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TEAM of the Northern Cottonbelt Jr. League — Shown from left on first row: Jack Gentry, Leslie Fitzgerald, Bill Park; second row: Rogers Lankford, Creg Clonts, Leonard Rodriguez; third row: Charlie Lieb, Mike Newmeyer, and Kenny Woodall. Standing behind the boys are their managers, Dean Bouldin and Kenneth Lankford. Team members Dean Bouldin, Victor Gonzales, and Kenny Woodall were not present at the time the photo was made.

## City Team Places Second in Senior League Competition

Our league, the Mustangs and Warriors of Haskell, the Cubs and Kittens of Anson, and Knox City.

The number one team, the Haskell Mustangs, will play in the District tourney, and is allowed to choose two pitchers from any of the other teams in the league to play with them for

## Durham Services Here Tuesday At 10

Services were held Tuesday morning at 10:00 o'clock at the First Baptist Church, Durham, for the late Richard Durham, 68, of Cross Plains.

Survivors include his wife of 25 years, Mrs. Mary Johnson; two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson; and three daughters, Mrs. Munday, Mrs. Munday, and Mrs. Munday.

Funeral services were held Sunday at 10:00 o'clock at the First Baptist Church, Durham, for the late Mrs. Munday, 68, of Cross Plains.

## K. C. Woman's Mother, Mrs. Bettie Smith Dies

Funeral services for Mrs. Bettie Smith, 95, mother of Mrs. Arthur Crowover, were held Wednesday morning at 10:00 o'clock at the First Christian Church with the Rev. Floyd Bailey, pastor of the Four-square Church officiating.

Mrs. Smith died Monday at 11:15 a.m. under the direction of Smith Funeral Home of Knox City.

## Held Thursday For The Torres Mendoza

Funeral services for Mrs. Torres Mendoza, 53, from the Catholic Church, were held Thursday at 10:00 o'clock at the First Baptist Church, Durham, for the late Mrs. Torres Mendoza, 53, of Cross Plains.

Survivors include her husband, Mr. Torres; two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Torres; and three daughters, Mrs. Munday, Mrs. Munday, and Mrs. Munday.

## Chapel Services Held Sun. For Austin Z. Thomas, 83

Services were held at 1:00 p.m. Sunday in the Smith Funeral Home Chapel for Austin Z. Thomas, 83, with the Rev. Lester Belcher of Goree, and the Rev. E. Marion of Knox City officiating. Burial was in the Gillespie Cemetery under the direction of Smith Funeral Home.

Mr. Thomas died Friday at 9:00 p.m. in Haskell Memorial Hospital where he had been a patient for one day.

## First Cotton Queen Contest Being Planned

Knox County will hold its first annual Rolling Plains Cotton Queen Contest. The primary purpose of this contest is to promote the Cotton Industry and give rural young people the chance to participate in a pageant.

Sponsoring organizations for the contest will be the Knox City Chamber of Commerce and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

## Window Service Change July 27 At Local P. O.

Knox City Postmaster Jeff T. Graham advised the Herald office Monday morning that, in keeping with the recently ordered personnel cutback, the local Post Office (a second-class office) must curtail its service on Saturday mornings, effective July 27.

All incoming mail Saturday morning will be worked and placed in P. O. boxes, according to Mr. Graham, and the General Delivery window will be open from 8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. for delivery of mail to General Delivery patrons, and the handing out of Parcel Post packages. Rural delivery will be made as usual.

## Seedless Watermelons, Another Knox Co. First



DR. MACK C. FUQUA with seedless watermelons

Seedless watermelons are a Knox County "first" this year. One of the largest plantings in the nation is being grown by two local men, Gene Thompson and Herbert Partridge.

In commenting on the melon crop, Mr. Thompson said, "I don't see how they could be any better as far as soil and climate conditions are concerned."

Mr. Partridge was not available for comment, but it is reported his field of melons are also of superior quality.

Dr. Mack C. Fuqua, with the South Plains Research Center in Lubbock, explained the Texas Department of Agriculture is interested in establishing a market for seedless watermelons in this part of the nation. In Indiana and Missouri, where the melons have been grown in the United States, there is a consumer preference for them.

The Seedless Watermelon Seed Company of Goshen, Indiana furnished seed, which would have cost \$90.00 a pound, to the Research Center. "Actually," said Dr. Fuqua, "the seed company paid for the growing plants."

