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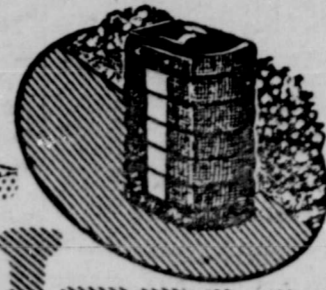
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## Social Security Notice To Younger Set Earning \$1,200

Persons who are under age 72 and receiving social security payments should notify the Amarillo Social Security Office immediately if they expect their earnings for 1957 to be more than \$1,200. The law states that a person who has earnings, from wages or profits from business, of more than \$1,200 cannot receive social security payments for all months of the year. Each \$80 over \$1,200 in earnings causes the loss of one month of social security payments.

John R. Anderson, Manager of the Amarillo Office, states that many people have the wrong impression that they can earn \$1,200 before the loss of payments, regardless of how much their total earnings for the year might be. He points out that a person earning \$150 per month does not go over \$1,200 until September but that the total earnings of such person for the year, being \$1,800, causes the loss of 8 months of social security payments. Thus if this person waits until he has actually earned over \$1,200 before he notifies the office that he is working and has his checks stopped, he will have been overpaid for 4 months.

This work provision, Sanderson adds, applies to all earnings from wages and business profits, regardless of whether the earnings are covered by the Social Security Act. The provision applies to anyone receiving social security payments while he is under age 72, including the worker himself, his wife, widow, children, or dependent parents.

## VACATION WITH SON IN CALIFORNIA, NEVADA AND MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. L. Garner visited their son Marine Corporal Bennie M. Garner, 29 Palms, California. There they picked up their son and visited Las Vegas, Nevada and Nogales, Mexico. They also visited Mr. Garner's sister, Mrs. Ray Skaggs, in Phoenix, Arizona and Mrs. Garner's sister and family, The Olen Wards, in Tucson, Arizona.

## CHILDREN AND GRAND CHILDREN IN SELF HOME

A full house of children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. B. Self. Those enjoying a fine dinner and fun were: Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Masey and boys, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Self and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Self and boys, Mrs. Lou Cowan and family, all of Silvertown, and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. McGowan and Steve of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barrett and family, of Lubbock, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Smith.

## Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held at the Commodore Perry Hotel, Austin, Texas at 9:00 o'clock A. M. August 19, 1957 by the Texas State Board of Medical Examiners in the case of Dr. J. F. Furby, D. O. versus the Texas State Board of Medical Examiners. 31-2tp

Mrs. Bryant Jones, of Electra, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Dunningan, from Friday through Sunday. A son and daughter brought Mrs. Jones here Friday and Mr. Jones came for her on Sunday.

Mrs. Don Garrison and children are in Amarillo visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gaunt and son.

## Boy Scouts are Guests Of Lions Meeting Thursday

Some fourteen scouts of the local troupe were guests of the local Lions Club Thursday evening in which they and Scoutmaster Patterson gave an excellent account of the Jamboree trip. Following a colored movie account of the trip by Rev. Patterson, scouters Robert Rhode, Charles Cowart, Mike Mercer, Champ McGavock, Joe Anderson, and Wendall Patterson gave interesting accounts of highlights on the trip. Other scouts guests of the club were included.

C. H. Janeauy of the Renner Foundation was also present and invited everyone to attend the field day at Halfway during an early part of September.

Fred Mercer and Shelly Tomlin are on the advisory council for the station.

## Posts Golden Jubilee Celebration Set For September 14-17

"The Caprock Cavalcade" has been selected as the name of the historical pageant to be presented during Post's Golden Jubilee celebration September 14-17.

The pageant, with a cast of 350 local people, will be presented the nights of September 14, 16 and 17 at the Post Stampede Rodeo Arena. There will be no presentation of the pageant on Sunday night, September 15.

Jubilee highlights announced by Paul Haagen, special representative of the John B. Rogers Production Company, will be Pioneer Day on September 14, "Faith of Our Fathers" Day on the 15th, "Brush and Centennial Belles" Day on the 16th, and Youth Day on the 17th.

## KNOX AND HASKELL COUNTY PIONEERS WILL MEET AT MAC KINZIE PARK, LUBBOCK

The Annual Knox and Haskell County Pioneers Reunion, will be held Sunday, August 11, in Mac Kinzie State Park, Lubbock, same location as formerly. All former and present residents of these Counties are invited to come and bring a basket lunch, and your friends.

