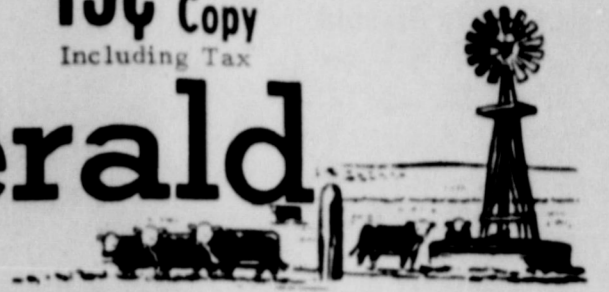


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AFTER THE SUDDEN CLOUD Thursday afternoon, these youngsters were enjoying 'canal' street at South Second and Ave. B. Many scenes such as this were taking place in several locations.

## KC Has Hail, High Wind, And 3.20 Rain In Thursday Storm

Hail and strong winds whipped through Knox City last Thursday afternoon starting about 5:30 p. m. Pea sized to marble sized hail fell, accompanied by strong winds, that did extensive damage to trees. TV antennas, and roofs in Knox City.

A plate glass window in Gunn's Sheet Metal and Plumbing on East Main was blown out and several large trees were uprooted.

Some crops northeast of town received hail damage and high winds ruined some of the early feed crops, according to re-

ports. Approximately nine miles southeast of town, a narrow strip received a good deal of hail damage.

Electrical power here was out. It was believed that lightning struck the transformer, according to a WTU spokesman.

The TV cable tower was also affected by the storm.

3.20 inches of rain were recorded in 35 minutes.

There were unofficial reports of a tornado being sighted in the fields 10 miles east of Knox City.

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### COMING EVENTS

Play night will be held Saturday night, August 7, at Benjamin, at the regular time, according to a spokesman for the Knox Co. Riding Club.

## On-The-Job Training Added To KC's Fall Curriculum

According to Supt. W. R. Baker, a new on-the-job training program for high school students will be launched this fall at Knox City High School. An "Off-Farm Agricultural Occupations" curriculum has been developed by the Vocational Instructional Services, Texas A&M University, in cooperation with the vocational agriculture teachers and a state advisory committee in each related agricultural occupation.

Leon Burkham, local vocational agriculture teacher, attended a workshop held in Austin July 19 through 23 concerning the new on-the-job training program for high school students.

This program will give students an opportunity to spend part of their school time in on-the-job training with local agricultural business and industrial firms. Students participating will enroll in regular high school courses, including one period of related agricultural instruction, during which

time they will study information related to their on-the-job training. They will spend 20 hours each week on the job, learning the skills and management practices involved, under the guidance of a skilled instructor selected from the firm in which the student is working.

This phase of the vocational agriculture program is designed to offer training to Jr. or Sr. high school students who have an interest in an off-farm agricultural occupation. This training can lead

to in-school employment and immediate employment after completion of the high school program, or serve as a background for post-high school study.

A survey conducted recently indicates 13 ag-related businesses in the Knox City area, 7 of these firms are interested in employing a student trainee. Further information concerning the program may be obtained by contacting Mr. Burkham or John McGaughy, high school principal.

## Student Athletic Insurance To Be Handled Differently

Student Insurance will be handled differently this year, according to school officials.

Because of costs too high for the school to bear, the cost of insurance programs is being left entirely to the athlete and his parents. By changing insurance companies, the school has obtained lower premiums, if an athlete and his parents wish to purchase insurance in addition to that which the family already has. The football rider for high school athletes costs \$24.00. This change in insurance will mean that approximately \$1200.00 less local tax money will have to be used to finance the school's athletic programs. It will also mean that the school will have to have detailed information concerning insurance coverage which each family has for its athletes. The coaches will be available to obtain this and

other necessary information by meeting with the parents in the High School office between 9:00 and 12:00 on the mornings of Monday and Tuesday, August 9 and 10. A parent or guardian must appear in person, to complete these records before a boy may participate in the football program. Information needed can be obtained from your hospitalization policy and will include policy name, number, and addresses of both the company and the insured.

The above insurance is available to all students. Basic at-school protection will cost \$6.00 and twenty-four hour coverage is priced at \$18.00 for twelve months.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Freck and children of Asheville, North Carolina, visited here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Matura.



MRS. BRUCE B. CAMPBELL SR.

## Services Held Sat. For Longtime Area Resident

Services were held Saturday at 2:00 p. m. for Mrs. Josephine Hooper Campbell in the Knox City Church of Christ with Darol Bell, minister, officiating. Burial was in the Knox City Cemetery with Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Campbell, a prominent longtime area resident who was active in church and civic affairs, died Friday in the Knox County Hospital after an illness of several weeks.

Born May 21, 1889, in Normangee, Texas, the former school teacher was teaching in the Knox City Schools when

she married Bruce B. Campbell here on November 7, 1916. She was a graduate of Normangee High School and Sam Houston State Teachers College in Huntsville.

Mrs. Campbell was a charter member and past president of the Knox City Study Club, a charter member and past president of the Knox City Garden Club, a member of Delta Kappa Gamma and had served as president of the First District Texas Federation of Women's Clubs (now the Santa Rosa District), and a charter member of the Knox City Church of Christ where she taught the Ladies Bible Class for many years. She also served as editor of the Knox County History which was published in 1966 by the Knox County Historical Committee.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Bruce Jr. and Tom Roberts, both of Knox City; three brothers, Dr. R. H. Hooper of Navasota, Dr. W. C. Hooper of Leander, and C. F. Hooper of Galveston; three grandchildren, Gary Campbell of Taos, N. M., Gayle Campbell, and Mary Jo Campbell, both of Knox City.

Pallbearers were J. B. Ferguson, Carl Chaffin, Vic Thomas, David E. Faulk, Allan Lowrey, and Randy T. Boyd.

## School Nurses Attend Workshop

Mmes. Lillian Hicks, Elizabeth Acree, and Wretha Fitzgerald attended an immunization workshop at the Moody Center on the campus of Hardin Simmons University in Abilene, Monday, July 26.

This workshop was directed by John Black, who works with the immunization program of the State Health Department.

## School Registration Begins August 18 At KC

The 1971-72 school year will begin August 16 for teachers, with a general faculty meeting at 9:00 a. m. in the Early Childhood Center, the former Ford house on East Main. Students will register Wednesday and Thursday, August 18 and 19, and classes will begin Monday, August 23. School hours will be from 8:30 a. m. until 3:50 p. m., the same as previous years.

