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It Depends



The project of a swimming pool and park for Sanderson and area residents got off the ground Monday of last week with the Terrell County Commissioners Court's acceptance of the obligation for \$15,000 toward a \$20,000 to be raised locally and that sum matched by a grant by the Parks and Recreation Department.

Our approval of this project was for several reasons, but one of the main ones was for the benefit of the young people.

We -- most all of us older people -- gripe and fuss about the younger group getting into meanness, orneriness and down-right trouble, but we seldom do anything to prevent the activity of an idle mind.

"Get out of my hair! Yes, take the car and drag main half the night, but get out of my hair!" ... is the unexpressed thought so many times, and when some problem arises, then there is an uproar. And before you say it, we will -- a swimming pool is no panacea, nor should it be viewed as a stop-gap. It is only a way of expressing an interest in young people, in the town, in the area, and doing something constructive, we hope!

It is also our opinion that if the young people realize the expression of interest in and the value of a swimming pool, that they will do much to see that the facility is operated and kept in a way that we will be proud of.

And the park adjacent to the pool could be such a nice facility, also; and this is not to detract from the park that we have - Memorial Park.

That property belongs to the railroad company and it is through the efforts of local Theta Alpha Sorority that it is maintained, and that club may continue to devote all of their energy to establishing and keeping up the new park when time comes for that consideration. We are real proud of the progress on that project up to now and are looking forward to the time when we can see and hear the youngsters and others enjoying the cool and refreshing pleasure that can be found at a public pool. Let's all determine early that we are going to try our best to see that this is a real good project and one that is for the good of all of us!

We have seen very little about a new law that we understand goes into effect on September 1 - Senate Bill 59 which makes it a misdemeanor for an individual to smoke tobacco in a hospital, public primary or secondary school, elevator, enclosed theatre or movie house, library, museum, transit system

School Board's Participation In Pool Cost Sought

The Terrell County Independent School District had their regular meeting Monday night of this week. County Judge Charles Stavley appeared before the board to ask their support in a financial way in the swimming pool-park project. He was accompanied by Don Malone, Sanderson High School Athletic Director.

Judge Stavley presented the project to the school board members and told them of the county commissioners' having accepted responsibility for \$15,000 and asked that the school board participate for at least \$5,000 and he would prefer \$7,500. Judge Stavley stated that there were advantages in the use of the pool when the weather would permit in teaching swimming and swimming safety, life saving, etc., in connection with the athletic and health classes of the school, and that the pool could be made available for such classes during regular school hours if the school would participate. The advantages were also pointed out by Coach Malone and some supportive remarks by Supt. Card.

Judge Stavley also pointed out that pools in other towns of the area were partially financed by the school and city or county and later efforts to contact the Texas Education Agency would be made to ascertain if previously-voted bond money could be used in such a way.

The school board voted to table the project's consideration until more information could be obtained. The motion to keep the project under consideration was voted by G.C. Eggleston, W.E. TenEyck, Eddie Westbrook, and Charles Hornsby.

Other business transacted by the board included approval of the minutes, approval of bills, bonds for the positions of superintendent and secretary, extension of bus route number 2 to the Tommy Hayre ranch and raising the bus driver's salary by \$15 per month, approved Sanderson State Bank as depository for school moneys, approved eligibility requirements for free milk, amended the 1974-75 budget, approved the 1975-76 budget for a total of \$642,809, an increase of \$69,033.

DR. LINK DIES

Dr. Virginia Lee Link, 85, died Sunday, August 10, in an Odessa nursing home. She was a retired teacher and retired Dean of Women at Sul Ross State University and well known in this area. She moved to Odessa from El Paso in 1972.

Survivors include a son, R. D. Link of Odessa; two daughters, Marinell Hatch of Odessa and Bennie Lee Lowman of El Paso.



FEA Establishes Gas Price Watch

An expanded retail compliance program designed to guard against unlawful retail gasoline pricing has been inaugurated by the Federal Energy Administration, it has been announced by Delbert M. Fowler of Dallas, regional administrator of FEA.

"A major facet of the intensified monitoring service is the opening of 48 "hotline" telephone numbers throughout the nation to receive consumer complaints and queries about gasoline price and supply," Fowler said.

The number for residents of this area to register complaints and ask questions is (915) 682-4397.

"In addition, the agency's field personnel have been ordered to make spot checks of dealer prices, paying particular attention to retail compliance with price and octane posting regulations," Fowler noted.

The agency plans to distribute simplified instruction booklets to gasoline dealers to inform them how to comply with FEA regulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson of Midland are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kerr, and family this week.

School Opens, Faculty Listed

Monday marked the beginning of the 1975-76 term of the schools of the Terrell County Independent School District.

The members of the faculty had their first in-service training last week from Monday through Friday, going to Marfa for an all-day workshop on Thursday and Friday.

There is a new high school principal - Bill Anders, a new band director - Eugene Flores new science and math teacher - Homer Bruton, new home economics teacher - Mrs. Bruton; Mrs. George Escobar, junior high math; Mrs. W.J. Murrah, reading in elementary school; Mrs. Don Malone, elementary school resource teacher; Carlos Garza, junior high science teacher and assistant coach.

Mrs. W.O. O'Rourke is on the high school faculty, teaching math and world geography; Mrs. Arturo Mendoza has also returned to teach the first grade.

Other members of the high school faculty are Mrs. Ike Billings, Paul Cantrell, Mrs. E.E. Farley, Bill Ford, Mrs. R. C. Holcombe, Don Malone, Mrs. J.L. Whistler, Mrs. Tommy Arthur, R.C. Holcombe.

Also on the junior high faculty with Jack Cosby as principal are Mrs. Reid McClellan, Mrs. L.L. Brown, Mrs. C. B. Card, Mrs. Manuel Parada Jr., Mrs. Larry Choate, and L.L. Brown.

Besides the new teachers in the elementary school, there are Miss Faye Tindall, Mrs. Oscar Marquez, Mrs. Marshall Cooke, Mrs. Jack Hayre, Mrs. Austin Chriesman, Mrs. Charles Draper, Miss Linda Ball, and Mrs. J.A. Mansfield.

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A watermelon weighing about 35 pounds - pictured above - grew voluntarily at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess McDonald and was harvested the first of the week. Mr. McDonald stated that the melon grew outside their garden plot and there were other melons on the same vine, but not yet matured.

