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Youth Vehicles Cause Endless Confusion

Youth vehicles, some acquired as factory completed merchandise, and others produced by ingenuity of the owners, have caused considerable confusion among the public.

The vehicle themselves are above reproach but the laws which govern their operation have resulted in headaches for many.

According to officers who have attempted to explain the license laws, motor driven vehicles are primarily confined to operation by youths 14 years of age or older. A scooter license may be secured by youths 14 years of age for the operation of vehicles either manufactured or built which are powered by motors of less than 5 horse power. Vehicles which are powered by motors of 5 horse power or over, require the operator to secure a regular drivers license for the operation of that vehicle. A license of this nature can be secured only by youths 16 years of age or older.

Little information had been given out in this territory on the operation of small motor driven vehicles as they had not become numerous until this year. Sheriff Ross Turner or Deputy Sheriff Board will be glad to explain the law to any one considering securing a scooter for their children, or who have children who may be building such a vehicle.

It is surprising what a boy with a little mechanical ingenuity can do with a discarded motor from a lawn mower.

Peace officers have preferred to gain the cooperation of the public in handling the new scooter problem rather than to meet the problem with rigid enforcement when many of the youths involved were unaware they were showing any disregard for the established drivers license law in the state.

With scooters growing in popularity, it is expected that a drive will be made next year to secure a place for these vehicles



LONGING FOR HOME? . . . With the airport in the background, two U. S. Marines stand behind a fence in Beirut, Lebanon.

Harris Brothers Hurt Seriously

Neil and Lanny Harris were injured seriously in a head-on collision of two cars on a dirt road about three miles southwest of Dalhart about 4:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The Harris boys are in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Jerry Leavell, an occupant of the other car in the accident, is reported to be in a serious condition. He is also in Northwest Texas Hospital.

Those reconstructing the accident said that the boys were approaching each other in their cars from opposite directions when a car driving at high speed passed one of the cars leaving a blinding trail of dust.

The two cars collided in the dense fog of dust.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harris are in Amarillo with their sons.

Cap Benson Wins Safety Drivers Award

A. B. (Cap) Benson, engine operator in the Sher-Han area of Phillips Petroleum Company's natural gas department, Panhandle district, was presented with a safe driving award by G. F. Robie, assistant district superintendent, for driving a company vehicle 100,000 miles without an accident.

Benson resides at Phillips Wington Booster Camp, located near Stratford.

The U. S. imports about 50,000,000 bunches, or 3.2 billions pounds of bananas a year.

American families continued to add to their future financial security by purchasing in the past year a record \$37,000,000,000 of life insurance from the nation's life insurance companies. The new purchases were one-fifth larger than the record established the previous year.

Reasons for the greatest buying year in life insurance history are said to include the development of several new policy plans and improved merchandising methods. Particularly cited is the family plan policy covering all family members under the same contract, which accounted for one-fifth of the 1957 purchases of ordinary insurance. This was accomplished in the family policy's first full year of general availability.

The payment of benefits under life insurance policies continued at a record pace in 1957, with \$6,700,000,000 being paid to American families through their life insurance and annuity programs. Nearly 60 per cent of this total represented "living" benefits to policyholders.

At the end of the 1957 there were more than 265,000,000 life insurance and group insurance certificates assuring future family protection.



ALTHOUGH the rising cost of living (it is estimated that it takes over \$2 to buy the goods \$1 purchased in the '30's) continues to make heavy demands on the consumer dollar, American families have put 3.9 per cent of after-tax income into life insurance, a slightly higher percentage than the year before.

Life insurance ownership per family rose to \$8,300 in 1957, a gain of 9 per cent in the year and a 57 per cent rise in five years. The current average per family was reported as being equivalent to about 18 months of current disposable income.

These figures, based on life insurance owned with the legal reserve companies, are reported in the 1958 Life Insurance Fact Book prepared by the Institute of Life Insurance.

Altogether, life insurance issued by the companies covered 109,000,000 Americans for over \$458,000,000,000 of protection at the start of this year. Additional life insurance in force with fraternal and assessment organizations, savings banks and U. S. Government veterans' life insurance brought total U. S. family ownership to over a half trillion dollars on 121,000,000 Americans at the start of 1958.

Although there was a leveling off in business activity,



JUMPIN' GRASSHOPPERS! . . . Bug-eyed, Judy Turre, 9, examines a grasshopper that landed on her at Lakewood, Colo., an area hurt by the pests.

Seek Aid For Center At Gonzales

GONZALES — An urgent appeal for willing workers from Stratford to give a single evening of effort to an emergency statewide "Citizens' March" for the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation (now the Texas Rehabilitation Center) is being made by R. I. Payne of Dallas, Foundation president.

Unless financial help is forthcoming in the very near future, the famous Texas rehabilitation center is faced with the probability of having to close its doors.

"We earnestly hope there is a civic, church, women's, scout or school group in Stratford which would like to volunteer for this one evening's Citizens' March," Payne said. If so, its officers are urged to contact the Foundation's executive director, Walter H. Richter, P. O. Box 58, Gonzales, Texas, as soon as possible.

"It would be a tragedy," Payne observed, "if these remarkable facilities, built by and for all Texans, were lost to the thousands of citizens crippled in car wrecks and other accidents and by strokes, arthritis, cerebral palsy, and many other handicapping conditions."

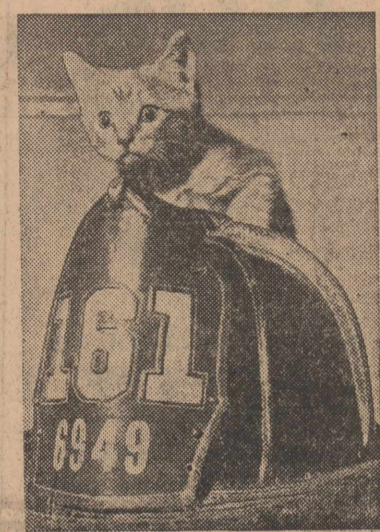
Only about 30 per cent of the patients at the center are still polio victims, and there are few agencies, such as polio's March of Dimes, which can help finance the non-polio patients. Of the non-polio patients, more than 90 per cent must have some if not total financial assistance from the Foundation's welfare program.

The Citizen's March will be scheduled some night in September and will follow an intensive public information campaign designed to tell the people

Parents Qualify Young Students For School



FEAST FOR A KING . . . Seven-year-old Rodney White looks smug over this collection of huge watermelons outside a Melvern, Kans., market.



THE HAT'S MEOW . . . This mascot is deadly serious about his duties. Smockey the Kitten keeps watch atop a fireman's helmet.

Parents are completing required qualifications for children to enter school this fall. Youthful students entering school for the first time must have birth certificates, issued either by the state department of health or the county clerk's office in the county in which they were born. The students must at least be in the process of taking Salk vaccine polio shots and must have evidence of vaccination against smallpox.

Hugh Stewart, principal of the elementary schools, is making plans for an enrollment day for the grade school students. The school enrollment date will be announced at a later date.

Copies Doane Survey Report Are Available

Individual copies of the Doane Survey report on Sherman County may be secured by Sherman County residents or land owners placing orders with the County Agents office until Tuesday, August 19. The cost of individual copies of the report will be approximately \$10.00.

In accordance with the letter of agreement with the Doane Agricultural Service, five copies of the written report will be given to the Sherman County Development Association. These reports will be placed at several locations to be selected by the board of directors and will be available to the public for use in these locations. Individual copies may be purchased at the cost of printing which is approximately \$10.00 a copy or 7 cents a page for the 150 page report. The cost of the individual copies may vary in accordance with the number of copies ordered.

Orders for individual copies of the reports must be placed with the county agents by Tuesday, August 19.

Hobby Entries A Fair Feature

Innoculate 65 Pets Against Rabies Infection

Sixty-five pets were inoculated in the anti-rabies program carried out here Monday. A heavy percentage of the pets to which the anti-rabies serum was given were cats.

The inoculations Monday, combined with the vaccination program carried out in the spring, gives the city fairly good protection against the presence of rabies which was discovered in wildlife on the outskirts of the city.

One or two pet owners forgot the date and called the city hall. These and others may secure the protection of their pets against rabies at the Dalhart Animal Hospital.

Those who have hobbies are invited to display their talents in the county fair to be held September 12 and 13. Prizes will be given to all student winners. Ribbon will be awarded to adults.

Exhibits are planned for classifications of leather craft, wood craft, reed weaving, doll clothes, photography in color and black and white, and miscellaneous hobbies.

Those in charge of the hobby exhibit at the fair plan to make this an enriching exhibit. Rules for the entry time will be made available in the fair catalog.

During 1957, Canada produced about 360,000,000 pounds of nickel, or approximately 75 per cent of the free world's entire supply.



From The Barnesboro Star, Barnesboro, Pa.: Alaska has become the 49th state in the Union through an Act of Congress this week, although for more than 40 years Congress has been petitioned to admit Alaska as a state.

Statehood bills for Alaska had been vigorously supported for the past 12 years to no avail until the recent session of Congress.

Alaska now is the largest state in the Union, succeeding Texas which heretofore had claimed this distinction.

Why should Alaska have been admitted as a state of the greatest nation of the world?

It has been a possession of the United States for 91 years and its wealth in minerals, coal and oil make it most desirable. Furthermore, it is a land of mountains, lakes, trees, Aleutians, Indians, Eskimos and 200,000 Americans.

A big oil strike in July of last year by the Richfield Oil Company, whose well produces 900 barrels a day, has started a land boom of amazing proportions. Residents, as a result of the wildcat well, have applied for more than 27 million acres of mineral leases on potential oil land. Oil rentals alone, at 25 cents per acre, are expected to give the new state six million dollars in new revenue within a couple of years.

Alaska as a state is of great importance to the nation in regards to national security. It is strategically located. At one point it is only 50 miles from Asia, and this fact alone is one of great merit from a military standpoint.

