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PLANS BEING MADE FOR DEVELOPING CITY PARK AND CONSTRUCTION OF NEW POOL

A representative group of interested citizens attended a public meeting held at the high school building Friday night of last week, to discuss the feasibility of developing the City Park, located on Turkey Creek, at the west edge of the city limits, into a community recreational area with facilities for the entertainment of all ages.

A park committee representing the Quarterback Club, Chamber of Commerce and the City Council made a report on its study of the park proposal and recommended that the city park be developed and that plans be made for the construction of a swimming pool on the east edge of the park area. Tentative plans recommended by the committee also included picnic facilities under the Liveoak grove in the center of the area and construction of a baseball diamond on the west end of the park, leaving sufficient space for other activities that could be included in the program from time to time. This committee was composed of Paul Whitton, Dr. Carl Sohns and Jack McCarty.

With J. L. "Poky" Bonner, president of the Quarterback Club presiding, the group discussed ways and means of financing a project of this type and it was decided that a best and fairest method would be through a bond election, thus giving all residents of the city a voice in the matter. The city council was asked to investigate the bond proposal in regard to legal procedure and if found possible a petition will be circulated calling for the election at an early date, so that the project can be ready for use next summer.

Mother Of Pioneer Lady Buried At May

Mrs. Cleora V. Anderson, 88, of Abilene, mother of Mrs. W. R. Gibson of Pioneer, passed away at her home in Abilene Monday. She had been critically ill for three months.

Mrs. Anderson was a resident of May for 50 years having moved to Abilene in April of this year.

Funeral services were held at the May Baptist Church Wednesday, July 4. Burial was in the May Cemetery beside the grave of her husband who died 12 years ago.

Survivors are one son, W. C. Taylor of Wylie; two daughters, Mrs. A. C. Paddock of Fort Worth and Mrs. Gibson; 13 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren; and two brothers, Ross Agee of Meeker, Colo. and Arthur Agee of California.

GI's In Rural Areas Seeking Home Loans Given Instructions

Veterans in rural areas seeking GI home loans who are turned down by local lenders should apply direct to Veterans Administration regional offices rather than to Voluntary Home Mortgage Credit Program (VHMCP) regional committees, VA announced today.

This suggestion is made, VA said, in order to speed up direct VA loan processing and set up a priority system for veterans who are unable to secure VA-guaranteed GI loans from private lenders through VHMCP.

Southwestern VA Regional Offices are located at Houston, San Antonio, Waco, Dallas and Lubbock, Texas, Shreveport and New Orleans, Louisiana, and Jackson, Mississippi.

Previously, veterans seeking GI loans were being referred direct to VHMCP regional committees so that these committees might be able to assist in securing private GI mortgage financing for World War II and Korean conflict period veterans living in remote areas and small communities.

Veterans, applying to VA, will be sent a VHMCP home loan application. VA will then put their names on a register so that a follow-up may be made and a priority established for the individual veteran.

Should the VHMCP committee be unable to provide GI financing for homes from private lenders, the veterans then can apply to VA for a direct government loan.

Loans secured from private lenders through the facilities of VHMCP regional committees will be guaranteed loans bearing the same interest rate as VA direct loans 4 1-2 per cent per annum.

Recently VA took another important step in speeding up the process of getting mortgage financing for veterans living in rural areas by cutting the time for referring direct loans applications to VHMCP regional committees.

These committees now have 20 working days instead of 45 calendar days, as was the previous procedure, in which to secure loan commitments from private lenders.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. McDonald and family of Abilene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Hobdy.

For social security purposes, minimum retirement age for both men and women is 65.

Absentee Balloting In July Democratic Primary Begins Next Sunday

Voters who cannot be present at their precinct voting polls on Election Day, Saturday, July 29, can secure an absentee ballot from the office of the county clerk at Baird, anytime after Sunday, July 8, according to an announcement made this week by County Democratic Chairman Tom Barton, Jr., of Baird.

The July Democratic Primary Election will be held throughout the state on Saturday, July 29, and state law requires that absentee ballots be available to voters 20 days before election day. Since this date falls on Sunday, qualified voters who need to vote an absentee ballot can secure their's any time beginning Monday, July 9, he said.

Jack McCarty, Democratic Precinct Chairman, stated that polls in Cross Plains will open at the city hall at 7:00 a.m. and will close at 8:00 p.m.

R. C. Brown Buried At Pioneer Sunday

Richard C. Brown, 64, was laid to final rest in the Pioneer Cemetery Sunday afternoon July 1, 1956 following a funeral service at the First Methodist Church in Rising Star at 3:30 p.m.

Rev. R. A. Brooks, pastor of the church officiated assisted by the Rev. W. E. Anderson, retired Methodist minister of Brownwood.

Mr. Brown died Saturday at 3:30 a.m. in Graham Hospital at Cisco where he had been a patient for several days. He had been ill for several years.

He was born in Eastland County January 19, 1891, one of ten children of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown. He spent all his life in Eastland County in the Pioneer Community.

He served in World War I with Battery D, 345 Field Artillery. He spent nine months with the army of occupation in Germany.

Survivors include the widow, Ethel; two sons, Richard C. Brown, Jr. of Pioneer and James H. Brown of Kermit; one brother, J. C. Brown of National City, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Ike Kendrick of National City, Calif., and Mrs. Sterling White of Rising Star.

Two daughters, Mrs. Matt Milam, Jr. preceded him in death in 1947 and another daughter was buried at Pioneer in 1935.

The American Legion were in charge of graveside services and acted as pallbearers.

Area Oil News

Big D Drilling Co., et al. of Cross Plains staked No. 6 W. T. Wright as a 1,450-foot rotary project two and a half miles southwest of Cross Cut in the regular field. Location is 400 feet from the north and 2,331 feet from the east lines of Stephens Jones Survey 282.

Completed in the regular field three miles east of Cross Cut was C. L. Mann, et al. of Abilene No. 14 E. W. Arledge, in N. B. Mitchell Survey 150.

Daily potential was 13.67 barrels of 44 gravity oil, pumping from open hole at 1,286-1,306 feet, where formation was ruptured.

Citizens Urged To Learn Proper First Aid Methods

Austin—Published photos showing wrong and possibly disastrous resuscitation postures in actual water fatality scenes prompted the Executive Secretary of the Game and Fish Commission to caution fishermen and other water enthusiasts about the danger of emergency quackery.

One photo shows would-be-rescuers working over a drowned man lying on his back, with "one resuscitator" kneeling between the victim's legs with the volunteer's hands on the lower part of his chest. Meanwhile, an inhalator is connected with the man's mouth.

Another photo taken in another section of the state shows a drowned man face down on an ambulance cot but with his head tilted upward while a person applies artificial respiration.

Mrs. Dorothy Lundell of state Red Cross headquarters in Austin, said both routines were "tragically wrong in more ways than can be told in short space."

Persons overcome in the water she pointed out, should always be placed face down for first aid, with the head lowered slightly. She described the position of the man applying restorative methods to the lower front torso of another's body as "futile and practically criminal."

The Executive Secretary joined Mrs. Lundell in urging persons to familiarize themselves with orthodox first aid methods especially since the Fourth of July holiday approaches with its traditional toll of drowning victims.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Williamson of Snyder were week end visitors here with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rhodes.

Residential Street Paving Proposal Meets With Enthusiastic Response of Residents

Hulon Barr To Head New Bank In Houston

News was received here this week announcing that Hulon Barr, son of Mrs. S. C. Barr of this city, who has been vice-president and director of the First National Bank of Angleton, has accepted a position as head of a newly-organized bank in South Houston.

According to the announcement, Barr will become executive vice-president and director of the Southern State Bank in South Houston. He started work on the organization of the new bank, July 1, and plans call for the opening of the institution shortly.