Light Showers Continue In Area

Light showers have fallen in scattered parts of the county and scattered over a wide time period, as well.

Some lightning and thunder have accompanied most of the storms, with less than one inch of moisture reported from most of the showers.

Sanderson received a light shower Tuesday of last week, and Friday night of last week when .77-inch was reported by Ervin Grigsby, local official rain gauger.

Heavy overcast has been prevalent during much of the past several days and most residents of the county have been close to the showers that have fallen. High humidity has also been noted.

Mrs. W.R. Turner returned home Monday after spending a week in Fort Stockton with her daughter, Mrs. Weldon Blackwelder, and family.



Working cattle on a West Texas ranch many years ago is depicted in a picture loaned by F.G. Grigsby. Branding, dehorning, and marking was all done at the same time, usually with two holding the calf while the third person did the "skilled" work. The man on horseback caught the calf for the pair to throw and hold.

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Mrs. George Bascomb Cox
...Miss Jackie Bob Riggs weds Ozona man

The garden on the west side of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown was the scene of the wedding of George Cox and Miss Jackie Bob Riggs on Sunday evening. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Cox of Ozona and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Riggs of Sanderson.

Guests were seated facing the altar space which was designated by flowers and greenery covering the gate at the end of a concrete walk.

Mrs. R.S. Wilkinson played bridal music prior to the beginning of the wedding ceremony and for the entrance of the families of the bridal pair and of the maid of honor and the best man who accompanied the bridegroom.

Dwight Childress of Ozona was best man.

Miss Barbara Brown was the maid of honor and the only attendant of the bride. Her dress was of blue quiana with matching accessories. The flower girls, Chris Haire and Johni Jack Robbins, strew rose petals on the sidewalk in the path of the bride. Chris' dress was pink dotted swiss and Johni Jack had a blue dotted swiss dress. Chris is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. "Butch" Haire of Pearsall and she is a niece of the bridegroom, and Johni Jack is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ed Robbins of El Paso and is a niece of the bride.

The traditional wedding march heralded the entrance of Miss Riggs into the garden. Her wedding gown of ivory shimmered with the Gatsby look, had a capelet collar with V-neckline and fitted bodice. The self-belt encircled the waistline and ended in a bow at the center front. It had a softly flowing circular skirt which had a ruffled flounce at the hemline. The skirt formed a sweep train in back. Her large picture hat of horsehair braid overlaid with organza, had self-applique motifs with pearl centers. The

gathered veil of illusion at the back of the hat folded to finger-tip length. She carried a bouquet of daisies and roses to emphasize her chosen colors of white and yellow. She was escorted to the altar by her father.

Miss Riggs' "something old" was a gold pin given by her great-grandfather Stroman to her great-grandmother in 1882; "something borrowed" was a diamond cross belonging to her niece, Johni Jack; and "something blue" was her garter.

Rev. David C. Marx, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Sanderson, officiated for the recitation of vows by the bridal pair.

The reception for the close friends and relatives of the newlyweds was at the patio end of the garden at the Brown home. The bride's table was covered with a white cloth and from it were served fruit punch and the bride's cake which was a two-tiered confection iced in yellow and white on top of which was a miniature bride and groom. Yellow mints were also on the bride's table.

On the groom's table was a large chocolate cake iced in white, ham and turkey loaf, olives and relishes, crackers, dips, and cheese rolls.

Members of the house party included Mmes. Herbert Brown, Reg Monroe, Will J. Murrah, Dalton Hogg, J.A. Gilbreath, Austin Nance, Vic Littleton, Dan Riggs of Iraan, Jim Riggs of Del Rio, Bill Roden of Midland, John E. Robbins of El Paso, and Misses Cindy Scott and Sydney Terry of Lubbock, and Miss Marsha Monroe.

Prior to their departure for Disneyland and Las Vegas, Nev., by plane from Midland, Mrs. Cox threw her bouquet and garter and they were claimed by Miss Marsha Monroe and Fred Chandler of Ozona.

For her going-away costume Mrs. Cox chose a street-length beige muslin dress with

matching hat, shoes, and accessories. The newlyweds will return Sunday and be at home on the ranch between Ozona and Sheffield.

The groom's family here for the wedding included his parents, his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Mary Mann of Wichita Falls, his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bascomb Cox of Ozona, his sisters, Mrs. "Butch" Haire and family of Pearsall, Mrs. Jay Evans and Mr. Evans of Austin.

Out-of-town relatives of the bride here for the wedding included her paternal grandmother, Mrs. W.E. Riggs, of Del Rio; her sister, Mrs. John E. Robbins, and family of El Paso; and uncles, Dan Riggs and family of Iraan and Jim Riggs and wife of Del Rio.

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Alternating at serving the golden punch were Miss Alice Goldwire, Miss Marsha Monroe, Mrs. J.C. Evans of Round Rock, Mrs. "Butch" Haire of Pearsall, and Mrs. John Ed Robbins of El Paso. Also on the table were finger sandwiches, assorted cookies, and yellow mints.

Assisting hostesses were Mmes. Tol Murrah, W.W. Sudduth, F.J. Barrett, Dalton Hogg, Vic Littleton, J.A. Gilbreath, W.J. Murrah, Edward Kerr, Aubry Harrell, and Austin Chriesman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess McDonald visited relatives in Brady and Brownwood for 10 days during their vacation. They then went to Alpine, Marfa, and Valentine and returned home by the scenic route, noting that it was very beautiful after recent rains.

Baptist W.M.U. Officers Elected

The Baptist W.M.U. met on Tuesday morning in the home of Mrs. Harvey Rogers. Mrs. H.H. Pipes led the opening prayer after reading the names on the Birthday Calendar and the Call to Prayer.

Announcement was made of the observance of the Mary Hill Davis Week of Prayer for home missions planned for September 14-21.

Mrs. V.E. Keyes read the list of the newly-elected officers including Mrs. Pipes, president; Mrs. Keyes, vice-president; Mrs. Paul Tatum, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. O.D. Gray, program chairman; Mrs. H.G. Cates, study chairman; Mrs. A.N. Farley, mission action chairman.

Mrs. Farley led the Royal Service program on "Rural-Urban Work in Kentucky", and Mrs. Keyes led the dismissal prayer.

