The Sudan Beacon-News SUDAN, LAMB COUNTY, TEXAS NUMBER 17

FIFTIETH YEAR

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THE KID on Main St. says a conscience is "something that makes you tell your mother before your sister does. " *****

DO YOUR FEET HURT? The American Podiatry Assn. sends us some information about how to take care of feet, and after reading it over, I concluded that it's no wonder mine are in such bad shape. They don't get the kind of tender, loving care they should have apparently.

The Podiatry group (when I first glanced at the material, I thought it had something to do with beans) says we should use a soft brush or wash cloth to wash our feet daily about two minutes, working up a good soapy lather. Then, they say, "it is important that no excess moisture is left between the toes. Do not rub with a towel, but blot dry, Dust a foot powder onto your feet and between your toes. " portion of most human bodies, and mine are certainly no exception. Nobody ever told me not to rub a towel

PUBLIC NOTICE

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The CITY OF SUDAN will be sprayed for mosquitos by Cardwell Flying Service Thursday, June 13th, or the first late afternoon the weather is permissable after June 13th.

Beavers Honored

A "going-away" party was held Saturday night in the **Community Center honoring** Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Beavers, Lesha and Angie, who will be moving this week to Waco. The hostesses' gift included a large artificial plant, a charm for Lesha and a necklace for Angle. Punch, cakes and cookies were served, and the group played table games.

Hosting the party were Messrs. and Mesdames Bob Taylor, Bud Provence, Noble Dudgeon, Orville Hill, Lee Roy Fisher, Calvin Vernon, Philip Gordon, Billy Ches-Damon Provence, ter, Charles Burnett, Theron Hill, Jimmy Glasscock, Edward Fisher, Gayle Brownd, and Pete Phillips.

Feet are about the ugliest OES to, Meet

A meeting of OES will be held Monday night at 8 p.m. in the Lodge Hall. All members are urged to attend.



SAFE IRACTOR OPERATION SCHOOL Was. held last week with Don Ham Sudan, Donald Booth, Amherst, and Art Summerfeld, Littlefield as Instructors. Boys participating were Steve Ritchie, Sudan, Kenny Thompson, Jesse Palacio. Mark Kelly, Gary McDaniel, Jess Arce, all of Amherst, and Wayne Carlisle, John Despres, Jr., Steve Lackey, Bruce Carkin, Beva Carlisle all of Littlefield.



THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 1974

-Charles Feagley has been at dards and Education accord-

hired as the Sudan City Policeman. He formerly worked for the City and is a Certified Peace Officer with Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Officer Stan-

ing to the Code of Criminal Procedure and other statues of the State of Texas. The tax rate for the City was set at \$1.50 per \$100 evaluation for 1974. This

compares with \$1.45 for 1973. This increase will amount to 50¢ on each \$1,000 evaluation.

10 CENTS PER COPY

An Ordinance was passed to change the manner of vehicular parking on Main Street. On the westerly side of Main Street from Highway 84 through Fourth Avenue there will be 30° angle parking; and from Fourth to Fifth Avenue there will be parallel parking. On the east side of Main Street from First Avenue to Fifth Avenue there will be parallel parking; and from Highway 84 to First Avenue there will be no parking west of the gutter. There will be no parking closer than 30 ft. to the cross streets. The center line will be located 4 ft. east of the center of the street. All markings and signs will be done by the City in the near future.

A Resolution was passed approving the expenditure of \$589.50 for a new South Plains Association of Governments sponsored police radio system. The City's cost represents 25% of the total cost of the system for Sudan. The remaining 75%

Held June 4-7 and was conducted by Don-Friday, June 7, marked the ald Booth, Vo. Ag. Instrucclose of a very successful tor of Amherst, Art Sommerprogram in Safe Tractor Operation. This four-day field, Vo. Ag. Instructor of Littlefield, and Don Ham, course was held in Amherst Vo. Ag. Instructor of Sudan. This course is offered to TALENT AUDITIONS offset the high incidence of TO BE HELD JUNE 15 tractor accidents, particularly among young people. Talent auditions will be

Tractor Driving Course

held at Harral Auditorium The two prime objectives that are taught are: (1) Deat Wayland Baptist College velop skills needed for safe Saturday, June 15 at 1:30 p. m. for a variety show, Dr. tractor operation; (2) Develop understanding of princi-Jack's Medicine Show. pals of safe tractor opera-All types of acts are needtion. There was also a ed such as dancers, singers, special emphasis placed on comedians and unusual or safety procedures and skill comy acts. Everyone is development in various

phases of tractor operation.