Anchorage, the largest city in Alaska, has a population of about 100,000, considering its metropolitan area. It has a daily newspaper, the Daily Times, whose editor and publisher is Robert B. Atwood, who saw the town grow from 2,500 to its present population. The climate of Anchorage is comparable to Chicago.

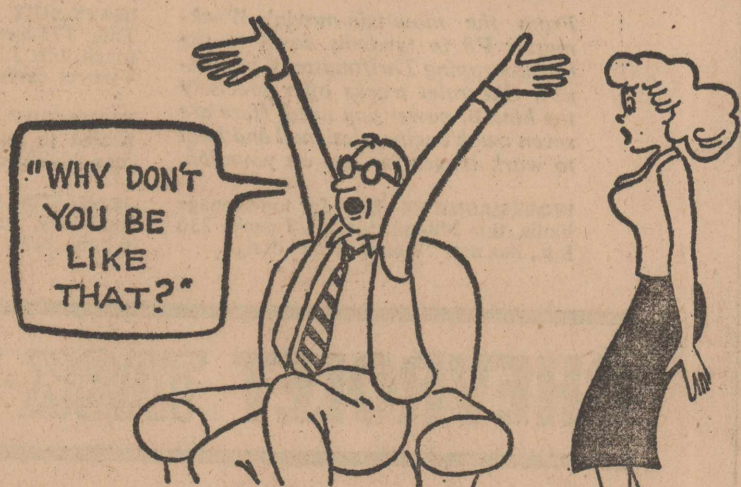
The Alaskan shores are warmed by the Japanese current in the Pacific Ocean, similar to the famous Gulf Stream which flows through the Atlantic Ocean. Because of the long days in summer time, grain crops grow very rapidly, as do garden vegetables. It is truly the Land of the Midnight Sun, which adds great splendor to the new state. However, this is offset by the long winter nights.

Its salmon fisheries in the panhandle, an island-studded coastal area, is one of the new state's money-making assets. The climate in these islands is comparable to the Pacific Northwest states, and in many respects is about the same as the west coast of the state of Washington.

FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS

Treat Your Teenager As An Individual

By C. D. Smith



"Why don't you be like that?" How often do parents make this foolish remark to their teenage children as they point to some other teenager who has done something to merit a bit of public attention?

This is the type of remark that goes much better unsaid. The average teenager has little ambition to be "like" anyone in his own age group. He may

have an idol, or someone that he desires to emulate, but it is always someone older than himself.

And, too, being "like" somebody is not an easy task. The teenager is an individual—much more an individual in many instances than grownups who fall right in line—and, further, the teenager wants to feel that he is an individual personality.

Some teenagers have talent aplenty and know how to make the most of it. Others have talent that must be developed and, rather than criticism, they need help and understanding from their parents if this development is to be rich and full.

When some parents say, "Why don't you be like that?"—they actually mean, "Why don't you participate in the same type of things. I believe you could do well, too." But, to the teenager, the interpretation is different. To him, the question is a rebuke or an indication that he is a "failure" so early in his young life.

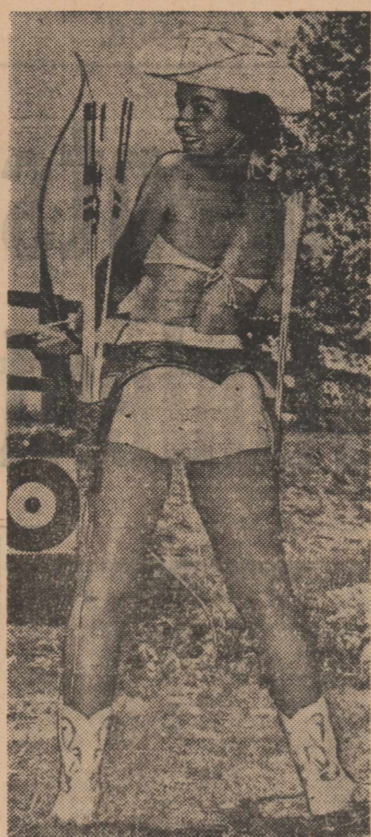
It is not in the nature of some teenagers to just "wade through" from one accomplishment to another. Yet all of them like to be a part of some activity and to share in any success. Suggestions and guidance will help them. Criticism and comparison with others only makes them feel resentful. And, are we grownups much too different?

If you have a teenage problem you want to discuss, or an observation to make, address your letter to FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS, NATIONAL WEEKLY NEWSPAPER SERVICE, FRANKFORT, KY.

Turner Family Has 32nd Annual Reunion

The 32nd annual Turner reunion was held in Dalhart August 3 to 5. Members of the

George Turner family, of which there were 13 children, have been having a family reunion each summer for the past 32 years. The first was held in Goodwell, Oklahoma in 1926 at the George Turner home. Hosts this year were Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Turner of Dalhart. Meals were served picnic style in the back yard of the Turner home. Monday evening an auction sale was held with all proceeds going to help finance the reunion. Antique articles and



NO GUN MOLL... Her holsters are used for arrows, informs Sandra Meek, 18, of Las Vegas, Nev., the resort's 1958 rodeo queen.

souvenirs were auctioned off by George Ross Jr of Alva, Oklahoma.

Family members this year were: Mr. and Mrs. Ross Turner and granddaughter, Lisa, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Turner, Mr. and Mrs. George Ross Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Turner of Alva, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Turner, Harold Turner and Dean Turner; Mrs. Vera Toomey and son of Sunray; Mrs. Virgie Kimbrel and children of Sunray; Mrs. Dora Ruth Collins and son of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Reuser of Hooker, Oklahoma; Mrs. Lela Reuser of Liberal, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Knight and daughter, Donna, of Muskogee, Oklahoma; Mrs. Alma Boothby of Texhoma; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beebe of Portales, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Miller of Guymon; Mr. and Mrs. George Galloway and children of Bethany, Oklahoma; and Mrs. Georgia Clancy of Tyrone, Oklahoma.

Evenly members of the immediate family are still living and plans for the 1959 reunion, to be held at the home of Mrs. H. C. Reuser of Hooker, were made.

Foreman's Conference October 15th

The sixth annual Foreman's Conference, jointly sponsored by the Panhandle Personnel Association and West Texas State College, will be held October 15 at the Amarillo Little Theatre.

"Practical Skills in First Line Supervision" will be the theme of the one day meeting which gets underway at 8 o'clock in the morning with registration.

Dr. Paul J. Mundie, partner in the management firm of Humber, Mundie and McClary, of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, will be the discussion leader. Dr. Mundie, who has been a business consultant for 16 years, was on the program for last year's conference, and his dynamic presentation resulted in his being asked by the sponsors to conduct the entire conference this year.

Carl M. Smith, president of the

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Youth Vehicles-

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to operate which will remove them from the dangers of traffic on the streets.
Accidents are something which happen in traffic although there may be little logical explanation for their occurrence. A boy or girl operating a scooter or some such vehicle without a proper operator's license when involved in some accident, is always in the wrong regardless of conditions under which the accident may have taken place. These are facts parents should consider before allowing the ever restless ambitions of youth to be involved in motor driven vehicle transportation.

Notice Of County Budget Hearing

Notice of a public hearing on the budget of Sherman County for the year 1959, as prepared by the County Judge, will be heard by the Commissioners' Court at the court house in Stratford, Texas at 10:00 a. m. on Monday, the eighth day of September 1958.

MRS. LELAH BONEY
County Clerk, Sherman County, Texas.
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association, has announced that there will be four discussion areas during the conference. They are "The First Line Supervisor and His Job," "The Supervisor and His Relations with Other People," "Appraising Self and Others," and "The Supervisor and His Self Development."
Smith, who is associated with Mason and Hanger-Silas Mason Company, said, "We are particularly hopeful of drawing a large number of foremen to this conference. The foreman is management's key man in the day to day operation of any business, large or small. We are also hopeful that the smaller industries of the territory will take advantage of the opportunities this conference offers for improvement in their front line supervision."

The conference registration fee is \$3.00, and advance registrations may be made with W. M. Ledbetter, Skelly Oil Company, Skellytown, Texas.

School Band Will Organize August 18

The first organizational meeting rehearsal for the 1958-59 high school band will be held at 8:00 p. m. Monday, August 18, in the band room. It is important for all members to be present.

Joe Mack Hill, the band director, will be at the band room most of the day Monday for those who might want information concerning the band.

Farm Policy Group Meets In Amarillo Hotel

A meeting of the District Policy Development Committee of the Farm Bureau will be held

in the Amarillo Hotel in Amarillo on Wednesday, August 20. The meeting will open at 10:00 a. m.

O'Briens Are Home From Hawaii

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. O'Brien returned home Wednesday of last week from a three weeks vacation on four islands of Hawaii. They were accompanied on the trip by their daughter, Betty Lou, of Inglewood, California. Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien and

their daughter visited on the islands of Oahu, Kauai, Maui and Hawaii.