Seniors should come to school Wednesday, August 18, at 9:00 a. m. for registration. Juniors need to be at school at 2:00 p. m. on the same day. Sophomores will register at 9:00 a. m. Thursday, August 19, and Freshmen that afternoon at 2:00 p. m. Elementary students will need to come between 9:00 and 11:00 a. m. on Thursday to their teacher's room.

Breakfast will be served from 7:45 until 8:15 and lunch from 11:20 until 12:50. In spite of rising food and labor costs, prices will remain at 15¢ for a child's breakfast and 25¢ for teachers. Lunches will continue to be priced at 30¢ for children and 40¢ for adults.

Buses will not run for registration, but drivers Leroy Davis and Roger Butler will drive their routes at the customary time on Monday, August 23. Mr. Davis will go west to begin, then to Carver's place and by the Plant Center and so on, until he has completed his route. Roger Butler will begin by going north

toward Herring's, then east by Espinoza's and so on, until he completes his route.

Teachers for the coming year include Mrs. Frances King, Early Childhood Education and Mrs. Margie Clonts, kindergarten. First and second grade teachers will be respectively, Mrs. Louise Kemnitz and Mrs. Hazel Long. Mrs. Barbara Hibbitts will teach third grade and Mrs. Earlene Austin will teach fourth grade. Grades six, seven, and eight will be departmentalized with Mrs. Virginia Bettes, Mrs. Curtis Casey, Mrs. Mary Jo Lankford, Wesley, Hays, Terry Stillabower, Charles Hibbitts, and Jimmy Rogers teaching the various departments. Mrs. Joanna Delgado will conduct the primary resource room, Mrs. Frankie Baker will direct resource activities for the secondary students, and Mrs. Renella Watson will provide modified academic studies for students in the new vocational programs in both junior high and high school.

At the high school level, Mrs. Ottis Cash will teach English, Bob Winchester, Science, and Oscar Jackson, Mathematics, except for one course taught by John McGaughy, Leon Burkham will teach Agriculture, Leonard Morgan, Coordinated Vocational Academic Education (CVAE), and Mrs. Dottie Lowrey, Business subjects. Coach Jimmy Rogers will teach driver's Education and Coach Charles Hibbitts will teach the Health and Safety from which the drivers take their driving time.

Coaches Jerry Lowrey and Terry Stillabower will teach social studies, and Mrs. Vera Newton will teach home economics. Terry Stillabower will have all the girls' athletic programs while Mr. Hibbitts will be in charge of football. Mr. Lowrey will be in charge of basketball, and Mr. Rogers in charge of track. Bill Baker will again teach 5th and 6th grade boys' P. E., and Mrs. Leonard Morgan and Mrs. Della Escobar will conduct the Migrant Education program. Teacher aides will be in much the same manner as last year, but will be furnished primarily through the Haskell-Knox Coop for Special Education.

The implementation of new programs to better meet the academic vocational needs of children, plus the unusually high level of professional training received by staff members this summer, promise to make this year one of the finest that Knox City has seen.

## City Pays Off \$70,000 Bonds

The City of Knox City recently paid off an indebtedness of \$70,000.00, according to city officials, when the final payment retired the bonds approved sewer system.

Mercantile National Bank at Dallas held the bonds which were paid semi-annually, some at 3%, others at 3 1/2% interest.

At the time the bond issue passed on August 1, 1946, Roy A. Baker, who has lived in Ruidoso, N. M., was mayor, and the late J. G. Dutton was city clerk.

## Joe Nay Ministering At The Weinert Foursquare Church

Joe Nay of Arlington, Texas will be ministering each evening at eight o'clock in the Weinert Foursquare Church.

Mr. Nay was closely and deeply associated with the church for many years but did not discover Christ as his Lord and Master until four years ago.

A graduate of North Texas Teacher's College, Nay was in the business world for many years. Enrolling in a seminary he began preaching the gospel. Less than two years ago, Nay had his own personal pentecost, a common experience that the christians had

in the first century. Nay contends pentecost is an experience and not a denomination.

Through his ministry he is helping spread and speed the charismatic renewal in the church and to answer questions concerning glossolalia with the word of God. Katherine Byrd, invites everyone to attend.

## First Baptist Revival Begins Monday, Aug. 9

nursery will be open for all services.

Jim Laster will lead the singing each evening and will present special music along with other singing groups.

Evangelist for the week will be Dr. Bill Tolar of Fort Worth. Dr. Tolar has pastored four different churches in Texas. He taught Bible at Baylor University for 10 years. Since 1965 he has been professor in Biblical Backgrounds at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth. He was a guest lecturer in the Bible lands for two round-the-world tours on world civilizations - going to 28 countries including Russia and returned in July from the third trip to the Holy Lands.

In high school, Dr. Tolar was president of the junior and senior classes, captain and All State halfback on a state championship football team in Louisiana. He has been a special speaker for the Fellowship of Christian Athletes at three summer camps in Colorado, New York, and Oregon.

## Mrs. Jones Has Recent Surgery

Mrs. Emma Jean Jones underwent surgery last week in Abilene, and accord' to family members, is 'real well.' It is hoped that she will be able to return to Knox City the latter part of this week.

Mrs. Jones' address is Room 233, West Texas Medical Center, Abilene, Texas. Her daughter, Martha Jane, is with her.



DR. BILL TOLAR

## SS Representative To Be Here Today

Carl R. Beisner, representative of the Vernon Social Security office, will be at the City Hall in Knox City on Thursday, August 5, at 10:00 a.m. He will take applications for social security.

All persons in Knox City and Knox County desiring to file applications for social security benefits are invited to meet Mr. Beisner at this convenient location. He is available to speak to interested groups about social security at any time. There are no charges for these services.

### VISIT IN TAHOKA

Mrs. Martha Floyd visited this past week in Tahoka with her brothers and wives, Mr. and Mrs. John Slover and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Slover. She reported good rains had fallen in this area, greatly helping crops.

## KC Band Rehearsal To Begin August 16

Director Wesley Hays announced this week that band rehearsals will begin Monday, August 16, from 6:00 to 9:00 p. m.