The final afternoon of the

course was spent in Little-

field with the boys and in-

structors having a picnic

opportunity to acquaint

themselves with the finest

and most up-to-date equip-

The students completing

this years course were Kenny

Thompson, Jesse Palacio,

Mark Kelly, Gary McDaniel,

Jessie Arce, Amherst; Steve

Ritchie, Sudan; Wayne Car-

lisle, John Despres, Jr., Be-

va Carlisle, Bruce Carkin,

Steve Lackey, Littlefield.

Baseball News

Little Leaguers have only

three remaining games in-

cluding today's game with

the exception of those teams

having to make up games.

The Dodgers and Angels,

both Sudan teams, face each

other today, and both Am-

The Dodgers pulled an up-

sethere Monday night when

they defeated the Amherst

Braves 14-13. Junior Rogers

pitched for Amherst. The

HAVE LUNCHEON JUNE 14

The Sudan Senior Citizens

will have a covered -dish

luncheon Friday, June 14 at

12 noon. Everyone is in-

acreage will be fighting and

an uphill battle to produce

Acreage lost to hail is esti-

mated by various sources at

from 200,000 to 350,000

acres. Heaviest losses were

recorded in Crosby (100 to

140,000 acres), Hale (35 to

40, 000), Floyd(25 to 30, 000)

and Swisher (25 to 30, 000).

borhood of 20,000 acres in-

clude Dickens, Lamb, Mot-

ley, and Briscoe. Smaller

acreage was destroyed in

Parmer, Castro and Lubbock

counties. The best estimate

(Continued inside)

vited.

normal crops.

SENIOR CITIZENS TO

herst teams play there.

ment.

FATHERS TO BE HONORED SUNDAY

A special service honoring

welcome to try-out.

vigorously between my toes, so I've been doing it for years. If some of my family caught me brushing my feet with a lot of lather and then patting them gently to blot them dry, they'd probably think I just went around the bend.

The pod people also say we should stand with our feet parallel, with toes pointing straight ahead and weight equally distributed on both

feet. This is tough to do when one foot just barely reaches the ground, but I realize most folks don't have that problem. And toes pointed straight ahead? I've noticed that when I'm just

casually standing around, one foot usually points toward Plainview and the other toward Muleshoe.

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2.89

89¢

69¢

89¢

Crust

We can't vouch for any of the information, but we did think it would make a good column feeture.

KNOTHOLES IN THE

WOODWORK: The constitution writers still are fussing about whether to put in a right-to-work provision. I don't know about all that, but I certainly feel that everyone should have the right to join - or not to join - a union, and definitely shouldn't be required to join a union before they can

work. . . Coors distributors have started paying 15 cents a pound (up from the former 10 cents) for aluminum beverage containers returned to their redemption centers. There are about 24 cans in a pound. . . Texas Parks & Wildlife Dept. says that unfortunately, chiggers are not an endangered species, and so its okay to kill them.

Shower Honors Miss Wilson

Miss Sharon Wilson, brideelect of Kenny Wilson, was honored with a bridal coffee Tuesday, June 11 in the home of Mrs. C. E. Nichols from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. Some 90 guests who called were registered in the bride's book by Mrs. Pat Minyard and Mrs. Gary Gatewood. The registering table featured a pink candle with pink roses and greenery in a brass holder.

Miss Sue Noles presided at the serving table laid with a handmade white linen cutwork cloth and decorated with a floral arrangement of fresh pink and burgandy assorted flowers featuring a white umbrella. Spiced tea and coffee from brass and copper appointments, along with breads and assorted fruit tidbits were served from china and silver appointments.

The honoree was presented a corsage of pink rosebuds and baby mums. She was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Bernard Wilson, in opening gifts, along with her sisterin-law, Mrs. Jackie Wilson. The hostesses' gift was a

Mixmaster. Special out-of-town guests included the honoree's sister-in-law, Mrs. Jackie Wilson of Abilene; her aunt, Mrs. Gorden Gatewood of

Tulia; Mrs. Sue Burgess of! Olton; and Mrs. Cecil Foster of Levelland. Hostesses were Mesdames Weaver Barnett, Waymon Bellar, Bill Boyles, Noble Dudgeon, Joe Fisher, Wesley Hargesheimer, Joe Kent, R. A. Lance, Quinton Mc-

PICTURED ABOVE IS Another scene from the Safe Tractor Operation School held last week in Amherst.