He has 20 years of banking experience. Starting in the business in the Citizens State Bank here, he also worked in banks in Baird and Abilene. After leaving Abilene, he served as assistant national bank examiner for four years and has been with the Angleton bank for the past 4 1-2 years.

Barr was born and reared here and graduated from the local high school.

4-H Club Camps To Be Held This Month

County Agent Glen Green announced this week that two area 4-H Club Camps will be held during the month of July, and local club boys are asked to contact him if they plan to attend.

The first camp session will be the District 8 4-H Club, to be held at the Baptist Encampment Grounds at Lake Brownwood, July 16, 17 and 18. Cost of this camp has been set at \$4.00 per person and County Agent Green points out that Callahan County can only make reservations for six or seven boys. Interested boys are urged to contact Mr. Green by card or letter immediately if they want to attend this camp.

The six-county Boys 4-H Club Camp will be held at Lake Cisco, July 23 and 24, and cost has been set at \$1.50 per person, it was said. Each boy attending this camp will furnish the following food items: large loaf of bread, large potato, half-cup pinto beans, one-fourth pound bacon, four eggs and one large onion.

Boys attending either of the camps are instructed to bring the following items: bathing suit, ball cap or hat, ball glove, change of clothes, toilet articles, insect repellent, bedroll, knife, fork, spoon, tin plate and cup.

Green stated that he was not limited on the number of boys attending the Cisco camp and urges all county club boys to make plans to attend and bring their dads. Boys planning to attend are asked to contact Mr. Green as soon as possible so that plans can be completed for the county group.

Accuracy Essential In Social Security Reports Or Returns

Employers, employees, and self-employed persons should not overstate understate income for social security purposes. That caution comes from R. R. Tuley, Jr., District Manager for the Abilene area for the Social Security Administration.

"Because of the increased benefits provided by the 1954 Amendments to the law, there could be a temptation to misrepresent earnings," Tuley said.

"For one thing, because larger wages or net profits could mean larger benefit payments, some people might be tempted to overstate their income in order to build up higher social security benefits. A self-employed person, for example, might want to omit allowable business expenses so that his net would be larger than the correct figure."

"On the other hand, someone receiving benefits might be tempted to understate earnings so that receipt of such benefits would not be suspended. Anyone making a false statement or misrepresenting a situation in connection with Federal old-age and survivors insurance (social security) is actually committing fraud," Tuley added.

In some few cases recently, according to records in the Abilene office, it was necessary to adjust income earnings figures as shown on the annual Revenue Service of the misstatements discovered. To avoid possible embarrassment in the future, persons making reports or returns of income or earnings for social security purposes should make every effort to be accurate.

Visitors in the Richard Thompson home over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baker and family, Fort Worth; M-Sgt. Grady Ramey and family San Angelo; Capt. R. G. Thomson and family and Capt. Ollie Rogers and family all of Big Spring.

Jack Scott Resigns As Editor of Baird Star

Jack Scott, well-known and popular resident of this community, and long-time publisher of the Review, resigned his position as editor of the Baird Star, the past week, after serving in that capacity for the past eight months, according to an announcement made in last week's edition of that publication.

He is an instructor in the Callahan County Vocational School for Veterans in Baird, and teaches classes there Monday through Friday evenings of each week.

C. M. Isenhower, publisher of the Star, who resides in Valley Mills, announced that V. H. Torrence of Austin, Texas is now editor of the paper.

A. O. "Slim" Harris Named Area Agent For Burial Insurance Firm

In a display advertisement, appearing on page seven of this edition of the Review, the Morris Association of Brownwood, announces that A. O. "Slim" Harris, of the Pioneer Community, has been named area agent for their burial insurance program and invite the citizens of this area to call him for their needs in this type of insurance.

"Slim," as he is familiarly known to a wide circle of friends in this area, states that he plans to call on the citizens as soon as time permits, but invites anyone desiring to talk over the Morris Plan to drop him a card, addressed Rt. 2, Rising Star, Texas.

RAY NUNNLEY ELECTED COACH AT RISING STAR

According to press releases the past week, Ray Nunnally, well-known coach of this area has been hired as head coach of Rising Star High School, after being in retirement for the past five years, during which time he has served as classroom teacher and high school principal of the neighboring school.

Nunnally guided the Wildcat football teams of 1948 and 1949 to regional championship. Along with his new coaching duties he will also continue to serve as principal, it was said.

Weldon Hill, former Rising Star athlete who played under Nunnally one year and a graduate of Howard Payne College, was elected assistant coach and commercial teacher.

The Rising Star post became vacant a short time ago when Head Coach Bill Michael resigned to accept a position at another school.

MR. AND MRS. JOHNNY ADAIR PARENTS OF BABY DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Adair are parents of an eight pound nine and one-half ounce baby daughter born Tuesday, June 26, at Saint Ann Hospital in Abilene. The baby has been named Gina Lynn. Both mother and baby are doing fine and were moved to their home on the Owens Ranch, west of Cross Plains Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adair and Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Nichols are the grandparents and great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Merriman and Mrs. C. E. Atwood all of Cross Plains.

W. D. Smith was a business visitor in Baird and Abilene Monday.

PHILOSOPHER WANTS THE RIGHT OF BEING MISQUOTED EXTENDED DOWN TO ALL LEVELS

Editor's note: The Bayou Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on the Bayou will get nowhere with his idea this week, but does he ever?

Dear editor: I never have worried about the privileges other people have so long as mine are holding up, but when a privilege comes along that doesn't cost anything and other people are entitled to, I'm in favor of scattering it around.

What I'm leading up to is the privilege Congressmen and other Washington officials have of being misquoted.

You take a bigshot Washington official, he can rear back and make a statement to the newspaper reporters, and they can notify their papers, and when it comes out in print and sounds a whole lot different and worse in the light of sober after-thought, the bigshot can correct himself by saying he was misquoted.

Some people criticize them for this, saying they're trying to crawl-fish out, but I don't hold to that at all. What I'd like to see is a more universal use of this idea.

Take a man who's stood an in-law's visit about as long as he can make a remark to his wife along this line, and peace and harmony are destroyed. The next day, especially if it had the desired result and the in-law took off for home, he would write him saying he was misquoted, that his statement had been taken out of context, as they say in Washington.

Or say I get a letter from the bank saying my note is due. If I could get around the situation by saying I'd been misquoted on the due date, when I was quoted as saying July 1, I meant to say I'd pay it back October 1, and the bank would correct the error, I'd feel like getting treatment equal to a Congressman and his boners.

The man who has never put his foot in his mouth hasn't shown up around here yet, and this misquoting angle is the handiest answer I've ever seen to the problem.

Any time you don't agree with anything I write in the Review blame yourself for misquoting me. Yours sincerely, J. A.

ready for paving crews to start work on.

In the proposal made by the council last week, residents can get the streets adjacent to their property paved for the nominal cost of 60c streets adjacent to their property owners in the block voluntarily agree on the project. Blocks must be signed up solid before paving can be had.

This program will give residential streets a 24-foot paved street and if residents want additional paving in front of their home, on driveway or parking area, they can secure it for five cents per square foot.

This low-cost program is made possible because the city agrees to do the base work and assume the cost of paving intersections and alley crossings.

Mayor W. D. Smith is appointing "Block Captains" where a desire has been expressed to get paving and if you are interested in this in your block, contact him and volunteer your services.

T. H. Strickland Dies Suddenly, Buried At Burkett, July 3

Thomas Henry Strickland, 60, lifetime resident of the Burkett community died Monday morning, July 2, of a heart attack in a Doctor's office in Coleman where he was to receive a check-up. He had been in ill health for sometime.

Funeral services were held at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 3, at the Burkett Methodist Church with Rev. Jim Bales, former pastor of the church officiating. Burial was in the Burkett Cemetery.