A. G. JUNGMAN, Chairman, Pep, Texas.

## ENJOY OUTING SUNDAY AT ROARING SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith and children, of Amarillo, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dock Peugh and family. On Sunday the entire group went to Roaring Springs for an outing. They cooked their dinner and enjoyed swimming during the afternoon.

Mrs. Jewel Kirk and Mrs. Ralph Bell, of Amarillo, came Sunday afternoon while the Peugh and Smith families were at Roaring Springs.

Mesdames Smith, Peugh and Bell are the former Lucille, Doris and Georgia Kirk, who grew up here. Mrs. Kirk is their mother.

Mrs. H. L. O. Riddell the grandmother and great-grandmother, was also present at the dinner. Much fun was had by all during the day.

Mesdames Marlin Jarnagin, H. A. Cagle and Vinson Smith, who have recently completed beauty courses, were in Austin this week to take examinations to qualify as beauticians.

Mrs. H. A. Morris spent three days last week in the local hospital. She says she feels some better this week.



Governor Price Daniel is shown signing a resolution declaring August 11-17 Vocational Agriculture Teachers Week in Texas. With the governor, from left to right, is V. C. Marshall, director of the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association, Bartlett; Governor Daniel, Everett Harding, member of the board of directors of the association, Manor, and Lewis B. Taylor, executive secretary of the statewide association, Austin.

## 55th Legislature Increases Tuition at University of Texas

Students who are residents of Texas will have until September 20 to file applications for the "hardship" waiver of the \$25 per-semester tuition increase voted by the 55th Legislature, University of Texas officials announced today.

Students whose applications are received after August 15 should be prepared to pay the full \$50 per-semester tuition fee, but will receive a refund of \$25 if their applications are acted upon favorably.

The September 20 date was set, officials said, to prevent injustice because of failure to receive information. September 20 is the last day of registration for the fall semester at the University.

## HOPKINS AND FRANKLIN COUNTIES REUNION SET AUGUST 11

Hopkins and Franklin Counties Reunion will be held at MacKinzie State Park, Lubbock, August 11 this year.

The famous Hopkins County Stew will be the talk around the table at noon August 11th. All former residents and their families of the two will gather for their annual reunion. The spread will take place East of the swimming pool on the East side of the park. There will be plenty of stew and crackers. All are ask to bring a basket lunch, plates, bowls, spoons, glasses, and etc.

The stew committee and others are planning to take care of over 300 people. Come early and spend the day.

Glenn T. Hackney, President, Roy T. Owen, Sec-Treas.

## FAMILY REUNION HELD AT PADUCAH ON JULY 28

A family reunion was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Tye in Paducah on July 28. Others present were Mrs. Marshall Sherman and children, of Farmington, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Tye and children, of Arlington; Mr. Ernest Tye, of Wichita Falls; and Mr. and Mrs. James Davis and family, Silvertown. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Tye are parents of the Messrs. Tye and Mesdames Davis and Sherman.

## Miss Rose Ann Dennis Becomes Bride of Fred D. Buck

Miss Rose Ann Dennis, daughter of Mrs. Virgia Dennis, and A2C Fred D. Buck, son of Mrs. H. R. Buck, of Oklahoma City, were married in the Trinity Methodist Church, Jackson Street, Amarillo, on Friday, August 2, at 8:00 p. m. Rev. J. Frank Perry pastor read the service. Miss Patsy Barbee, Miss Patricia Jean Patton and her fiancée, A1C, of Amarillo A. F. B., were attendants at the wedding.

A2C and Mrs. Buck are at home in Amarillo. Mrs. Buck is a graduate of the Silvertown High School and is employed in Amarillo. A2C Buck is a graduate of an Oklahoma City High School and is now serving with the Air Corps; he is currently stationed at the Amarillo Air Force Base. They were week end guests of her mother, Mrs. Virgia Dennis.

## MRS. MAUDE MARSHALL OF SAN PEDRO, CALIFORNIA VISITING RELATIVES HERE

Mrs. Maude Marshall, of San Pedro, California, arrived in Plainview Saturday night; Roy Deavenport met her there. She is transacting business here and visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee Deavenport and Roy and Mrs. Carl Kitchens.

Mr. Alex Deavenport, of Boulder, Colorado, is visiting his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Deavenport and sons. He visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Deavenport and Mrs. Maude Marshall in the Deavenport home Sunday morning. The men are brothers to Mrs. Marshall.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kitchens included Mrs. Maude Marshall, of San Pedro, California, and Alex Deavenport, of Boulder, Colorado. The ladies are sisters and Mr. Deavenport is their brother. The Deavenport and Kitchens families are old timers in this vicinity.