At a regular meeting of the so approved were the Super-Sudan Independent School intendent's Financial Re-Board Monday night, new port for May; the use of school facilities for meetings teachers were hired for the 1974-75 school year as well of Explorer Scouts; to replace as approval of several items. chairs in cafetorium; add The meeting got under electric typewriters to comway with the invocation by mercial classes; replace part Dexter Baker. Then minof sewing machines in Home utes were read of the past EconomicsBuilding; replace chairs and desks in two rooms meeting and approved. Al-

> **4-H MEMBERS PLACE** IN STATE MEET 4-H Lamb County Judging teams placed last week in state competition. The livestock judging team won second place with a member, Joe Foley, placing second in individual scoring. The horse judging team, composed of Brian May and

CONSTANCE JEAN HAM

Wedding Planned

Mr. and Mrs. Don Ham announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Connie Jean Ham to Timothy Leroy Harrington of Littlefield. The couple will be married in

Gary Pickrell, Darwin Reid, Marvin Toilett, Calvin Vermon, T. P. Wingo, Calvin Wiseman, Pudd Wiseman, C. E. Nichols. Caghren, Kenneth Noles,

ents on Saturday, June 22. Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Leo Paul Harrington of Hen-

Jim Fields, Sudan, and Dawn

Branscum and Sheila Lewis.

of Earth, placed eleventh.

They are coached by Lewis

Fields, also of Sudan. This

group left Tuesday and re-

TEL CLASS HOLDS COVERED DISH SUPPER

Tommy Cate, DexterBaker, and Rev. and Mrs. Eddie The TEL Sunday School Freeman, and Mrs. Arnold Class of First Baptist Church Beckett, Mrs. Dorothy Drake, aget Tuesday, June 11 for a Mrs. Sophia Rice and Mrs. covered-dish supper in the Louise Gatewood. fellowship hall of the church

Fathers will be held at The First Baptist Church Sunday morning during the worship hour with Rev. Eddie Freeman bringing the message.

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in elementary building; and

The resignation of Sonny

Wiginton was accepted. He

The Board of Education

then voted to extend teacher

contracts to the following

persons for employment for

the 1974-75 school year,

Mrs. Alvin Scott, Junior

High classroom; Mrs. Jerry

Bellar, Fourth Grade re-

placement; and F. M. Smith

to Junior High Athletics and

The board also accepted

the report on final ADA for

1973-74 school year of 458.

the benediction by James

with 36 people present.

Mrs. Alva Sturdivant,

ris, J. P. Arnold, L. M.

Harper, Curtis Savage, Stur-

divant, Waymon Gordon,

Russell Ingle, Oscar Vin-

son., Halbert Harvey, O. J.

Parrish, Nolan Parrish, John

Burnett. R. E. DeLoach,

The meeting closed with

and Social Studies.

Withrow.

subject to certification:

rooms where needed.

moving to Tahoka.

Cotton production prosp to make necessary repairs ects on the Texas High Plains such as painting in classbecome darker by the day according to officials of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock-based cotton producer organization representing 25 counties surrounding Lubbock.

> Looking a week backward from June 7, they point to a series of devastating hail storms across 11 counties in the North and Northeast sections of the area where most cotton is irrigated, and to a continuation of dry weather over the South and Western counties where most of the cotton is highly or totally dependent on rainfall.

The sand of the past weekend added to the worries of area farmers as to what to do now. Hail the previous weekend damaged or destroyed many acres of cotton on irrigated land with the sand finishing it off. Many dry land fields had not been planted.

With mid-June crowding the practical planting date, farmers are considering replanting grain sorghum, peas, pinto beans or soybeans as alternate crops.

These are some alternate crops which can be planted relatively late in the season to partially compensate for the loss of the primary crop.

Earlier in the year officials were looking toward 3 million acres of cotton in the 25 counties. Now they calculate that figure could be significantly reduced, and at best much of the Plains

will be paid by federal lunch and then visiting the funds. various tractor dealers, The City Commission apthereby giving the class an

proved a request from Southwestern Public Service for a 10% rate increase for electricity rates for Sudan residents

The Commission voted to take bids for the work shop to be built on the city lot on Highway 303. This will be a 48 x 50 ft. building and will be built with Revenue Sharing money.

Angels also won their game the same night in Amherst over the Cubs 34-4. Mark Cantrell was losing pitcher. Last week on Friday the Braves defeated the Angels 22-12 when Alvin Mills, Clinton Sawyer, hit a homerun apiece; Benny Jones hit two home runs, and Craig Thompson hit three. Mills was the pitcher. At Sudan, the Cubs blasted the Dodgers 24-5 behind the pitching of Mark Cantrell.