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FOR SALE: Harley Davidson 165 Motor Cycle. — Owen Palmer. 30-4tp

FOR SALE: One-fourth section of wheat land, southwest quarter of section 70 in Block I-T, 9 miles northeast of Stratford, \$125 an acre, one-half minerals reserved. — Mrs. S. M. Williams, Box 203, Mt. Vernon, Texas. 33-2tc

FOR SALE: Approximately 210 acres of land, will sell to three veterans. — Minnie Laura Jackson. 22-tfc

FOR SALE: Two lots and 10 feet of frontage, pavement on two sides, priced reasonable. — Grady Mullican, corner North Fourth and Pearl Streets. 29-tfc

FOR SALE: Duplex House with garage apartment and trailer house park. Contact Clyde C. Hill Estate. 30-tfc

FOR SALE: Modern Furnished House and Modern unfurnished House. Call Mrs. R. B. Terrell, Phone 2491. 44-tfc

FOR SALE: A Coldspot 1 ton refrigerator type Air Conditioner, used one season. Call 4341. — Mrs. Tom Wakefield. 27-tfc

FOR SALE: Five piece plastic and chrome dinette set, red, in excellent condition, priced reasonable. — Mrs. I. D. Wall. 27-tfc

FOR SALE: Oak dining room suite in good condition. — Mrs. Arthur Ross, Phone 2301. 30-tfc

FOR SALE: Blonde Twin Bed — Mrs. A. L. Ross, Phone 2801. 32-tfc

FOR SALE: 16 foot Deep Freeze, new motor. Call Dr. P. E. Smith. 32-tfc

Slightly Used Norge Automatic Washer \$99.50. — McMahan Furniture Co. 32-2tc

Good Used G. E. Dishwasher \$69.50. — McMahan Furniture Co. 32-2tc

Used Westinghouse Automatic Washer \$99.50. — McMahan Furniture Co. 32-2tc

FOR SALE: Cordova Barley, 3500 bushels at \$1.25; Early Triumph Wheat, 3000 bushels at \$2.25; Winter or Spring Barley. — F. J. Burgess, Route 1, Tulla, Texas. 33-3tc

FOR SALE: Wichita Seed Wheat, \$2.00 a bushel. Call H. L. Jack or Walter Vincent, Phones 4111, 4546 or 3486. 33-tfc

FOR SALE: John Deere Tractor, 1949 model D; 2 Drills; 4 section Harrow. — Mrs. Ruby Palmer, Stratford, Texas, Phone 3051. 33-tfc

FOR SALE: Granary. — Doc Naugle, Box 84, Stratford. 32-3tp

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I will continue writing State Farm Insurance although I am working at the Sherman County Abstract Co. — Mrs. R. B. Terrell. 30-tfc

For Rent

APARTMENT for rent. — C. T. Watson. 29-tfc

FOR RENT: Unfurnished Four Room House \$50. See Mrs. R. B. Terrell. 23-tfc

FOR RENT: Three bedroom unfurnished house, corner of North Third and Spruce, Stratford, call collect Dumas 5-2989, J. R. Purgason, M. D. 22-tfc

Lost

LOST: Child's Douglas white gold watch with expansion band. Please notify Mrs. Frank Sutton. 33-1tp

LOST: Square Yellow Gold lapel Watch with black pln. — Please return to or notify Mrs. Bessie Mitchell. 32-2tp

Wanted

WANTED: Washing and Ironing to do at my home. — Mrs. Hifton Muir, corner North Third and Grace Streets. 31-3tp

WANTED: Custom Flowing — William G. Hart, Box 71. 17-tfc

Help Wanted

HELP WANTED — Stratford Maytag Laundry. Call 5416. 33-tfc

Auction Sale

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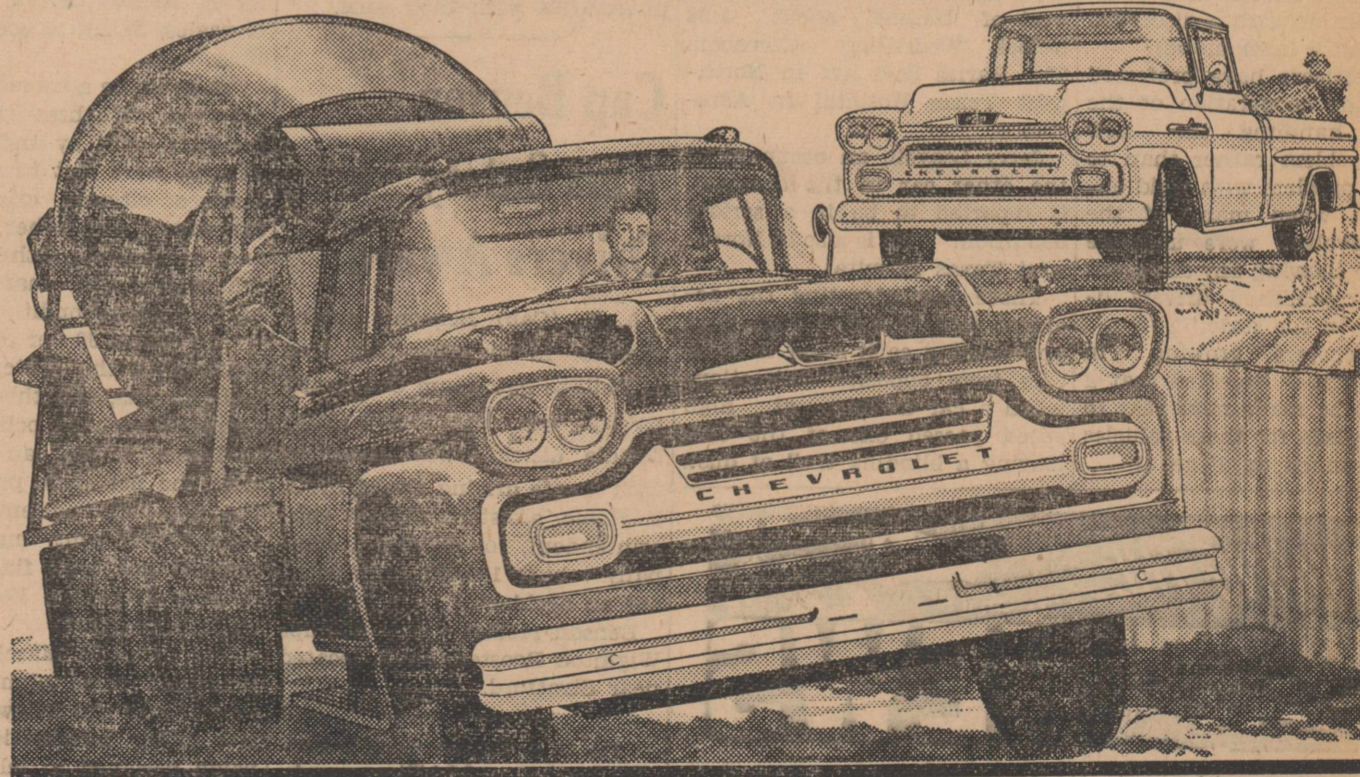
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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

HJR #17—Number Six on the Ballot.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 17 proposing an amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 66, to provide that the Legislature shall have authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions to certain retiring Texas Rangers and their widows; stating the maximum of such pension; and providing a fund from which such pensions may be paid to be resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, shall be amended by adding thereto a new Section 66, to read as follows:

"Section 66. The Legislature shall have authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for retiring Texas Rangers who have not been eligible at any time for membership in the Employees Retirement System of Texas as that retirement system was established by Chapter 355, Acts of the Fifty-fifth Legislature, Regular Session, 1947, and who have had as much as two (2) years service as Texas Ranger, and to their widows; providing that no pension shall exceed Eighty Dollars (\$80) per month to any

such Texas Ranger or his widow, provided that such widow was legally married prior to January 1, 1957, to a Texas Ranger qualifying for such pension.

"These pensions may be paid only from the special fund created by Section 17, Article VII for a payment of pensions for services in the Confederate army and navy, frontier organizations, and the militia of the State of Texas, and for widows of such soldiers serving in said armies, navies, organizations or militia."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1958, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional amendment providing for pension to retired Texas Rangers who are ineligible to participate in the Employees Retirement System of Texas, and their widows."

"AGAINST the Constitutional amendment providing for pension to retired Texas Rangers who are ineligible to participate in the Employees Retirement System of Texas, and their widows."

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Miss Pugh Is Surgical Patient

Miss Donna Jean Pugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Odell Pugh of Texhoma, underwent surgery for correction of curvature of the spine in St. Lukes Hospital in Pasadena, California, Tuesday. Prior to the operation the Pughs had been in California for two weeks for Jean to be placed in a cast. She is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Sam R. Lasley.

Friends may write to Donna Jean at St. Lukes Hospital in Pasadena. She will be hospitalized for at least two more weeks before being brought home.

FIRST Christian Church

(B. R. Clark, Minister)
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship 10:45 a. m.
 Youth groups 6:00 p. m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.
 Mid-week Bible Study and prayer 7:00 p. m.
 A friendly welcome awaits you at any service of the First Christian Church.

Methodist Church

(Rev. Charles R. Gates, Pastor)
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
 M. Y. F. 6:00 p. m.
 Intermediate Fellowship 6:00 p. m.
 Junior additional session 6:00 p. m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.
 Wesleyan Guild meets fourth Monday night of each month at 8:00 p. m.
 W. S. C. S. Circles meet Wednesdays.
 Official Board meeting second Tuesday of each month.

Church of Christ

(L. L. Thornton, Minister)
 Sunday Services
 Bible Study 10:00 a. m.
 Worship 10:55 a. m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p. m.
 Tuesday
 Ladies class 9:30 a. m.
 Wednesday
 Bible study 7:30 p. m.
 A friendly welcome awaits you at all services.

Assembly Of God Church

(Rev. J. O. Brown, Pastor)
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Young People 6:00 p. m.
 Children's Church 6:00 p. m.
 Evangelistic Service 7:00 p. m.
 Wednesday night service 8:00 p. m.
 The public is invited to all services.

Wednesday the Womens Council met for an all day service in the council room and quilted on a quilt. Hymns were sung for a devotional service and a prayer request was taken. A talk on the missionaries in Korea was given by Mrs. Dewey Newburn. Roll call was answered by scripture. Minutes of the last meeting were read. A short business meeting was held.

Friday night the C.A.'s opened their meeting with prayer. Hymns were sung, and a sword drill and guessing game on Bible characters were held.

Sunday night the Childrens Church sang choruses and watched a Bible film of "John The Baptist," shown by Rev. Ruby Brown.

Catholic Chapel

(Rev. James W. Sonderman, Mission Pastor, Phone Dalhart 235)
 Masses: Sunday 8:30 a. m.
 Confession: Sunday 8:15 a. m.