Mr. Strickland was born at Burkett November 11, 1895 and had lived there all his life. He was married to Miss Ollie Louise Zirkle December 4, 1920 at Coleman.

Survivors include his wife; five sons, Bill, Tommie, Jack, Oliver and Eddie all of Burkett; two daughters, Norene Strickland of Burkett and Mrs. Carey Hightower of Eastland; two brothers, Ben Strickland of Coleman and Hardy Strickland of Burkett; three sisters, Mrs. Nellie Holeman, Mrs. Nettie Cross and Mrs. D. Bludworth all of Burkett and eight grandchildren.

Higginbotham Bros. & Co. were in charge of arrangements.

Serving as pallbearers were Gilder Adams, Tom Strickland, W. B. Bludworth, Roger Watson, Dolph Evans and Carl Bludworth.

Odum Service Station To Begin Operation of New Wash and Grease Bldg.

In a display advertisement appearing on another page of this edition of the Review, Morris Odum, owner of Odum's Texaco Service Station, located on West Highway 36, announces that the new and modern wash and lubrication building, located just west of the station will be completed and placed in operation this week end and motorists of the area are invited to drive by and inspect the new addition to this fine automotive service establishment.

Odum states that the station will be equipped to give complete automotive service and asks citizens of this area for an opportunity to prove their first-class service.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ches W. Barr were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth White and family, Odessa, Mrs. Joe B. McCollum, Corpus Christi and John Atwood and daughter, Ruby, of Lubbock.

Do You Remember?...

July 4, 1941

L. M. Barron and daughter, Anna Belle, who live Northeast of town, were seriously injured Tuesday morning when their car was struck from behind by another automobile driven by three soldiers.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Underwood and son left this week for Rochelle to make their home.

Mrs. R. G. Howell, Mrs. G. M. Richardson, Mrs. R. L. Little and Miss Fern Smart entertained Friday night, June 27, with a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Socrates Walker, the former Miss Jane Ferguson, in the home of Mrs. R. L. Little.

Wilson's Cafe, Cross Plains oldest eating establishment, this week moved to new quarters, taking the Gensley building, three doors South of the old location.

Pictured in this edition were Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Griffin, of Tulla, formerly of Cottonwood, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary June 29.

Marriage of Miss Bertha Muri Tabor, of Burkett and Leroy (Bud) Grisson, of this place, was solemnized at eight o'clock Saturday night June 28, in the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Bryan, with Rev. Bryan reading the single ring ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson, of May, moved to Cross Plains Saturday, taking the Carpenter residence in the North part of town. Mr. Edmondson will teach Vocational Agriculture in Cross Plains.

Mrs. D. Williams and Bradley Cross attended the funeral of their brother, Tom Cross at Portland, Indiana Sunday. Mr. Cross was accidentally electrocuted one day last week. He is the son of Bob Cross of this place. Burkett news.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson are

the parents of a baby boy born June 15. The Wilsons were formerly of this place, but now live at Buffalo, Burkett news.

July 10, 1936

A rain which fell in torrential sheets blanketed the Cross Plains trade territory Sunday afternoon, netting in most places more than two inches.

Rosie's Beauty Shop, owned and operated by Miss Rosa Van Lane, is now housed in new quarters on South Main Street.

Funeral services for William Mack Penn, 24, grandson of Mrs. W. A. McGowan of Cross Plains, were held at Dallas Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock.

A canning plant will be opened as the W. P. A. Project in Cross Plains, Monday.

Honoring M. L. Shook on his seventy-ninth birthday, members of the Shook family, their friends and relatives gathered at the old family home near Hilburn, Saturday, July fourth, for reunion and birthday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gage of Sabanno are proud parents of an eight pound baby girl, born Monday night, July 6.

Raymond Steele, principal of the Dressy school who is attending summer school at Texas University in Austin spent the week end with his family at Dressy.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McDermott and family and Bobby Lee Westerman attended the reunion in Stamford Friday and Saturday.

When Mr. and Mrs. Lee Champion returned to their home near Cottonwood early this week after a visit in Oklahoma, they found the house ransacked.

The first 1936 cotton reported blooming in the Cross Plains trade territory is said to be located near Echo.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Whitehorn Sunday, July 5th. Cottonwood news.

Miss Mildred Newton of Saint Louis, Mo. arrived Wednesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willy Newton Burkett news.

Mr. & Mrs. Silas Havens had as guests last week, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Haakansen and son, Ronnie, of Fox River Grove, Ill.; Mr. & Mrs. Don Brown and daughters of Midland and Mr. & Mrs. Eldon McIntosh and sons of Odessa.

Mr. & Mrs. Roy Haakansen and son, Ronnie, left for their home at Fox River Grove, Ill. the last of the week after spending their vacation with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Silas Havens. They visited in Dallas enroute home with her brother, Loyd Havens who recently underwent surgery at St. Paul's Hospital.

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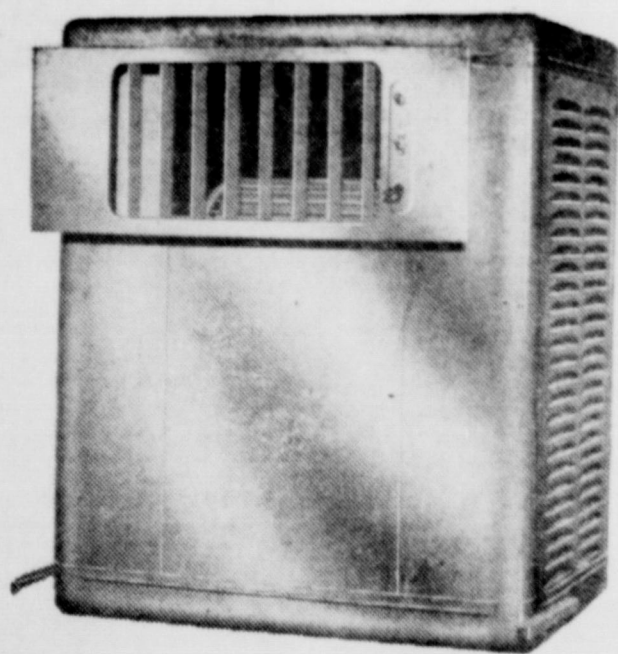
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Q — I have just gone on active duty, and I am covered by \$10,000 free indemnity. Am I supposed to send V. A. a list of my beneficiaries?

A — Your list of beneficiaries should not be sent to V. A. It should go to your branch of service instead. The military departments maintain these records for servicemen.

Q — I had two periods of Korean military service — one from 1950 to 1952 and another from 1954 to a few weeks ago. What is my deadline for starting Korean GI training — three years from my discharge or three years from my second?

A — Your starting deadline is three years from your second discharge. Veterans with more than one period of service during the Korean conflict compute their deadline from their final discharge.

Q — I am a Korea veteran. Must I have 90 days of service within the Korean conflict period to qualify for a GI loan? I entered service the middle of January, 1955, and the conflict period ended January 31 1955.

A — All 90 days need not be within the Korean conflict period. What you need, generally, is a total of 90 days of service, with any part of it falling within the Korean conflict period.

Q — I am a disabled Korea veteran. Will I get help in choosing a course of vocational rehabilitation training under Public Law 894?

A — Yes. You will receive vocational counseling to help you get a better idea of your aptitudes and abilities, so that you will be able to make a wise choice of training objective.

Washington

"As It
Looks
From
Here"



OMAR BURELSON
Congressman
17th District

Washington, D. C.—In a number of cases at different intervals during the last twenty years, the Supreme Court has directly and indirectly ruled that the Federal Government has the power to control that to which it contributes.