Mrs. Rogers served coffee cake, colas, coffee, and nuts.

Also present were Mmes. A. D. Brown, Gene Black, R.F. Kuethe, and W.M. Druse, a guest.

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Alternating at serving the golden punch were Miss Alice Goldwire, Miss Marsha Monroe, Mrs. J.C. Evans of Round Rock, Mrs. "Butch" Haire of Pearsall, and Mrs. John Ed Robbins of El Paso. Also on the table were finger sandwiches, assorted cookies, and yellow mints.

Assisting hostesses were Mmes. Tol Murrah, W.W. Sudduth, F.J. Barrett, Dalton Hogg, Vic Littleton, J.A. Gilbreath, W.J. Murrah, Edward Kerr, Aubry Harrell, and Austin Chrisman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess McDonald visited relatives in Brady and Brownwood for 10 days during their vacation. They then went to Alpine, Marfa, and Valentine and returned home by the scenic route, noting that it was very beautiful after recent rains.

*Baptist W.M.U.
Officers Elected*

The Baptist W.M.U. met on Tuesday morning in the home of Mrs. Harvey Rogers. Mrs. H.H. Pipes led the opening prayer after reading the names on the Birthday Calendar and the Call to Prayer.

Announcement was made of the observance of the Mary Hill Davis Week of Prayer for home missions planned for September 14-21.

Mrs. V.E. Keyes read the list of the newly-elected officers including Mrs. Pipes, president; Mrs. Keyes, vice-president; Mrs. Paul Tatum, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. O.D. Gray, program chairman; Mrs. H.G. Cates, study chairman; Mrs. A.N. Farley, mission action chairman.

Mrs. Farley led the Royal Service program on "Rural-Urban Work in Kentucky", and Mrs. Keyes led the dismissal prayer.

Mrs. Rogers served coffee cake, colas, coffee, and nuts. Also present were Mmes. A. D. Brown, Gene Black, R.F. Kuethe, and W.M. Druse, a guest.

Send some friend The Times

The garden on the west side of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown was the scene of the wedding of George Cox and Miss Jackie Bob Riggs on Sunday evening. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Cox of Ozona and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Riggs of Sanderson.

Guests were seated facing the altar space which was decorated by flowers and greenery covering the gate at the end of a concrete walk.

Mrs. R.S. Wilkinson played bridal music prior to the beginning of the wedding ceremony and for the entrance of the families of the bridal pair and of the maid of honor and the best man who accompanied the bridegroom.

Dwight Childress of Ozona was best man.

Miss Barbara Brown was the maid of honor and the only attendant of the bride. Her dress was of blue quiana with matching accessories. The flower girls, Chris Haire and Johni Jack Robbins, strew rose petals on the sidewalk in the path of the bride. Chris' dress was pink dotted swiss and Johni Jack had a blue dotted swiss dress. Chris is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. "Butch" Haire of Pearsall and she is a niece of the bridegroom, and Johni Jack is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ed Robbins of El Paso and is a niece of the bride.

The traditional wedding march heralded the entrance of Miss Riggs into the garden. Her wedding gown of ivory chiffon with the Gatsby look, had a capelet collar with V-neckline and fitted bodice. The self-belt encircled the waistline and ended in a bow at the center front. It had a softly flowing circular skirt which had a ruffled flounce at the hemline. The skirt formed a sweep train in back. Her large picture hat of horse-hair braid overlaid with organza, had self-applique motifs with pearled centers. The

gathered veil of illusion at the back of the hat folded to finger-tip length. She carried a bouquet of daisies and roses to emphasize her chosen colors of white and yellow. She was escorted to the altar by her father.

Miss Riggs' "something old" was a gold pin given by her great-grandfather Stroman to her great-grandmother in 1882; "something borrowed" was a diamond cross belonging to her niece, Johni Jack; and "something blue" was her garter.

Rev. David C. Marx, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Sanderson, officiated for the recitation of vows by the bridal pair.

The reception for the close friends and relatives of the newlyweds was at the patio end of the garden at the Brown home. The bride's table was covered with a white cloth and from it were served fruit punch and the bride's cake which was a two-tiered confection iced in yellow and white on top of which was a miniature bride and groom. Yellow mints were also on the bride's table.

On the groom's table was a large chocolate cake iced in white, ham and turkey loaf, olives and relishes, crackers, dips, and cheese rolls.

Members of the house party included Mmes. Herbert Brown, Reg Monroe, Will J. Murrah, Dalton Hogg, J.A. Gilbreath, Austin Nance, Vic Littleton, Dan Riggs of Iraan, Jim Riggs of Del Rio, Bill Roden of Midland, John E. Robbins of El Paso, and Misses Cindy Scott and Sydney Terry of Lubbock, and Miss Marsha Monroe.

Prior to their departure for Disneyland and Las Vegas, Nev., by plane from Midland, Mrs. Cox threw her bouquet and garter and they were claimed by Miss Marsha Monroe and Fred Chandler of Ozona.

For her going-away costume Mrs. Cox chose a street-length beige muslin dress with



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Legion Auxiliary Officers Installed

The Legion Auxiliary met Tuesday evening in the Legion Hall with 11 members present.

In the short business meeting which followed the opening ceremony with Mrs. Dalton Hogg presiding, plans were made for a salad supper on August 26 to present the youths who went to Boys State and Girls Bluebonnet State to make their reports. The parents of the youths and the members of the junior class will be invited guests also.

Mrs. Hogg gave a report on the financial part of the July Fourth activities as shared by several participating organizations. The group voted to contribute \$100 to the fund for providing furniture for the Trans-Terrell Medical Center.

Mrs. Hogg also reported that she had written a note of thanks to each rancher who had contributed goats for the Fourth of July barbecue.

Mrs. H.E. Ezelle, a past president, installed the officers for the 1975-76 term including; president, Mrs. Dalton Hogg; vice-president, Mrs. Barry Pendleton; secretary, Mrs. Mark Duncan; treasurer, Mrs. Carlton White; chaplain, Mrs. L.H. Gilbreath; historian, Mrs. E.E. Farley; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Ruby McSparran. Mrs. A.C. Garner was sergeant-at-arms for the installation service.

Mrs. Farley gave a report of several articles from "The Firing Line" and Mrs. Gilbreath from the "Legislative Bulletin".