## RIDLEHUBER'S ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ridlehuber, of 6113 Avenue R, Lubbock, announce the arrival of a 7 pound, 10 1/2 ounce daughter, Sara Jane, born in that city July 26, 1957. The Ridlehubers are former Silvertown residents.

## Seaney's Hold Family Gathering Here Over Week End

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Seaney and Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Johnson, of Erick, Oklahoma, and daughter, Mrs. Joe Kirkpatrick and children, of Oklahoma City, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney. The entire group were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Duncan. Other Sunday dinner guests in the Duncan home were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Seaney, of Morton, and their daughter in law, Mrs. Roy Dean Seaney and son, of Almgordo, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Seaney remained here for an indefinite visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney and Mr. and Mrs. Duncan; the P. J. Seaneys are parents of Messrs. George Seaney and Elmer Seaney and of Mesdames Duncan and Johnson.

## RAY THOMPSONS RETURN FROM TWO WEEKS TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson, Glenna and June Elkins returned home last Saturday from a two weeks vacation trip to the West coast. They visited friends and relatives in Eugene and Creswell, Oregon, where the Thompsons formerly lived. They visited Yellowstone National Park, saw the giant redwoods and drove along the coastline through California; this was June's first time to see the ocean. They visited Reno and Las Vegas, Nevada; Boulder Dam and the Grand Canyon in Arizona; the painted desert and petrified forest in New Mexico; they saw so many things and visited so many places they were unable to recall them all.

## MOVE HOUSE HERE FROM FLOYDADA

A house was brought in from Floydada late last week and located on Broadway and - Ninth Streets by Mrs. G. T. Durham; she and her children Gordon, Bill, Bobby and Jackie will move into the house as soon as it is refinished inside; they now reside on a farm south of town.

Mrs. Ola Hall, of San Antonio, is spending this week here with her nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Martin.

## Wage Scale Announced For Briscoe County

The following telegram was presented for publication in the News by Bill Day, Box 112, Plainview, Texas:

Dallas, Texas. Manager, Texas Employment Commission. 1028 Broadway—Do not Fwd. Plainview, Texas.

Wage finding effective July 30 Briscoe County hoeing cotton and grain sorghum 55 cents to 60 cents per hour paid to mixed crews. Ed McDonald Regnl Dir Bureau of Employment Security.



MISS JONI JO BALLARD

## Joni Jo Ballard Will Wed in Mission in September Rites

Mr. and Mrs. C. Virgil Ballard have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Joni Jo, to First Lieut. Seldon Wilson Dow, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Dow of Laconia, N. H.

The marriage will be solemnized at the First Presbyterian Church of Mission the evening of September 14 at 8 o'clock.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Mission High School and will graduate from the University of Texas, where she is majoring in English, this month.

The prospective groom is a graduate of Colgate University at Hamilton, N. Y., and has completed training as a jet pilot at Luke Air Force Base, Ariz. He is now stationed at Tinker Air Force Base in Oklahoma City.—Mission, Texas Times.

## LATIN AMERICAN FOOD SUPPER WELL ATTENDED

The Latin American Food Supper held Saturday night in the Burson building was well attended. Net from plates sold totaled \$29.12.

Donations for the Church Saturday totaled \$12.95 and Sunday donations were \$1.50. Other donations amounted to \$11.50.

This money will be put into a building fund to construct a Catholic Church by the Latin Americans.

## ATTEND FUNERAL IN SHAMROCK

A. D. Arnold, Gerald Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Garrison, Kay and Jerry were in Shamrock on Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Anna Seago, who had died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. O. Seale, in Hereford on Thursday. Mrs. Seago was the maternal aunt of Gerald Arnold and Mrs. Garrison.

SCRIPTO PENS \$1.00, at The Briscoe County News Office. 31-3c

## G. H. Bunch Ag Teacher, Granted Service Award

Austin, August 7.—The Texas Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association will present a distinguished service award to G. H. Bunch at its annual convention August 12-16, 1957, in Houston.

Mr. Bunch was cited for outstanding publicity for the vocational agriculture training program in the Silvertown Community.

Lt. Governor Ben Ramsey, along with members of the Texas House and Senate, school superintendents, outstanding agriculture teachers and Texas agricultural journalists will receive the awards at a special breakfast August 14 at the Rice Hotel.