There are three seed planted in each pot. Two "seedless" seed and one pollinator, or normal seed. This is necessary because the seedless will not pollinate. Therefore, a normal is necessary for pollination. This fact explains the presence of regular seed watermelons in the field. The seedless melons are distinguished from a common type melon by the color of the rind.

James D. McNease, Marketing Specialist of the Texas Department of Agriculture, now living in Munday, will work on a promotion program in Dallas, for marketing of the seedless watermelons through newspaper and television publication.

One prime factor in establishing a market for this product is based on its high quality and expense to the grower. Seedless is one able to come up with such quality in any realm without it being just a little more costly. These elements will determine future plantings.

Mrs. Callie Ann Combs, manager of Munday Chamber Seedless Watermelons, Page 2

## Knox City Lions Club Hosting Exchange Student From France

Herve' Gallecier of Besancon, France, will be the guest of members of the Knox City Lions Club here for four or five weeks, arriving here Tuesday of this week as an exchange student.

He arrived in Dallas Sunday and was met at Love Field by Paul Graham and Randy Hise. The three boys stayed in Fort Worth to sightsee and attend Six Flags Over Texas before returning to Knox City.

The high school student will spend the first week with Paul and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Graham. Paul will help acquaint him with our town and the young people in the area.

Herve' is eighteen years of age and is very fond of sports such as judo, skiing, and swimming. He has the black belt of Judo, the youngest in Europe in 1965. He is currently vice champion of France and has the bronze medal in the championship of Switzerland. He hopes to practice in Texas — and learn to ride a horse!

His father, Rene Gallecier, a gymnastics teacher, plans to visit in Knox City during the first week of August. It is their desire to hold a Judo demonstration, free of charge for the townspeople as a goodwill gesture.

Members of the Lions Club have asked that anyone desiring to entertain the exchange student for a day or weekend, to please contact J. C. McGee, Paul Graham or Paul Hope.



HERVE' GALLECIER here for several weeks

## Local C Of C Manager To TCU Organization Course

FORT WORTH — Mrs. Kenneth Crowover, Secretary Manager of the Knox City Chamber of Commerce is attending the Institute for Organization Management of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States at Texas Christian University here during the week of July 21.

She joins nearly 250 other chamber executives to study and discuss how to improve their organization management skills and better serve business and their communities.

The National Chamber's Institute courses are tailored to meet specific needs and help solve knotty management problems. Of major benefit are the informal sessions during which executives share valuable experiences and information.

Institute courses probe a full range of areas such as the business organization's role in government, community and industrial development, communications and public relations, and organization law.

Students start by attending three years of Principles of Management courses, followed by three years of Advanced Management Studies. After graduation, executives may continue their education each year at the Postgraduate Seminars, and may be selected to attend the Academy for Organization Management, a three-year course of study equivalent to a Master's Degree in business organization management.

## Mrs. Montgomery's Rites Held Sunday At Foursquare

Funeral services were held here Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock for Mrs. Clara Ann Montgomery, 90, of the Knox County Hospital after a brief illness.

Born December 16, 1877 in Mississippi, she moved with her parents to Gorman at the age of 14. She married William Thomas Montgomery in 1896 in Gorman. They lived in Seagraves where Mr. Montgomery died on July 17, 1938. She had been a resident of Knox City for 28 years.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Mae Baum of Lubbock, Mrs. Hugh Eubank of Truscott, and Miss Betty Montgomery of the home; three sons, John D. Montgomery of Three Rivers, Michigan, and R. L. of Rusk; one half-brother, Grady Rone of Gorman; 18 grandchildren; 31 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband and four children.

Funeral services were held Sunday at 3:00 o'clock at the Foursquare Church, officiated by Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Bailey, pastors, officiated. Burial was in the Truscott Cemetery with Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

## Native Of Kenya, East Africa Receives SCS Training In KC

Michael Maluki, native of Kenya, East Africa, was in Knox City for several days last week receiving training from the Soil Conservation Service and studying our methods of operation.

Mike, as he is called by his associates, has been in the United States since 1964 and is sponsored by the Agency for International Development, Food and Agricultural Organization of the United Nations and the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

A 1963 Kenya Polytechnic graduate, he worked as laboratory technologist for the Ministry of Agriculture in Nairobi, Kenya. He is a spring graduate of the Colorado State University at Fort Collins, receiving his B. S. degree in soil and range management. He is touring various parts of the United States, coming to Knox City from Texas A&M where he had been observing methods of brush control. His itinerary will include Arizona, New Mexico, Utah, and Australia before his return to Kenya and home in November of this year. He will be employed by the Kenya Department of Agriculture upon his return home.

