director of the camp. Ritchie originated the annual camp - clinic fifteen years ago at Cisco Junior College.

Pictured in the photo are left to right: Pam Golden, Joni Flinn, Lorrie Smith and Terri May.

# Hospital Notes

Patients in the Eastland Memorial Hospital Wednesday morning were:

Ruth Campbell  
Lydia Fonville  
Ruby McCoy  
Richard McDowell  
Orlan Justice  
Margaret Vinson  
Pearl Williams  
Ethel Parker  
Grace Ashton  
Vera Reeves  
Laverne Stuart  
Vernie Allen  
Velma Honea  
Martha Gray  
Billie Mayfield  
Addie Overstreet  
Barney Brannon  
Ronnie Stroud  
Ruth Kennamer  
Elizabeth Adams  
Oliver Ashton  
C.B. Harris  
Robert Nealy  
Leo Bailey  
Letha Rogers  
Mary Williams  
Pauline Hill  
Lillie Brown  
Belle Jones  
Gladys Walker  
Melvin Walker  
Lillian Bishop  
Lennie Sage  
William Floyd  
Jerome Seela  
Jewel Jones  
Ollie Eaves  
Mary Pilant

Von Siebert  
Wendell Siebert  
Virgil Estes  
Roy Aaron  
Emma Armstrong  
Minnie Bilbrey  
Ida Lewis  
Jewel Walker  
J.D. Narry  
Marceil Laminack  
LeVona Owen  
Mabel Reynolds  
Tibitha Rainey  
Emma Kennedy  
Hazel Henderson  
Johnnie Baze

Patients in the E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital Wednesday morning were:

Zella Pugliese  
Albert Byrd  
William Brecheen  
Myrtle Brice  
Mamie Forehand  
Gladys Byrd  
Annie Hodnett  
Velma Holdridge  
Cinda McAllister  
Donna Clark  
David Lee  
Belle Gatewood  
Winnie Reeves  
Frances Sutton  
Luna Turner  
Dorothy Simmons  
Jewel Browning  
Clara Capers  
Ernest Creech  
Maude Patrig  
Elizabeth Starr

Patients in Ranger General Hospital Wednesday morning were:

J.D. Barker  
Lester Lingle  
Johnny Morris  
Bernadine Reeves  
Irene Mitchell  
Clarence King  
Lewis Green  
Emma Quinn

Ronald Obel  
Mance Robertson  
Millie Rush  
Myrtle Moon  
Irvin Hammon  
Coy Bargsley  
Rebecca Walker  
Mabel Williams  
Collier Jackson  
Avis Brown  
eula Thomas

Mary Wilson  
Walter Sneed  
Michael Reid  
Mary Soto

## Masonic Lodge Called Meeting

There will be a called meeting of the Masonic Lodge at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, July 18, at the Masonic Hall in Cisco. New officers of the chapter and council will be installed. All members are urged to attend the installation.

W.E. (Dizzy) Dean, Most Excellent High Priest, was re-elected to serve the Chapter No. 190. I.J. Dobbins was elected Thrice Illustrious Master to head the Cisco Council No. 128.

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## Farm Bureau To Be Represented At Waco Seminar

The local county Farm Bureau will be represented at a Citizenship Seminar for adults to be held July 16-17 in Waco, according to Jack Cozart, president of the Eastland County FB.

Attending from this county will be Carol Terrell and John Hart.

Patterned after the highly successful High School Students Citizenship Seminar - sponsored by the TFB, will help adult leaders better understand our American heritage and the free enterprise system. They

will also be informed about some of the problems facing our country, the local county leader said.

Speaker for the seminar will be W. Cleon Skousen of Salt Lake City, Utah. A former FBI agent and chief of police for Salt Lake City, Skousen is a widely traveled lecturer and author.

Skousen will speak to the seminar students on the afternoon and evening of July 16. The following morning's session will be devoted to group discussions and analyses of his remarks and other matters of

interest to the students. The two-day seminar will be held at the Waco Plaza Hotel.

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# Texas Reportedly Used In E.R.A. Promotions

(Editor's Note: Following is the third article fighting final ratification of Equal Rights Amendment. Mrs. Homer Don Parson, author, plans to pen to two more articles on the subject, and notes that Tennessee has also revoked its ratification of the E.R.A. Amendment.