If this philosophy were strictly enforced, there would be fewer States' Rights left than have already been usurped by Washington. We hear much about States' Rights, and most people are all for it. However, many of us as individuals and as communities, are willing to sell off a little bit of these "rights" in return for Federal money. It is something like selling royalty interest under land. When we sell a part of oil or gas royalty under our land, it is gone forever unless we buy it back, and that is seldom done.

There are those who really believe that most all our government should come directly from Washington. A considerable amount of the Federal government which we today find in our lives and in our business has been bought with States' Rights we relinquished. It works both ways — there is a buyer and a seller.

This last week there was a bill passed in the House of Representatives more or less erroneously entitled a "Water Pollution Bill". Research and study are greatly needed to find the answer to cleaning up many polluted streams in order to safeguard a clean water supply for human consumption and to protect wildlife. The bill, however, carried the well known "grant-in-aid" provision, which would permit towns and cities to receive directly from the Federal Government money for their sewer systems.

Now, no one could imagine that the Federal Government would want to control the sewer system of any town or city, but probably they could if it came to a Court test.

There is pending in the Congress a bill known as HR 3, introduced by Congressman Howard Smith of Virginia. It is an effort to redefine the basic concept and the historic doctrine of States' Rights. The essence of the measure provides that in the absence of a Congressional declaration depriving States of passing laws on a particular subject, and in the absence of any conflict between the State and Federal laws, the States will be presumed to retain the right to enact and enforce similar laws.

The Smith Bill is a highly important piece of legislation. It should be passed before the end of this session of the Congress to guarantee States their proper legislative power.

If HR 3 becomes law, and we as citizens look less to Washington for Governmental help of some kind, States' Rights will be more secure.

This is really the way to bring Government back to the people. British Sayings Department:—"The world is full of willing people—some are willing to work, and the rest are willing to let them."

CARD OF THANKS

Our thanks to each one of the many friends whose loving expressions of sympathy helped us so much during our recent sorrow. We are grateful for your thoughtfulness.

Mrs. A. D. Smith and children.

Bernie Harpole returned to Cross Plains Sunday after spending several weeks in France and Switzerland with Bobby Estes and his Rodeo performers. Jack Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Watson, of Burkett has also returned to the states. However, is spending sometime in North Dakota before returning home.

Jack was one of the performers with the rodeo group.

Midsummer Furniture SALE

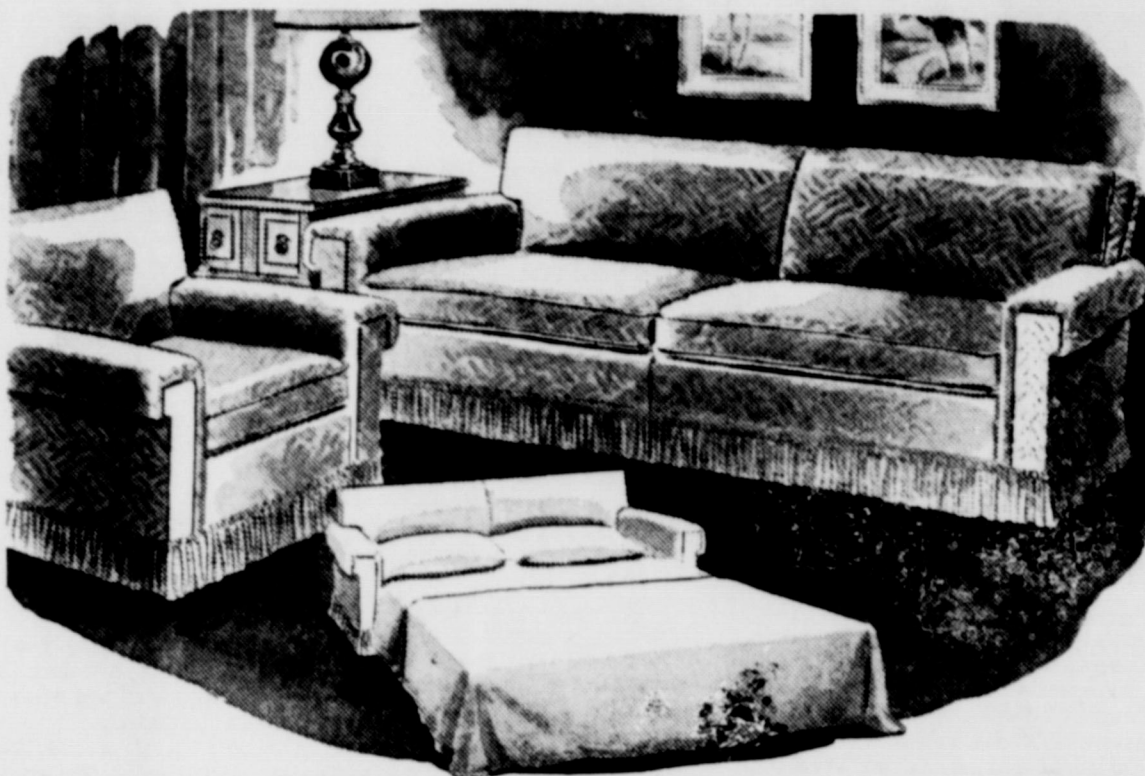
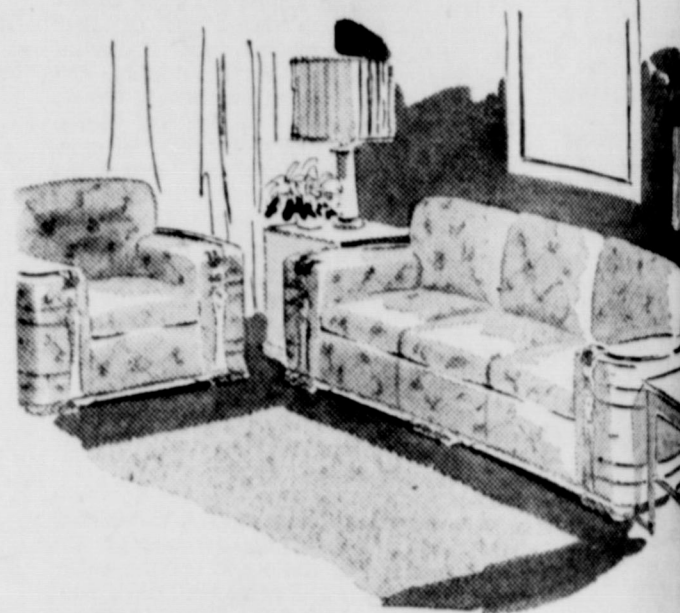
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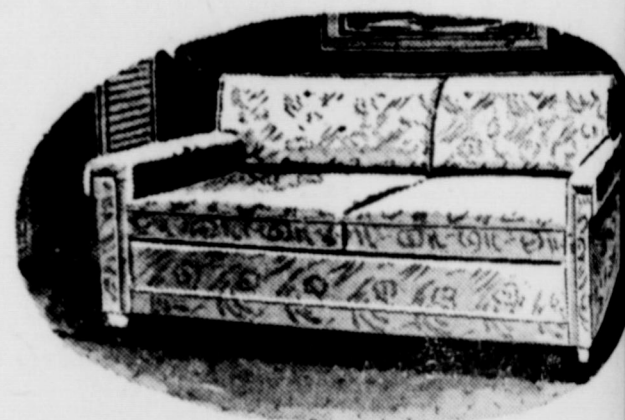
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Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

Max Watson was a business visitor in Fort Worth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Barr and son of Abilene are spending their vacation with relatives and friends here and at Burkett.

Henry Ring returned to Cross Plains Saturday after visiting with relatives in Alice last week.

Miss June Atwood visited in Abilene Thursday and Friday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Danny Myrick and little son.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson were in Comanche Sunday night to attend the religious ceremonies which opened the Comanche County celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Scott and son, Don, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Foster and Mrs. J. C. Foster were visiting in Mart Sunday with J. C. Foster's sister, Mrs. Cora Newman and also visited in Thornton with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hogan and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Breed.