During his stay in Knox City, Mike spent four days in the local SCS office and visited one day at the James E. "Bud" Smith Plant Materials Center.



SCS Work Unit Conservationist Arche Lieb, left, and Howard Carleton, acting manager of the James E. "Bud" Smith Plant Materials Center, right, are pictured in the Knox County Herald office Thursday morning with their guest and trainee, Mike Maluki of Nairobi, Kenya, East Africa. (Staff Photo)

## Weather Observations

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4 Miles NW of Knox City

DATE	HIGH	LOW	RAIN
7-16	96	74	
7-17	99	73	
7-18	88	74	
7-19	84	68	.71
7-20	90	68	
7-21	95	68	
7-22	95	72	
7-23	92	72	

Precipitation for week - .71  
Precipitation for 1968-14.2



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### COTTON QUEEN

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City Chamber of Commerce, Knox City, Texas 79529.

4. Contestants will model two (2) cotton outfits; A. A cotton formal - may be purchased ready-made or made at home or by someone else for the contestant, of any color or style, selected to suit the individual. B. A cotton sports outfit (No bathing suits). This may be ready-made or made especially for the contestant. It might be a garment suitable for active or spectator sports such as shorts or slacks, skirts, sweaters, jackets, shirts, shirt-jacs, etc. Clothes suitable for church or dress occasions would not be considered a sports outfit.

Ready-made clothes of cotton often have a touch of trim that may or may not be cotton. As long as the garment itself is cotton, a small amount of fiber will be acceptable. Accessories should be selected to compliment the garment and may not necessarily be cotton.

5. Judges will follow this procedure for judging: A. Three judges using the following scorecard: Appearance - 40 points, poise - 20 points, Personality - 40 points. B. Contestants are judged first in a sports outfit while giving a two-minute talk on cotton (any phase). C. Contestants are judged in formal attire and asked one question to test poise. D. The two-minute talk and questions are very important in the contest. E. Eligibility - must have been a Junior or Senior in High School in the 1967-68 school term, and be unmarried.

### Shower Honors Recent Bride

Mrs. Larry White, formerly Miss Linda Kay Conner, was honored with a bridal shower Tuesday, July 16, at the home of Mrs. B. F. Cornett. Receiving guests were the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Lester Conner of Fort Worth, and Mrs. R. D. White, mother of the groom.

The table was decorated in the bride's chosen colors with a blue cloth overlaid with a white lace cut-work cloth, crystal appointments, and white tapers. Flowers were blue and white carnations.

Miss Vickie Lowrey served and Mrs. Billy Gene Johnston registered guests.

Miss Sue White, cousin of the groom, attended from Wichita Falls.

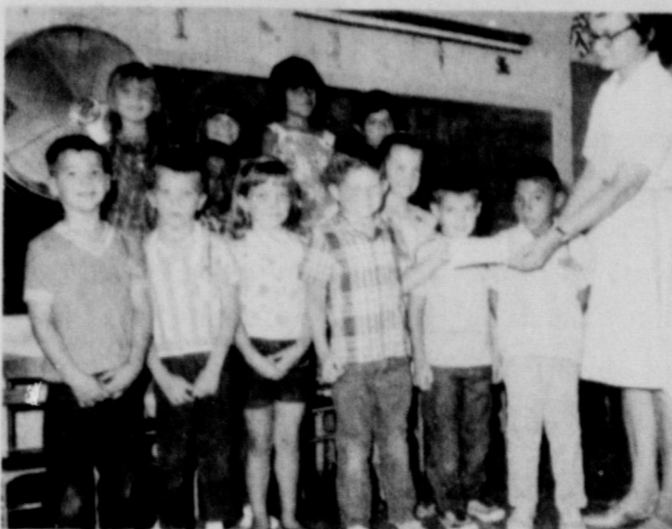
Hostesses included Mesdames Vic Lowrey, C. H. Cornett, B. F. Cornett, Fuller Shannon, C. E. Williams, Eddie Carr, Thelma Howell, Paul Hoge, Bill Anderson, Otis Cash, Leo Beason, Tom Campbell, Odell Carver, Billy Gene Johnston, and Miss Alice Wilson.