Political Announcements

- For County Commissioner of Precinct 2:
E. W. CARTER
- For County Commissioner, Precinct 4:
F. M. KEENER
TOM WAKEFIELD
- For Justice of the Peace of Precinct Four:
MRS. ETHEL SKILLIN
- For County and District Clerk:
MRS. LELAH BONEY
- For County Treasurer:
MRS. DOROTHY R. SLAY
- For County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent of Schools:
CLYDE HUDSON
- For District Judge, 69th Judicial District:
HARRY SCHULTZ
- For State Representative, 95th District:
J. W. (Buck) BUCHANAN

CFW Group Three Meets With Mrs. Aduddell

Group III of the Christian Woman's Fellowship met August 6 in the home of Mrs. Paul Aduddell. Mrs. W. J. Lowe led the lesson on Mexico. Mrs. R. C. Buckles and Mrs. Herbert Folsom discussed rural missionary work. Mrs. Odie Bryant told of Hope Hospital and Mrs. Bernard Dovel reported on work in the city of Social Center and School.

Mrs. Dwight Hester Is Hostess To 20th Century Circle

The 20th Century Circle met August 6, with Mrs. Dwight Hester as hostess. Eight members and eight children were present.

The lesson, "Our Neighbor, Jamaica," was given in the form of a dialogue with Mrs. Dwight Hester as Alice, and Mrs. Harold Oquin as Doris.

Mrs. Bruce Clark gave the devotion, "Widen Your Heart in Growing." The meeting was closed with the fellowship benediction.

Delicious refreshments were then served by the hostess to Mesdames Dean Gifford, who was welcomed as a new member, Harold Oquin, Bruce Clark, Gordon Fedric, Elmer Oquin, Roy Mitchell and James Lowe.

Mrs. Borth Entertains CWF Circle One

Circle No. One of the C. W. F. met Wednesday afternoon of last week in the home of Mrs. Donald Borth. Nine members were present.

Mrs. Leslie Parker gave the devotional.

The lesson on "Our Neighbor Jamaica," was given by Mrs. C. T. Watson, who was assisted by Misses Sherry Oquin and Charlene Wisdom, who gave a skit on the lesson.

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CFW Circle Two Meets In Bessie Mitchell Home

Circle Two of the C.W.F. met in the home of Mrs. Bessie Mitchell August 6 with six members present. Mrs. Arthur

Folsom called the group together for a brief business session. Mrs. Grover Keown assisted by Mrs. W. R. Taylor, presented the lesson, "One Hundred Years in Jamaica."

Mrs. Arthur Folsom gave the devotion using the theme, "Widen Your Heart".

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess during the social hour.

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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

SJR #3—Number Nine on the Ballot.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3 proposing an amendment to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 5, to provide that the Legislature may authorize the creation of a Hospital District, coextensive with the incorporated limits of the City of Amarillo, Texas; authorizing the County of Potter to render financial aid to and participate in the operation of such Hospital District; authorizing the Commissioners Court of said county to assess and levy taxes on property outside the incorporated limits of such city; further authorizing a countywide Hospital District for Wichita County, Texas, and authorizing the County of Potter to render financial aid to and participate in the operation of such Hospital District; and further providing that any enabling Acts shall not be invalid because of their anticipatory character.

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

Section 1. That Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas be, and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto another section to be designated as Section 5, which shall read as follows:

"Section 5 (a) The Legislature may by law authorize the creation of two hospital districts, one to be coextensive with and have the same boundaries as the incorporated City of Amarillo, as such boundaries now exist, as they may hereafter be lawfully extended, and the other to be coextensive with Wichita County.

"If such district or districts are created, they may be authorized to levy a tax not to exceed Seventy-five cents (75¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation of taxable property within the district; provided, however, no tax may be levied until approved by a majority vote of the participating resident qualified property taxing voters who have duly rendered their property for taxation. The maximum rate of tax may be changed at subsequent elections so long as obligations are not impaired, and not to exceed the maximum limit of Seventy-five cents (75¢) per One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation, and no election shall be required by subsequent changes in the boundaries of the City of Amarillo.

"If such tax is authorized, no political subdivision or municipality within or having the same boundaries as the district may levy a tax for medical or hospital care for needy individuals, nor shall they maintain or erect hospital facilities, but the district shall by resolution assume all such responsibilities and obligations (including bonds and warrants) of such subdivisions or municipalities or both. The maximum tax rate submitted shall be sufficient to discharge such obligations, liabilities, and responsibilities, and to maintain and operate the hospital system, and the Legislature may authorize the district to issue tax bonds for the purpose of the purchase, construction, acquisition, repair or renovation of improvements and initially equipping the same, and such bonds shall be payable from said Seventy-five cents (75¢) tax. The Legislature shall provide for transfer of title to properties to the district.

"(b) The Legislature may by law permit the County of Potter (in which the City of Amarillo is partially located) to render financial aid to that district by paying a part of the expenses of operating and maintaining the system and paying a part of the debts of the district (whether assumed or created by the district) and may authorize the levy of a tax not to exceed Ten cents (10¢) per One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation (in addition to other taxes permitted by this Constitution) upon all property within the county but without the City of Amarillo at the time such levy is made for such purposes. If such tax is authorized, the district shall by resolution assume the responsibilities, obligations, and liabilities of the county in the manner and to the extent hereinabove provided for political subdivisions having boundaries coextensive with the district, and the county shall thereafter levy taxes (other than herein provided) for hospital purposes nor for providing hospital care for needy individuals of the county.

"(c) The Legislature may by law authorize the creation of a hospital district within Jefferson County, the boundaries of which shall include only the area comprising the Jefferson County Drainage District No. 7 and the Port Arthur Independent School District, as such boundaries existed on the first day of January, 1957, with the power to issue bonds for the sole purpose of purchasing a site for, and the construction and initial equipping of, a hospital system, and with the power to levy a tax not to exceed Seventy-five cents (75¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation of property therein for the purpose of paying the principal and interest on such bonds.

"The creation of such hospital district shall not be final until approved at an election by a majority of the resident property taxing voters voting at said election who have duly rendered their property for taxation upon the tax rolls of either said Drainage or said School District, nor shall

such bonds be issued or such tax be levied until so approved by such voters.

"The district shall not have the power to levy any tax for maintenance or operation of the hospital or facilities, but shall contract with other political subdivisions of the state or private individuals, associations, or corporations for such purposes.

"If the district hereinabove authorized is finally created, no other hospital district may be created embracing any part of the territory within its boundaries, but the Legislature by law may authorize the creation of a hospital district incorporating therein the remainder of Jefferson County, having the powers and duties and with the limitations presently provided by Article IX, Section 4, of the Constitution of Texas, except that such district shall be confirmed at an election wherein the resident qualified property taxing voters who have duly rendered their property within such proposed district for taxation on the county rolls, shall be authorized to vote. A majority of those participating in the election voting in favor of the district shall be necessary for its confirmation and for bonds to be issued.

"(d) Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such Acts shall not be invalid because of their anticipatory character."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at the general election to be held the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1958, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to create a Hospital District coextensive with the incorporated limits of the City of Amarillo, Texas, and authorizing Potter County to lend financial aid to and participate in the operation of said Hospital District, and further authorizing the Legislature to create a countywide Hospital District in Wichita County, Texas, and Hospital Districts in Jefferson County, Texas."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to create a countywide Hospital District in Wichita County, Texas, and Hospital Districts in Jefferson County, Texas."

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the constitution and laws of this state.

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Town Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Crabtree and Charley and Miss Mildred Crabtree of Dalhart, re-

RIVER FIGHTING MAN

By John Evan Jones

THE radio announcer's voice was grim: "Volunteers have been up all night plugging up the weakened banks with sandbags. The river is still rising rapidly and residents of the lower valley are urged to leave their homes until the present danger has passed!"

Then followed a call for more volunteers and a list of the danger points.

Matthew Grant grabbed his car keys off the table and told his wife of two weeks, "We've got to get out of here!"

"No," she said firmly.

"No?" He looked at her as though she was mentally unbalanced. "Look, I didn't like the idea of living in your folks' old house in the first place. Every year the Mississippi floods. Every year people say they will leave forever, but they always come back. I'm not that crazy!"

She knew he meant it. She also knew already the futility of arguing with her Yankee husband. Silently they climbed into the car.

The rain was coming down in a steady torrent and small rivers washed across the road. They reached the river bridge. Matt slowed the car to a crawl. They were on the edge of the bridge when Jo screamed. Matt's breath hissed through his teeth and he slammed the gears into reverse.

The wheels spun in the mud, then gripped and the car skidded back on to the road as the bridge supports creaked, broke and the center of the bridge collapsed into the swollen torrent.

Matt spun the car around and they headed back to the house. The water on the road was creeping up the wheels. He hit a hole too fast, water sloshed over the hood and the motor choked and died.

Jo grabbed his arm. "We've got to get to the house!" They slid out of the car into water over their

shoe tops.

In the old house Matt took off his raincoat but Jo made no attempt to remove hers. "Where are you going?" Matt said in surprise.

"Down to the levee," she said quietly. "They'll need someone to prepare food and coffee for the men."

"We've had one narrow escape already!" Matt said angrily. "Why tempt fate?"

She shrugged. "My family have always gone," she said, and opened the door into the slashing rain.

There were about 30 people at Brown's Levee. They were filling sandbags and stacking them on the river bank. One big brawny fellow was shouting orders. He thrust a sandbag so hard at Matt that he staggered.

A man came by on horseback. "Big Ned!" he shouted against the wind. "The river's still rising. Make more dike!" Big Ned snarled at his crew. "If you want to see your homes again, make more dike!"

After the sun went down the floodlights went on. After an interminable night the sun came up again. Matt had been numb for hours. He stacked bags as though he was in a dream. After another eternity the horseman was back again. He was grinning from ear to ear. "She's going down," he laughed. "We've licked it again!"

"Hey, Jo!" a familiar hoarse voice hailed. They turned around. It was Big Ned. "You've got a born river-fighter there, gal."

As they climbed into the old wagon that was waiting to take the tired workers home, Jo said, "I'll start packing in the morning. You were right, it would be foolish to live here."