**MRS. HOMER DON PARSON**  
So far I've only scratched the high spots in discussing the ERA (Equal Rights Amendment). It all sounds so unreal that some may have scoffed at this series and the women who are upset by the possibilities and absolutes of this amendment. I can assure you that people far superior to me and who have spent years on this subject and reports that I have gleaned my information. The bulk of facts come from Phyllis Schlafly, national chairman, pardon me, 'chairwoman' of STOP ERA. Perhaps some of you saw her and her husband on the television show 'Tomorrow' when they discussed these evils with a young pro-ERA couple. Anyone desiring first hand information from her publications can get it at Box 618, Alton, Ill. 62002. Another source is 'The Network of Patriotic Letterwriters, P.O. Box 2003D, Pasadena, Calif., 91105, who has given me permission to quote, distill or completely reproduce their publications for the purpose of

fighting the ERA movement. They compile facts from all sources on various subjects.

This will be a brief study of how you, the taxpayer, has financed a massive letter, telegram, telephone, news media, and bodily bombardment on state legislatures to force ratification of the ERA.

If you are anything less than angry and willing to finance your own message to Austin after reading the following, then you deserve to be used, duped, and mocked by these people.

Presidential Adviser Anne Armstrong from her White House office has urged ratification to State legislatures by using official stationery which intimidates those unwilling to buck the White House. She implies by long distance phone calls and through 'personal' representatives that she speaks for the President. You pay her salary and all her expenses. This is her personal goal, not the job she was hired to do. Since she only receives a \$30,000 yearly salary how could she afford to pay her staff of six professionals who lobby where needed? So you do!

Another White House aide, Mrs. Jill Ruchelshaus (wife of a former attorney general) travels widely, appears on TV, and radio representing herself as a presidential spokeswoman. She can't afford to pay her way, so what you don't pay the Republican National Committee does, according to the Kansas City Star. They have not been refuted.

In 1973 Republican national Chairman George Bush, posing as an official Presidential spokesman, sent telegrams to the various states urging ratification.

The number one 'tax milking machine' is the S.O.W. a very fitting name, I'd say. They are the Status of Women councils appointed at the federal level by the President and mayors and governors at city and state levels. The committees members are usually non-salaried but they have fully paid (by you) staffs of professional political experts who use every trick in the book to convince your legislature that they speak for ALL American women and they've done a good job!

They conduct impressive pro-ERA symposiums at colleges to 'educate' the impressionable young women and anyone they can get to listen to their 'poisoned' half truths. In Arkansas alone for only five of the propaganda sessions they spent \$8,000 federal and \$2,866.24 state revenues.

The Presidents Advisory Council on the Status of Women has a budget of \$80,000. The executive secretary, Mrs. Catherine East, testifies at state

hearings in support of ERA, speaks extensively in behalf of ERA, and mails out great quantities of expensive pro-ERA booklets printed and mailed at taxpayers' expense. Because of the franking privilege and an office in the Department of Labor the actual cost of the lobbying activities of the federal SOWs is considerably in excess of the \$80,000 per year.' (The Network of Patriotic Letter Writers).

Some are self identified members of the Marxists Progressive Labor Party, and refer to their 'comrades'. Others unblinkingly identify themselves as pro-lesbian (female homosexuals). Now I don't know about you, but I deeply resent my tax dollars being used in a legal attempt to pull me down to their SOWs mire wallowings! How about you?

The spunky groups supporting ERA have their own national publication 'Ms.' - which has become the latest wonder in sky-rocketing sales. 'Ms.' has received a \$70,000 grant by the federally funded Public Broadcasting Service to produce a national television portrait of the American woman. They plan to use this as a spring board to a monthly demoralizing picture of the unhappy down-beaten, non-liberated woman (you) compared to themselves and better days ahead.

Of course they do have other sources of money besides our tax dollar and that's all they should be allowed to use. Some are the million dollar lobby Common Cause, the Business and Professional Women raised \$225,000 for ratification purposes, the League of Women Voters, NOW and according to the LOS ANGELES TIMES Mar. 1, 1974, the 'Rockefeller Foundation has awarded \$228,000 to the California Commission on the Status of Women for a 2 year study.' Anita Miller, their state chairwoman said this 2 year study would include a 'mass education process' to inform Americans of the meaning of ERA. In other words to push for more ratifications. Did you know that foundation money is tax-exempt? Oh yes, PLAYBOY is not to be out done. Sonia McCallum of the ERA Central in Chicago said 'Without the help of the Playboy Foundation, ERA Central would probably not be operating at its present level. I should think not. Most of their postage to legislators is sent via the PLAYBOY postage meter. An ERA front 'Housewives for the ERA' also uses the same the PLAYBOY postage meter.