More than 1,000 vocational agriculture instructors from over the state are to attend the convention, featuring an appearance of Chester Laucks, the Lum of Lum's Abner fame, and W. E. Williams, Sul Ross State College at Alpine, the first president of the teachers association.

President Sterling Backham of Sulphur Springs announced that Gov. Price Daniel has proclaimed the week of August 11-17 as Vocational Agriculture Teachers Week in Texas.

The governor cited the teachers for encouraging the "youth of Texas to devote their lives to agriculture and its improvement" and urged support "and encouragement to these fine educators who do so much to shape the careers of the young men of Texas—preparing to carry on the agriculture of Texas tomorrow."

Serving with President Backham are T. J. Honeycutt of Marlin, vice-president, and H. G. Barber of Floydada, treasurer.

## Vacation Bible School To Be Held at Church of Christ

Vacation Bible School for children and adults at the Church of Christ, beginning Monday, August 19, at 9:30 a. m., closes Friday, August 30. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, Silvertown, Texas.

## GROUP ENJOY WEINER ROAST AT SKY-HI PARK

Youth Activities Week at the local Methodist Church got off to a good start Monday evening when Rev. James P. Patterson, pastor, and James Priddy took 17 youth on a hay ride; they enjoyed a weiner roast at Sky-Hi Roadside Park and had lots of fun.

The program was closed with an outdoor nature study of the stars and a prayer. A costume program, to be held at the church, was planned for Tuesday evening.

Karen and Taylor Webb and Tracy Hall returned to their home in Lafayette, Louisiana, after having spent several weeks here with their grandfather, J. L. Webb, and Mrs. Webb. The Webbs took them to Childress where they entrained.

## Election of Red Cross Officers Set For Monday Night

There will be a meeting in the County Court Room to elect officers for the Briscoe County Red Cross Chapter on Monday night, August 19 at 8:00 p. m.

Everyone is invited to attend this meeting and elect someone to fill the vacancies.

FRED A. STRANGE, Chapter Chairman.



## Contract Let For Bridge on South Peas River; Highway 83

Paducah, August 7—Contract for construction of the bridge on U. S. Highway 83 at the South Peas River approximately 13 miles north of Paducah in Cottle County has been awarded to a Lubbock firm, according to an announcement made in Austin by the State Highway Commission.

J. R. Fanning of Lubbock submitted the low bid of \$193,290.03. The bridge across the South Peas River was washed out following heavy rains in the latter part of May. Since that time traffic has spanned the river on a low water crossing constructed by the highway department.

According to Palmer Massey, district highway engineer at Childress, it is expected to take 150 working days to complete the structure. Awarding of the contract to this firm is subject to concurrence of the Bureau of Public Roads.

William O. Hamm, resident engineer at Childress, will supervise work on the project.

Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod took her sister, Mrs. Mattie Hawkins to Childress Wednesday where she entrusted for her home in Bowie; she had visited here with the Elrods the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wimberly and sons, of Big Spring, came last Thursday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Grady Wimberly; he was enroute home from having spent two weeks with the Army Reserve Corps in Fort Bliss; Mrs. Wimberly and the sons had visited relatives here and at Plainview while he was away.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward May and family, of Cooper, were visitors here last week with his mother, Mrs. J. H. May, other relatives and friends. They were enroute home after a vacation trip to Colorado. They also visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burchard and sons, in Folsom, New Mexico. Both Mr. May and Mrs. Burchard are former Silverton folks.

## CAP ROCK SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



JAMES H. PRIDDY

**Use of Lake Pumps Grow**  
Never before has interest been so high in the use of lake water, and its use will no doubt become a common practice in years to come.

Credit for pioneering this important practice no doubt goes to the chairman of your Cap Rock District, Lem Weaver.

Lem says its warm and its rich, two points not to be overlooked, besides its pumping cost is cheaper if you have large enough pipe.

A question that sometimes arises is how much water do I have? How much can I expect to irrigate?

A good way to do this is to determine the greatest depth of the lake.

Multiply the deepest point by four tenths (.4), then multiply your answer by the surface acres. This will give you acre feet of water.

Depth of lake X .4 Z surface acres: acre feet.

One acre foot will irrigate 1 acre 3 times putting on 4 inches each irrigation.

Cost of pumping is primarily determined by the size of pipe used.

For example to pump a 1000 gallons through a 6 inch aluminum pipe a 1000 feet long is like lifting water 78 feet just from friction alone.