All high school band students, including any new members who will be participating in band for the first time, plus any eighth graders who would like to try out for the Greyhound Marching Band, are

asked to be present at 6:00 p. m. at the Band Hall for two hours of playing and one hour of marching fundamentals.

Mr. Hays asks that the percussion section meet Thursday, August 12, at 10:00 a. m. in the Band Hall where sessions will be held from 10:00

o'clock until noon, and again from 1:00 to 3:00 p. m.

Section rehearsals will be announced later, he said.

Mr. Hays and his wife, Becky, returned recently from the 24th annual Texas Bandmaster's Association Clinic held July 25-28 at Convention Center in San Antonio.

The local director said that the study schedule this year included marching films, a new music session, a bass clarinet clinic, a marching techniques clinic instructed by Dr. Dean Killon of Texas Tech University, and Dr. Frances McBeath of Ouachita Baptist University in Arkadelphia, Arkansas, was in charge of the rehearsal techniques clinic.

Mr. Hays said that he was looking forward to a good year in band and was anxious to begin.

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## Weather Observations

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DATE	HIGH	LOW	RAIN
7-27	87	68	
7-28	87	70	.65
7-29	91	69	
7-30	73	61	
7-31	81	59	
8-1	80	66	.11
8-2	79	61	
8-3	63		
Week's rainfall at PMC			.76



ENJOYING THE UNION GROVE HOMECOMING last weekend were those residents and former students pictured above. Approximately 50 persons attended the affair in the Masonic Fellowship Hall. The reunion is held every two years, and Alton Fitzgerald and Alice Wilson were re-elected president and secretary, respectively.

### DID YOU KNOW

... that T. E. Robbins, Oak Manor Rest Home, Glade-water, Texas 75647, subscribes to The Knox County Herald?

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**RPPCA Loans Area Farmers \$23 Million**

Area farmers and ranchers borrowed almost \$23 million from Rolling Plains Production Credit Association during the first six months of 1971, according to J. L. Hill, Jr., president.

This figure represents an increase of more than \$1.2 million over the same period last year.

Texas' 34 Production Credit Associations loaned more than \$448 million the first half of 1971, an increase of \$33 million over the same period last year.

Rolling Plains PCA has office in Childress, Matador, Munday, Spur and Stamford. The Association makes agricultural loans in Briscoe, Childress, Collingsworth, Cottle, Dickens, Donley, Foard, Hall, Hardeman, Haskell, Jones, Kent, King, Knox, Motley, Shackelford, and Stonewall counties.

**HOME FROM VACATION**

Mr. and Mrs. Sam E. Clonts, Greg and Jami, accompanied by Brent Railsback have returned from a vacation in Red River and Taos, New Mexico.

The latter part of last week the Clonts family visited for mer residents, Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Markward and Chuck in Dallas.

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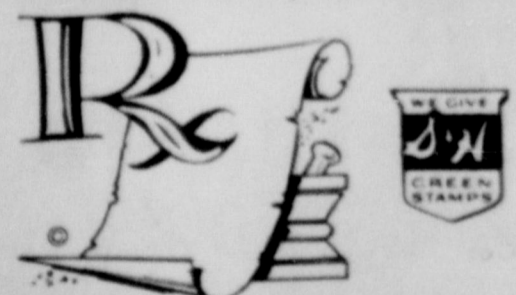
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ATTENDING THE RECEPTION were Mr. Kenneth Moss, Mr. Jay Naman, Mr. Foy Mitchell, Mr. Lyle Stodghill, and Mr. Joe Rankin.

**Reception Held Thurs. For Farmers Union Officers**

Several Knox County farmers gathered Thursday, July 29, to meet Jay Naman, State President of the Texas Farmers Union, at a get-acquainted reception in the Chamber of Commerce building in Munday. Those accompanying Mr. Naman were Joe Rankin of Falls, State Vice President; Foy Mitchell of Roby, District Director; and Kenneth Moss, State Director of Organization.

Lyle Stodghill, Knox County Farmers Union President, introduced Mr. Moss to the group. Mr. Moss greeted the farmers and was extremely complimentary about the Knox County membership consisting of 282 members. He praised

their efforts in gaining membership and commended their determination. "We're within reach of 10,000 members statewide this year," stated Mr. Moss. In an effort to gain the members needed to reach 10,000, the Texas Farmers Union has initiated incentive programs to encourage local members to do their part. Although Knox County has been working over their goals the past two years, Mr. Moss encouraged them to keep up the good work. Mr. Moss said that they were going to launch a double effort in which each Farmers Union member has a personal responsibility drive.

At this point in the program,

Mr. Moss introduced Mr. Jay Naman, Mr. Naman also thanked Knox County for their tremendous support and commended them on obtaining their goals. He stressed the fact that the Texas Farmers Union is trying to emphasize the importance of youth in the organization. He encouraged the local organization to sponsor a teenager to the Merkel Youth Camp being sponsored by the Farmers Union during this week, August 2 thru 6. "In these youth camps, our youth will learn how to use the democratic process to obtain objectives," stated Mr. Naman. He said that in the near future they hope to have a youth governing board that will participate in the state convention with at least one delegate of high school age.

Mr. Naman explained that the purpose of their visits through these counties was to touch base with the local farmers and discuss their problems and answer any questions or interpret any matters for them. A question and answer period was held in which Mr. Naman, Mr. Moss, Mr. Rankin and Mr. Mitchell explained various farm legislation and issues of interests to local farmers.

**Big Five Women's Golf Association To Meet Aug. 17**

A meeting of the Big Five Women's Golf Association will be held at Stamford Country Club Tuesday, Aug. 17. Tee-off time will be at 10 a. m., and lunch will be served after 18 holes of play.

The final meeting of the year will be held at Knox City on Tuesday, September 21. Following the day's play, new officers for the coming year will be elected.

Twenty-one members were present for the one day play held in Haskell in June.

Winners in the championship flight were low gross, Ruby Medford, Haskell; low net, Neomi Bell, Hamlin; runner-up low net, Arnell Denton, Knox City; low putts, Inez Ferguson, Hamlin.

**Attend School For Cheerleaders**

Carney Rural High School cheerleaders and their sponsor returned Friday from Dallas where they attended cheerleading school at Southern Methodist University for a week. Those attending were junior Rhonda Hewitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Hewitt, and senior Alice Del Hierro, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Del Hierro and sponsor, Mrs. Johnny Reid.