This article is in no way to imply that all supporters of the ERA are sows--oop! SOWs, but many upstanding women's organizations have been misled and should investigate the inner circle of ERA backers.

There are always exceptions. One we should all be grateful for is the Arizona Council on the Status of Women. Unlike most other SOWs they took a firm stand against the Equal Rights Amendment. There are possibly others.

Next time we will take a look at the NOWs and the 'Ms', how they push ERA and why. Their goals will make you drop your teeth if you don't grit them. The veterans will be surprised to find that they are a target. Yes, and the Ladies Auxiliary of Veterans of Foreign Wars are listed in the 'Congressional Record' Mar. 22, 1972, as supporting the ERA.



by Cynthia Lee  
Director, Consumer Relations Dept.  
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### HAND-ME-DOWN LOGIC

Seasons-in and seasons-out, the confusion of 'hand-me-down' logistics is enough to keep mothers in a flurry. It would be helpful if children could grow in a more orderly fashion and not skip sizes, leaving gaps for you to fill in! Try these hand-me-down hints to solve some problems:

Certain seasonal garments such as coats and snowsuits, corduroy outfits and woolen sweaters, should be saved for the next child. These basic wardrobe components are usually worth keeping; thoroughly clean at the end of



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Proper laundering can be an important wardrobe saver, even of kids' everyday play togs. Wash clothes when they're newly-soiled. For hard-to-remove stains on washables, pre-treat with Spray 'n Wash. Spray directly on the stain, let soak for sixty seconds, and wash normally. Follow laundry-care instructions found sewn inside accessible seams.

Turn old T-shirts into useful rags. Other garments in better shape can be given to one of the charities that collect usable clothing.

# No Peanut Legislation In 1974

There will be no peanut legislation in the calendar year 1974. This would seem to be a certainty according to developments in Washington on July 8 and 9 according to Ross Wilson, Manager of Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association.

The National Peanut Growers Group Steering Committee met in Washington the morning of July 9 in preparation for hearings later that day on peanut legislation scheduled by the Oilseeds and Rice Subcommittee of the House Agriculture Committee.

Following several months of negotiations with USDA the national grower group had recently been successful in agreeing on general legislative principles. There was also agreement between the growers and USDA on many points but a few key differences are yet to be dissolved. Under these circumstances a bill embodying principles acceptable to growers was introduced by Congressman Dawson Mathis, Democrat of Georgia, as HR 15757 on July 2. A second bill very similar in many respects was also introduced by Representative Walter Jones, Democrat of North Carolina on July 2. The Mathis bill, HR 15757, referred to as the growers' bill, calls for continuing legislation, provides an assessment concept to stabilize program costs and

provides support at not more than \$50 per ton penalty for peanuts with a flavus and freeze damage. The Oilseeds and Rice Subcommittee chaired by Rep. Walter Jones had scheduled hearings on both bills for July 9. However, developments that occurred on Monday, July 8, in Washington completely changed the nature and direction of the hearing.

On July 8, Secretary of Agriculture Earl Butz met with House Agriculture Chairman W.R. Poage and the two officials agreed to defer action on peanut legislation until late this year or early 1975. Mr. Poage reported to the Subcommittee that Secretary Butz indicated that USDA could not unreservedly support either of the peanut bills at this time. Peanut Congressmen agreed that they could not proceed with any peanut legislation under these circumstances. Mr. Poage reported that he and Secretary Butz discussed the desirability of resuming grower-USDA negotiations this fall in an attempt to have a bill ready early next year. Mr. Poage stated he made it clear to the Secretary that neither the peanut growers nor the Congressional committees were backing up on their earlier commitment to secure legislation.

Statements made by Congressmen at the Subcommittee session without exception were

sincere pleas for growers to continue to try to work out satisfactory legislation with USDA. They pointed out the real dangers of losing the entire peanut program and used as an example the episode regarding the Peyser amendment on June 21.