### "Hallowed Soil"

Rev. Patterson has been proudly displaying one of the bags of "Hallowed Soil from Valley Forge" which they received as a souvenir from the conservation show at the Boy Scout Jamboree. Bags were furnished by the National Association of Soil Conservation Districts of which your local district is a member.

Although it doesn't look as rich as our own, it reminds me

that George Washington and Thomas Jefferson were not only among the first of our country, but also among the first of the countries conservationists and practiced it on their farms.

### A Thought

One of the quickest ways to get rich is to rob a bank; but it doesn't pay; the same may well be true of our land.

## How About a Fall Health Vacation

The largest crowds in years are enjoying the health benefits and the comforts of the air-conditioned Crazy Water Hotel in Mineral Wells. Rates are unbelievably low. An example:

Two people on the 5 Day Special have a  
Choice room  
Complete daily bath and massage  
Anything desired for breakfast  
All for only \$36.00.  
For one person \$24.25.  
Make your reservations today.  
Write to

## Crazy Water Hotel

FRANCIS QUINN, Manager,  
Mineral Wells, Texas.  
(Advertisement)

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Armstrong and sons, of Midland, have been recent visitors here with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Vaughan.

Mrs. Minnie Kirby, of Gordonville, and Mrs. W. T. Davis, of Lubbock, were week end guests of their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. George Terry, Steve and Marcia, of Dallas, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Dickenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brown, of Memphis, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. J. T. Neese. Mrs. Brown is known here as Mrs. Mattie Roden.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rampley and sons are spending a vacation visit with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Rampley, Shanna and Doug, in Estes Park, Colorado.

## Picking Up After Litterbugs Costs Taxpayers Plenty

MINNEAPOLIS—It is costing the American public \$15 to \$30 a mile per year to clean up refuse strewn along the highways of our various states by messy motorists.

So serious has the problem become that 13 states have recently sharpened their penalties for this offense, according to a recent survey.

The survey, conducted through the cooperation of highway departments of 44 states, found that penalties for "litterbugging" vary from practically none in Idaho, which reports "law not very enforceable; litter increasing each year" to a maximum of \$1,000 fine or a year's imprisonment in Georgia, which reports "noticeable reduction in this type of offense" since the new law was passed.

Eight of the 13 states which have stepped up their penalties report that the slovenly type of motorist has become notably neater in his habits when faced with stiffer penalties for pig-sty behavior.

A number of other highway departments declare in the survey that under existing conditions litterbugs are difficult to catch, and even if caught, are usually let off with a small fine or a lecture by local justices.

South Carolina decided to do something about the defilers of its highways, and through close cooperation of highway maintenance and highway patrol departments, arrested 81 trash strewers and convicted 80 of them in the first 12 months of its clean highways program. "We are making some progress," says the South Carolina highway department.

## Coffee Growers Have Ally in Ant

RIVERSIDE, Calif.—Many gardeners hold the belief that "the only good ant is a dead ant."

But a recent investigation into the pest problems of coffee growers in Colombia indicates that one member of the ant family can be used to keep another in check.

The ant that bothers Colombian coffee growers does not harm coffee plants directly. It feeds only on a tiny scale insect that infests the roots of certain plants.

To maintain a steady food supply, however, the ant removes the soil from around the plant roots and places the scale insect on them. Without this help, it is doubtful that if the latter pest would prove much of a problem, since its abundance is determined only by the food requirements of the ant.

So some coffee growers have been using insecticides to kill the ants and thereby slow down the root-destroying insect, known as the tear-drop coccid.

Stanley E. Flanders, University of California entomologist who has just completed a study of the problem, feels that growers would be wiser to encourage the spread of another ant, which raids the nests of its relatives and carries off the coccid.

## Long Walk Long Held Top Form of Exercise

LOS ANGELES—That classic form of exercise—the long walk—was recognized even by the ancient Greeks as a tonic for healthy living.

So says Dr. Arthur Patch McKinlay, emeritus professor of Latin at the University of California, Los Angeles.

He reports that walking was described by the Greek writer, Pliny the Elder, as one of the "medicines of the will." Professor McKinlay explains, "You have to have will power enough to take them."

Pliny was not writing as an expert but was merely passing on to his readers the findings of prominent Greek physicians, one of whom was Hippocrates.

Hippocrates mentions walking 40 times in one chapter on digestive diseases. He prescribes brisk walks, short walks, early morning walks, after-dinner walks, night walks.