The girls learned new routines and drills and won five honorable mention ribbons.

**VISITING CHILDREN**

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Shaver were in Arlington last weekend visiting their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Brack Shaver. They were joined there Sunday by their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Muller of Austin, and accompanied back to Austin where they spent several days the first part of this week.

**Knox City FFA Members Attend State Convention**

Four members of the Knox City High School Future Farmers of America Chapter attended the State Convention held in Houston July 14, 15, and 16.

Those attending were Ricky Hacker, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hacker; Randy Egenbacher, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Egenbacher; Art Crowmover, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Crow-

**New Field Advisor For NorCentTex GSC**

NorCentTex Girl Scout Council is pleased to announce the employment of Mrs. Joe Gaines, Jr. as Field Advisor. For the past year Mrs. Gaines has been working in the council as office manager and bookkeeper.

Mrs. Gaines' involvement with Girl Scouting began as a troop leader in Houston thirteen years ago. She then moved to Boise City, Oklahoma, where she served as the Yucca Council's first cookie chairman. After moving to Wharton, Texas, she started a Brownie Troop.

She moved to Wichita Falls eight years ago. While in Wichita Falls she has served as a member of the Board of Directors and as a Neighborhood Chairman. During the absence of an Executive Director she served as second vice-president in charge of supervising the council staff. For two years Mrs. Gaines was NorCentTex Director of Training.

Mrs. Gaines attended high school in Seymour, Texas, then studied at Texas Tech. She and Mr. Gaines reside at 4649 E1 Captain in Wichita Falls and have two daughters, Gail, a Midwestern University student and June, a senior at Rider High School.

Mrs. Gaines will assume her new duties as Field Advisor for Childress, Cottle, King, Hardeman, Foard, Knox, Wilbarger, Baylor, Wichita, Archer, and Clay counties August 1st.

NorCentTex Girl Scout Council 4005 Seymour Highway Wichita Falls, Texas 76309

First flight winners were low gross, Lola Milstead, Hamlin; low net, Temple Alvis, Knox City; runner-up low net, Peggy Urbanczyk, Knox City; low putts, Betty Williams, Knox City.

Second Flight winners were low gross, Marion Frierson, Haskell; low net, Betty Baker, Munday; runner-up low net, Marilyn Kennedy, Munday; low putts, a tie of Dean Morrow and Glenda Little, both of Munday.

The July meeting was held in Munday.

Championship flight winners were low gross, Ruby Medford, Haskell; runner-up low gross, Opal Dunham, Haskell; low net, Inez Ferguson, Hamlin; runner-up low net, Paula Pendleton, Munday; low putts, Corky Moritz, Stamford.

Winners in the first flight low gross, Marion Perdue, Knox City; runner-up low gross, Mary Smith, Munday; low net, Faye Graham, Knox City; runner-up low net, Betty Williams, Knox City; low putts, Margie Hitt, Knox City.

Second flight winners were low gross, Pat Ford, Munday; runner-up low gross, Judy Moritz, Stamford; low net, Joan Pritchard, Stamford; runner-up low net, Betty Baker, Munday; low putts, Dean Nuckols, Munday.

**IRS Reports**

A special enrollment examination will be held on September 27 and 28 1971 for accountants and others who wish to represent taxpayers at all levels of the Internal Revenue Service.

Tax practitioners who are not certified public accountants or attorneys must demonstrate their technical competence before they can be enrolled to represent clients before IRS. This right to practice is governed by technical and ethical standards set by the Treasury Department.

Information about the examination and application forms are available at the Dallas District offices. Requests for application blanks and instructions should be addressed to Richard Bishop, Examination Coordinator, Internal Revenue Service, 1100 Commerce Street, Dallas, Texas 75202, or telephone 214-749-2795.

Applicants must file no later than August 31, 1971 and must include with their application form a \$25 fee to cover the cost of administering the exam.

A weekly public service feature from the Texas State Department of Health

**Accent on Health**  
J.E. PEAVY, M.D., Commissioner of Health

The beginning of school is just around the corner. When the month of August rolls around, thousands of Texas mothers suddenly realize that only a few more weeks remain until school begins.

Nowadays going back to school is a major enterprise for those families with school

age children. It usually means new shoes and school clothes, the acquisition of pencils and notebooks, or simply getting back into the old routine and habits.

There are certain other requirements that parents need to think about, and they need to think about them early enough to avoid the delays of last-minute requests. Children entering the first grade must be able to show proof of age. That usually means a certified copy of the child's birth certificate must be obtained from the city registrar, county clerk, or the Texas Health Department in Austin.

As usual, many Texas families will wait until the last moment to think about securing a certified copy of their first-grader's birth certificate. That means a heavy last-minute demand on officials who keep those records, and a probable delay in receiving the document from registration officials.

Across the state of Texas some two and a half million children will be heading to the public schools this fall. Nearly a quarter million will be first graders, and their birth certificates will have to be searched out of the files of the Texas

Health Department's Bureau of Vital Statistics or other agencies at the city or county level which may have copies on hand. Parents are urged by state health officials to take time now and write for a certified copy of the child's birth certificate, or contact either the city registrar where the child was born, or the county clerk in the county of birth.

If you prefer to write to health officials in Austin, address the request to the Texas State Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, 410 East Fifth Street, Texas 78701. The fee is \$1.50.

And don't forget. When you're thinking about getting your child ready for the beginning of school, a new state law now requires compulsory immunization for all school children. The immunization program must be begun before the end of this year, so its a good idea to see your physician or public health clinic early to begin your child's immunization program.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Word and Mr. and Mrs. David Albus Michael and Rhonda spent the weekend at Possum Kingdom and report having a most enjoyable time.

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County Clerk Must Publish Livestock Brand Act -

When the new law relating to the recording and re-erding of livestock brands and marks takes effect on August 30, the County Clerk of each county in Texas must have the new act published in a newspaper of general circulation in the county for a period of 30 days. The law states that the publication shall be paid for by the county out of the general county fund. Make certain your county clerk knows about this public notice law. It was S. B. 249, and now becomes Article 6899j, Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes.

The public notice is very important to owners of any livestock mentioned in Chapter 1 of Title 121 of RCS of 1925 - gives the owner six months to have his mark and brand recorded in the office of the county clerk.