The two Amherst teams met June 6th with the Cubs coming out on top 14-11. Larry Young pitched for the winners and Craig Thompson for the losers.

The Sudan Junior Babe Ruth team did not play last week. The only scheduled game was for Saturday and was cancelled due to the weather-sand.

The Sudan Senior Babe Ruth team lost to Dimmitt Friday 9-3. However, Richard Tamplin and Mark Hanna each hit a home run. On Monday night they blanked Amherst 13-0 behind the pitching of Richard Tamplin and Mitch Chester. Don Noles hit a home run in this game.

The Sr. Babe Ruthers outscored Muleshoe Monday night 10-1. Don Noles was pitcher. Richard Tamplin and Carroll Legg hit homers.

class president, opened the turned home Thursday night. program and the group said the Lord's Prayer in unison. Rev. Eddie Freeman, pastor, presented the program. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Homer Mor-

nesey, Okla.

the home of the bride's par-



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4-H ADULT LEADER HONORED-Mrs. Peggy Bales, center, of Rt. 2 Sudan, was one of 25 adult leaders to be recognized for distinguished service to 4-H at the 1974 State 4-H Roundup 'at Texas A & M University June 5. She was presented a special plaque by Dr. Dan Plannstiel, left, associate director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and J.L. "Curly" of Abilene, a trustee of the Texas 4-H Youth Development Foundation.

CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP CENTER JESUS IS ALIVE TODAY Then He saved us- not because we were good enough to be

saved, but because of His kindness and pity- by washing away our sins and giving us the new joy of the indwelling Holy Spirit. Titus 3:5



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ORDINANCE NO. 114 AN ORDENANCE FEXING THE MAXIMUM RATE OF SPEED FOR MOTOR VE-HICLES: ALLOWING FOR SPEED ZONES WITH SIG-NAL LIGHTS IN FRONT OF SCHOOL: ALLOWING FOR ANGLE PARKING ON MAIN STREET: PROVIDING FOR PENALTY: AND DECLAR-ING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Sudan, Texas, upon the basis of engineering and traffic investigation, find it necessary to establish maximum speed limits, and create speed zones in certain areas, and establish manner of parking on Main Street (Highway 303) all within the Corporate Limits of the City of Sudan, Texas.

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Sudan also finds it is necessary to immediate preservation of the public health and safety to provide for the immediate enactment of such measures, constituting an repealed. emergency; NOW, THERE-FORE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SUDAN, TEXAS: SECTION 1. Subsection (A). Speed restrictions. It shall hereafter be unlawful for any person to drive or operate a motor vehicle upor any street, roadway or highway in the City Limits of the City of Sudan, Texas, at a speed greater than is reasonable and prudent under the conditions then existing, having regard to the actual and potential hazards when approaching and crossing an intersection or a railway grade crossing, when approaching and going around a curve, when approaching a hill crest, when traveling upon any narrow or winding roadway, or when special hazard exists with respect to pedestrians or other traffic or by reason of weather or

Ayenne. (b) Beginning at the east city limit, the point of intersection with the centerline of East Avenue, the maximum legal speed for northwestbound traffic, only, shall be 50 mph for a distance of 0.250 mile to the point of intersection with the centerline o. Wilson Street; thence 45 mph for a distance of 0. 348 mile to the point of intersection with the centerline of Barnes Street: thence 50 mph for a distance of 0. 204 to the point of intersection with the centerline of an unpaved and unnamed street; thence 55 mph for a distance of 0,200

mile to the point of intersection with the west city limit. And all Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby

(2) The speed zones es-. tablished by this Ordinance shall include: all of F. M. 298 within the City of Sudan, Texas; the maximum legal speed shall be as follows Beginning at the intersection with the west city limit, the maximum speed for eastbound traffic, only, shall be 50 mph

> for a distance of 0.110 mile to the And all Ordinances and point of intersection parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby rewith the centerline pealed.