## Court Fine Takes Profit From Sale

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—A young man whose car was ordered off the road because of numerous mechanical defects had to pay \$18.35 fine and costs when he pleaded guilty to driving with faulty equipment.

After his appearance in Police Court, the man revealed he was on his way to the junk yard to sell the car when he was stopped by a police safety-check crew.

"I get \$20 for the car but with this fine, I'll have just about enough for bus fare home," he said.

### We're Insured

NEW YORK—A recent nationwide survey shows that more than seven out of ten persons in the United States have some form of life insurance protection. They total 115,000,000 policy-holders out of the country's 165,000,000 population.

Mrs. C. R. Badgett and Miss Virginia May were in Turkey last Friday; Virginia went for an appointment with a dentist.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cobb, of Tullia, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bean Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Green, of Amarillo, and Pvt. Mike Edens of Fort Hood, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morris Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. J. E. Mynard and Roy S. Brown transacted business in Colorado a couple of days last week.

Mrs. Rupert Hughes spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Herline Moreman, of Hedley, who was a patient in the Memphis hospital early in the week and later taken to the St. Anthony Hospital in Amarillo; she had been quite ill for about a month and it was only recently determined that she was suffering from a type of flu which has only been known in this country for a short time. She is thought to be better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Morris and Jowell attended a Druggists Buyers Convention in Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Malone were: H. T. Gill, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Quintine Gill, Happy; Mr. and Mrs. Hasei Sarchett and Jerry, of Tullia; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Malone, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Less Weeks, Plainview; Vinson Smith, Silverton; Mrs. Lee Wright, Mrs. W. B. Ballard, Jr., Mrs. E. L. Pettiet, Vigo Park.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Roy Brown went to Ackerley Tuesday for a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. Rosa Bristow.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins, Gail and Janice, of Amarillo, spent the week end here with Mrs. Watkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn. Messrs. McMinn and Watkins went to Wichita Falls Sunday afternoon and were overnight guests of Rev. and Mrs. Travis McMinn and Debra; they went to Mineral Wells on Monday for a load of peaches and came home Monday evening.

**PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 5, 1957.**

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3** proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Texas adding a section to be known as Section 49c, and creating a Texas Water Development Fund to provide financial assistance to certain political subdivisions or bodies politic and corporate of the State of Texas in the conservation and development of the water resources of the State, providing for the payment of such bonds; creating an agency to administer said fund and to perform other duties prescribed by law, limiting the period during which financial assistance may be granted; and providing for the calling of an election and the publication and issuance of the proclamation therefor.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of Texas be amended by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 49c, as follows:

"Section 49c. There is hereby created as an agency of the State of Texas the Texas Water Development Board to exercise such powers as necessary under this provision together with such other duties and restrictions as may be prescribed by law. The qualifications, compensation, and number of members of said Board shall be determined by law. They shall be appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate in the manner and for such terms as may be prescribed by law.

"The Texas Water Development Board shall have the authority to provide for, issue and sell general obligation bonds of the State of Texas in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000). The Legislature of Texas, upon two-thirds (2/3) vote of the elected Members of each House, may authorize the Board to issue additional bonds in an amount not exceeding One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000). The bonds authorized herein or permitted to be authorized by the Legislature shall be called "Texas Water Development Bonds," shall be executed in such form, denominations and upon such terms as may be prescribed by law, provided, however, that the bonds shall not bear more than four per cent (4%) interest per annum; they may be issued in such installments as the Board finds feasible and practical in accomplishing the purpose set forth herein.

"All moneys received from the sale of State bonds shall be deposited in a fund hereby created in the State Treasury and known as the Texas Water Development Fund to be administered (without further appropriation) by the such manner as prescribed by law.

"Such fund shall be used only for the purpose of adding or making funds

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<b>Peaches 5 for \$1.00</b>	
Chocolate Syrup, Hershey's lb can	20c
OUR DARLING No. 303 can	
<b>CORN 2 for 35c</b>	
Snow Drift, 3 lb can	83c
WHITE SWAN, No. 1 can	
<b>Pork and Beans 6 for 49c</b>	
Ajax, Giant Size	15c
WHITE SWAN Apricot, Peach, Plum, Pineapple 20 oz	
<b>Preserves 3 for \$1.00</b>	
Tide, King Size	\$1.11
AUNT JEMIMA,	
<b>FLOUR 25 lbs \$1.89</b>	
Chopped Pork, lb	49c
<b>Pork Chops lb 59c</b>	
Velveeta Cheese, 2 lb. box	89c

A watched pot some times indicates the need for a girdle.