"Leave!" Matt exploded. "Not on your life! We've licked this river and we'll lick it again! Besides that," he added smugly, "I'm a born river fighter."

turned home Sunday from a vacation to the Pacific Northwest. Among places they visited on the trip were the Painted Desert, Petrified Forest, Grand Canyon, Lake Mead and Hoover Dam, Death Valley National Monument, Yosemite National Park, Lake Tahoe, Reno, the state museum in Carson City, Nevada, Crater Lake National Park, Bonneville Dam in Oregon, Maryhill museum in Maryhill, Washington, the lava beds, Craters of the Moon National Monument in Idaho, Yellowstone National Park, Buffalo Bill Dam at Cody, Wyoming, Hell's Half Acre and Ayer's Park and Natural Bridge near Casper, Wyoming.

Miss Crabtree visited with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brock in Camas, Washington and in The Dallas, Oregon with Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Garrison, who formerly lived in Channing. Mr. and Mrs. Crabtree visited with Mrs. Crabtree's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Durr and family, and sister, Mrs. Bessie Walters and family, in Parkdale, Oregon.

Orland and Royceanna Lasley have spent the past 10 days visiting in the home of their aunt, Mrs. John Cruickshank, in Great Bend, Kansas.

Mrs. E. R. Finch of Liberal, Kansas, visited Mr. and Mrs. James Crawford and daughter Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake and Tommy returned home early Saturday from a vacation in California, and places enroute to and from California. They visited Carlsbad Caverns, El Paso, Juarez, Mexico, Yuma, Arizona, relatives in the Los Angeles Area, Knottberry Farm and Disneyland, Yosemite National Park, Hoover Dam, Grand Canyon, and the Painted Desert.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burgess, Bobbie and Ann, and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Burgess visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Burgess' son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Phil M. Smith III, who live in Fulton, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Diehl, Dick Jr., and Jess Smith were visitors in Dalhart Thursday of last week.

Mrs. J. W. Hodges who went with her husband on a harvesting trip north recently, came home last week and went to Corsicana for a visit with her sisters. Miss Letha Slawson, who teaches at Turkey, returned with her Monday for a visit. Mr. Hodges returned home Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Meek and

their three children, Robert, Billy and Mary Jo recently visited relatives and friends in Elk City, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Peach Smith left Tuesday to take Janie and Russell Slaton to their home in Clinton, Missouri. Janie and Russell, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Slaton, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Smith for the past several weeks.

Mrs. Tim Flores returned home Monday from Gruver, where she was a guest in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Boney.

R. M. Buckles and Roy Harris were visitors in El Paso last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson and children of Beeville are guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pendleton, and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wilson.

Mrs. Russell Beall and daughter, Sammie, attended a shower given for Kay Beth Porter in Dalhart Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Plunk and sons, Dennis and Charles, returned Saturday from a vacation to several points of interest in Colorado. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lovelace in Colorado Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wisdom visited in the home of his mother in Wichita, Kansas over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Durr and children of Springfield, Missouri, visited in the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Crabtree and Charley Sunday evening and night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Davis and son have returned from a vacation in Red River, New Mexico.

Mrs. F. L. Yates is attending an Eastern Star meeting in San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pittman and son left Saturday for a vacation at Lake City, Colorado.

Mrs. Ruby French of Raton, New Mexico was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Hudson over the week end.

Travis Walston of Palestine is a guest in the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Cy Sinclair.

Bill McMinn and Gerald Calahan spent the week end at Red River, New Mexico.

F. L. Yates visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vincent in Texhoma Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Browne of Dallas were guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Vincent, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. O'Brien, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Alexander of Gruver last week.

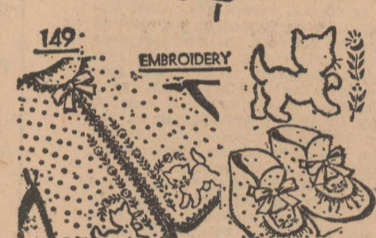
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fedric and Byron Fedric are vacationing at the Taylor Reservoir near Gunnison, Colorado.

Mrs. Bud Coats and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Coats and daughter,

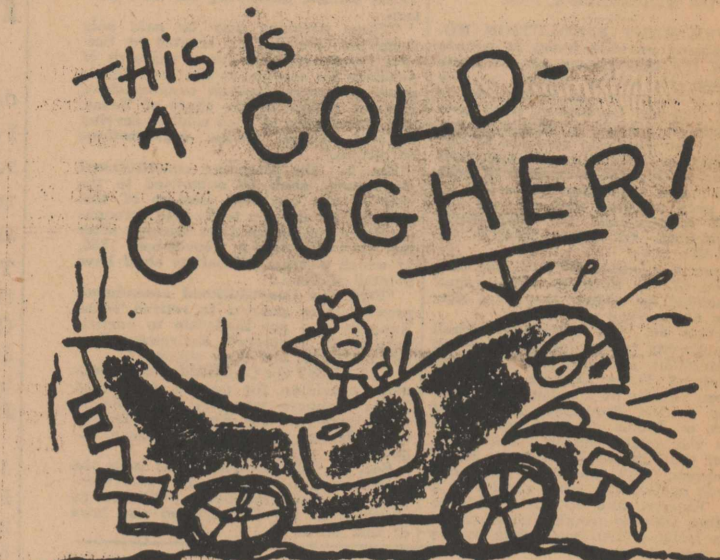
Barbara Sue, of Emery, Texas were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Coats from Monday until Thursday of last week. Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Coats and their guests were joined by other relatives in Amarillo for a picnic and outing in Palo Duro Canyon.

Minister and Mrs. Cryder Brayshaw and Rodney of Mineola were guests of friends in Stratford Tuesday. The former minister of the Christian Church and his wife were honored with a picnic in the city park Tuesday night.

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Town Talk

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Brannan, Debra and Johnny vacationed several days last week in Red River.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lewis and children, Spence, Joy, Johnny Mac and Sherri have moved into the house which was the former home of Mr. and Mrs. John Steel and sons. They will be farming with the W. R. Taylors.

E. F. Stublefield, Grants, New Mexico, is a guest in the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stublefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Golladay are vacationing in New Mexico this week.

Mrs. C. C. Yates of Arroyo Grande, California is visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. F. L.

Yates and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vincent of Texhoma.

Mr. and Mrs. James Crawford and daughter, and Mrs. Crawford's brother, Roy Finch, of Kansas spent the week end in Cimarron, New Mexico with Mr. Crawford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hub Crawford.

Dick Diehl was a visitor in Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. Houston Cates and Mrs. Martha Harrison visited their children, Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison, in La Junta, Colorado Wednesday.

For some obscure reason, a standard five-grain tablet of aspirin relieves a severe attack of asthma in some people.



Distraction . . . Actor Tab Hunter looks elsewhere as Italian actress Sophia Loren tried to ease her tired feet.

Mrs. Judd Hostess To Star HD Club

Seven Star Home Demonstration club members met August 5 in the home of Mrs. Leroy Judd. Mrs. Ruby Campbell, home demonstration agent, presented the program on the selection of furniture.

The next meeting of the club will be August 19 in the home of Mrs. Harold Quin at 2:30 p. m.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. William Garner, of Oklahoma City, are parents of a 7 pound 12 ounce daughter, Jodie Nell, who was born at 12:25 a. m. on August 12, in Dumas Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Garner, the former Nell Foreman, and her other daughter and son, have been visiting her parents for some time, and Mr. Garner came Saturday for a visit with his family and Mr. and Mrs. Foreman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Worley of Sunray are the parents of a six pound six ounce daughter, Peggy Sue, born Wednesday of last week in Dumas Memorial Hospital. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Worley of Stratford. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harry Donovan of Sunray.

Among the Sick

Mrs. H. J. Cooper was taken to St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo for medical care Wednesday morning.



IF YOU have a freezer or even a freezing compartment, use these suggestions.

Freeze leftover fruit juice in cubes and store in freezer. For a quick beverage place several cubes in glass, fill with gingerale and serve.

Waffle sections and pancakes may be frozen. Place several thicknesses of waxed paper between them and wrap in package or foil. Reheat pancakes in broiler and waffles in toaster before serving.

THIS WEEK'S RECIPE

Minute Chutney (Makes ½ cup)
¼ cup chopped pear or apple
½ cup canned minced meat
1 tablespoon chopped green pepper
1 tablespoon vinegar
1 teaspoon grated onion
Combine all ingredients and serve as a relish with meat.

ing. They need not be thawed first.

Frozen sliced bread may be toasted without thawing. It takes a few seconds longer than fresh bread, but it's just as delicious.

Keep rolls of cookie dough wrapped in freezer paper, then slice and bake, while still frozen, if you need cookies in a hurry.

Use the drugstore wrap for freezer packaging. Bring the edges of paper or foil together, then fold several times until fold is flat against food, press out air, turn edges under and seal with freezer tape.

Assorted pieces of cake, fruit or chiffon pies may be wrapped and placed in the freezer. In this way you can serve a surprise assortment when the occasion calls for refreshments.

Package sliced roast meat or turkey in small amounts, placing a double thickness of freezer paper between layers for easy separation. Thaw in original wrappings when needed.

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One Fender Bending Reported

Cars driven by A. L. Sutton and Richard Preston were involved in a traffic accident on U. S. highway 54 Sunday evening. Officers investigating, said Sutton stopped to make a left hand turn from the highway. Preston, driving at a slow speed a short distance behind

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SJR #6—Number Two on the Ballot.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6 proposing an amendment to Subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas, authorizing the creation of a retirement, disability and death benefits fund for appointive officers and employees of the county or precinct, or for the appointive and elective officers and for employees of the county or precinct, providing for the submission of the proposed amendment to the voters qualified to vote thereon, and providing for the necessary election form of ballot, proclamation, and publication.