Mrs. Jim Kerr and Mrs. Gilbreath, hostesses, served cookies, sherbet, iced tea, coffee, and nuts during the social hour.

Also present were Mmes. W.H. Savage, and Clyde Higgins.

Boost the Park-Pool Project!

RUBY ANNA LUEVANO HONORED AT PARTY

Relatives honored Ruby Anna Luevano, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Luevano Jr., with a party at Memorial Park Saturday to celebrate her first birthday. There were 80 children attending the party.

Entertainment was provided by the breaking of a pinata, a large colorful clown.

Chicken sandwiches, chips, cake, punch, and candies were served for refreshments.

Among the guests were Mrs. Joe Rodriguez and son, Joey, of San Antonio, Mrs. Mario Cantu and son, Mac, of Chicago, Ill., and Mrs. Manuel Garcia and sons of Fort Stockton.

TO UVALDE WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rose and daughters, Nan and Jull, attended the wedding of Miss Ava Lee Smith and David Lee McMasters in the Church of Christ in Uvalde Saturday, August 2.

Mrs. Rose was the matron of honor and Nan and Jill distributed rice bags at the reception following the wedding.

Mrs. Rose and her mother, Mrs. H.W. Harber, were hostesses for the bridesmaids' luncheon in Mrs. Harber's home in Uvalde.

PEARCE-ADAMS WEDDING

Mrs. Mildred Adams of Marathon and Rev. W.C. Pearce of Brackettville were married Saturday, August 9, in the First United Methodist Church at Marathon. The reception was in the bride's home. After a wedding trip, the couple will make their home in Marathon.

Rev. Pearce is a former Sanderson resident when he was a mechanic at the James Word Motors. He is the grandfather of Mrs. J.D. Stutes and Mrs. Lloyd Goldwire.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Frank Laura of Houston visited here last week with her mother, Mrs. Joe Hill, after attending funeral services for her aunt, Mrs. Wesley Townsend, a 45-year resident of Fort Stockton. Mrs. Hill fell from a chair last week at her home, fracturing her right arm and crushing her hand. She was taken by ambulance to Odessa to an orthopedic specialist to have a cast put on her arm.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hardgrave of Carrollton were recent visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hardgrave, and his sister, Miss Gina Hardgrave.

Attending the meeting of the Mohair Council in Kerrville last week were Herbert Brown, Sid Harkins, who is secretary of the Council, Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Mitchell, and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hayre.

Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Poitevint returned home Wednesday from a month's vacation. They went to Gilmer and Missouri to visit relatives and friends, but spent most of the time in Omaha, Ark., with their daughter, Mrs. Tommy Parteen, and family. Les Horton accompanied them on the trip to Commerce, stopping to visit relatives, also visiting relatives in Dallas and Marshall and then he came home with them. He is the son of Mrs. Michael Longley.

Mrs. Marilyn Henshaw, field consultant from the El Paso Public Library to Trans-Pecos area libraries, visited in the Terrell County Public Library last Wednesday with Mrs. Irvin Robbins, librarian, and Mrs. E.E. Farley, school librarian.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe N. Brown were weekend visitors in Uvalde, taking their children, Charlie, Cindy, and Ben to participate in the junior rodeo events on Friday and Saturday evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. M.E. Hope, with Steve and Patti, and Mr.

and Mrs. Gene Hope and children attended funeral services in Breckenridge Saturday for Mr. Hope's sister, Miss Emma Hope, a retired school teacher.

Mrs. Peggy Clifford returned last weekend from Kerrville where she was with her father, H.M. Flagg, for two weeks. He has been hospitalized since suffering heart failure, according to Mrs. Clifford, and was taken out of intensive care Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stavley are now living on their stock farm near Brownwood, their postoffice being at May. They took a load of household goods Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Tumlinson of Corpus Christi visited her sister, Mrs. L.H. Gilbreath, and family Tuesday. They were enroute to San Diego, Calif., to visit another sister, Mrs. M.F. Sanders, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Denson went to San Antonio for the weekend. They returned the grandson, Ray Denson, who had been visiting here and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Denson, and also with their daughter, Mrs. Glenn Williams, and family.

A report from Mrs. S.H. Underwood Saturday night was that she had remained in intensive care in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo after undergoing surgery Tuesday, August 12, but that she was making satisfactory recovery from the surgery. Her son and daughter, as well as Mr. Underwood, are with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Camp of Roswell, N.M., visited with Mrs. Carl Wemeking Saturday. They were enroute to Eagle Pass where they will be on the faculty of the public schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnulfo Villarreal and children of Laredo visited here over the weekend with his father, Manuel Villarreal, and his sister, Mrs. Juan Ramirez Jr., and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green and children of Hale Center returned home Monday after visiting here for several days with friends. He is a former

minister of the local Church of Christ.

Weekend visitors with Rev. and Mrs. Dave Treat were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Dunn, of Abilene and her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Jeter, with Jeff and Jennifer of Amarillo. Tricia Treat, who had visited with her grandparents in Abilene for several days, was brought home.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Harkins attended the wedding of Miss Mary Kay Whittenburg and William Charles Hayman in Fort Stockton on Saturday, July 26, in the First United Methodist Church.