Thursday, July 18, 1974

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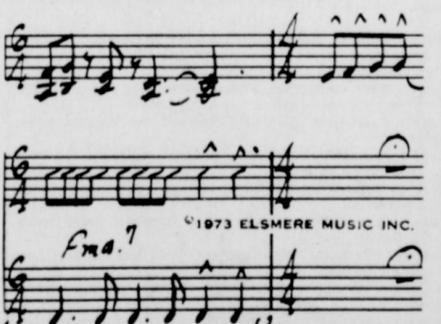
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**THURSDAY**  
Mary Guy, Abilene, 17.7  
Carolyn Roan, Big Spring, 18.2  
Cheryl Roan, Big Spring, 18.2  
Rhonda Gail, Cedar Creek, 18.2  
Susan Phillips, 18.3

**FRIDAY**  
Rhonda Gail, Cedar Creek, 17.1  
Sharon Stucks, Abilene, 17.3  
Karen Walls, Steph., 17.4  
Vada Duncan, B'wd., 17.5  
Becky Allday, Mansfield, 17.5  
Glenda Terrell, Eastland, 17.5

**SATURDAY**  
Judy Lehmann, 17.8  
Rhonda Gail, Cedar Creek, 18.0  
Vada Duncan, B'wd., 18.0  
Donna Schiller, 18.2

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27 entries-4 monies  
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Ralph Senn, Killeen, 56  
Gene Dyson, Fort Worth, 55  
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66 entries-6 monies  
Ronnie Kester, Lamesa, 10.3  
Gary Cothar, Springtown, 10.4  
Phil Longacre, Cisco, 10.6  
Johnny Emmons, Mansfield, 10.8  
Tommy Wilson, Mineral Wells, 11.2  
Royce Kitchens, R.S., 11.9  
Jack Cannon, Abilene, 11.9

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Jimmy Tedwell, Granbury, 6.7  
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Steve Ellis, Killeen, 47  
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Pole Bending-Susie Hanna  
Flag Racing-Susie Hanna  
Barrel Racing-Susie Hanna  
**TROPHY WINNERS**  
0-8-Shannon Berry  
9-12-Bobby Simmons  
13-18-Penny Berry  
19 and Over-Susie Hanna  
Next Playday will be July 25th at the Sheriff's Posse Arena.

## Thoughts

**From The Living Bible**  
"And now, Lord God, do as you have promised concerning me and my family. And may you be eternally honored when you have established Israel as your people and have established my dynasty before you. For you have revealed to me, O Lord of heaven, God of Israel, that I am the first of a dynasty which will rule your people forever; that is why I have been bold enough to pray this prayer of acceptance. For you are indeed God, and your words are truth."



A man's got to believe in something-I believe I'll have another drink.

We McBrides have been a little late writing down words, for a week or two, because I have been real puny, spent a few days in the hospital, getting lots of tests. Must go back next week for a few more. I told the Doc that maybe he should have started tests of my head first. The Doc said he has been examining my head for ten or twelve years, but so far he hasn't found anything in it.

When I went to school I took my spelling lessons serious. I wanted to learn how to spell all words "keerectly". I remember very well when I mastered the word bologna. Just yesterday I saw in the paper where they had spelled it baloney, also balogna. I don't think it's very nice of them to foul me up like that.

On Friday night, July 19th, at 7:30, there will be an auction sale at the Wayland Community Building. Everyone is invited to attend, bring baked goods, garden vegetables and just anything to be auctioned off by A.R. Knight. The proceeds will go the Sue and George Burrows fund. This event is sponsored by the Wayland, Gunsight and Harpersville Communities. If the news of this sale gets to you too late for you to attend, a cash donation will be appreciated. You may make it at either bank in Breckenridge.

**WHEN HECK WAS A PUP**  
How many of you guys can remember when we had to turn the model T's around and back up the Albany Hills and other hills in the big country? So the carburators would get sufficient gas.

How many remember the visit of Charles A. Lindberg to Abilene in the Spirit of St. Louis?

## 4th Eastland Co. Jr. Rodeo Set This Weekend

The Fourth Annual Eastland County Junior Livestock Rodeo will be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 18-19-20 at the Jaycee Arena, Old Highway 80 West, in Ranger.

Producer of the three-night event is Terry Walls of Stephenville with the Texas Rodeo Company. Don Bradford will be announcer, Helen Bradford will be time keeper and Mrs. Jane Mitchell, secretary.