SECTION 2. Control of And all Ordinances and Vehicular Parking on Main parts of Ordinances in con-Street (Highway 303) beflict herewith are hereby retween Highway 84 and Fifth pealed. Avenue. Parking space di-(3) The speed zones esmensions for Parallel Parktablished by this Oring and 30° Angle Parking

of F. M. 303.

dinance shall include shall be in compliance with all of F. M. 303 with-"Texas Manuel on Uniform in the City of Sudan, Traffic Control Devices for Texas; the maximum Streets and Highways", Page

follows;

SECTION4. That the hasmaximum logal speed for the southwestbound and westbound traffic, only, shall be 40 mph for a distance of 0.293 mile to the point of intersection with the centerline of U.S. 84; thence 30 mph for a distance of cation. 0.411 mile to the point of intersection with the west city limit, a point 0.020 mile east of 1974. the point of inter-APPROVED: section with the /s/Arnold Reed centerline of Avenue K extending to the south. Beginning at the west line of Fifth Avenue the maximum legal speed for westbound traffic, when the signal

light is blinking, shall be 20 mph 250,000 acres, with another for a distance of 0.154 mile to the point of intersection with the west It is expected that all but line of Avenue K. about 75,000 of the lost co-(c) Beginning at the point of intersection with the north city limit, a point of intersection with for a normal crop. the centerline of F. M. 298, the maximum legal speed for traffic bound westerly to southerly, only, shall be 50 mph for a distance of o. 168 mile to the point of intersection with the west city limit. Agricultural Extension Service, estimates that only

ton in Dawson, Lynn, Tenry, ands and daugens to public health and salety creats a uncessity requiring all rules providing that no online shall be finally passed on the day of its introduction be suspended; and this Ordinance is delcared to be an emergency measure, to take effect from and after the date of its first publi-AND IT IS SO ORDERED. PASSED AND APPROVED

THES OTH DAY OF JUNE

Mayor ATTEST: /s/Dorothy Jones **City Secretary**

CROP OUTLOOK----of cotton completely destroyed might be about

100, 000 acres or so suffering damage that could well reduce the harvest.

tton acres will go back to cotton. But the late planting in these northern counties greatly reduces chances

In the drought-ridden area South and West of Lubbock, much of the acreage has not been planted, and that which has been planted and is now up to a stand will not last long without rain.

Bob Metzer, Area Cotton Agronomist for the Texas

In Counties has been planted. And those six countles ways unted on for around 1, 100, 000 acresestior in the ye If the rains don't come, these would be some three-quarters of a million acres in these counties to subtract from the expected 3 million total for

> the Plains. - Other unplanted dryland areas throughout the Plains are thought to total at least another 200,000 acres.

> > There is still time for much dryland acreage to be planted if moisture a

Cochran, Hockley, and Gar-

ed if moisture falls by the end of June. But high yeilds on cotton planted in late June of early July must be considered unlikely.

Putting all the figures together, PCG calculates that if there are no further hail losses and if all dryland areas get planting moisture before the end of June, the Plains could have 1,675,000 acres of "normal" cotton, 100,000 acres of hail-damaged and 1,150,000 acres of late-

planted cotton. But the total of 2, 925,000 acres looks larger and larger with each passing day.

PERSONALS Roy Engram of Cameron visited recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Engram and Kim.

Mrs. Elray Rasco will leave here Friday enroute to Australia where she will visit her brother and be gone over two



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every event, speed shall be so controlled as may be necessary to avoid colliding with any person, vehicle, or other conveyance on or entering the highway in compliance with legal requirements and the duty of all persons to use due care. Subsection (B). Where no special hazard exists that requires lower speed for compliance with Subsection 1 (A) of this Section, the speed of any vehicle not in excess of the limits specified in this Subsection or established as hereinafter authorized shall be lawful, but any speed in excess of the limits specifled in this Subsection or established as hereinafter authorized shall be prima facie evidence that the speed is not reasonable or prudent and that it is unlaw-(1) The speed zones established by this Ordinance shall include all of

U. S. 84 (Railroad Avenue) within the City of Sudan, Texas; the maximum legal speed shall be as follows: (a) Beginning at the

west city limits, the intersection with centerline of an unpaved and unnamed street, the maximum legal speed for southeastbound traffic, only, shall be 50 mph for a distance of 0. 204 mile to the point of intersection with the centerline of Barnes Street; thence 45 mph for a distance of 0. 348 mile to the point of intersection with the centerline of Wilson Street; thence 50 mph for a distance of 0.250 mile to the point of intersection with the east city limit, the point of intersection with the

legal speed shall be as .11-E-31, Page 11-E-32 and Page 11-E-33. (a) Beginning at the [A] Along the westerly