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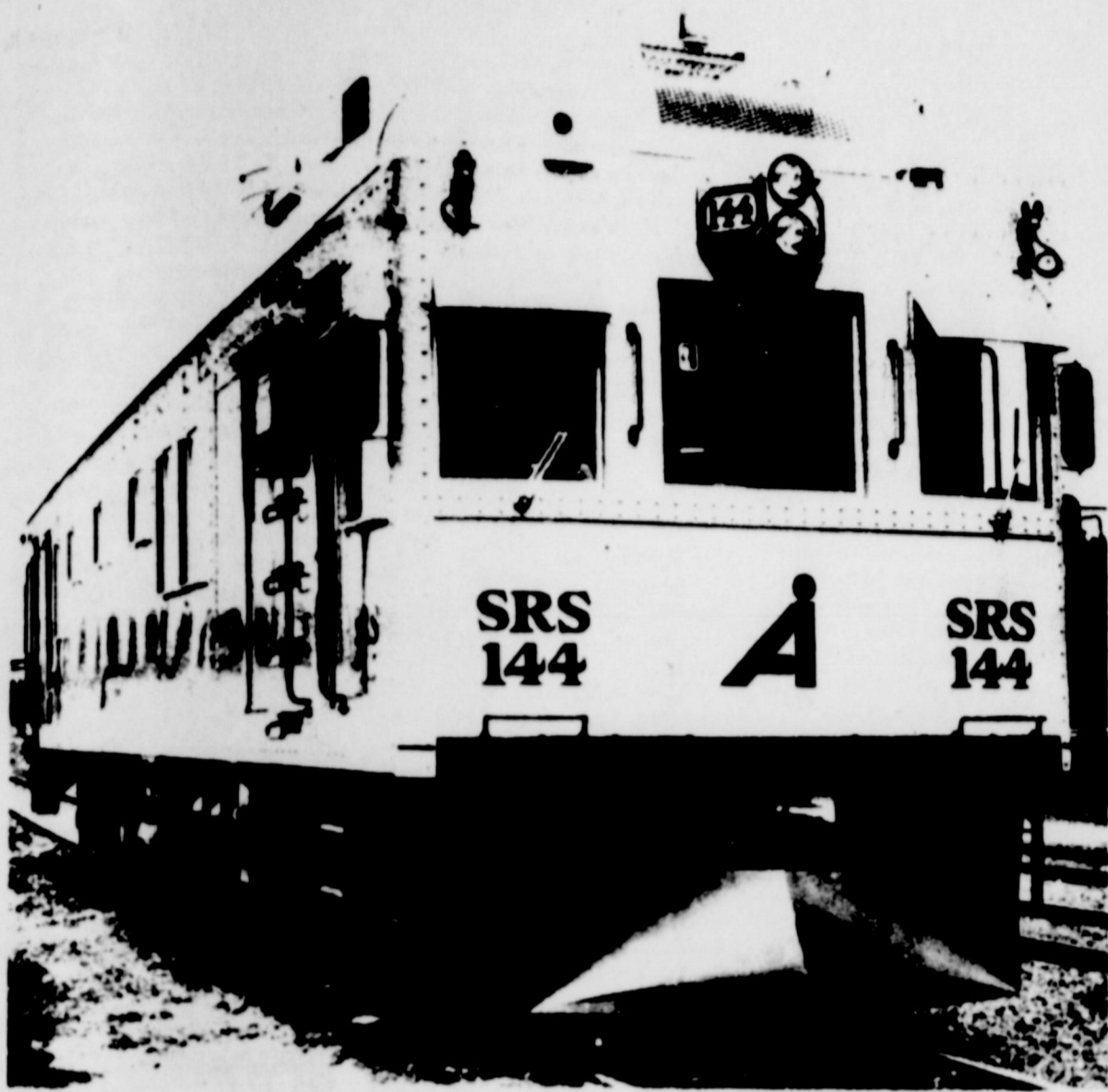
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Lloyd Bradley, who is a medical patient in the V.A. Hospital in Kerrville, is improving, according to reports, and plans to come home soon.

BECKY WINSTON IN GLOBE APPRENTICE COMPANY

Becky Winston is a member of this summer's Apprentice Company during the Summer Shakespeare Festival at the Globe Theatre of the Southwest in Odessa.

At Water Valley High School, where she was an honor student, she performed in several high school productions. Becky was named Best Actress at District UIL one-act play contests during all of her high school years.

Becky is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malloy Winston of Water Valley, former Sanderson residents when Mrs. Winston was Jetti Rae Holmes, daughter of Mrs. Jettie Holmes of Iraan.

Scotch Tape at The Times

PARKING SPACES TO BE ON 'NEED' BASIS FIRST

Due to the elimination of all parking spaces on the north side of the football field, the policy of allocating parking spaces has been changed by the school board, according to Supt. C.B. Card.

This year, the spaces will be available to those who have a need based on age, physical condition, etc., first.

Applications for the parking space are available at the office of Supt. Card in the elementary building and should be returned before August 28.

After "needs" are met, the other parking spaces will be sold on a first-come-first-served basis.

Heavy-duty Staples - Times

MRS. L.J. HARTZOG MOVES TO ALASKA

Mrs. L.J. Hartzog, who has moved to Anchorage, Alaska, was honored at a salad supper given by the members of the local Eastern Star Chapter Tuesday evening in the Masonic Hall. There were 25 attending.

For the occasion the theme of the worthy matron, Mrs. Charles Hornsby, "God's Heaven and His Earth" was stressed in the decorations. A miniature world globe placed in a square was on each table with a brown and white checked runner down the center. "Sanderson's Loss-Alaska's Gain" was on a banner.

Mrs. Hornsby made a short talk expressing her appreciation of Mrs. Hartzog and her work in the chapter and Mrs. Hartzog responded by reading the poem "Friendship".

A "money tree" was the going-away gift presented to the honoree by the chapter officers and members attending.

4-Way Stop Signs Are Erected Here

Four-way stop signs have been installed at the intersection of Second Street and Hackberry - by the St. James Catholic Church, Jr. High School.

It is the understanding that all vehicles are required to stop at that corner and proceed in the order of their arrival at the intersection, except that if cars arrive simultaneously at the intersection and traveling in conflicting paths, the vehicle on the right should proceed first.

There are also laws governing making left-hand turns at 4-way stop intersections, etc., giving right-of-way to the driver traveling in a straight line through the intersection, rather than to the left-turning vehicle, according to our understanding.

Motorists are advised to be alert at that intersection and observe the stop signs.

Mobile Phone Company Begins Local Solicitation

The Sanderson Communications Company, owned and managed by Mrs. Philip Hanson, is making mobile telephone service available to area residents.

Letters have been mailed out to many prospective customers and other mailings and newspaper advertising will be done to acquaint the public with the services they offer.

service are available and prices vary according to the type of service and instruments used by subscribers. All inquiries should be made to Mrs. Hanson, who stated that she would be glad to answer all questions and there was no obligation for quotations on prices and services.

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PRICE ARREDONDO GETS SMU FELLOWSHIP

Price Arredondo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Arredondo, former residents of Sanderson, has been selected and awarded an Urban Fellowship through the North Central Texas Council of Governments to attend the graduate school at Southern Methodist University. He will be working toward a Master's degree in Public Administration and is also currently working with the City of Lancaster as an Administrative Assistant to the City Manager.

Arredondo graduated from Sanderson High School in 1966 and from Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos in 1973.