Vacationers Urged To Watch For Children During Summer

When School is out — watch out! That was the watchword directed to vacationers today by Martin M. Ricker, executive director of the Texas Society for Crippled Children.

Ricker urged "common sense" precautions in a plea to keep the state's children safe while they're out of the class room and into the out-of-doors.

"Safety rules might be repeated a thousand times over, but every summer hundreds of children become unwilling statistics in the records of those who are crippled," Ricker said. "Perhaps the only way to strike back lies in the hope that repetition will make everyone safety conscious."

"The Texas Society, our state's Easter Seal Society, is vitally concerned with the lasting effects of accidents. Because Easter Seal dollars are spent to rehabilitate handicapped children and adults, and two-fifths of the patients seen in our treatment centers are crippled as the results of accidents, the Society thoroughly believes in the 'ounce of prevention' to reduce the crippling toll."

Ricker's precautions were directed to parents, children and the entire community and included safety measures to be observed in the home on the highway and out-of-doors.

For Parents:

- Set an example for children. Take advantage of any opportunity to teach safety measures.
- Guard youngest children from crippling or fatal injuries by using common sense protection. Keep guards around stairs, windows and backyard ponds, pools, cisterns or wells.
- Don't let garages become store-houses of death for children. Store poisons such as insecticides, paints, removers and thinners safely and out of reach. Do the same with fireworks, firearms and other explosives.
- Clean up backyards, removing nails, broken boxes, boards and glass. Make sure clotheslines are strung high. Keep playground equipment in good repair.
- Supervise burning of rubbish, and do it on a windless day.

For Children:

- Remember safety lessons learned at school and from parents, and practice them.
- Join a community class in swimming and follow the safety precautions. Wait for an hour after eating before going into the water. Don't swim too far, alone, or in unfamiliar places.
- Be prepared on hikes, fishing trips and boat rides. Listen to leaders' directions and follow their examples.
- Keep away from unauthorized areas like ditches, excavations, dumps or junk-yards. Don't play around with farm machinery.
- Be careful on the street. It's not a play ground. Walk only with the green light and cross at the corner.
- Keep Bicycles in good repair.

DOG ODDITIES

By Harry Miller, Director, GAINES DOG RESEARCH CENTER

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SCS District News

The test tubes and complicated equipment found in agricultural laboratories are constantly being used to help farmers and ranchmen put science to work in their operations. The result, says M. K. Thornton, extension agricultural chemist, has been more and better food, clothing and shelter for the nation's population.

Thornton is a strong believer that the formulation of any system of agricultural planning or any systematic developments of agriculture rests in the soil. He has worked during past years with other extension specialists, research workers, county agents and many others interested in educational meetings and demonstrations which point the way to greater farm prosperity and a higher level of rural living through the use of fertilizers and sound soil improvement practices.

During the past year Thornton participated in statewide and regional conferences for fertilizer makers and dealers. He visited 39 different counties to hold conferences or to participate in group meetings. He also participated in 52 meetings, 17 were district in scope, and contacted 147 county agents in furthering work in agricultural chemistry demonstrations. Total attendance at these 52 meetings was 2,350.

Thornton spends much of his time supervising the soil testing laboratory which is operated by the Extension Service at College Station. On the basis of soil samples submitted to the laboratory the soil type and location in the State, the specialist makes recommendations to farmers and ranchmen on fertilizer usage and cropping practices. Last year the laboratory tested 10,111 soil samples.

On the basis of present and past results, he says, the laboratory has proved its value to agricultural progress in Texas. He cites three examples of the value of soil testing. A pasture demonstration has been using 400 pounds each of ammonium sulfate and superphosphate an acre. A soil test showed the 400 pounds of sulfate would meet the fertilizer requirements. The result, an increase of \$7.80 an acre in net profit and a drop in fertilizer cost for ton of forage increase from \$3.40 to \$1.90.

A sweetpotato grower has been using 200 pounds an acre of 10-20-20 fertilizer to get an increase of 110 bushels of potatoes an acre found that by following the recommendation from the soil testing laboratory, 1,000 pounds an acre of 4-8-12, his increase jumped to 271 bushels an acre. His profit went from \$201 to \$122.80 figuring the potatoes at \$1.20 a bushel. The fertilizer cost for each bushel increase also dropped from 8 to 7 1-2 cents a bushel.

A central Texas cotton farmer who found his cotton yield going down submitted soil samples to the laboratory and the tests showed that 300 pounds of 10-20-0 fertilizer an acre was needed at planting time and a side dressing of 125 pounds of ammonium nitrate at first bloom. These recommendations were followed and production jumped to 3.1 bales an acre against three-fourths of a bale on the check plot. The farmer says:

Don't do stunts on bikes. Show-offs aren't funny.

For The Community—

When Driving:

- Treat all youngsters as if they were your own. Obey all traffic signals and signs. Slow in play areas. Watch for the unexpected dash into the street.
- Give cars complete check-ups before venturing to the highway. Make sure tires, brakes, lights, steering wheels and batteries are top shape. Take along emergency supplies.
- Don't drive too long on vacation trips. Stop before fatigue sets in. And don't drive too fast, it's better to get there late than not to get there at all.
- Plan community activities for children and supervise them, especially on the Fourth of July and Labor Day.

VETERANS URGED TO STUDY GI FINANCING PROGRAMS

Veterans should not misunderstand a commonly used statement that Veterans Administration "approves" houses to be financed under the GI loan program, VA cautioned today.

VA said use of the word "approves" causes some veterans to believe the home is "approved or guaranteed" by VA.

VA has only the legal authority to appraise the house to make sure the price the veteran pays is not excessive in the housing market prevailing at the time the appraisal is made.

VA makes available an inspection service in most cases on proposed new homes to determine whether they meet accepted standards of good construction and whether they conform to plans and specifications on which VA's appraisal is based.

The terms "VA or GI financing" are allowed by VA, but agency frowns an "GI or VA approved" since it gives veterans an erroneous impression.

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THE REVIEW

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Cottonwood 4-H Club Enjoys Picnic June 21

The Cottonwood 4-H Club enjoyed a picnic, June 21, under the shade trees by the tank on Edgar Albrecht place.

Soft ball was played before lunch and a delicious lunch was spread at the noon hour. The afternoon was spent in swimming.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Thornton, Randal, Florene and Sharron Gale; Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Woody and Allen; Mrs. Calvin Champion and Claude, Mrs. V. I. Spruvey Larry and Sharron Kay, Frances and Ruby Wilson, Harvey Christian, Artie May Stokes, Mrs. Callie and Doris Ann, Flora May and susie Thomas Claude, and Uaticia Templin, Mrs. John Purvis, Barbara, Tommy and Cathy, Glenn

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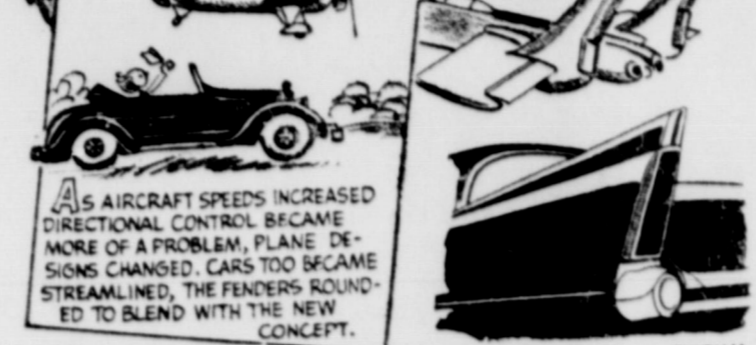


FINNERS IN THE AERO-DYNAMIC AGE

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Green Mr. and Mrs. Albrecht, Jeanne, Margaret, Eddie, Betty, Judy and Lydia.