Performances which begin at 8 p.m. will include bronc riding, bull riding, roping and racing events. The expected 400 contestants will compete in three age categories; under 12, 13-15, and 16-18 years.

There will be cash prizes in each event, a saddle will be awarded to the "best all around" cowboy and cowgirl and silver buckles for "best all around" in each event.

Nothing is being spared to make this the "Best in the West" of its type. In addition to above mentioned, Roger Rutledge will assume the role of the clown to afford protection to contestants and fun for the audience. The Band Booster Club will sponsor the concession stands and promise to provide the best in foods that double the pleasure of such an evening.

Tickets are \$1.50 for adults and 75c for children and will be available at the gate.

Ranger is honored to host this county-wide spectacular and invites area residents to include the rodeo in their sports activities for the week.

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**Mrs. Tee Langlitz Honored**

The children of Mrs. Tee Langlitz of Eastland surprised their mother Sunday, July 14, with a reunion dinner in her home. Mrs. Langlitz's children attending the dinner were Mrs. Bernice Holloway and family of Abilene, Mrs. Mary Jo Clark and family of Morton Valley, Mrs. Geraldine Dunlap and family of Abilene, Dale Langlitz and family of Eastland and Mrs. Margaret Caraway and Steve of Abilene.

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**Carbon News**

By Mrs. Bob Hastings

A revival will begin at the Carbon Baptist Church July 21 and go through July 28. Rev. Joe Moore of Conroe will be doing the preaching. His son, Art Moore of Howard Payne College will have charge of music. Services at 8 p.m. each evening and 10 a.m. for day services. Everybody is welcome. Delbert Smith, pastor.

Mrs. Monie Fay Warren with Mrs. Mary Lee Cagle of Eastland has returned from a vacation trip through Arkansas, Missouri and Oklahoma last week. In Eureka Springs, Ark., they visited the Bible Museum there. They found this museum to house 7100 copies of the Bible dating from earliest scrolls also translations of the Bible into 2000 languages. They saw the Foggy Mt. Boys Quartet of Bronson, Missouri, then down through Okla. and home. They report a great trip.

Jack Weston, Clovis, N.M., spent last week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Buck Weston.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Norris, Don Hogan and Dicky Norris visited Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stubblefield on Saturday and also visited Six Flags.

Visiting Mrs. Pearl Snell during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fillyaw of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett and Terry of Gardendale, Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Bennett of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Snell of Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hughes spent the weekend with her brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Willie Liles of Winnsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Bryant of Amarillo spent the weekend with their parents the Mack Stubblefields and Truman Bryants.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Huddleston and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rogers during the weekend.

Mrs. Bessie Morris visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Johnson of Fort Worth last week. Mrs. Johnson has been very ill in a hospital there but is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Girtz and children of Abilene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Smith and family.

The J.E. McDaniel and J.L. McDaniel families attended the McDaniel family reunion at Cisco on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L.V. Jacksop visited their son Dale and attended the Wingate Baptist Church on Sunday.

The Lynn Hagan family spent the weekend visiting the Sonny Weathers of Bronte, Benny Hagans and Roy Eisenbachs of San Angelo.

Miss Jo Ann Been of Devine is spending her vacation with her parents the Truman Beens.

Rev. and Mrs. Bob Schultz of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Buck Weston Saturday evening.

Mrs. Janie Campbell of San Angelo, Mmes. Lena Henderson and Gertie Westcott of Big Springs visited Mrs. Pearl Snell on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Carver and Mrs. Bonnie Haley of Stephenville were Sunday - guests of Mrs. R.B. Murray.

David Skinner of Kermit spent last weekend with his grandparents the Roy Skinners.

Jill and David May of Knox City spent last week with their grandparents the Coda McDaniels.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White of Ranger visited Mrs. R.B. Murray on Monday.

**Minor Fires**

On July 15, two minor fires were reported to the Eastland Fire Dept.

A car fire was reported at 2:50 p.m. on the south side of the square.

At 8:30 p.m. a fire was reported at Fuqua Homes where an oxygen tank was burning.

Both fires were minor with little damage.

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**Comments From Austin**

By State Representative Joe C. Hanna

The early Constitutional Convention is drawing to a close. Since the early part of January we have been here in Austin working on the revision. This is a very long, tedious and expensive process, but it is also, perhaps, the most important legislation that any governmental body will ever work on. The product that is almost completely set is difficult to determine just how good it is. It is almost impossible to project what application it may have twenty-five, fifty or a hundred years from now.