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

Section 1. That Subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to read hereafter as follows:

"(b) Each county shall have the right to provide and administer a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the appointive officers and employees of the county or precinct, or for the appointive and elective officers and for employees of the county or precinct, provided that the amount contributed by the county to such fund shall at least equal the amount paid for the same purpose from the income of each such person and shall not exceed at any time seven and one-half per centum (7 1/2%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the county.

guaranteed by the United States, provided that a sufficient amount of said fund shall be kept on hand to meet the immediate payment of the amount likely to become due each year out of said fund, such amount of funds to be kept on hand to be determined by the agency which may be provided by said fund, and provided that the recipients of benefits from said fund shall not be eligible for any other pension, retirement funds or direct aid from the State of Texas, unless the fund, the creation of which is provided for herein, contributed by the county, is released to the State of Texas as a condition to receiving such other pension aid.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at the General Election in November, 1958, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the following words:

"FOR the amendment of subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Constitution to authorize each county to establish, after approval by its voters, a retirement, disability and death compensation fund covering the appointive officers of the county or precinct, as well as the appointive officers and employees of the county or precinct."

"AGAINST the amendment of subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Constitution, to authorize each county to establish, after approval by its voters, a retirement, disability and death compensation fund covering the appointive officers of the county or precinct, as well as the appointive officers and employees of the county or precinct."

Each county shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment. In counties which have subdivisions using voting machines, the above provision for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such a manner that each voter may vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have notice of said election published as required by the Constitution of Texas and laws of this state.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

HJR #46—Number Five on the Ballot.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 48 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that a home rule city may provide by Charter Provision and a general law city operating under a general law may provide by majority vote of the qualified voters voting at an election called for that purpose, for a longer term of office than two (2) years for its officers, both elective and appointive, but not to exceed four (4) years; provided, however, that tenure under Civil Service shall not be affected hereby; providing for the submission of the proposed amendment to the voters qualified to vote thereon, and providing for the necessary election form of ballot, proclamation, and publication.

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

Section 1. That Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 11 of Article XI and to read as follows:

"Section 11. A Home Rule City may provide by charter or charter amendment, and a city, town or village operating under the general laws may provide by majority vote of the qualified voters voting at an election called for that purpose, for a longer term of office than two (2) years for its officers, both elective or appointive, but not to exceed four (4) years; provided, however, that tenure under Civil Service shall not be affected hereby; providing for the submission of the proposed amendment to the voters qualified to vote thereon, and providing for the necessary election form of ballot, proclamation, and publication.

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"AGAINST the amendment of Section 11 of Article XI of the Constitution, to authorize each city, town or village operating under the general laws to provide by majority vote of the qualified voters voting at an election called for that purpose, for a longer term of office than two (2) years for its officers, either elective or appointive, but not to exceed four (4) years; provided, however, that tenure under Civil Service shall not be affected hereby; providing for the submission of the proposed amendment to the voters qualified to vote thereon, and providing for the necessary election form of ballot, proclamation, and publication."

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Section 2. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have notice of said election published as required by the Constitution of Texas and laws of this state.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

HJR #1—Number One on the Ballot.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1 proposing an amendment to Section 24 and authorizing a new Section of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to provide for annual Sessions of the Legislature, changing the compensation, per diem and travel expense of the Members of the Legislature; authorizing temporary residence of the Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the House in the Capitol; providing for the election; prescribing the form of ballot and providing for the necessary proclamation and publication.

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

Section 1. That Section 5 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended to read hereafter as follows:

"Section 5. The Legislature shall meet every year, unless the constitution and limitation hereinafter set forth, at such time as may be provided by law, and at other times when convened by the Governor.

"Consider emergency matters submitted by the Governor; bills embodying such matters shall become law only if the same shall be passed by a two-thirds vote of the Members elected to each House.

"Whenever the term 'Biennial Session' in Article 17 of this Constitution, it shall be construed to mean 'First Regular Session.'"

"Section 24. Members of the Legislature shall receive from the public treasury a salary of Seven Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars (\$7,500) per annum and expenses of office in amount as may be determined by law. The Legislature shall not provide for any per diem for a greater number of days during the First Regular Session, sixty (60) days during the Second Regular Session, and thirty (30) days during any Called Session."

"Section 3. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new section to be known as Section 24a to read as follows:

"Section 24a. In addition to other compensation provided herein, the Lieutenant Governor of the State of Texas and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall be entitled to temporary residence in the State Capitol during their term of office in such quarters and under such conditions as the Legislature may provide."

"Section 4. That the foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1958, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon: 'FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing for annual Sessions of the Legislature, prescribing the compensation and expenses for members thereof, limiting the per diem for each Session, and authorizing temporary residence of the Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the House of Representatives in the Capitol.'"

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment providing for annual Sessions of the Legislature, prescribing the compensation and expenses for members thereof, limiting the per diem for each Session, and authorizing temporary residence of the Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the House of Representatives in the Capitol."

Section 5. That the Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have notice of said election published as required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

HERO WORSHIPERS



The Sutton car, had his attention distracted by discovering someone had placed a bathing suit on his radio antenna, and drove into the Sutton car. Damage to the Sutton car was reported as slight. Estimated damage to the Preston car was \$200.00.

McMahan Wins Dumas Golf Match

H. L. McMahan won the championship of the golf tournament held in Dumas Sunday. Fred Green won the first flight consolation play in the Dumas match.

8 Attend District 4-H Dress Revue

Kay Spurlock, Sherman County 4-H dress revue winner, was accompanied to Amarillo by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Spurlock, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Spurlock, Elaine and Jean, and Mrs. Ruby Campbell. The district dress revue was held in the blue flame room of the Pioneer Natural Gas Co. building.

Billy Dean Meek Honored With Birthday Party

Billy Dean Meek was honored with a birthday party Tuesday, August 5, at the city park, by his mother, Mrs. Leo Meek. The children enjoyed playing games, and watching Billy Dean open his gifts. Refreshments of cup cakes, ice cream and punch were served to Marian Halle, Kathy Allen, Irene Stevenson, Nancy Bateman, Joe Taylor, Harry Clements, Kevin Hill, Robert Meek and the birthday boy, Bill Dean Meek. Favors were 10-10 balls.

Golf Course Ready For Playing

Fairways of the Stratford golf course have been mowed and the course is in readiness for members who wish to play.

Riffe And McMahan In Golf Tourney

Earl Riffe was eliminated from the championship flight of the senior golf tournament in Amarillo Tuesday by a Pampa contestant. He was scheduled to play in the consolation tournament Wednesday. H. L. McMahan was still playing in second flight competition in the senior tournament Wednesday. The tournament is confined to contestants over 50 years of age.

PEACEMAKER'S TALE

By F. L. Rowley

EDWARD CORNING used to tell some big ones. His stories carried little malice—and less truth. Mothers in town used to warn their children that unless they respected the truth they'd grow up to be like Old Ed Corning. Such chatter bothered Ed not at all. He'd shove off in his rowboat to do a bit of fishing; afterwards he'd rush into town with wild tales of a sea monster that lived in tiny Lake Isle.

Ed was out on the lake one day conjuring up a couple of new ones when he heard a shout from the shore. He squinted. "Looks like young Nelson Sykes and one of the Robbins girls." Then aloud: "What do you kids want?" "A ride across the lake," called Nelson. "We'll pay you." The last three words sent Edward into action. When the boat drew near the shore he said: "You know this ain't right. Your two families never did hit it off. If someone should see me totting you across the lake I'm in trouble." "I'll give you a dollar," said Nelson.

"We'll see. First I'll put you off before we round the point. And no matter what you overhear—keep your traps shut!" He put them ashore where the reeds were dense. "I don't know how long this'll take, but I'll be back for you," he promised. Then a voice, that of Nelson's father, called out: "Hey there! Corning! Have you seen my boy? Or the Robbins girl?" "Sure have." "Good. Where are they?" "Eloping. And I ain't telling you which road they took—either one of you! It's a shame that a couple of nice kids like them couldn't have a fitting church wedding. You sure are a pair of penny-pinching old rascals, you two! Too cheap to pay for a real wedding, eh?" "Course it ain't too late to stop them kids," he said softly. They collared him at once. "Tell us, man! Where can we find them? We'll do anything to stop this elopement."

"Anything? Like letting the kids have a real church wedding?" Sykes and Robbins glared at each other. "Like shaking hands on it—right now?" insisted Ed. "Of course if we waste too much time—" Ed drawled. Two hands went out reluctantly and came to grips. Two hard faces were softened by foolish grins as they turned to Ed. "That's better. Now be off with you and I'll go after your kids. I'll bring them back before they get married." He squared his shoulders proudly. "And this is one time that Edward Corning is telling the truth." And Edward felt good. Real good. Reeling off one of his whoppers had never given him such a glow. If word of this got around folks might even give him a new title—maybe even THE PEACEMAKER.

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HJR #30—Number Three on the Ballot.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 30 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that vacancies in the office of County Judge and Justices of the Peace be filled by the Commissioners Court only until the next General Election.

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

Section 1. Section 28 of Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas is hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Section 28. Vacancies in Offices of Judges of Superior Courts To Be Filled by the Governor. Vacancies in the office of Judges of the Supreme Court, the Court of Criminal Appeals, the Court of Civil Appeals and the District Court shall be filled by the Governor until the next succeeding General Election; and vacancies in the office of County Judge and Justices of the Peace shall be filled by the Commissioners Court until the next succeeding General Election."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1958, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon: "FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing that vacancies in the office of County Judge and Justices of the Peace shall be filled by the Commissioners Court only until the next General Election."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment providing that vacancies in the office of County Judge and Justices of the Peace shall be filled by the Commissioners Court only until the next General Election."

If it appears on the returns of said election that a majority of the votes have been cast in favor of said amendment, the same shall become part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3. The Governor of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election herein provided for and shall cause this proposed amendment to be published in the manner required by law and shall cause said election to be held as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

SJR #4—Number Seven on the Ballot.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 66 proposing an Amendment to Section 66 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, authorizing the Legislature to appropriate money and establish the procedure necessary to create and maintain a fund for the purpose of developing information about the historical, natural, agricultural, industrial, educational, recreational and living resources of Texas, and for the purpose of informing persons and corporations of other states through advertising in periodicals having national circulation and the dissemination of factual information about the advantages and economic resources offered by the State of Texas.