The couple were married in Fort Worth, June 29.

### FAMILY GET-TOGETHER

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Woolley and daughters, Becky Jo and Betty of Colorado Springs, Colorado, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Wooley here last week. All of the group went to Leonard to visit their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wooley, and were joined there by another son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wooley of Ardmore, Oklahoma.

Visiting in the L. R. Wooley home Tuesday morning was his niece, Mrs. Dewayne Dotson of Abilene.



PICTURED RECEIVING their certificates are members of the 1968 pre-school class from Mrs. Frances King, teacher. 1st row, from left: Greg Whitten, Russell Hacker, Denise Hamilton, Ronnie Bragg, Danny Johnson, and Raymond Leija. 2nd row: Jimmy Flye Thompson and Kimber Britting. 3rd row: Dana Byrd, Lori Henexson, Joyce Hernandez, and Mary Barrentiez. Not pictured are Greg Elston, Keiton Smith, Shelton Rhodes, Tina Lopez, and Herbert Youngblood who nevertheless attended enough days to receive their certificates, but were not present for the awards. Not receiving diplomas were Rudy Lerma and Lupe Castro, due to lack of required attendance.

### Pre-School Program Ends; Open House Held For Parents

Nineteen youngsters who have been enrolled in the annual pre-school class at Knox City Elementary School have completed the six-week program and have been awarded their certificates, according to Mrs. Frances King, the teacher in charge. The program of classes began June 3, and the children, all of whom will start school this fall, met with Mrs. King each day from 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon, Monday through Friday in her first-grade room at the school.

There were three children who had perfect attendance, Ronnie Bragg, Lori Henexson, and Greg Whitten.

The class made several visits around town to many places of interest, including the U. S. Post Office, the Citizens State Bank, Phillips 66 Station, Custom Farm Services, Knox City Lumber Co., and Smith Funeral Home. They took walks to see the W. B. Hudson's orchard, the historical marker at the First Christian Church, the rose garden of the Santa Rosa Church, the West Texas Utilities sub-station, O'Pry Cleaners, Tommy Mangis' rabbits, the Little League field, and a cottonfield.

Special visitors and speakers included Texas Highway Patrolman Bill Lusk and Mayor Buddy Angle.

Every Friday was "Teen Talent Time", and one of the teenage helpers would entertain with an exhibition of twirling, piano or guitar playing, cheer-leading or instrumental music. The program ended with an open house for parents and friends. Diplomas were awarded by Mrs. King, and the guests were invited to enjoy the art time. The pre-school term

was deemed by all participants to be a delightful success.

Assisting Mrs. King at various times during the term were a number of Knox City High School Homemaking students, some of whom were working toward their FIA Degrees, some on their FHA Summer Projects, and some doing volunteer work. Included in the group were Mary Gentry, Lou Ann McGaughey, Connie McKinney, Janet Jacobs, Sally Espinoza, Shirley Curd, Bessie Large, Glenna Gideon, Anna Elston, Jill Thompson, Margaret Rodriguez, Alice Martinez, Cindy Hantsman, Stella Reyes, Linda Martinez, Mary Beth Anderson, Betsy Ross, Melody King, Teresa White, Genia Gibson, Kathy Verhalen, and Lynn Clarke.

### East Side Baptist To Begin Revival

East Side Missionary Baptist Church of Knox City, joined by the Jud Missionary Baptist Church of Rochester, will begin a revival Sunday, August 4, which will continue through Sunday, August 11. The pastor of the local church, Rev. Randolph Wilson and the pastor of the Rochester church, Rev. Ronnie Timms announce the services will be held at the Knox City church with evening services only at 8:00 o'clock each evening.

The evangelist will be Rev. James Woods and the song leader will be Wayland Bingham, both of Aspermont.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Why is it that idle women are usually dissatisfied?

### Miss Pat Murphy Shower Honoree

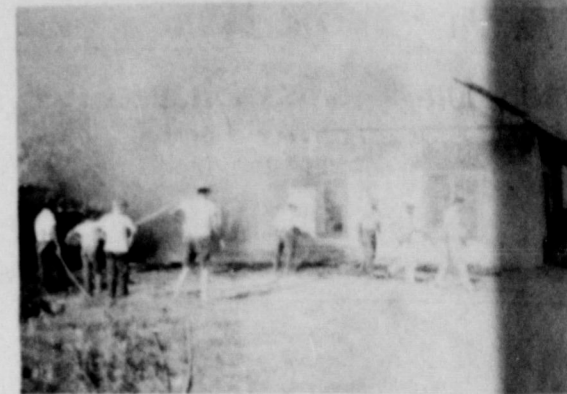
Miss Pat Murphy, bride-elect of Mark D. Anderson, was honored with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Waldrip, Saturday, July 20, from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m.