# Grundy's Grocery

Silverton, Texas. Specials For Friday and Saturday



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## ANNOUNCEMENT

Whitesell has satisfactorily completed the required service-learning courses at the above school and is qualified to render services to you. Nunn Supply, Amarillo, and Cowan, Amarillo, District 32-2tp

Richard Eddleman, of 29 California, left for came on day of last week after having 30 day leave here with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce and other relatives and



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Kathy Hughes spent last week with her uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moreman, at Leslie.  
 Ronnie Hughes spent last week with his grandmother, Mrs. Hughes, at Leslie.

Bill Davis, athletic coach of the Canyon High School, spent Friday night here with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wayne Brooks. The entire group went to Dallas on Saturday and the men are attending a football coaching school there this week.

Mrs. Claudia B. Welch of Amarillo, underwent an appendectomy at Northwest Texas Hospital on Monday. Her mother, Mrs. J. L. Webb, Mrs. Mabel Welch and Mrs. Bill Long were in Amarillo to be with Mr. and Mrs. Welch during the operation. Frankie, James and Ann Welch returned here with their grandmothers for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Turner, Orville Turner and Orville Baker and Mrs. Frank Hunt and Frankie Lou attended the wedding of Miss Phyllis Gardner, of Vigo Park, and Duane Lemons, of Floydada, in the Tulia Methodist Church on Thursday, August 1, at 8:00 p. m. They also attended the reception following the ceremony. Mr. Lemons is a cousin to Mrs. Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Word, Doris and Rita spent the week end in Portales, New Mexico, with Mrs. Word's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gordon Lusk, of Garland, are the parents of a baby son, David Brown, born there on Wednesday, July 31. Grandparents are Mrs. Gatewood Lusk, and Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Brown; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Alexander are great grandparents

Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Ingerman and sons, of Fort Worth, were recent week end guests of her aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Seaney.

Mrs. K. M. Fleming and Mrs. Doodle Zachry spent the week end with relatives in Byers. They visited Mrs. Josie Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Cocanower.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Foust, of Amarillo and Mrs. Hamel Carrell and son of Lovington, New Mexico, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Riddle and Roy and Joy Morrison, of Lockney, spent Monday here with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McWilliams.

Mark Wayne Brooks is spending this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brooks.

## Helping Hand Club Met With Mrs. Jack Harris

The Helping Hand Club met in the home of Mrs. Jack Harris on July 25.

Members present were Mesdames Virgil Baldwin, Clyde Bramlet, Garland Francis, Alva C. Jasper, Lenton Lanham, J. D. McGavock, Frank Mercer, Aubrey Rowell, J. T. Smith, Wade Steele and the hostess, Mrs. Harris.  
 The next regular meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Alva C. Jasper.

Reporter.

Stanley L. Mohr, of Granfield, Oklahoma, band director in the local school for the coming term, was in Silverton one day last week.

Tommy and Floyd Perkins spent last week in Amarillo with their aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Otha Denham.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee and Mrs. Gordon Montague visited Mrs. Ballard Clark in Plainview on Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Ballard, the former Pauline Stevenson, is the niece of Mrs. Smithee.

Mrs. Bernie Hancock and daughter, Mrs. Ralph Cheney and Christine, of Lubbock, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Montague and Ted G. Hancock last Thursday. In the afternoon Mrs. Hancock and the visitors called on Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Porter and Mrs. M. L. Porter. Mrs. M. L. Porter returned home with Mrs. Hancock. Mrs. M. L. Porter is the mother of Mrs. Hancock and Mr. Porter; she is the grandmother of Mrs. Cheney and great-grandmother of Ted G. Hancock.

Mrs. Grace Cox and Latresa returned home on Wednesday of last week after having visited relatives down state. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Clark at Gainesville and Mr. and Mrs. Loys Fellers at Lewisville; Mesdames Cox and Clark are sisters; Mrs. Fellers is a niece to Mrs. Cox.

Mrs. Minnie Stevenson is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Martell, in Rexburg, Idaho.

Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Allison moved to Lubbock on Thursday of last week. He plans to enter Tech in the fall and she will attend business school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Clark and family, of Gainesville, and Mrs. Nadine Hohensee and daughter, of Lamar, Colorado, have been recent visitors here with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hughes, Mrs. Grace Cox and Latresa and Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes, Robert and Randy. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hughes are parents of Mesdames Clark, Hohensee and Cox and of Berton Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McWilliams, Silverton, and Roy and Joy Morrison, of Lockney, spent several days in San Antonio with M. Sgt. and Mrs. Horace Morrison and family recently. M. Sgt. Morrison is a brother to Mrs. McWilliams and Roy and Joy Morrison. The group spent a day in Galveston.