**Trenching & Backhoe Service?**  
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## Letter To The Editor

### Omission

When copy was turned in for the Stockton shower in O'Brien one name on the hostess list was not included. The name of Mrs. Bill Holcomb was omitted.

### FROM FORT WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Davis of Fort Worth visited here last weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McGee. Mrs. Davis is the former Debbie Mayfield, daughter of the Howard Mayfields.

### IN OLNEY

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dodson visited this weekend in Olney, with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Dodson. The group attended church at the Assembly of God Church, Sunday.

## Engagement Announced

Miss Charlotte Lynn Holmes daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam F. Holmes Jr. of Dallas, will become the bride of Glenn Davis of Austin, Sept. 15 at the East Dallas Christian Church. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Davis of Knox City.

### EX-RESIDENT ILL

Norman Howell, a former Knox City resident who is employed by Steakley Chevrolet in Temple, is reported to be in serious condition in Scott and White Hospital at Temple.

### STUBES IN AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stubbs, Rhonda, Sandra, and Shea were in Amarillo over the weekend. While there, they were among 1600 persons viewing the outdoor stage show "Texas" in Palo Duro Canyon.



OUT-OF-TOWNERS AT THE UNION GROVE HOMECOMING (with the exception of Skeet Carpenter) included from left, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lisbee of Welch, Tom Hendon of Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clinton of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Horton of Lubbock, Skeet Carpenter, and Oscar Southall of Lubbock.



OTHERS GATHERED FOR THE UNION GROVE HOMECOMING were, first row, from left, Mrs. C. B. Ledbetter of Houston, Mrs. Emma Terry of Munday, Mrs. Arthur Southall of Bowie, Mrs. James Dutton of Muleshoe, and Mrs. Floyd Walker of Muleshoe; second row, left, Arthur Southall, Mrs. Maudie Hendon, who recently moved back to Knox City from Lorenzo, Mrs. F. D. Killgore and her husband of Fort Worth, James Dutton of Muleshoe, and Floyd Walker, also of Muleshoe.

## Farm and Ranch News

By Herman Collier

### GRAIN SORGHUM MIDGE

Due to recent moisture falling over much of the grain sorghum growing areas of the county and the late crop prospects looking good, producers are reminded that control measures for the grain sorghum midge may be necessary.

The grain sorghum midge are in the county in great enough numbers to inflict

heavy damage to yields where the plants are not past the bloom stage.

Two control applications may be necessary 5 to 7 days apart beginning when approximately 50% of the field first gets in the bloom stage.

For further information on the sorghum midge control you may contact the county agricultural agent at the courthouse.

### NATION'S TOP AUTHORITIES

"Improving Reproductive Efficiency in Beef Cattle" is the theme for Texas A&M University's 21st annual Beef Cattle Short Course, August 16-17. A one per cent increase in the state's calf crop would add a million dollars to the total income from beef cattle, says John Beverly, Extension animal reproduction specialist.

### MOSQUITO CONTROL

Considerable publicity has been given to Venezuelan equine encephalomyelitis and its impact on Texas', and potentially the nation's horse industry. Since mosquitoes are considered to be the prime vectors of this serious disease which attacks horses and, in a milder form humans, Federal, State and local officials are marshalling their forces in determined efforts to provide largescale mosquito control where these pests are a problem.

Area control programs consisting of larviciding, spraying and fogging can effectively reduce mosquito populations.

Individual homeowners can help greatly to destroy mosquitoes and possibly prevent the spread of VEE by eliminating mosquito breeding areas on or near their own premises.

Mosquitoes cannot hatch unless they are in water, so all standing water should be eliminated when possible. Mosquito frequently breed in commonly overlooked containers such as old tires, tin cans, jars, tubs, birdbaths, unused fishponds, evaporative coolers, or even on a flat roof where water accumulates.

Also, septic tanks and cisterns are ideal breeding places unless they are kept tightly covered. Such areas should be carefully eliminated. Standing puddles can be treated with a household insecticide or a small quantity of kerosene or diesel fuel, but avoid treating animal's drinking water or utensils.

Spraying shrubbery, eaves of the house and around windows and doors with malathion is recommended to help control hiding mosquitoes and prevent them from entering homes.

If there are places around your home where mosquitoes breed you may be raising the very mosquito which could bite you or your horses to transmit VEE.

### WITH RAINS, FALL GARDENS

The skillful home vegetable gardener, with recent help from the weatherman should give immediate attention to the planting of a fall garden. There is still time for the planting of such favorites as summer squash, cucumbers, and green beans, reminds John Larsen, Extension horticulturist. Lettuce, beets, turnips, collards, mustard, cabbage, broccoli, cauliflower and radishes can all be planted a bit later when temperatures drop a bit. And there are others, he adds, depending upon the section where you live.

### WATCH THE ONE

Mechanical harvesting of up to 4 crops of pickling cucumbers each growing season is a possibility for the near future. Current research in the Soil and Crops Sciences Department at Texas A&M, utilizing an exclusive A&M hermaphroditic inbred line of cucumbers (TAMU 950) promises a much increased yield and easier harvesting for pickling cucumbers.

## KC Colored News-Events

### SERVICES OF THE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST:

On Thursday night of last week Mr. and Mrs. James Manuel, Mrs. Georgia Smith, Mrs. Amelee Wilson, and Mrs. Florence Rhodes and daughter Cynthia traveled to Wichita Falls and were in the service at Love Sanctuary Church of God in Christ. Supt. and Mrs. L. R. Giddings were celebrating their 24th anniversary of pastoring that church.

Supt. Bennett preached from John 11:25 "The Divine Sympathizer". Mission was held on Friday night.

Sunshine Band and Choir practice were held on Saturday evening. Sis Manuel taught the lesson from the memory verses.

## Nursery Shower Honors Mrs. Lee

Mrs. Jackie Lee of O'Brien was honored with a nursery shower on Saturday, July 10, from 4 to 5:30 p.m. at the O'Brien Baptist Church.

Special guests included the honoree's mother, Mrs. Agnes Fulks, her sister, Mrs. Glenn Reeve Jr., and niece Janna, all of Friona.

Traditional colors of pink and blue were carried out in the theme of the shower.

Approximately 60 persons attended or sent gifts.

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Sunday School was attended well with Supt. Smith in charge.