Section 1. That Section 66 of Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas be amended to read as follows:

"Section 66. The Legislature of the State of Texas shall have the power to appropriate money and establish the procedure necessary to expend such money for the purpose of developing information about the historical, natural, agricultural, industrial, educational, recreational and living resources of Texas, and for the purpose of informing persons and corporations of other states through advertising in periodicals having national circulation and the dissemination of factual information about the advantages and economic resources offered by the State of Texas."

Section 2. The Governor of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this Amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1958, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution authorizing the Legislature to make appropriations and establish procedure for advertising the historical, natural, agricultural, industrial, educational, recreational and other resources of Texas."

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution authorizing the Legislature to make appropriations and establish procedure for advertising the historical, natural, agricultural, industrial, educational, recreational and other resources of Texas."

Section 3. The Governor of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this Amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

HJR #31—Number Four on the Ballot.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 81 proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Texas to provide that all county officials elected for a term of office were authorized in 1964 must resign said office prior to announcing for a different office when more than one (1) year remains unexpired of the term for which they were elected, and providing for the filling of such vacancies in the manner now provided by law.

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

Section 1. Section 65 of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas is hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Section 65. STAGGERING TERMS OF OFFICE.—The following officers elected at the General Election in November, 1954, and thereafter, shall serve for the full terms provided in this Constitution:

(a) District Clerks; (b) County Clerks; (c) County Judges; (d) Judges of County Courts at Law; County Criminal Courts; County Probate Courts and County Domestic Relations Courts; (e) County Treasurers; (f) Criminal District Attorneys; (g) County Surveyors; (h) Inspectors of Hides and Animals; (i) County Commissioners for Precincts Two and Four; (j) Justices of the Peace.

"Notwithstanding other provisions of this Constitution, the following officers elected at the General Election in November, 1954, shall serve only for terms of two (2) years: (a) Justices of the Peace; (b) County Commissioners for Precincts One and Three; (c) Constables. At subsequent elections, any of them shall be elected for the full terms provided in this Constitution.

"If it appears on the returns of said election that a majority of the votes have been cast in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas."

Section 3. The Governor of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this Amendment shall be published in the manner required by law and shall cause said election to be held as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1958, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon: "FOR the Amendment to the Constitution providing that any District, County, or Precinct official serving a four-year term must resign before announcing for a different office if there remains unexpired more than one (1) year of the term for which he was elected."

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution providing that any District, County, or Precinct official serving a four-year term must resign before announcing for a different office if there remains unexpired more than one (1) year of the term for which he was elected."

If it appears on the returns of said election that a majority of the votes have been cast in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas."

Section 3. The Governor of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this Amendment shall be published in the manner required by law and shall cause said election to be held as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

HJR #36—Number Eight on the Ballot.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 36 proposing an amendment to Section 61a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the Legislature shall have the power to authorize venter payments for medical care in addition to the amount paid in the form of direct public assistance to and on behalf of needy recipients of Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Blind, Aid to Dependent Children or Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled; providing for the acceptance of funds from the Federal Government for the purpose of paying such assistance; and providing that the expenditure out of State funds for such purposes shall never exceed the amount so expended out of Federal funds."

Section 1. That Section 61a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Subsection to be known as Subsection 61a-1, which shall read as follows:

"Subsection 61a-1. The Legislature shall have the power to authorize venter payments for medical care in addition to the amount paid in the form of direct public assistance to and on behalf of needy recipients of Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Blind, Aid to Dependent Children or Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled; providing for the acceptance of funds from the Federal Government for the purpose of paying such assistance; and providing that the expenditure out of State funds for such purposes shall never exceed the amount so expended out of Federal funds."

"AGAINST the amendment to the Constitution giving the Legislature the power to authorize venter payments for medical care in addition to the amount paid in the form of direct public assistance to and on behalf of needy recipients of Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Blind, Aid to Dependent Children or Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled; providing for the acceptance of funds from the Federal Government for the purpose of paying such assistance; and providing that the expenditure out of State funds for such purposes shall never exceed the amount so expended out of Federal funds."

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published in the manner and for the length of time required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1958, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the amendment to the Constitution giving the Legislature the power to authorize venter payments for medical care in addition to the amount paid in the form of direct public assistance to and on behalf of needy recipients of Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Blind, Aid to Dependent Children or Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled; providing for the acceptance of funds from the Federal Government for the purpose of paying such assistance; and providing that the expenditure out of State funds for such purposes shall never exceed the amount so expended out of Federal funds."

"AGAINST the amendment to the Constitution giving the Legislature the power to authorize venter payments for medical care in addition to the amount paid in the form of direct public assistance to and on behalf of needy recipients of Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Blind, Aid to Dependent Children or Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled; providing for the acceptance of funds from the Federal Government for the purpose of paying such assistance; and providing that the expenditure out of State funds for such purposes shall never exceed the amount so expended out of Federal funds."

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published in the manner and for the length of time required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

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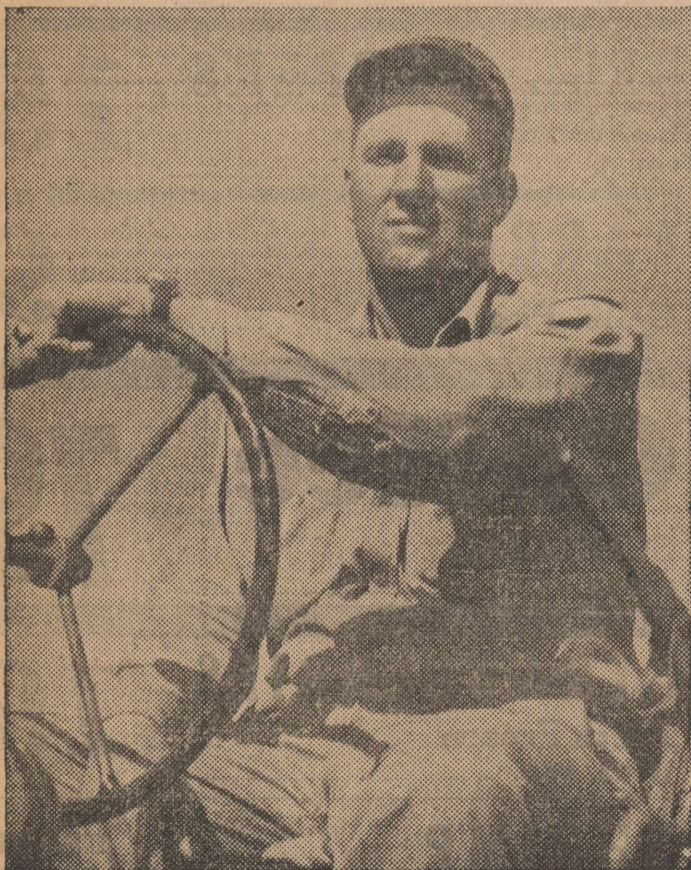
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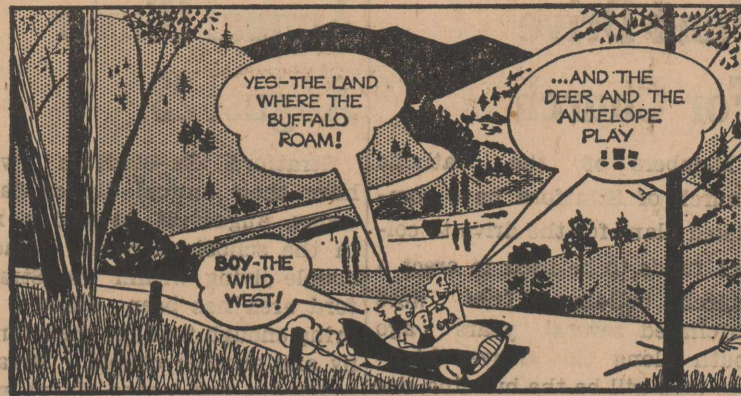


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ARMS AND THE MAN . . . A member of the Arab Legion and a young British paratrooper in Amman, Jordan. The paratroopers are in Jordan to help King Hussein.



PARTY PICKETS . . . Communist party members take their stand in New York. They are unhappy about the recession, the atomic bomb, troops in Lebanon, among other things.

"I REMEMBER" BY THE OLD TIMERS

From Mrs. E. T. LaMar, Elmo, Missouri: I remember when my mother made soap by putting wood ashes in a hopper (which my father had made) and poured water over them after fixing a trough with bucket under it to catch the lye which was added to grease or crackings and heated to boiling in a big iron kettle. This was the first soap I remember.

I also remember the old fireplace which was made of rock and dirt and clay plaster and had an iron rod across it to hang kettles of food for cooking. And the little two hole iron cook stove.

The first minister I ever saw preached my grandmother's funeral. I have never forgotten how he said that she was a Christian and that she had gone to heaven. The sermon set me to thinking. I found the Savior and I have never doubted since.

Yes; I remember the old threshing machines, horses and men and big dinners my mother used to cook with the help of neighbor women. Also the old gates that were pulled shut by chain.

From Miss Corinne Secor, Corning, Ark.: Coal-oil lamps are collector's items now, but back in the days, or nights, rather, when they were in use, every family had several. In our big house there were nine, and I was the lamp-tender. Every morning, their glass chimneys were shined, wicks were trimmed and bowls filled with oil. On long winter evenings, if the flickering flame in the reading lamp sputtered out because the wick was too short to reach the oil, that was just too bad. Everybody "turned in." It was warmer in bed anyway. When electricity came in, the coal-oil lamp went out—in more ways than one. Most families threw them away, and now only occasionally does one turn up in an antique shop.