Linda and Janet McWilliams visited their maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Riddle, in Lockney recently while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McWilliams visited in San Antonio.

Mrs. Grady Wimberly returned home on Wednesday of last week from a visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sefeldt and children, at Midland.

Janice Hope Clifton, of Tulia, is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O'neal.

## CARD OF THANKS

The group of Latin Americans who had charge of the food supper Saturday night wish to thank all the people who had a part in making the supper a success. They especially want to thank Mrs. Douglas for furnishing the flowers for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grimland and Joe, of Amarillo, spent the week end with Mrs. W. K. Grimland. They brought her a new television. Other Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. W. K. Grimland were Mrs. G. T. Durham and family and Mrs. Jesse Grimland and children. Mrs. W. K. Grimland is the mother of the Messrs. Grimland and Mrs. Durham.

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### High Plains Station Works on Soybeans Research Project

Research projects on soybeans at the High Plains Station include 10 varieties in 100 foot plots four rows to the plot. Each plot is repeated four times with a total of 160 rows in irrigated plots. One variety is being tested in the dryland area at the Station in four plots.

Fifty varieties of soybeans have been planted in observation tests plots, 22 feet long. These observation plots are also repeated four times.

The fertilizer program for soybeans include 60 plots with 40, 80, and 120 pounds of phosphate and a standard application of 40 pounds per acre of nitrogen each.

Forty plots of soybeans have been planted to test the method and rate of planting for this crop. Method of planting includes 1 row per bed and 2 rows per bed, rows in the latter being 14 inches apart.

There are five different rates of seeding with 40, 50, 60, 70 and 80 pounds of seed per acre planted.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McGraw, of Fort Worth, transacted business here on Wednesday of last week and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mercer.

Mrs. R. A. Edwards, Fred Gary and Tom, of Clovis, New Mexico, spent Monday and Tuesday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Posey, and friends.

Rev. and Mrs. N. D. Nettleton were in Tulia on Sunday. Rev. Nettleton preached there at the Presbyterian church in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Lewis Koerselman, who is away on vacation.

Marcelyn and Terri Lee have spent the last several days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Reid, in Canyon.

Mrs. Gatewood Lusk is spending a few days with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gordon Lusk, in Garland.

Mrs. J. L. Self and children have been recent visitors with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gordon Lusk and son, in Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Burleson attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Bruce Meador, 69, who died at Peacock, on July 26, after a long illness. Burial was at Peacock on the 27th.

Mrs. Keith Wood and Larry D. spent several days last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rhea, and other relatives. Mr. Wood came down over the week end and took his wife and baby to their home in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hardecastle, of Meridian, visited his sister, Mrs. T. C. Bomar, from Saturday through Monday. They are former Silverton folks.

Mesdames Scott Smith and Robert McJimsey and Miss Peggy Davis spent last Wednesday night in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barrett and Nanda. Sue McJimsey, who had been there several days returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lee are the parents of a baby girl, Jan, born at Neblett hospital, Canyon, on Monday, July 29. Weight 6 pounds and 6 ounces. Mrs. G. W. Lee, Sr., of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. (Ted) Reid, Sr., of Canyon, are the grandparents.

Mrs. G. C. Boydston has recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Archie Newell in Oklahoma City; the group went to Durant and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Newell and other relatives for a few days. The Archie Newells brought Mrs. Boydston home. The Messrs. Newell are brothers to Mrs. Boydston.

Mr. and Mrs. William and Donald Dee West and Mrs. George Long, Nicky returned Sunday from a vacation trip to Santa Fe, New Mexico. They were week end guests of Mrs. Fred Logan, Susie and the Logans formerly lived here and Mrs. Logan and children lived there until about 4; they are now at home of Princess Jeanne Street, Albuquerque.

Mr. and Mrs. George of Matador, were dinner of their niece and family and Mrs. Ware Fogerson and Stanley and Mrs. Fogerson on Tuesday of last week.

Pvt. Richard Tunnell, of Chaffee, Arkansas, has several days leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Tunnell, and other relatives. He left for Lawton, Oklahoma, on Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Meador have not been in good health for some time, have been a little better the weather for several days are up and about most of the week.

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