The pre-opening service for Elder and Sis Blue's anniversary was held at the Munday Church on Sunday evening and also the YPWW joint meeting. Elder Reece pastor of St. Paul Baptist Church in Knox City preached from St. John 14.

YPWW and night service were held at the Knox City church. Missionary Wilson taught us from I Thessalonians 5:1,5.

Bible Band Joint meeting was held at the church in Munday on Monday night with President Sanders in charge.

Elder and Mrs. Leon Ward are vacationing this week in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Anniversary services for Elder and Mrs. George Blue will begin on Wednesday night of this week and close on Sunday afternoon.

## Record Earnings For Lone Star Gas

Dallas (July 27, 1971)—Lone Star's strong earnings improvement trend began in 1968 continued through the second quarter of 1971 in spite of the

warmest winter weather in over 40 years, W. C. McCord, President and Principal Executive Officer, said today.

Earnings for the 12 months ended June 30, 1971, reached a record high of \$2.08 per share compared with \$1.93 in the comparable period a year earlier.

McCord stated that this improvement was achieved principally in the non-utility segments of the business, including fertilizer operations.

"With normal weather for the balance of 1971, we are working to attain an improvement of 12% in earnings for this year over last," McCord said.

### IN CORNETT HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cornett, formerly of Lubbock, are here spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cornett.

Bill and Sherri, both graduates of Texas Tech University, are in the process of moving to Houston where he will enroll in Bates School of Law at the University of Houston. Sherri has been employed to teach a special education class in junior high at Galena Park.

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## Hospital News

Patients dismissed from the hospital since July 24, 1971: Knox City - Emma Jean Jones, Ruby Lee Collins, Frank Matura, Pansy Russell, Mary Adams, Nellie Anderson; Rochester - Curtis Wolsch, Deborah Berryman, Eunice Michaels, W. M. Castleberry, S. A. Strickland; Rule - Audella Torres and baby boy; Gilliland - Mildred Cook; Goree - V. G. Lambeth; Fayetteville, Ark. - Elfrida Mae Irvin; Patients in the hospital as of July 31, 1971: Knox City - Ethel Richardson, Onefro Gonzales; O' Brien - Edrie Barnard; Munday - Mallie Booe; Truscott - Lula Myers.

**Streams In Desert Places**  
BY OZELLE STEPHENS

"Like as a father pitieth his children so the Lord pitieth them that fear Him for He knoweth our frame: He remembereth that we are dust!" Psalms 103: 13 and 14.

If there are some of you who are lonely and disheartened, some who feel friendless and unloved, whom ever you are, wherever you are, we say to you, God loves you and we love you and pray for all our readers. Just remember God's love lifts up, sustains, and blesses all who trust in Him. We know and believe the love God has for us, and he who abides in love, abides in God and God abides in him.

**HOGUE GUESTS**  
Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hogue have been their daughter, Mrs. Dan Steakley of Temple and her daughter and grandson, Mrs. John McClaren and Dan Lawrence, also of Temple. Dan Lawrence celebrated his second birthday July 30.

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**IN KING HOME**  
Mrs. Doug Carlisle returned to her home in Kress Sunday afternoon after spending several days here with her mother, Mrs. Ida King.  
Other Sunday guests were Mrs. King's niece and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Lepak and children of San Angelo. On Monday, Mrs. Jack Hewitt and children of Abilene visited Mrs. King.

NEEDED: BABYSITTER in my home. One child from 8:30a. m. until 4:00 p. m., contact Mrs. Ed Arneson, 658-5121. 8-5-1tp.

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FOR SALE: CLEAN 1966 BSCAYNE CHEVROLET, automatic, 4-door. See or call Mrs. Coy Hewitt in O' Brien. 8-5-1tp.

GARAGE SALE - Two doors south of Baptist Church Thursday afternoon and Friday, Marye Hope and Lola Belle. 8-6 ltp.

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## Public Notice

The Gilliland School Board will accept bids on a 1963 Chevrolet 36 passenger school bus, motor No. 356225130558. Bids will be opened Monday, August 30. We reserve the right to accept or to reject any or all bids. Gilliland Common School District. 7-22-3tc.

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VISITING PARENTS  
Mr. and Mrs. Dub Gage and Chuck Curalie of Santa Anna, California, are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gage.  
The Gages are also expecting their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carlisle, Joey, Jerry, and Jim of Lake Charles, La., to arrive today (Thursday) for a visit.

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## Notice

**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**  
League Hanch, 906 Esperson Building, Houston, Texas 77002, has applied to the Texas Water Quality Board for an initial waste control order pertaining to a variable amount of rainfall runoff water containing wastes from the feedlot operation which is located approximately 5 and one-half miles southeast of Benjamin on State Highway 283 and in the D. G. Burnett Survey, A-20, Knox County, Texas. The rainfall runoff water containing wastes is retained in holding ponds and used for on-site irrigation. There is no discharge to the surface waters of the State. A public hearing on this application will be held in the Texas Water Development Board, Third Floor Auditorium, 301 West Second Street, Austin, Texas, at 9:00 a.m. on August 30, 1971, to receive evidence on the conditions, if any, under which the order may be issued. Additional data will be developed at the hearing, but further technical information concerning any specific aspect of the discharge, if available, can be obtained by writing the Texas Water Quality Board, 1108 Lavaca Street, Austin, Texas 78701. 8-6 ltc.

## Notice

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS**  
Sealed Proposals addressed to the City of Knox City, Texas, will be received at the City Hall, Knox City, Texas, until 2:00 P. M., FRIDAY, AUGUST 20, 1971 for the construction of hot asphaltic seal coat surfacing on various existing asphalt streets in Knox City. A certified or Cashier's Check, or Bid Bond, in the amount of five per cent (5%) of the bid, made payable without recourse to the Order of the City of Knox City, Texas, must accompany each Proposal as a guarantee that the Bidder, if successful, will enter into a contract and execute a 100% Surety Bond (both performance and payment), in accordance with the General Conditions and Specifications.  
Attention is called to the provisions of the Acts of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas, and all later provisions and amendments, concerning the wage scale and payment of prevailing rates of wages as established by the Owners in the contract documents.  
Attention is called to the provisions that each Bidder shall pre-qualify as to experience, financial ability, equipment, etc.  
The City of Knox City reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive formalities, and to consider the most advantageous bid or bids. No bids may be withdrawn within thirty days after date on which bids are opened.  
Proposal forms and specifications may be secured from the Engineer, Ernest L. Andrews, 2015 Santa Fe, Wichita Fall, Texas.  
CITY OF KNOX CITY, TEXAS  
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8-5-2tc.