side of Main Street

between U.S. 84

point of intersection with the south city limit, the maximum legal speed for northbound, eastbound, and northeastbound traffic, only, shall be 50 mph for a distance of 0.278 mile to the point of intersection with the centerline of Avenue N: thence 30 mph for a distance of 0.216 mile to a point 0.020 mile east of the centerline of Avenue K extending to the south; thence 30 mph for a distance of 0. 411 mile to the point of intersection with the centerline of U. S. 84; thence 35 mph for a distance of 0.293 mile to the point of intersection with the north city limit, a point 144 feet northeast from the point of intersection with the centerline of North Avenue. Beginning at the west line of Avenue K the maximum le-

and Fourth Avenue parking shall be done only at an angle of of 30° to the curb with the right front wheel against the curb; thence between Fourth Avenue and Fifth Avenue there shall be parallel parking. (B) Along the easterly side of Main Street between U. S. 84 gal speed for eastbound traffic when the signal light is blinking shall be 20 20 mph for a distance of 0.154 mile to the point of intersection with the west line of Fifth Avenue.

and First Avenue there shall be no parking west of the gutter; and there shall be parallel parking east of the gutter; thence between First Avenue and Fifth Avenue there shall be parallel parking at the curb. (C) No vehicle shall be allowed to park nearer to the cross streets than 30 feet. In the area where no parking is permitted the curb shall be painted yellow. 'D The center line along Main Street located 4-feet easterly of the center of the street being the midway point between the nearest point of vehicles as they are parked at the curb, shall be painted white. And all Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby re-(b) Beginning at the pealed. SECTION 3. Any person point of intersection with the north violating any of the provicity limit, a point sions of this Ordinance shall, 144 feet northeast upon conviction thereof, be from the point of fined in any sum not less intersection with than Ten (\$10.00) nor more the centerline of than Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars. North Avenue, the

Estate prices Up ... Peanuts More Popular ... Demand for Cotton Increases ... Watermelons on

Market ... Hay Cutting Underway.

FARM REAL estate prices jumped over the United States by 21 per cent during the past year, from \$233 to \$280 an acre. Although the per-acre prices may be higher in some areas of Texas, latest figures show Texas farm real estate prices climbed by a more modest nine per cent. The jump was highest in Colorado, 33 per cent, and Pennsylvania was second with 31 per cent, followed by Alabama, Iowa and South Carolina with 30 per cent.

PEANUTS AND PEANUT BUTTER are being consumed by Americans more than ever, the USDA reports. There were 524 million pounds of shelled peanuts used in edible products from August through December, 1973, an eight per cent increase, over the same period for 1972. Experts think the increased demand for peanuts came because of the higher prices for beef, dairy products and poultry. Growers received about two cents a pound more for peanuts in 1973 than they did the previous year ... Peanut planting in Texas is more than 35 per cent complete, but moisture is short for planting in the Cross Timbers area.

COTTON CONSUMPTION is up over the world by about two million bales, to about 59 million. The carryover in the United States August 1 is expected to be 3 1/2 million bales, below a previous USDA estimate because export volume now is expected to increase. Cotton planting in Texas is about 70 per cent complete, compared to 75 per cent at the same time last season. Planting is making rapid progress on irrigated fields on the High and Low Plains, but more rain is needed on the High Plains to complete planting. Boll weevils and flea hoppers are reported in cotton in the southern half of the State.

WATERMELONS are ripening in the Coastal Bend area where labor and truck shortages have been reported. Watermelon harvest is expected to begin in the San Antonio-Winter Garden area, according to Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, and vines are in the bloom stage in East Texas ... Sweet corn and tomatoes are beginning to ripen in Central Texas, and harvest of peppers, eggplant, squash, potatoes and cucumbers continues on the Upper Coast. Squash and cucumber harvest is over in the Coastal Bend and sweet corn and carrot harvest is almost over in that area.

HAY CUTTING is underway all across Texas, and yields of this first cutting are reported good. Prospects for a second cutting are good in East Texas but most of the western half of the State needs rain for the second crop. Rainfall during the week ending June 1 helped many areas in East Texas and Southeast Texas. Areas north of Beaumonit were reported to have had five inches during the week.

NUMBER OF broiler chicks placed and the number hatched were down slightly during the week ending May 25. There were 3,839,000 placed, which is two per cent below the same time last year and also for the gravious week. Chicks hatched totaled 3,942,000, down brie per cent from a year ago and two per cent below the pravious week. Eggs set for broiler production numbered 4,584,000 which was four per cent below a year ago.

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MRS. PEGGY THOLEN, right, a graduate student at the University of Texas at San Antonio, lights a candle on the University's anniversary cake for Gov. and Mrs. Dolph Briscoe. Classes began at UTSA a year ago Wednesday, June 5.