Misses Elaine Brown and Brenda Carter and Bill Littleton, all of San Angelo, were here last weekend for the Cox-Riggs wedding.

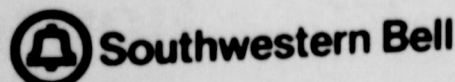
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Ice Best For Snakebites, Doctor Says

When a rattlesnake strikes, pack the bite with ice.

Contradicting presently recommended methods, this snakebite first aid advice for laymen comes from a San Antonio physician and surgeon who has studied the causes and effects of venomous viper bites for the past 15 years.

Based on his own experiences in treating more than 200 snake-bite victims, Dr. Thomas G. Glass Jr. contends cold ice packs and constriction bands are far safer and more practical first aid measures than the more drastic "cut and suck" method, which has been widely used in Texas since early frontier times.

A clinical professor of surgery at San Antonio's University of Texas Medical School, Dr. Glass claims the presently advocated one-quarter inch long and one-eighth inch deep cross cuts are ineffective when the venom has been deeply injected into the muscle, and unnecessary when the victim receives no venom at all, which occurs in three cases out of ten, according to his studies.

Dr. Glass doubts cutting is beneficial in any case, except with professional guidance, and argues that the layman's chances of cutting a nerve, artery, or tendon are too risky to be undertaken at all, and can cause greater harm than the snakebite itself.

Instead, he suggests that for any venomous bite, whether from a rattlesnake, cottonmouth, copperhead, or coral snake, the layman should (1) apply constriction bands lightly both above and below the bite, where possible; (2) place crushed ice in plastic bags over the bite area to cool the venom and slow down its movement to other parts of the body, and (3) remove the victim to a medical facility in a rapid and safe manner.

A San Antonio firm has developed a first aid kit appropriately named "Snakebite Freeze", which can be stored and used where ice is not always readily available.

The kit contains two plastic bags of non-toxic, non-caustic chemicals, that are activated by squeezing an inner bag, producing "instant" cold down to an estimated 18 degrees. The kit comes with two constriction bands and a neoprene insulated wrapper for holding the cold pack.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR



We received this note from Lynn Harrell of Durango, Co., a former resident of Sanderson: "I am sorry that I have not paid you before this. I am enclosing a check for two years. I could not make it without The Times. Everything is OK on this end, Lynn."

Mrs. Diane Andrews went to Valentine Saturday to meet her children, Toni and Jerry, who had spent two weeks visiting their father, Kenneth Andrews, in El Paso.

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 "The House on Cheyne Walk" Organ
 "The Big Call" Creasey
 "Circus" MacLean
 "The Boat" Buchheim
 "Shotgun" Clavell
 Non-Fiction:
 "Southern Ladies & Gentlemen" King
 "Prison Letters" TenBoom
 "Money Book" Porter
 "Sam Rayburn" Steinberg
 "Adventures in Prayer" Marshall
 "Foxfire 3" Wigginton
 "Hansi's New Life" Hirschmann
 "The Western Art of James Rama" Bama
 "Consumer Complaint Guide"
 "Head Nurse" Villet
 "Joe, You Could Made Us Proud" Pepitone

CULTURE CLUB TO HAVE FAMILY PICNIC AUGUST 21

The Culture Club will have a family picnic in the Memorial Park Thursday evening at 7:00 o'clock to inaugurate the new club year. A pot luck supper will be provided by the members for their families and guests; the tea, bread, and eating utensils will be provided by the hostesses.

STUTESES RETURN FROM 10-DAY VACATION TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. K.H. Stutes have returned from a 10-day visit with relatives and friends in Texas and Louisiana. They visited in LaPorte with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Faulk and then went to Ragley, La., to visit Claude Stutes, a brother, and his family, and in Crowley, La. While in Crowley they had their 39th wedding anniversary and were surprised with a supper and Mrs. Stutes and her sister, Mrs. Sylvan Faulk, were hostesses. They received lovely gifts also.

In Lafayette, they visited with the Rixie Montons and their sister-in-law, Mrs. Enos Stutes. They visited for several days in Baton Rouge with Mr. and Mrs. Anthon Cohsman, former Sanderson residents, and in Lake Charles with Mr. and Mrs. Iris Trugel, also former residents here. They also went to their ranch at Ebenezer, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Niles Geiger of Jacksonville, Fla., visited with her aunt, Mrs. K.H. Stutes, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Martin were in Fort Stockton Friday for medical attention.

Mrs. Manuel Garcia is visiting her son, Rev. Daniel Garcia, and family in Dallas. She went by train to San Antonio and to Dallas from there by plane.

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CODY EVERETT NAMED RODEO WINNER

Cody Everett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Everett Jr. of Big Lake was named all-around cowboy in the 8-and-under age group at the Fort Stockton Rodeo held August 7-9. He was first in pole bending, first in barrel racing, and second in the flag race. He did all this in spite of a broken left arm which he injured August 4 when he fell off a wool rack. Cody's mother is the former Bonnie Fisher.

DURING AUGUST ONLY!--

There are already seven new subscribers to The Times this month. During the remainder of the month, every 10th NEW SUBSCRIBER will get The Times free until June 1, 1976. Local subscriptions to that date are \$2.50, out-of-town \$3.00. adv.

Mrs. Al Word went to Midland Saturday to emplane for Galveston to be with her husband who is hospitalized there. Debbie Batten took her mother to Midland. Mr. Word is in St. Mary Hospital in Galveston.

Rev. David Marx went to Midland Sunday night to take a plane early Monday for Memphis, Tenn., where he attended a meeting for the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of the United States. He will return home Friday.

RANCH CLUB HAS ANNUAL PICNIC

The annual picnic for the members of the Ranch Home Demonstration Club and their families was Friday evening in the Legion Hall, the inclement weather changing the site from the Memorial Park. Miss Eva Billings gave the invocation for the meal with Mrs. G.C. Eggleston in charge of arrangements.

Miss Cathy Head, home demonstration agent, and Miss Glenda Trimble, extension agent, both from Fort Stockton, were invited guests. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Eggleston and children, Mrs. Patty Phillips and granddaughter, Michele Malone; Mmes. H.E. Ezelle, K.H. Stutes, Mark Duncan, L.H. Gilbreath, and Miss Eva Billings.