**VISIT IN KANSAS**  
Mrs. Waynell Roberts, Cornelia, Merri, and Sue of Tullia, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Roberts of Canyon, visited Mrs. C. W. Stephens and the Jerry Guinn recently. Sue remained here, then returned to Tullia with her grandmother, Mrs. Stephens, Sheryl and Dell Guinn, and Rodney Stephens, who had been visiting here and in Rochester since July 4.  
Monday, the group went to Ulysses Kansas, to visit the Stephen Wynell's and stayed until Thursday, then returned to Tullia. Sandy Stephens accompanied his grandmother back to Knox City and will visit with her and his other grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hester of Rochester.

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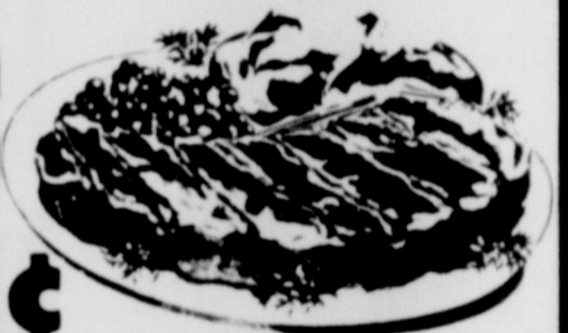
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## Random Ramblings

From Acapulco

Acapulco has turned into one of the most famous resorts in the world, but it's amazing that this town which only a few years back was a small Mexican port has lured such celebrities as John Wayne and the Burtons, Dick and Liz, to purchase homes there. Maybe it's the climate. The average temperature seldom varies from 75-82 degrees, and the rain, when it comes, usually occurs only at night. Millionaires and we common folk alike have visited Acapulco and vowed to return again someday.

Our hotel afloat, the USS BLUE RIDGE, maneuvered its way into Acapulco Bay one early April morning and dropped anchor right in the middle of the sparkling, sun-bathed body of water. We had heard that Acapulco Bay is one of the best natural harbors in the world, as it is well protected on three sides by small mountains. It was hard to realize that we were sitting right smack dab in the middle of the bay. Even though it was only 8:00 in the morning, water skiers were already zooming past the ship, waving ecstatically, until slipping and falling headfirst into the water.

Acapulco is not really a large city, as most jet set hot spots are, but it is spread out along the luxurious golden beaches and on back into the hills. To make it easier to get from one place to another, it is possible to rent jeeps for a day. Otherwise, the visitor must depend on taxis, unless he wants to spend three times as much for a ride on a horse-drawn carriage through the narrow winding streets.

Acapulco is so much like Waikiki with its gorgeous beaches, delightful palm trees, magnificent weather, and high prices.

Three things are distinctly different, however: Spanish is spoken there instead of the pidgin English of Hawaii; the people are Latin instead of Oriental; and bullfights and jai alai (an ancient fast-moving sport) are offered rather than cockfights or canoe races.

I enjoyed sitting in the shade of the beach cabanas (at 25 cents a day) and watching the natives amble by selling watermelon, mixed fruit cups sprinkled with red pepper, or homemade dolls dressed in traditional clothing.

The biggest attraction that Acapulco possesses is its beaches. There are the morning beach (Caleta) and the afternoon beach (Caletilla) to which tourists and natives flock at the proper time of day, especially on Sundays. Several other beaches, such as the Hornos, Condesa, and Saave, are popular because of their proximity to the hotels.

The Bay itself was crowded in the daytime with waterskiers and parachutists being pulled by a motorboat. At night the tiny fishing boats, with their lanterns twinkling, would make a circle not far from shore in quest of their meager living. Brightly lit commercial yachts loaded with tourists (and entertainers) sailed around the bay on its nightly tour.

There were a lot of college people down there when we visited during the Easter holidays, and it seemed that the majority of them were SMU, TCU, Texas University, and other Texas schools.

I just had to buy a few souvenirs, but not as many as I had in Rio, Lima, or Panama. The same things available in Acapulco are available in Tijuana, just south of San Diego. But the boys were available - anything from serapes and sombreros to beautiful paintings and jewelry of silver and gold. Acapulco is a tourist trap, though, and things were quite high, even though bargaining is an accepted practice at the mercado (market place) in the middle of town.

All along the sidewalks near the beach vendors had their two-wheeled carts loaded with a huge slab of ice and bottles of colored flavoring. They shave off the ice, pack it in a cup, and have the Mexican version of the snow cone. The Mexican food there in Acapulco is good, although I've had better back home in Texas. A person has to be careful what he eats and how much or he'll come down with Montezuma's revenge.

The Sunday we spent there was my personally biggest day. I attended Palm Sunday services at the Acapulco Episcopal Church along with other men from the ship. In the afternoon some friends and I went to the bullfights where we found most of the crowd of American tourists. Since it was my first bullfight, I found that the bull does indeed bleed, and die, and is dragged away, its meat to be sold to local restaurants.

After taking a taxi back downtown (and after eating a steak, of all things) we went to see if we could catch the next show put on by the world famous Quebrada divers - young men who dive from a steep, 135-foot cliff down into a rock-lined cove about 15 feet wide, timing their leaps to catch the incoming tide at exactly the right second, or else plunge themselves into the jagged rocks below the water. From there we walked back downhill to the downtown area and enjoyed watching the local Mexicans indulging in their evening meal outside with the insects because it was too hot inside.

The music from the cantinas filled the heavy semitropical night air. My day was topped off with a phone call to my wife Cheryl who was celebrating her birthday back home in Abilene.

One more day of last minute shopping in the colorful mercado and we departed Acapulco for the United States and San Diego, as last.

While we were in Acapulco, two sailors were "rolled" for their money and clothes, one man was jailed and rejoined the ship later in San Diego, and I almost got my pocket picked. I was alert for it, or I might be minus my billfold now.

Bobby

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### Smith Approves CAA Grant For Rural Areas

Governor Preston Smith recently announced his approval of a community action grant of \$50,000 in new federal funds to South Plains Community Action Association, Inc. in Levelland for CAA Administration. The grant is funded under Title II of the Economic Opportunity Act, and is effective July 1, 1971, through Feb. 29, 1972.