Monday night of next week, July 9, is meeting night for the club. The meeting will be held at the Community Center and all members of the organization are expected to be present.

Miss Lyna Smith of Fort Worth spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith.

Mrs. Dale Bishop and sons visited with relatives in Sweetwater the first of the week.

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Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. Tate of Tatum, N. M. visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barnett, last week.

Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Respass of Brownfield visited here and at Cross Plains last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bryant of Odessa were here last Friday renewing their acquaintance.

Mrs. Della Mae White and son of San Diego, Calif. are visiting the Chuck Woody's.

The Cottonwood 4-H Club will hold its regular meeting Monday night July 9. All members are urged to attend.

Mrs. Boise Baker and children and Miss Wanda Baker of Fort Worth are visiting Mrs. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bennett.

Margaret Gill returned to her home after a short stay in Abilene.

Miss Frances Wilson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Templin, in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Cumbly Green of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. James of Scranton were visitors in the Talmage Green home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Neel were in Comanche Sunday afternoon to attend funeral services for Mr. D. Charles Clark an employee of Higginbotham Bros. & Co. in Comanche for 53 years, and old friend of Mr. Neel. They visited with Mrs. Cullie West in Comanche before returning home.

The visitors in the Respass home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clifton of Dallas and Mrs. Hazel Coppinger and Gaylon of Abilene. Mrs. Coppinger and Gaylon returned home with the Clifton's for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scheafer and daughter of Tyler visited his mother, Mrs. Herman Heine and husband, over the week end.

Mrs. Ellis and Mrs. Wirz of Seymour visited in the Floyd Ellis home Saturday.

J. H. Coats is much improved. He is up and around again.

Recent Bride Honored With Shower Thursday Evening, June 23

Mrs. Edd Harris, the former Miss Jane Bonner, was honored with a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening, June 21 in the home of Mrs. Jack Scott.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Scott. In the receiving line were the honoree, her mother, Mrs. J. L. Bonner, her grandmother, Mrs. G. C. Bonner of Anson and her great-grandmother, Mrs. W. H. McWhorter of Baird.

Refreshments of punch and cake squares were served by Misses Donna Garlitz and Mary Scott and Misses Mickey Jowers and Sidney McClure registered guests.

Co-hostesses were: Mrs. August Garlitz and daughter, Donna; Mrs. L. L. Montgomery, Mrs. O. B. Edmondson, Mrs. Edwin Baum, Mrs. Exal McMillan and daughter, Billie Helen, Mrs. C. M. Garrett, Mrs. Raymond DeBask, Mrs. Jack Watkins, Mrs. J. P. McCord, Mrs. Norman Farr, Mrs. Lindsey Tyson, Mrs. Tom Cox, Mrs. Bill Kilgore, Mrs. Oscar Koenig, Mrs. W. T. McClure and Sidney and Mrs. Scott and Mary.

Some 95 guests attended.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. J. G. Sims was admitted to the Rising Star Hospital Monday morning of this week and underwent major surgery Thursday morning (today).

Mrs. Jeff Clark is receiving medical care in the Rising Star Hospital. She was admitted to the hospital Tuesday afternoon.

Bernie Harpole is undergoing a medical check-up at the Rising Star Hospital. He entered the hospital Monday afternoon.

C. W. Brigner is reported to be recovering from a heart attack he suffered Friday morning in the Rising Star Hospital where he has been a patient for several weeks.

Friends of Roy Rutledge will be glad to learn that he is able to be up for a short while at a time in a wheel chair. Mr. Rutledge has been a patient in the Callahan County Hospital for several weeks.

Miss Glenna Rae Pillans, Mr. Billy Charles Kirkham Wed June 30

A candlelight service read in the First Baptist Church Saturday at 8 p.m. united Miss Glenna Rae Pillans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Pillans and Billy Charles Kirkham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Kirkham, in marriage.

The double ring rites were read by the church pastor, the Rev. D. R. Phillely, before an arch decorated with greenery with baskets of pink and white gladioli. Complimenting the arrangement, lighted white tapers glowed in graduated arrangement.

Reggie Pillans and Cliff Kirkham lighted the candles. Ushers were Mike McClure and Clark Baum. Wedding guests were registered by Misses Cynthia McCuin and Gaynell Bryan.

Organist Renee Moore, presented a medley of nuptial tunes and played traditional wedding music. Miss Billie Helen McMillan sang "Because" and "Through the Years". Coleman Pillans, brother of the bride, sang "Band of Gold".

Groomsmen were Darvel Hutchins, Jackie Pancake, C. O. Miller, Jr. and Donald Illingworth. Best man was Billy Sam Sipes.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Garland Dupriest who wore an orchid formal. Bridesmaids were Misses Lynda King, Bonnie Kirkham, Mary Scott and Mrs. Homer Robison. They wore pink formals and carried bouquets of white carnations.

The bride, given in marriage by

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her father, wore a white dress of lace over satin. Her shoulder length veil fell from a crown decorated with rhinestones. She carried a white Bible topped with an orchid and white carnations.

The bride's mother wore a dress of beige linen. The bridegroom's mother wore an aqua linen dress and their corsages were of white carnations.

After a wedding trip the couple will make their home in Odessa.

Mrs. J. H. McElroy is spending a few days with relatives in Abilene.

Mrs. Inez Turner and son of Sparenburg are visiting her mother, Mrs. F. A. Lane, and other relatives.

Mrs. M. N. Lawler left Thursday of last week for Atwater, Calif. where she will visit relatives.

Thursday, June 23

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Loans and Discounts	570,266.55
Overdrafts	405.65
Banking House	4,220.39
Furniture, Fixtures, and Equipment	4,230.00
Prepaid Insurance Premiums	305.36
Other Assets	1.00
Cash and Due from Banks	625,407.41
U. S. Bonds	1,020,135.75
Municipal Bonds	121,830.72
Total	2,346,852.55
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Reserve for Contingencies	100,000.00
Undivided Profits	27,410.80
Reserve for Taxes	6,470.19
Deposits	2,112,971.56
Total	2,346,852.55

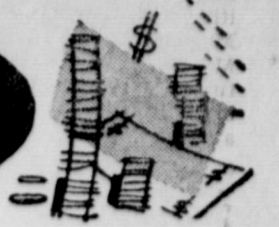
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For State Senator, 22nd Dist: Herman Pitts

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For State Representative, 76th District: Omar Burkett Paul Brashear

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Matthews and children left Friday of last week for Mart Sunday with Mrs. J. C. Foster's iting for sometime with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Brashear. Mrs. Matthews spent several days the first of last week in Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene, undergoing a medical check-up. She was released from the hospital Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore were visiting in Abilene Friday evening of last week.

Mrs. Jake Dallas and Douglas spent Saturday night and Sunday in Colorado City visiting with Mr. Dallas who is employed there. David Dallas of Lubbock joined them there for the week end visit.

State Capitol NEWS

Austin — Politicians are waving their banners. Party leaders seek to rally their cohorts. But right now Texans are far more concerned about water.

Farm and city dwellers alike are hard hit. Years of drought have added up. Sizzling summer temperatures, unabated since the last of May, have finished off crop prospects for 1936 in many areas.

Few expect relief before the end of summer. Most despaired some time ago of rains that would "really break" the drought.

In Austin and elsewhere attention focused on the often-bitter scrambles for dwindling streamflows. Prolonged and frequently heated testimony has been heard by the State Board of Water Engineers on water rights from the proposed Canyon in South Central Texas.

San Antonio sought permission to take 100,000 acre feet of water annually from the dam. It is the only way, said San Antonio officials, that the city can meet its future water needs.

Guadalupe Blanco River Authority strenuously opposed the request. Joined by citizens of some 20 small towns in the area GBRA contended that the city allocation would not leave enough for downstream users, nor enough to operate a hydro-electric plant.