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The 85th session of Bloys Camp Meeting in the Davis Mountains was attended by Mrs. Ora Pruett Prude, second from left, front row, who has attended all 85 of the meetings. She is the mother of John C. Prude of Fort Davis and Del Rio, an aunt of Mrs. Carlton White and Mrs. John T. Williams. Pictured first row left to right, Mrs. C. Jordan Mann of Del Rio, Mrs. Prude, Mrs. John G. Prude and Mrs. Alien Easley, daughter of Mrs. Ora Pruett Prude; back row, John G. Prude, Rev. C. Jordan Mann, and Joe Bill Sanders of Del Rio. Mrs. Prude is now 97 years old. Photo courtesy Del Rio News-Herald

STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Governor Dolph Briscoe has assigned top priority to curbing soaring state governmental spending and thwarting predictions of a major state tax bill in 1977.

At the same time, the governor said all his political options for the future remain open, although he emphasized he is making no present plans for a third term.

Briscoe's predictions that the state can avoid a tax bill in two years fly in the face of forecasts by Texas Research League and Comptroller Bob Bullock. TRL only a week earlier said the legislature may have to raise \$750 million to balance the next budget in view of 1975 spending levels.

However, Briscoe stated: "I am optimistic that we can meet the fiscal needs of the state for a third time without new and additional taxes. We can't do it unless we try. That is our No. 1 priority. I will work toward that end."

Briscoe said he is hopeful the new Joint Advisory Committee on Government Operations will point the way to how to economize, increase efficiency and reorganize government effectively.

As for his own plans, the governor said it's too early for serious talk about a third term. But he acknowledged the subject has been discussed in private conversations — "just passing the time of day."

Hospital Savings

A new \$1.8 million state-federal program aims to save Texans who have to go to hospitals \$14 million a year.

Three centers will be established to make group purchases and collections for hospitals — the statewide center in Austin, with regional offices in Abilene and Texarkana.

The centers will try to reduce hospital management and bring about better distribution of other health

personnel.

At the same time, Texas Hospital Association announced 189 hospitals have indicated they will participate in a proposed THA-backed hospital company.

Texas State Insurance Board set an August 21 hearing on the Texas Hospital Insurance Exchange application for charter.

Democrats Moving

Texas liberal Democrats are getting organized for the 1976 presidential preference primary, while, at the same time, challenging legality of the primary.

Democratic National Committeewoman Billie Carr of Houston and others are inviting Democratic presidential candidates to a September 20 meeting here. The group calls itself "Texans for Somebody Else"—somebody else, that is, besides U. S. Senator Lloyd Bentsen or Alabama Governor George Wallace.

Ms. Carr and others filed a challenge with the national Democratic Compliance Review Commission, contesting the 1976 presidential primary act, passed by the legislature this year, was largely to help Bentsen.

Appointments

Six new State Parole Commissioners are Edward Odis Johnson of Austin, Gilberto de Leon Jr. of Uvalde, Helen Copitka of Houston, Don R. Stiles of Grapevine, Paul F. Cromwell of San Antonio and Paul J. Mansmann of Fort Worth.

Reagan Houston III of San Antonio is the sixth gubernatorial appointee to the Joint Advisory Committee on Government Operations to study governmental economy, efficiency and reorganization.

R. Doug Lewis has been named executive director of the Republican Party of Texas, succeeding Zack Fisher of Memphis.

John Barclay Armstrong of Kingsville was appointed to a vacancy on Texas Ani-

mal Health Commission created by death of John Biggs of Vernon.

Philip K. Maxwell of Dallas is the new chief of Atty. Gen. Hill's Consumer Protection Division. Lee Clyburn of Conroe heads Hill's new Anti-Trust Division. Mike Barron of Groesbeck is assistant chief of Anti-Trust.

C. A. Dickerson of Rosenberg was appointed criminal district attorney for Fort Bend County and Lawrence L. Barber Jr. of Monahans as district attorney for the 143rd judicial district.

Lieutenant Governor Bill Hobby named Senator Max Sherman of Amarillo to the Governor's Energy Advisory Council.

Rusk County Judge James Porter was selected by the governor as prime sponsor for the Manpower Planning Council East Texas Region.

AG Opinions

Notice of meetings under the Open Meetings Law must be specific on subjects to be discussed, Attorney General John Hill held. Hill said general phrases such as "new business," "old business" and "regular business" do not meet requirements.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

Comptroller Bob Bullock should not release information on amounts of sales or use taxes paid or owed by an individual prior to a "final determination."

Texas Youth Council can furnish information on child abuse cases to the Texas Interagency Task Force on Youth Care and Rehabilitation under proper limitations on distribution.

There is no state agency with authority to license facilities to store human bodies.

A landscape architect must renew his license by August 31 each year to remain eligible to practice.

A paid fireman, who also serves as a volunteer fireman, may participate in pension plans covering both positions.

Short Snorts

Actual start of the Senate impeachment trial of 229th District Judge O. P. Carrillo may be delayed until September 22.

Texas liberal Democrats have filed a challenge of the Texas presidential preference primary law and proposed 1976 party delegate selection procedures.

Top brass of the Republican Party will be in Dallas September 11-13 for the 18th biennial convention of the National Federation of Republican Women.

Texas farmers produced a record wheat crop and the second largest sorghum crop ever, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White reported.

An end to the slide of the Texas economy is in sight, according to a Texas Business Review report. Industrial production is up for the second straight month.

Texans are paying higher long distance rates—but not nearly as high as requested originally by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. Atty. Gen. Hill blocked the initial proposal and forced a court compromise last week.

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Report of BOB KRUEGER U.S. Representative

This week the House narrowly turned down the opportunity for a major improvement in moving this nation toward energy independence, and, instead, took a backward step toward increasing reliance on the Arab countries.

A number of us, both Democrats and Republicans, have been working for some months to fashion an energy policy which would allow the phased decontrol of government-regulated oil prices.

Over a period of several years, the government would move away from regulating the price of domestic oil, much of which is now sold at prices less than half of those which we pay for imported oil, and these prices are frequently too low to encourage new exploration and development in this country. Consequently, we now rely on imports for 40 percent of our oil, and this means that we will be increasingly subject to Arab blackmail and to the economic disaster that could be caused by another oil embargo.