Receiving guests with the honoree were her mother, Mrs. E. Y. Murphy, Miss Dana Murphy, her sister, and Mrs. Bill R. Anderson, mother of the prospective bridegroom.

The table was covered with a green cloth overlaid with a white crocheted cloth and set with white milk glass. The centerpiece was composed of mixed white summer flowers arranged in a milk glass bowl. White cake squares with white and green icing were served to the guests by Mrs. Anita Goode, and Mrs. Carol Beason poured.

Miss Patsy Miller of Weinert registered the guests.

The gifts from the hostesses to the honoree were a Presto cooker, and several pieces of her chosen pottery.



MONDAY AFTERNOON FIRE — The home of Mr. Jack Anderson on the Benjamin Highway just north of Knox City city limits was completely destroyed by fire Monday afternoon about 5:45 o'clock. The Knox City Fire Department answered the call, but as the fire apparently started in the attic, the fire had made too much headway before flames were discovered. Both Mr. and Mrs. Anderson working away from home when the blaze began. (Star photo)

Hostesses included Mesdames B. F. Cornett, Jerry Odum, Bill Smith, B. R. Durham, Chester Abbott, H. A. Miller, R. G. Vaughn, Rufus White, Ulric Lea, Newman Bishop, Vic Thomas, Jack Tankersley, Doyle Graham, and Bud Carver.

The young couple will be married August 3 at Holy Angels Catholic Church in San Angelo.

### Seedless Watermelon

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of Commerce, is also assisting in the seedless watermelon promotion for this area.

Dr. Fuqua further explained the process of seedless watermelons was worked out in Japan in 1939. The process, he stated, is a triploid which is the result of a cross between a tetraploid female and a normal diploid male watermelon. A normal diploid has a single set of chromosomes. A tetraploid has two sets of chromosomes which is generally the result of a doubling of a normal diploid. In the process of sporogenesis, the gametes have one-half the parent number of chromosomes and when they unite in the fertilization process the result is an embryo with one and one-half sets of chromosomes, or an odd number. This is a triploid and results in sterility. Thus, the seedless watermelon is a triploid and sterile. It has been compared to the mule, which is the result of a cross between a donkey and a mare.

### IN ALVARADO

Mr. and Mrs. Henry White and children spent the weekend in Alvarado visiting his sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clay and boys. Two of the boys, Mike and Joe returned to Knox City with them and are guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Myrtle White this week.

CALL IN YOUR LOCALS

### Thought For The Week!

What's the price you are willing to pay - for what? Let's say anything you want to have!

So far this doesn't make sense - neither does it make sense for all of us big, strong, intelligent and brave people that call ourselves Americans . . .

Look around, listen and watch what we are letting our politicians and un-American acting citizens of this country do to you and me! Pause and think for just 10 minutes!

### Wishful Thinking

Why can't we have just one candidate, who can stand on his own two feet and say:

"I'm for less spending, less taxes, reduction of our national debt, less give-aways, more work for a day's pay, less crime, no riots, less strikes, less wrangling in our schools and universities, less bureaucracy, reduced doles to all federal departments, less waste in armaments, less foreign aid, less big brother to the whole world, more responsibilities to the states, less rent subsidies, less federal intrusion into everything from cradle to grave, more honesty, integrity in office, more thought and consideration to the lowly, down-trodden taxpayer."

(From the Benton, Missouri Democrat)

We know there are some gentle readers who consider these shots strictly for the feathered.

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### In Jamison Home Honors Miss Shaver

Shaver, bride-Edward Muller Minnesota, was the lovely gift tea afternoon in the O. L. Jamison, with Miss Shaver Mrs. E. B. and her grand- B. Shaver Sr., Knox City, who Canyon.

table was covered off-white cloth with hand- tions and em- to the beauty was an array of crystal bowl and silver-bordered A hand-painted with matching china and silver completed the

Burnett, Mrs. R. Rochester, and of Avoca as- various stridions

William of Base, Cal- last week here of his parents, Dan Martinez visited in his sister and her Mrs. Joe E.

with the B-52 of the fire de- assigned August 8, in the Martinez the week were and Mrs. Johnny family of Fort Flores accom- here and spent her parents, Joe E. Flores.