Testimony is expected to continue for several weeks. Ultimate decision probably will set a precedent for future controversies.

Farther South, the Rio Grande reached its lowest point since it stopped flowing completely in 1933. Falcon Dam was shut down, and a watermaster was appointed to ration the dwindling supply among Valley cities.

Legislators making up the state water resources committee came out with an idea for the future. They proposed a \$100,000,000 Texas Water Development Fund. Controversy over whether to finance water conservation by an ad-valorem or water-use tax defeated the program last session.

This new approach of financing through bonds would by-pass the difficulty, said proponents. But it would take a long time. First, legislative action; then a constitutional amendment by the people.

Meanwhile farmers are leaving their parched fields and looking for work in town to support their families.

Labor Unions Are Active
 Member Texas' labor unions are working to place Liberals in control of state and party offices. And, a politically-confident tone prevailed among some 1,000 delegates at the State Federation convention, here.

Union labor leaders, who played a mighty important in ousting the conservatives from control of the Democratic party, have openly announced that they will campaign to: 1. Elect Ralph Yarborough governor; 2. Elect legislators friendly to labor; 3. Defeat Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey; 4. Gain control of the state Democratic convention in September; and 5. Elect Liberals to the State Democratic Executive Committee.

Labor Law Decision Pending
 Texas' right-to-work law now awaits state Supreme Court ruling, possibly July 11.

Opponents and backers of the law clashed sharply in final arguments before the court. Union attorneys declared that the Texas case parallels a Nebraska suit in which the U. S. Supreme Court recently voided that state's right-to-work law in the railway industry. Railroad attorneys objected strenuously. They declared the Texas case presents much broader issues.

Said Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepherd, in behalf of the Texas law, "The issue before this court is the right for any Texas citizen to work in his chosen occupation without being forced to give allegiance to any organization which might be against his personal beliefs."

New Highway Policy
 An important new step in state policy has been announced by the Texas Highway Commission, for administering the new Federal highway aid program.

If and when the state provides it more money, the commission will begin to assume part of the heavy cost of right-of-way—now born wholly by cities and counties. This for highways of the primary state system not included in the new federal interstate system.

Capitol Area To Be Doubled
 Plans for a vastly expanded, 25-square-block Capitol area have been unveiled by the State Building Commission.

Originally the commission had outlined plans for extending the grounds northward two full blocks to 15th street. This would provide space for the new office building and state courts building, due to be started sometime next fall.

In adopting the official Capitol master plan, the commission designated future Capitol area all the way to 19th street and pinpointed locations of two more future office buildings.

Local Option Election Voided
 A local option liquor election is not legal if held in an area less than an entire justice precinct.

By this ruling the Third Court of Civil Appeals made "wet" a large section of Austin which had been "dry" for 21 years. It cast doubt on similarly held elections over the state.

The decision is subject to review

by the Supreme Court.

Retail Sales Up Again

By early June Texas retail trade had bounced back from its spring slump. But it failed to match the 1935 average. Sales rose 11 per cent from April to May. Durable goods were up 13 per cent. But for the year as a whole, they are still substantially behind. Reason given by analysts is overproducing and over-selling by many automobile and appliance makers last year.

Short Snorts

State recovery of veterans land funds was increased to \$1,299,418 after an Austin district court rendered a judgment for \$45,000 against J. Paul Little of Crystal City. Little has been loser in four suits totaling \$179,000. Two more are pending.

Texas' share of federal highway building funds will be tripled by the new aid bill which has just received congressional approval. Gov. Allan Shivers is urging the nation's governors to work for legislation to prevent federal laws from superseding state laws. Trial of Francisco Saenz Jr., former Duval County treasurer, on federal income tax evasion charges was postponed by the U. S. Court at Austin to July 9.

An all-time-high bid for mineral leases on state land was received by the University of Texas when Stanolind Oil Company bid a bonus of \$4,250,000 on 3,840 acres of Pecos County land. This was in addition to royalty. Total bonus payments on University leases at the June awards received \$16,437,254.

Miss Gaynell Bryan, a student at Abilene Christian College, is spending the 4th of July holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bryan and Shannon.

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Words cannot express our thanks and appreciation to our friends for their help cards and letters of sympathy and food during the illness and passing away of our husband and father.

We are eternally grateful.
 Mrs. J. H. Coon and children

AREA FARMERS CAN OBTAIN GAS REFUND FORMS FROM AGRICULTURAL AGENT

Cross Plains farmers may obtain a refund of the Federal excise tax on gasoline which is used for farming purposes by filing a claim at any time after June 30 and before Oct. 1, 1936. IRS representative, A. E. Fogle, Jr., Administrative officer of the Abilene office, announced today.

Claims for the present Federal tax rate of 2-cents a gallon are to be made on Form 2240 and should be filed with the U. S. District Director of Internal Revenue for the farmer's district. Forms are available here in Abilene at the Internal Revenue office, from county agricultural agents, and at some banks and post offices.

Initial refund payments will concern gasoline purchased and used during the first six months of 1936, according to Mr. Fogle. Refunds will be limited to Federal tax on gasoline which is used by a farmer for farming purposes, in carrying on a trade or business, on a farm located in the U. S. A farmer may also refund of the tax on any gasoline which is used on his farm by a custom operator or a neighbor in connection with cultivating the soil, or raising or harvesting any agricultural or horticultural commodity.

Mr. Fogle cautions, "Farmers expecting to file claims should keep ample records to enable Internal Revenue to verify accuracy of the amount claimed."

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril McCollough of Whittier, Calif., visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cox.

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Mrs. Silas Havens of this city spent the week end of June 23th in Austin visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Havens Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haakansen and Ronnie, of Fox River Grove, Ill. Silas Edward Nywen of Odessa and Donna Deen Brown of Midland also visited with Mr. & Mrs. Charlie Havens over the weekend.



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Recently I proposed abolition of the progressive income tax. I suggested its replacement with a flat rate tax on income with a top limit of 22 per cent, plus a Federal sales tax. I pointed out that not only would this form of tax encourage greater investment, greater risk, harder work and larger incomes for the individual, it would also necessarily reduce the tax incomes of the government. The Federal government will even collect more taxes with lower rates.

Figures from the past show this would probably occur. In the National Review of March 28 there is an article advocating a 25 per cent limit on income taxes. It contains some significant figures.

They show that in 1925 the maximum income tax rate was 24 per cent and the maximum personal exemption \$2,500. Total income tax collections in 1925 were \$2,584,140,000. The next year the top rate was dropped to 24 per cent and the personal exemption was increased to \$3,000. But tax collections increased from \$2,584,140,000 to \$2,836,000,000. Thus with lower rates and higher income groups and greater exemptions for lower groups the revenue department collected more money.

In 1927 the top rate remained at 24 per cent but personal exemptions were increased to \$3,500 taking more lower income people off the tax rolls. Again the revenue collections increased. They went to \$2,865,683,000. Next in 1928 the top tax rate was again dropped to 20 per cent. The exemption remained the same. This further reduction in rates caused only a slight dip in collections amounting to \$75,147,000. The next year a slight increase in rates, however, the revenue bureau again gained revenue. It collected \$2,939,054,000. And still at those same low rates in 1930, the tax rose to the highest level of all, although half the rates in 1925. It reached \$3,040,146,000.

These figures prove conclusively that a drop in tax rates does not automatically mean a drop in the revenue. More often it means an increase in tax collections. Canada tried this in recent years and it paid off. It paid off because at lower tax rates people try to earn more so they can keep more. They risk more because if the risk pays off they can profit more. They work harder, spend more, build more, and employ more because they do have to share such a large proportion of the fruits of their labor and investment with the government. But by earning more and profiting more and employing more they pay more taxes even at lower tax rates.