In order to counter this threat, many of us, Democrats and Republicans alike, are working toward a compromise package that would protect the consumer against sharp price increases, but would give adequate rewards to producers of domestic oil so that we would not be subject to such economic blackmail by foreign countries. In this process, I offered one of two major energy proposals considered by the House, and when both mine and the opposing versions narrowly lost, I was asked to offer President Ford's oil pricing compromise. On six occasions in the past 10 days, I met with Frank Zarb, head of the Federal Energy Administration, and several Congressional leaders to work out this compromise. Although I did not like it as much as my own initial proposal, I was more concerned with getting an improved energy policy for the country than I was with seeing my own ideas enacted. Unfortunately, this proposal was also very narrowly defeated. Had six of the 435 House members changed their votes, we would have won, and the President had indicated that he was prepared to agree to the compromise -- but we lost. Now it is my best guess that there will be a sudden decontrol of all domestic oil prices on September 1 and that is likely to mean an increase in the price of gasoline from 7¢ to 10¢ per gallon. If this happens, then some of those members anxious to punish people connected with the oil industry are likely to come back with punitive legislation and with threats of nationalizing the oil companies, though I do not believe such proposals would ever pass.

I think there are several reasons for this failure to reach a compromise: (1) the irrational desire among some to punish the oil companies; (2) a failure among some members to examine the real issues, but instead a willingness to vote for short-term price roll-backs as if that was a real help to the consumer; (3) the tendency among some to play confrontation politics, pitting the Congress against the President, rather than addressing the needs of the nation; and, (4) strong lobbying activity by special interest groups. Unfortunately, the need for a strong economy, with reliable domestic energy reserves to free us from dependence on foreign sources, is a viewpoint that does not have any special interest lobbyists or special interest spokesmen. Sometimes the special interests win out over the public interest and this happened in last week's vote.

Report Potential Hazard In Early Model Automatic Drip Coffeemakers

The Proctor-Silex appliance division of SCM Corporation has notified the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission that a combination of electrical failures can cause some early model automatic drip coffeemakers to overheat.

In five reported cases, the "brew start" switch and the thermostat failed in sequence with the resulting heat buildup to the user. Fewer than one half of one per cent of the units produced are likely to contain the unique condition causing the potential hazard. Less than 100,000 of these early models are believed to be in consumers' hands.

Proctor-Silex product engineers said the defective units tend to fail on the first or second use. If the device has been used several times without incident, in all likelihood the defect is not present. The company said the "brew start" switch and the thermostat have to fail, in sequence, for the hazard to be present, and the chances of this occurring are remote. The consumer can perform a simple test to determine if the "brew start" switch is functioning properly. If it is, the unit presents no hazard in normal use.

The test is performed by depressing the "brew start" button without having placed water in the reservoir. Within approximately 90 seconds, the "brew start" light should go off while the "keep warm" light remains on. If this does not occur, the unit should be returned to Proctor-Silex, 700 West Tabor Road, Philadelphia, Pa. 19120. Consumers with questions may telephone 800-523-3616 toll free (Pennsylvania only 1-800-822-3939 between 8:30 AM and 5:00 PM).

The company will either repair or replace defective automatic drip coffeemakers and make other appropriate adjustment for returns of defective units without charge.

All of the coffeemakers with the potential problem were distributed in the United States under Proctor-Silex' "Coffee Magic" brand name between January and April 1975. Units manufactured subsequent to May 1, whose cartons bear the code letters "E" or "F" are unaffected by Proctor-Silex' announcement. Distributors and retailers are being notified and are requested to return all cartons bearing the code letters "A", "B", "C", or "D".

Bicentennial Facts

On August 20, 1775, Lord Barrington, British War Secretary, declared that America would never be reduced to obedience by Britain's army.

On August 23, 1775, King George III rejected the Olive Branch Petition sent by the Second Continental Congress and declared the colonies in a state of rebellion.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mitchell and daughters, Natalie and Valerie, of Stanton visited here with friends last weekend and attended the Cox-Riggs wedding.



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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laughlin returned home Thursday from a vacation trip. They made a business trip to El Paso and then to Colorado. En route home they visited in Goldsmith with his brother, Bill Laughlin, and wife.

Mrs. Diane Andrews and her sister, Miss Barbara Brown, returned home Monday from a 3-weeks' trip which took them to England, Scotland, Wales and they toured the countries in a rented car. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown, and Miss Marsha Monroe met them in Midland when they arrived by plane and Miss Monroe and Miss Brown went to San Angelo.

Visitors on the ranch with Mr. and Mrs. C.F. Cox last week were their granddaughter, Mary Martin, of Meridian and their daughter, Mrs. Maudie Lou Gober, with her two daughters, Lisa and Tammy, of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Claude Garner of Odessa was a weekend visitor here with her mother, Mrs. Frank K. Harrell, who has been ill for two weeks.

Darrell Cooke, who has been attending Texas State Institute of Technology in Waco, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Cooke, for three weeks before returning to school.

Johnny Hogg, Leslie Hall, and Mrs. R.R. McDonald went to Abilene last week and moved Mrs. Vernie Berry, her daughter, Terry Sue, and her other daughter, Mrs. Vernie Jean Cleveland, and son, Thadius, to Sanderson. They are residing in the Downie rent house on E. Kerr Street formerly occupied by Mrs. C.A. Haynes and boys. Mrs. Berry is the mother of Mrs. Johnny Hogg. Mrs. Cleveland is working as a checker at the Kerr's.

Mrs. T.H. Eastman, her son, J.B. Chapman, and her daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Dennis, of El Paso returned Wednesday from a trip by plane to Manhattan, Kansas, to Dallas and to Amarillo where they visited with relatives.

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 1 (303) can Hominy, drained
 1 small can Cheddar Cheese soup, undiluted
 1 small can chopped Green Chilies

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We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their helpful sympathy for us in this dark hour of bereavement. The words and phone calls of condolence, food, beautiful floral offerings, and prayers were very deeply appreciated.
 May God Bless You!
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To those kind friends who sent cards, letters, flowers, and made telephone and personal calls: Please accept this expression of my gratitude as sincerely as are my feelings. Words just do not express my appreciation adequately.
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Another innovative aspect: the two drawers can be pulled all the way out and stored, while two more with "set arrangements" can be inserted for a different type of fishing. Extra trays are available for this added efficiency.

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