This program will focus on the development of manpower programs for rural areas in West Texas, including five state planning regions - Panhandle, South Plains, North Texas, Permian Basin and Upper Rio Grande. The agency will work with local governments and resources, state government and agencies and federal agencies to improve coordination of manpower planning.

The immediate activities to be handled under this program are dealing objectively with those unable to accommodate to manpower training because of low or no formal educational achievement, especially in the matter of literacy, and working toward resolving the problem of geographic dispersion of those needing manpower training. Also, introducing nonacademically oriented vocational training into the rural areas whereby the unemployable labor force being created by agricultural technology can be trained to become productive members of the newly mechanized rural community, as well as working toward providing manpower components which will provide intensified counseling, job orientation, assessment, placement and other supportive services to the hard-core unemployed.

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### Shannon Joins Staff

James B. Shannon has joined the staff of the Brazos Electric Power Cooperative, Inc., Hollis Dalton, general manager of BEPC, announced. Shannon will be a member of the cooperative's area and industrial development department, managed by John Ether-



"TOMMY"

## New Eyes For The Needy

When you're six years old, the world can be a wonderful place - if you can see it. Tommy couldn't. He lived in a world of blurred images. School is tough enough when you're six. But it's even worse when your friends are learning to read, and you can't keep up.

To Tommy, letters were merely blurs; so were baseballs and faces. Because Tommy's father had long been out of work, glasses were simply out of the question - until this year.

The boy's glasses were paid for by a volunteer organization hundreds of miles away, called New Eyes for the Needy, Inc., of Short Hills, New Jersey.

New Eyes, as it is familiarly known, has earned the reputation of being one of the most effective sight-saving charities in the world. It has helped many thousands of needy people obtain glasses - here and abroad - and it has never asked for a cent in donations.

Since its inception, almost 40 years ago, New Eyes has asked only for used eyeglasses and precious metal articles such as old watches, jewelry (real, costume and antique), good or damaged silver and dentures.

The eyeglasses and glittering clutter are sent to New Eyes for the Needy, Inc., Short Hills, New Jersey 07078. Thousands of packages from all over the United States arrive in the neat stucco headquarters every year. There, volunteers, mostly housewives, sort out the glasses, separating those in plastic frames from those in metal frames.

Since its inception, almost 40 years ago, New Eyes has asked only for used eyeglasses and precious metal articles such as old watches, jewelry (real, costume and antique), good or damaged silver and dentures.

The metal framed glasses have their uses, too. Through refining, they yield precious metals that are sold, along with the jewelry, to finance New Eyes funds in over 100 hospitals and health agencies throughout the United States. The money in these funds buys glasses for people who have nowhere else to turn.

In addition to these funds, arrangements have also been made in 48 states through health and welfare agencies whereby New Eyes purchase glasses for carefully screened persons, to edge.

Shannon, in this position, will be working directly with projects associated with community and industrial development in the area served by the B-K Electric Cooperative, Inc. with headquarters in Seymour, Texas.

The 31 year old Wacoan has headed the Waco Chamber industrial development for the past two and a half years.

Chamber executive vice president Paul Marable said, "We regret losing Jim Shannon from our staff. He has done an excellent job." He said Shannon has staffed the membership and business development committees, in addition to his industrial work, since December, 1968.

Shannon also served as personnel director for the Waco Methodist Home, executive vice president of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce and as manager of the Gatesville Chamber before joining the Waco Chamber staff.

He is a 1958 graduate of University High School in Waco and earned his BBA degree in Business in 1963 from Baylor University.

whom no other private or public funds are available.

Last year 8,000 people were helped under this program. Tommy was one of them.

But, as public response has grown throughout the years, so has the volume of requests. Therefore, New Eyes needs more discarded jewelry and eyeglasses to do its job. As one New Eyes volunteer put it: "The wonderful thing about New Eyes is that we can ask people to send us things they no longer need."

And these gifts can bring vision to a little boy, like Tommy.

## Representative Heatly Is Honored At Firemen Banquet

Representative W. S. (Bill) Heatly of Paducah, was one of five well known Texans to be honored by the State Firemen's and Fire Marshal's Association of Texas at the annual banquet of the Fire School at Texas A&M University in College Station at 5 p. m. Wednesday, July 21.

Representative Heatly was notified of this honor by Garland W. Fulbright, immediate past president of the association, San Antonio.

Heatly was awarded an honorary membership in the Association on the above date, along with Senator A. M. Aiken of Paris, Senator J. P. Word, Senator Murray Watson and Representative John Traeger.

Fulbright said this selection of five honorees by the state association is "an unprecedented action."

He said "In the previous 94 years of the association's history, only seven such honors have been bestowed by our association. This of course is truly an elite group in our esteem, and is only commended for those whom the association desires to honor in recognition for distinguished service to the State Firemen's and Fire Marshal's Association of Texas, or to the Departments of the State.

The five were presented the memberships "in recognition of the tremendous interest, cooperation and assistance in our Fire School Expansion Program."

Fulbright also said, in a letter to Heatly: "I am most happy to advise all five of these recipients were not only

unanimously approved by the special selection committee, but unanimously accepted by the entire convention assembly upon presentation of the resolution on Thursday, June 10. \*\*\*\*\*

## SS Reports

You may now telephone your social security office to file a claim or get information. If you are already a beneficiary, you can phone to change your address or make any other report, according to Wayne Klipping, manager of the social security office in Vernon.

Use of the telephone may save you a trip. Klipping especially urged that beneficiaries use the telephone to report changes that affect payments, such as a marriage, death, or change in earnings

of a beneficiary. The telephone is faster; the time saved includes that usually spent looking for a parking space, and waiting inside the office for a personal interview.

It works this way. Say you want to apply for social security payments or Medicare. The application will be filled out from information that you furnish by telephone. Then the application will be mailed to you for signature and return. If documents such as birth certificates are needed, you may mail them with your application, but these will be returned to you, Klipping said.

Try the telephone for your convenience. In Vernon the telephone number is 552-9346. \*\*\*\*\*

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Chris and Courtney Cure of Garland, children of Mr. and recent guests in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Guinn Jr. of Knox City and Mr. and Mrs. Omar Cure of Munday.

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