**CENTURY PLANT IN BLOOM** — The above picture was made about two weeks ago as the plant in the back yard of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Benedict, first began to bloom. The greenish clusters are huge and the plant stalk rises to a height of approximately eighteen feet. (Staff Photo)

### Century Plant Blooms Are Most Unusual And Beautiful

The century plant pictured above was transplanted by Grady Benedict in the back yard of their home here about twenty years ago, and the plant was five years old when it was transplanted, it was large enough to almost cover the bed of a pickup, he said. The Benedicts have another of the plants in their front yard and it blossomed about

twenty-six years ago, but has not yet produced another blossom.

The century plant is an unusual, desert plant belonging to the agave family and mistakenly named due to the belief that the plant blossomed only once in a hundred years. However, according to the World Book Encyclopedia, some blossoms as rarely. The American century plant has thick, fleshy leaves with sharp-pointed edges and it is only when the plant begins to bloom that the all scale emerges. The greenish flowers grow in beautiful, open clusters in the upper portion of the stalk, and the leaves die after the plant has blossomed. However, the roots remain alive to produce a new plant.

**IN LUBBOCK** — Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Angle and Stacy were in Lubbock Sunday to visit with Owen on her birthday. They also visited with Sue Egenbacher, Kath Kent, Margaret Howell, and Cindy Huttonman, all of whom are attending the Texas Tech Youth Music Camp for two weeks of instruction.

Two others in the group, Lynn Clark and Lynn Swanson, had returned to their homes here for the weekend.

### Averitt Home From 4 Yr. Tour

Richard Averitt received his separation papers from the U.S. Navy, July 15, after four years' active duty, and returned home last week. He served almost three-and-a-half years aboard the USS Towers, DDGS and earned the National Defense Medal, Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, Vietnam Service Medal with one Bronze Star, and the Good Conduct Medal, while making two tours in the Vietnam conflict.

His wife, Nellie and children, Ricky and Tampa have been living at their home in Knox City most of the time while he was away.

Richard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Averitt.

**FORMER PASTOR HERE** — Rev. and Mrs. Howard Marshall and sons of Laue Charles, La., were here Sunday to visit the First Christian Church congregation. As the church is presently without a pastor, Rev. Marshall held the morning worship service for them. He pastored the church fifteen years ago.

### HemisFair Trips For Youth Groups

**OPERATION YOUTHLIFT** — August has been declared by Governor Connally as Youth Month at HemisFair, according to "Highlights and Sidelights From Your State Capital" by Vera Bradford, Texas Press Association writer, in a recent release.

Sen. Barnes, Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, heads a statewide committee to organize special youth excursions to the Fair. He is meeting with youth leaders in key cities of Texas to plan the August trips.

Special, low-cost, package-plus excursions, including overnight accommodations in San Antonio, have been developed by HemisFair to be in with the program.

Any youth group in Texas desiring to participate in "Operation Youthlift" should contact HemisFair Headquarters or the Speaker's office at the state capital.

**TWENTY CHILDREN** — Mrs. Ida King accompanied Mrs. Ida McGraw of Monday last week to the Plains and visited with her children and their families including Mr. and Mrs. Joe King and children in Tulsa, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Carlisle and boys in Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver King in Palestine.

**HOME FOR THE SUMMER** — Returning from a six-week ROTC training camp at Fort Sill is Mark Standley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Standley. Mark is here for the remainder of the summer.

Summertime brings warm weather, sunshine and lots of problems. One of the icky problems is the chigger, a mite smaller than a dot. Chiggers are found on dogs in many places. Lawns, golf courses, parks and river banks are just a few of the places they are readily found. If you get the pests on you, they cause intense itching. A prompt scrub bath will reduce the irritation.

Tomorrow's world may not have some of the fruits that we have today unless machinery can be developed to harvest the crops economically. Most fresh fruits have been harvested by migrant workers in the past, but that is a long drawn out process, say Extension food specialists. Tomorrow's world will see new cultivating practices being used for fruits or some of the fruits will not be available on the market.



THE TWO GIRLS pictured above will represent Knox County at the 4-H Dress Revue for District 3 in Vernon, August 2. They are Joyce Steinbach, left, Junior winner from Monday, and Neida Braggeman of Hittlesand, Junior winner.