NOW is the time to TOPS When Texas Tops 634 met OPEN A Monday, June 10 in Community Center at 3:30 p.m. there were 10 members pres-

sung by the group.

to Hobbs, N. M. Friday when he hit a calf crossing the highway and wrecked his car. He was uninjured. Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Ritchie and Debbie and Steve are their

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bellar

were in Hobbs during the past

week to attend the Full Gos-

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos West

of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs.

Ricky West of Hale Center

visited over the weekend

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Doty

and Donald went to Midland

Saturday to visit their chil-

dren and brother and sister,

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gore

and David Doty. They re-

turned home Sunday after-

Robin Fields of Midland is

spending the summer here

with his sister and family,

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ches-

ter and John left Monday to

move their mobile home to

Ruidoso, N. M. Curtis and

Mitch joined them later in

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Walden

left Wednesday for Albu-

querque, N. M. to attend a

banker's convention. They

will attend a luncheon Thurs-

day for past presidents, and

be there for the remainder of

Mrs. Evah Doty was in

Shallowater Sunday to visit

her son, Mr. and Mrs. Kel-

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Read,

Sherry, Mike and Linda left

this week for Austin where

he will attend a meeting for

ton Doty and Jan.

the Deck Bakers.

the week.

the week.

with Mrs. Callie West.

pel meeting

noon.

daughters and sisters, Mrs. Arboth Rylant, Kim and Tammi of Oak Harbor, Wash. Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Rudd and April visited over the weekenda s did Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rylant of Perryton. Mrs. Terry Obenhaus and boys returned home Monday to Okmulgee, Okla. after visiting here several days

with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Baker. Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Beavers and girls will be moving to Waco this week to make their home and where he will be manager of a cotton com press. They were honored with "going-away" parties both Saturday and Sunday evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ingle and children are in Pearsall for several weeks where he is working this summer. Bertha Vereen, Mrs. J. W. Olds and Mrs. Radney Nichols were in Albuquerque, N. M. recently to visit their brother, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Vereen and to attend the graduation exercises of their nephew, Kevin, who gradu-

ated from Eldorado High School. Mr. and Mrs. Radney Nichols were in Winters during

the weekend to visit his brother, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Nichols. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Harp-

er and boys were visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sager of

noon. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Brownd and children have purchased the Gaylon Beavers home at

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Mel-

SERC HOLDS MEET The Southern Environmental Resources Conference, meeting in Oklahoma for its annual convention has elected Texas State Rep-**Fesentative Bill Clayton (D-**Springlake) as its Chairman for 1974-75.

The S.E.R.C. is charged with the development and planning of water resources in seventeen southern states. Delegates from each of the member states adopt policy for the conference by resolution and then provide information, testimony and research for Congressional and state organs dealing in water development and water resource management.

Representative Clayton, a 12 year veteran of the Texas House, was acknowleged by the Conference to be one of the leading authorities in the South on water resource management and development. Following his election, Representative Clayton stressed that he hoped to lend greater emphasis to the Conference's role in acting as a lasion between state governments and federal committees handling current or potential water problems.

At its resolutions session on on Thursday, the Conference adopted platform statements. in several areas of concern to the member southern states. These resolutions included an opposition statement to any actions by the federal government which would preempt the states in their

Notice

Sealed bids addressed to missioners reserve the right the Honorable Mayor and to reject any and all bids. City Commissioners of the City Hall, 100 First Avenue, Sudan, Texas, until S:00 P. M. on June 20, 1974, for the construction of a 48 x 50 steel shop building for the City of Sudan. The bids will be publicly opened and read at that time in the City Hall. Contract awards will

be given after the evaluation

of the bids can be com-

The Mayor and City Com-

individual states to develop

land use programs designed

to meet their own particular

needs; and a resolution

memorializing Congress to

take action authorizing the

Water Resource Division of

the U.S. Geological Survey

to become the data-gather-

ing repository for all wate:

In further actions, the Con-

ference adopted several sug-

gested amendments to the

Act. Representative Clay-

ton noted that the Confer-

ence also selected Texas to

be the next host state for the

PERSONAL

Mrs. Danny Rhoades and

son Courtney leave this week

for Thailand to join their

husband and father who is

S. E. R. C. Convention.

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to make the awards of the contracts based on the hid or bids deemed to be the most advantageous and in the best interests of the City of Sul dan.

to waive all formalities and

Specifications may be obtained from the Office of the City Secretary at the City Hall, Sudan, Texas. Arnold Reed

Mayor

PERSONALS

Jim Fields and Brian May spent a weekend recently in San Angelo visiting Brian's brother, Kevin May. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Witt of Spur visited recently here with their son and daughterin-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bingham.