In my opinion right now would be a good time to try that kind of tax policy again. Save the working man from becoming an economic slave. \$1,500 exemption for each person. A family of four making \$6,000 will not pay taxes. The working man deserves a fair deal. God willing, we shall abolish this terrible system where the middle and low income tax group is giving its money to the government without any strings attached, and pay most of the bills. Then our politicians turn around and give our foreign friends to keep them liking us and from joining the Russians.

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J. D. Conlee of Baton Rouge, La. is spending this week with his mother, Mrs. Mina Conlee.


Misses June and Jo Atwood and Mrs. Bill Edington and daughters of Albany were vacationing in San Angelo, San Antonio and Corpus Christi recently.

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By Bob Brewer, Supervisor, Records Section, Motor Vehicle Division Texas Highway Department

This story begins with the purchase of a \$2,600.00 auto. The buyer paid cash for the car, signed his name on a blank application for title and proudly drove home. He and his family were thrilled with their new Super Duper 8. It was a beautiful car; luxurious interior; sleek and chromed exterior, and a real power plant under the hood.

A few months passed, then one day two men came to his home. They explained that they were looking for a car like his that carried a previous mortgage. The two men produced a title, and asked the owner if he had his title. They then asked the owner if he would mind if they checked the motor and serial numbers. Whereupon the owner discovered to his surprise and consternation that his title did not match the car he thought was

his. Of course, the two visitors claimed the car, and left him to seek a way in which to recover his money.

These transactions do not occur every day, but it is surprising how often an unsuspecting buyer will purchase a stolen or previously encountered car.

The Motor Vehicle Division of the Texas Highway Department was created by the State Legislature to administer the Texas Registration and Certificate of Title Laws. The county Tax Assessor-Collectors were appointed agents of the division. It is their duty to collect all fees pertaining to motor vehicle Registration and Certificate of Title and also to make preliminary examinations of the evidence of ownership. The problems connected with the titling of vehicles have doubled and redoubled since 1946 due to increased production of vehicles, sales and the high rate of population shifts between states. Texas now ranks 3rd in the nation with over 4,000,000 vehicle registrations on file in this department.

The average family in Texas will spend more for automobiles in 16 years than for all of their other real property combined. Mr. Texas thinks nothing of spending several dollars and much of his time having the abstract and title on a \$2,000.00 lot legally processed. He will purchase an automobile valued at \$3,000.00, never check an identifying number or the legal description of the vehicle. Furthermore, he will sign a blank application for title and never ask to see what evidence of ownership the seller has or his right to sell.

The Texas Police Association, in cooperation with the Motor Vehicle Division of the Texas Highway Department, was instrumental in getting a law passed by the last session of the Legislature requiring the examination of all vehicles and their evidence of ownership by a peace officer if the vehicles have not previously been licensed or titled in Texas.

If these suggestions are followed the auto purchaser can be assured of getting a good valid Texas Certificate of Title on his car:

1. Check the motor and serial number on the car against the ownership papers.
2. Check the year, body style, and make of vehicle.
3. See that the necessary papers are completed as to assignments between seller and buyer, and that the proper notarization is affixed to all papers.
4. Be sure that all liens or mortgages are properly released.
5. Before signing your application for title see that the proper description of the automobile is shown, and most important make double sure that your name and legal address are correct.

By performing these simple operations, you will be assured of getting your Texas Title without delay. Otherwise, if errors occur in the title transaction, the Motor Vehicle Division title examiners will return it to the county Tax Collector's office for the proper corrections to be made before the title can be issued. Remember, the Certificate of Title to your automobile is just as important as the title on your other real estate property. Keep it in a safe place but one that is accessible to you. In the event your car is stolen, you should be able to furnish your local police agency a complete description of the vehicle. Do not carry your title in your car; that is like giving the thief a blank, signed check.

HEALTH NOTES

Austin, May 17—A free, seminar on city sanitation will be held in Laredo May 23-24, the State Department has announced.

The meeting will be based in part on the techniques of municipal sanitation found to be workable during the Laredo Project, 2-year study of health conditions in a vital border town.

State Health Commissioner Henry A. Holle urged every municipal governmental agency to send one or more representatives to the meeting, "so that qualified leadership will be available more adequate direct and stimulate interest in solving troublesome problems of sanitation confronting all communities."

Health officers, city managers, mayors, city councilmen, water and sewage superintendents, municipal and sanitary engineers, sanitarians, public health nurses, and members of civic organizations are especially invited to attend.

The meeting will be held in the air conditioned Central Power and Light Company auditorium at 1020 Faragut Street in Laredo.

The Laredo-Webb County Health Department is co-sponsoring the seminar which will cover:

- Insect vectors and the transmission of diseases.
- The latest developments in the use of insecticides for municipal environments.
- Municipal legislation and financing of city sanitation programs.
- Neighborhood educational approaches to environmental sanitation and health.
- Procedures and financing of privy elimination programs.
- Proper methods of storing, collecting and disposing of refuse.

Principal lecturers will be R. H. Waldrip, an environmental sanitation specialist with the U. S. Public Health Service, and Georgia Walker from the State Department of Health's Division of Sanitary Engineering.

Wal Waldrop was assigned to Laredo two years ago to spark a


drive to see what could be done to bring the border city's communicable disease rate in line with the rest of the state. The city consistently reported high rates of enteric

infections.

Under Waldrop's leadership, the Project focused international attention on Laredo and its sister city across the Rio Grande, Nuevo Laredo.

The May seminar will attempt to pass on to other Texas cities the techniques proved to be successful in the Laredo Project.

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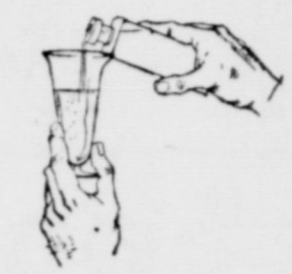
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Texas In Review

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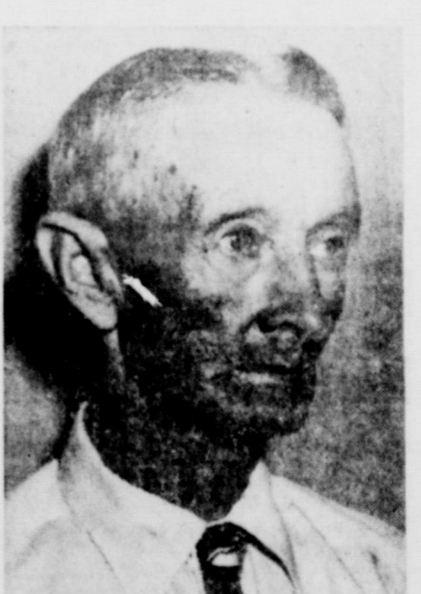
From Uvalde will come films of the processing of asphalt from mining operations and its final use of paving streets.

Other features on the same program include the various tests that a person must pass to obtain a drivers license and the operation of a big barge used for constructing offshore oil drilling platforms.

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Atwell News

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom, Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom and Larry and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and Beverly were fishing at Lake Brownwood Wednesday and Thursday and reported catching plenty of fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Sessions from Hobbs, N. M. visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions last week. Edgar was also home.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Dupriest are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Rouse for a few days.

Rev. and Mrs. Don Love and Rhonda, visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and boys Sunday.

Visitors in the Buster Foster home Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nance and children of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Foster and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and sons, Beartha Lee, Jay and Larue

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Thursday, July 5

Hutchins attended the commencement program of the Vacation Bible school at the Evangelical Methodist Church at Cross Plains Sunday night.

Jim Hewes attended the cattle sale at Abilene Monday.

Monroe Black from Cross Plains visited Mr. Black Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Horne, Tommy were business visitors from Port Worth and Dallas Thursday last week.

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