In discussing the Constitution with members, no one is completely satisfied with the instrument. With such diversity of subject matter as is in the Constitution, it would be most unusual for it to be otherwise. When you have subjects like education, local government, executive, judiciary, voting, finance, just to name a few, to apply to approximately 12 million people in a State as large as Texas, each one is affected in a somewhat different way.

It has not been serene in the committees or in the debate on the floor. Tempers have flared and all kinds of fears have been expressed if some part has or has not been adopted. Many have argued that this belongs or doesn't belong in the Constitution. Usually that comes about if you are for the proposition, they said it should be in the Constitution and if against it, they say it should be statute law.

At this moment, I do not know how the vote on the floor will go. With the unrest that prevails in Washington, which has spread nationwide, the timing of the Constitution probably could not have been at a worse time. Whether this Constitution passes or fails, there has been much hard work in the effort.

**Don't Desert Kids In Pool**

The weather is warming up, and many home swimming pools are already in use. Even temporary absence of adult supervision can result in tragedy when children are in the pool, warns the Texas Safety Association.

A Public Health Service study cited by TSA shows that often parents, guardians, young adults or babysitters had left a child unattended for only a few minutes when drowning occurred.

Supervision is equally important even when youngsters are not actually swimming in the pool. In this case also, a momentary absence can be tragic.

Home pool rules suggested by TSA include: no swimming or playing near the pool unless a good adult swimmer is present; no roughhousing or running near the pool; no alcoholic beverages, glass or electrical appliances near the pool.

**Brunch Honors Kay Hoffman**

Kay Hoffmann, who's marriage to Johnny Swanson of Electra will take place Saturday at 8:00 p.m. in First United Methodist Church, was honored with a brunch and plant party Tuesday at nine a.m. The party was held in and around the gazebo on the Austin McCloud lawn. Hostesses were Mrs. Vernon Mahan, Mrs. Buddy Haun, Mrs. J.O. Rexroat, Mrs. Ruth Smith, Mrs. Austin McCloud, Melinda and Sharon McCloud, Ann Haun and Jana Rexroat.

Tables were placed around the flower garden and covered with full length apricot colored cloths. Baskets and pots of flowers were on the tables. Brunch was served from a large round table in the gazebo.

Each guest brought a plant for the honoree's new home.

**Don Griffin Assumes Teachers Post At Cisco Junior College**



Beginning August 5, 1974, Don Griffin will assume teaching responsibilities at Cisco

Junior College in the Vocational Agriculture Department. For the past three years Griffin has been Vocational Agriculture teacher in Eastland High School, serving as advisor for the Eastland Future Farmer Chapter and as Junior class sponsor.

A native of Eastland, Don graduated from Eastland High School in 1965 and attended Cisco Junior College. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree and Master of Education degree from Sam Houston State University at Huntsville. He will be one of three agriculture teachers at Cisco, working under department head R.H. Donovan.

Don and his wife, Jeanie, will continue living in Eastland.

**PERSONALS**

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Stockstill of Fort Worth spent the weekend with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hittson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hittson visited his brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Minor Hittson of Palo Pinto Friday.

Mrs. R.M. Dolf of Cincinnati, Ohio, is visiting her mother, Mrs. A.H. Lockhart and her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. C.P. Hastings.

Mrs. Otis Skinner of Kermit has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Norris.

Mrs. J.E. Loughry visited with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Cozby of Odessa at Possum Kingdom Lake last week. The Jerry Cozby's of Bordenville, Okla., were also visiting.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Cox this week are Mrs. Mozelle Stroud, John and Edwin James and Vance Helfrey of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. H.L. Thompson of Lewisville visited Mrs. Fannie O'Brien last Friday.

Mrs. T.M. Alford visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day of Dallas last week.

Mrs. Cleo Greenwood spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Brewer and family of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Crabtree spent the weekend with the Doug Crabtrees of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Liles visited his brother and family the Willie Liles of Winnsboro during the weekend.

Mrs. Arabel Rohd visited her sister Mrs. Roland Perry of Gorman on Saturday.

Mrs. Emily Graves of Phoenix, Arizona, is visiting Mrs. Cleo Greenwood.



Butch Boyd, co-manager, presents Mrs. Frankie Keeney, from Cisco, a check for \$150.00 from Thrift Mart Jackpot.

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