Jerry Price has been taken to the Veterans' Hospital in Amarillo where he may possibly undergo surgery. Mrs. Charles Rich and Mrs. Jerry Price accompanied him there Tuesday.

Mrs. Effie Fields, sister of Arnold Beckett, suffered a stroke Tuesday at the Hospitality House in Littlefield. Mr. and Mrs. Don Ham were in Abilene Tuesday to visit their daughter, Connie.

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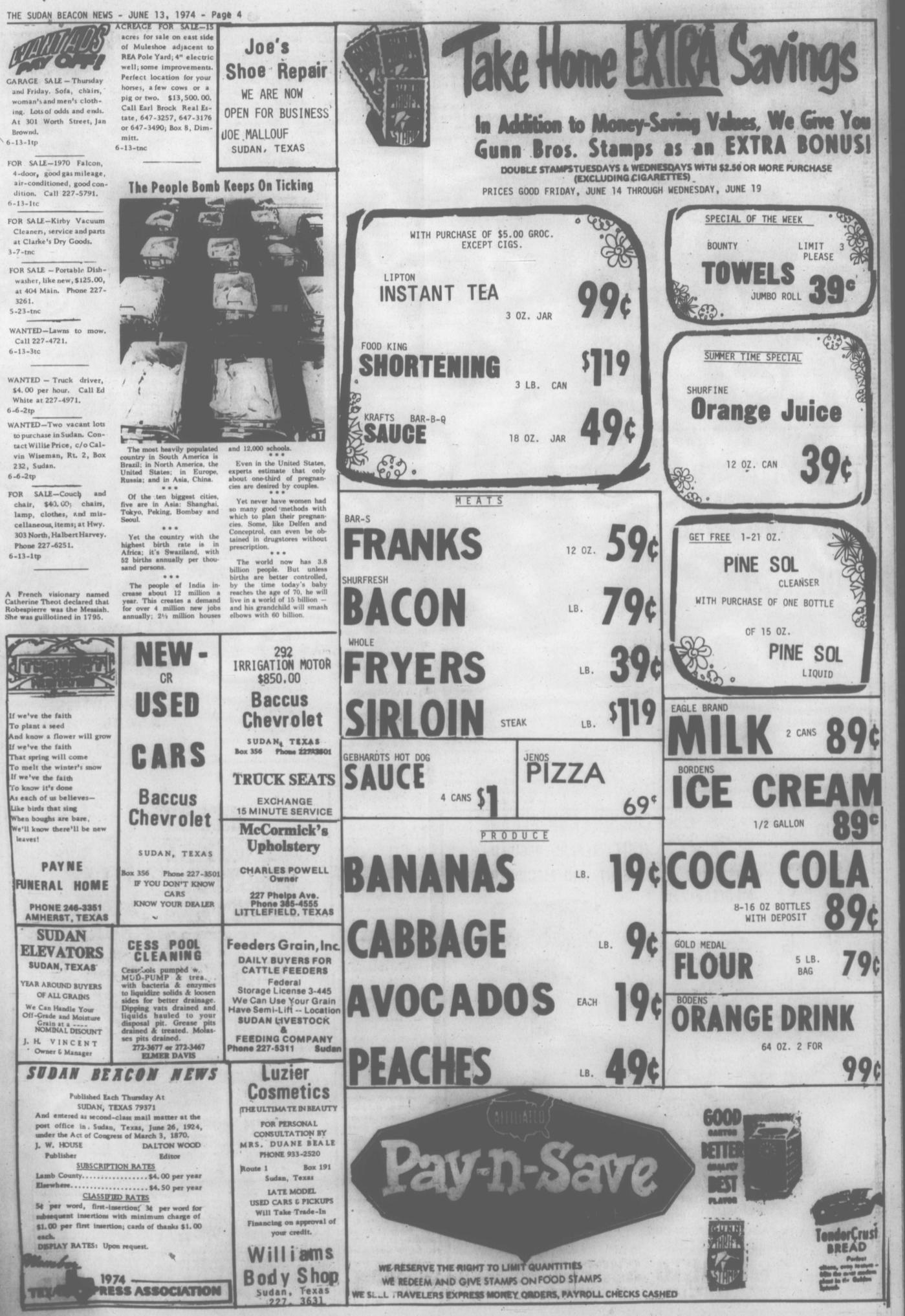
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