### 4-H Dress Revue Winners To Go To Vernon, August 2

Senior winner, Joyce Steinbach, Frank Steinbach, and Neida Braggeman, Junior winner, Corne.

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Braggeman of Hittlesand, will represent Knox County at the District 3 4-H Dress Revue in Vernon on August 2.

Tanya Howard of Corne was first place winner of the Young Juniors Division at the 1966 Knox County Dress Revue held July 22 at the Monday Chamber of Commerce.

Nineteen young seamstresses entered the dress revue. Junior girls age 9-12 modeling were Tanya Howard of Corne, Nancy Brown, Sharon Kaelber, Bernadette Kaelber, of Hittlesand and Diane Green of Hittlesand.

Junior girls age 13-15 were Vicki Terry, Susan Stone, Cindy Stone, Dawn Young, Debbie Green, all of Benjamin, Ellen White, of Monday, Cheryl Nation and Sylvia Hittlesand of Corne, Susan Kaelber, Donna Williams, Neida Braggeman, and Mary Beth Myers all of Hittlesand.

Judges for the event were Miss Linda Hartman, C. H. D. A. of Stephens County and Miss Carolyn Bean, C. H. D. A. of Dickens County.

Special appreciation is given to County merchants who donated awards to the girls who completed their 4-H clothing projects. They were M-G-system, Kaelber, The Fabric Shop, Perry's, Knox City, The Fair Store, Monday, Transactor's of



### WHAT IS A CERTIFIED CHECK?

A type of check is generally used when your own check would not be acceptable. To have a check certified, you make one out in the usual manner. After our bank has ascertained that you have sufficient funds in your account to cover it, we then deduct the amount from your account and credit it as our own obligation, stamping the check as certified. We're always glad to help you!

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Staves	
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## Texas P&W Commission Sets 1968 Hunting Season

The interest in hunting in Texas took a big step forward last week as the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission adopted seasons and bag limits for the 1968 hunting seasons in those counties under the regulatory responsibility of the Commission.

Antelope may be taken September 28 through October 6 with a bag limit of one antelope by permit only.

There is no closed season on javelina and squirrel and no bag limit on javelina. In Knox, Borden, Mitchell, Nolan, and Taylor Counties there is a squirrel bag limit of 10 per day and 20 in possession. In other counties there is no bag nor possession limit on squirrel.

Turkey season is November 9 through January 1 with a bag limit of one turkey, gobbler or bearded hen, except in Coke,

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The kindness and sympathy of neighbors and friends in our recent sorrow will always remain with us as a precious memory. Our sincere thanks and gratitude for all those comforting acts. May God bless each of you.  
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7-18 9tc

## Streams In Desert Places

BY OZELLE STEPHENS

The love of God is greater far than tongue or pen can ever tell.  
It goes beyond the highest star and reaches to the lowest hell.  
Every man should rejoice in his heart that this is ever true, and should give thanks and praise unto our God for the blood of Jesus Christ to wash away every sin. Man is so weak and wicked, without the love and mercy of God he would destroy himself. To be able to stand steadfast in the love of God, we must seek it with all our heart, and practice it as we are told in the 13th Chapter of First Corinthians, "Love endures long and is patient and kind; love is never envious nor boils over with jealousy is not boastful or vain-

"MY GOD, how can it be. That one boy lies rotting from malnutrition and torture in a jungle prison camp in North Vietnam - and another boy spits and tramples on the flag of his country on the steps of a university of learning.

"That one boy lies sightless in a U. S. Naval hospital from communist-inflicted face wounds - and another boy uses a communist flag to drape himself in defiance of the laws of this country.

"That one man of medicine begins his thirtieth straight hour standing over an operating table in pursuit of life for men serving this country - and another man of medicine implores crowds of young men to refuse to serve their country.

"That one Negro holds the face of his white comrade in his arms and cries pitifully in a dirty mud hole in Vietnam and another Negro screams with hate against his white brother on the streets of countless American cities.

"That one boy lies in a coffin beneath the ground because he believed in duty to country - and another boy lies on a dingy cot giving blood to the enemies of his country.

"That one man of God shields a wounded boy from an enemy bayonet with his body and dies - and another man of God uses his cloth as a shield to preach hate, dissension and lawlessness.