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PUZZLE No. 511

- ACROSS**
- 1 Fish
 - 5 Idolize
 - 10 To aid
 - 14 Spoken
 - 15 Monot
 - 16 In addition
 - 17 Part of coat
 - 19 Bright saying
 - 20 The linden
 - 21 Article
 - 22 Roman bronze
 - 24 Chose
 - 28 Levantine ketch
 - 30 Likes very much
 - 31 Indian mulberry
 - 33 Fiber use in basketry
 - 35 Observe
 - 36 I am (contr.)
 - 38 Laughing
 - 40 Wrath
 - 42 Nahoor sheep
 - 43 Warbled
 - 44 Boxes
 - 45 Female ruffs
 - 46 Tierra del Fuego
 - 47 Squander
 - 48 Fruit (pl.)
 - 49 A direction
 - 50 Scotch for own
 - 51 Receded
 - 53 Symbol for tellurium
 - 54 Item of property
 - 56 Alleviate
 - 57 Scatter
 - 60 Pedal digit
 - 61 Form of "to be"
 - 63 Part of circle
 - 64 Feminine name
 - 66 Look with favor on
 - 68 Unenthusiastic
 - 70 Old womanish
 - 72 Wife of Gerald
 - 73 Heraldry: grafted
 - 74 Distance measure
 - 75 Fruit
 - 25 Mislays
 - 26 At any time
 - 27 Letter of alphabet
 - 29 Applauds
 - 31 Incendiarism
 - 32 Climbing plant
 - 34 Growing out
 - 36 Inactive
 - 37 Billiard shot
 - 39 Collection of facts
 - 41 Swimming bird
 - 42 Body of water
 - 44 More rational
 - 45 Ransomed
 - 47 Sagacious
 - 48 Spanish coin (pl.)
 - 52 Flying mammal
 - 54 English race track
 - 55 The banteng
 - 57 Kind of fish
 - 58 Golf club
 - 59 Prepare for print
 - 61 Came to earth
 - 62 Citizen of ancient Media
 - 65 Beverage
 - 67 Girl's name
 - 69 French article
 - 70 Form of "to be"
 - 71 Symbol for erbium
- DOWN**
- 1 African tree
 - 2 Isles of Ireland
 - 3 Knock
 - 4 Delighting
 - 5 By
 - 6 Stream
 - 7 American Indian animal
 - 8 Badgerlike
 - 9 Teutonic deity
 - 10 Morning hours
 - 11 Swallows food hastily
 - 12 Great Lake
 - 13 To care for
 - 18 Smallest portion
 - 23 Occupy a seat
 - CRUISE
 - RATEL
 - ANTAE
 - CEE
 - TERN
 - OUT
 - SPANS
 - PELEE
 - ARA
 - TENDERS
 - BEAR
 - ATEF
 - BONE
 - ANON
 - SALT
 - PLEA
 - INTER
 - DONE
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 - SPAS
 - GILL
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 - TART
 - SPAR
 - TORE
 - SENAT
 - SEERS
- Answer to Puzzle No. 510

Woodalls To Observe 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Woodall will observe their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday. They will be honored with open house which will be held in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McMahan from 3:00 to 5:00 p. m. Friends are invited to call during these hours.

Mosses Graduate From Oklahoma University

Among the 1700 recent graduates from Oklahoma State University were Marion L. and Sheila D. Moss. Marion received his Master of Science Degree in Physical Education. Sheila received her Master of Science Degree in Elementary Education.

Upon graduation, Sheila was one of the twenty-five graduates chosen from the top ten per cent of the graduating class to be elected to membership in Phi Kappa Phi, the Phi Beta Kappa of Land Grant Colleges and the highest honor society on the Oklahoma State campus. In September Mr. and Mrs. Moss will move to Maryville, Missouri where Marion will be the head basketball coach at Northwest Missouri State College, and Sheila will teach Educational Psychology and Curriculum Development in the Education Department of the college.

Mr. and Mrs. Moss are former residents of Stratford.

Rev. Reccius To Preach Sunday

Rev. A. W. Reccius of Hooker, Oklahoma will preach at the First Baptist Church at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday. He was a former pastor of the church and will fill the pulpit in the absence of Rev. M. E. Upchurch.

Rev. and Mrs. Upchurch will be at the Glorieta Baptist Assembly for a week. They will spend the following week on a vacation and fishing trip.

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ALAMO—Shrine of Texas Liberty.

Over two and a half centuries ago, Spanish conquistadors exploring the Southwest named the City of San Antonio, Texas, and the San Antonio River. Today, where a quiet Indian village once stood, one finds giant skyscrapers and colorful reminders of San Antonio's historic past — as well as the river itself — which make the city a "Venice" in America.

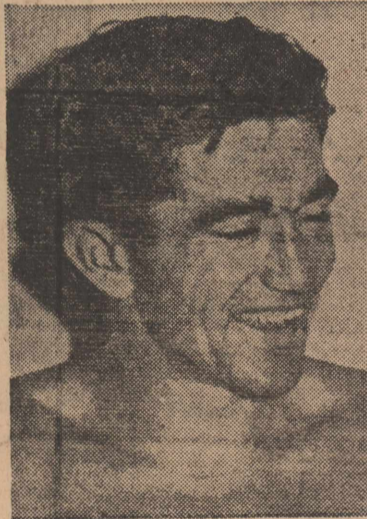
In San Antonio—the Alamo City—they say that "Life is Different." Will Rogers once said of San Antonio that it was one of four cities in the United States possessing real atmosphere. This city of 537,000 population has many faces. It has known the tread of marching feet since the days of earliest Spanish presidio. Here the battle cry, "Remember The Alamo," was born and General Robert E. Lee decided to cast his lot with the South. General William Tecumseh Sherman served here before casting his with the North.

Here today is Randolph Air Force Base, Fort Sam Houston, Fourth Army Headquarters, Brooke Army Medical Center, Kelly Air Force Base, largest depot of its kind in the world, and Lackland Air Force Base.

World-famous is the Alamo, Shrine of Texas Liberty, where in 1836 Crockett, Bowie, Travis and 180 others made the ultimate sacrifice in the name of liberty and freedom. Annually in April, a carnival celebrates the battle of San Jacinto.

San Antonio is traditionally a city of parks, plazas and playgrounds. The city won the "national cleanest city" contest in its category for 1952, 1953, and 1955—and the National Grand Award in 1954. Parks and playgrounds comprise over 2,000 acres, include Brackenridge Park and Witte Museum, Zoo, Chinese Sunken Gardens, Sunken Garden Theatre, Golf Course, Polo Field, Baseball Diamonds, Tennis Courts, Bridge Paths, Picnic Grounds, etc.

SPORTS CORNER



CHALLENGER... Roy Harris, Texas challenger for Floyd Patterson's heavyweight title, meets Patterson August 15. He's in training near Los Angeles.

This An' That

Billy Joe Patton won his second Carolina Golf Association amateur title with a 6-and-5 victory over Charles Smith at Hickory, N. C. White Sox Vice President Chuck Comiskey has agreed that the lack of a pennant race is responsible for the gate slump in the American League but he refused to go along with the "break up the Yankees" critics. "It's up to the other clubs to build up so that they're equally good," said the Sox executive in commenting upon the 12 per cent drop in league attendance. Every sport has a language of its own. Horse racing, for instance, has some interesting terms. A "beetle" is a fairly worthless rider. A "bug rider" is an apprentice jockey who gets five pound weight allowance for inexperience. A "lonse book" is a bookmaker who accepts small bets, as low as 25c or 50c. A "short" horseman is one about out of money and a "short" horse is one that hasn't had enough work and can be expected to tire before the end of a race.

Lt. Beilue Has Guided Missile Training

Fort Bliss — Second Lt. Danny L. Beilue, whose wife, Janet, lives in Cactus, recently completed the surface-to-air guided missile officer basic course at the Army Air Defense School, Fort Bliss, Texas.

Lieutenant Beilue, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Beilue, 32 Innercourts, Borger, Texas, received instruction in theoretical and practical aspects of guided missiles and in air defense tactics. The 23 year old officer was graduated from Dumas High School in 1953, from Texas Technological College, Lubbock, in 1957 and is a member of Alpha Pi Mu fraternity.

He was employed by the American Oil Company, Texas City, in civilian life.

Walloon Lake, south of Petoskey, Michigan, boasts crystal-clear water so pure that local residents use it in their automobiles batteries.

Open Catholic Fund Drive For Church

Members of the Catholic Church of Stratford have completed plans for the drive to collect funds to be used to erect a church building. Lots were purchased several years ago south along the Gruver highway and will be the building site of the new structure.

The fund drive committee is headed by Buddy Miller and is composed of Joe Walsh, Joe Engelbrecht and Ray Doerfler. Paul Chesmer will serve as secretary-treasurer. Father Sonderman, parish priest, will work closely with the committee.

Church services have been held the past few years in a small room adjoining the hotel and adequate facilities are badly needed by the Catholic families in the Stratford area.

Zuni and Hopi, among other American Indians, cultivated cotton long before the Spanish conquest. They used cotton primarily for ceremonial rights, putting raw fibers over faces of the dead and depositing seeds in food vessels on graves.

Ex-Students' Annual Dinner August 23

Stratford Ex-Students will have their annual dinner Saturday, August 23, at 6:30 p. m. in the school cafeteria. Each couple living within the Stratford area has been asked to bring enough food for their family and another couple. Bread, beverages and paper plates will be furnished by the association. Committees are making arrangements for the completion of entertainment features this week.

Seed Aid For—

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ple of Texas about the Foundation's new program.

"We believe a lot of Texans who want to keep this fine work going will turn on their porch lights when the signal is given," Payne said.

A partial list of the materials which go into the making of playing cards include glue, borax, carbon black, wax, castor oil, special pigments, metal leaf and shellac.

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CHOPPED BEEF 49
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CORN 85
Diamond Cream Style Golden
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PORK & BEANS \$1
JACK SPRAT
No. 300 Tin — 11¢
10 tins for

Spuds 29
TEXAS REDS
10 Pound Bag

GREEN BEANS 17
Kentucky Wonders
POUND

BELL PEPPERS 15
California
POUND

CARROTS 9
Cello. Pkg.

Coffee 79
SCHILLING
POUND

STRAWBERRIES 19
Fresh Frozen
10 OZ. PKG.

SHRIMP 55
BREADED
10 oz. Pkg.

ORANGE DRINK 85
HI-C
46 oz. Tin — 29¢
3 tins for

PINEAPPLE JUICE \$1
WAPCO
46 oz. Tin — 35¢
3 tins for

PINEAPPLE 19
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