"MY GOD, how can it be?"  
Glorious, does not display itself haughtily. It is not conceited and rude. Love (God's love in us) does not insist on its own rights or own way, it is not self-seeking. Love never fails." 1 Corinthians 13:45.

**AT ANNUAL REUNION**  
Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cash, accompanied by her sisters, Exa Faye Hutton of Pampa and Mrs. J. C. Black of Truscott, were in Jacksboro Sunday at-

Knox County is part of the Permian Basin district, which also includes the counties of Andrews, Borden, Cochran, Coke, Crosby, Dawson, Fisher, Gaines, Garza, Glasscock, Hockley, Howard, Irion, Jones, Haskell, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Midland, Mitchell, Nolan, Reagan, Sterling, Stonewall, Taylor, Terry, Tom Green, and Yoakum.

The deer season is November 9 through January 1 with a bag limit of 3 deer, which may not include more than two buck

tending the annual Welch family reunion.

Elected president of the group for next year was Barney Welch of Austin. Mrs. H. C. Welch Jr. of Belton will be the new secretary. Mrs. Cash served as the group's secretary during 1965-66 and Jim Welch of Munday was president at that time. Mrs. Grace Welch of Munday served as 1967-68 secretary and Roland Welch of Gainesville is retiring president.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. I. Smith and Kelton were in Fort Worth Saturday and Sunday visiting their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen, Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Nomah Francisco and her aunt, Mrs. Callie Tidwell. They also attended Six Flags Over Texas.

Purpose of the trip was to enroll Kelton in Camp Soroptimist for a two-week stay at Argyle. This is the third time that Kelton has been invited to attend the camp.

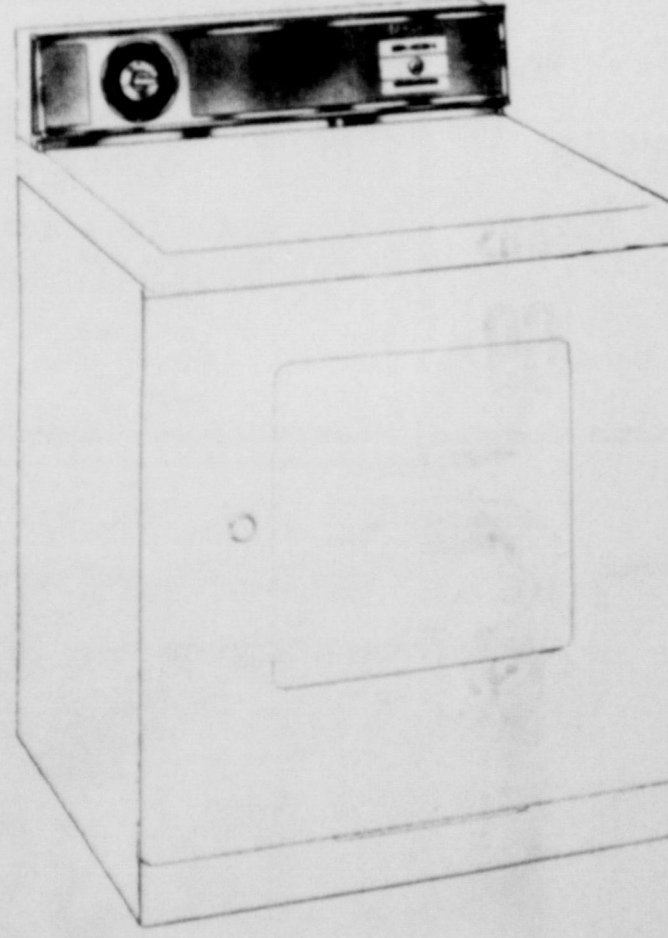
Donnis Martin of Fort Worth spent several days the past weekend with his grandmother, Mrs. Bertha Trimmier, and other relatives.

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# O'BRIEN NEWS

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**RESIDENT'S MOTHER DIES**  
Mrs. Chris Jimenez received word Monday that her mother, Mrs. Juana Ramon of Alice had died. Mrs. Ramon had surgery last Thursday.

**PARKS HAVE PARTY**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Park had a yard party Thursday night, complete with homemade ice cream, cake and a 42 tournament.

Couples who attended were the Charles Thorns, Jerry Carvers, Jerry Forces, Jerry Johnstons, L. A. Coveys and C. H. Underwoods.

**COUPLE HAS CLOTHES STOLEN**  
Mr. and Mrs. Gary Condron were on their wedding trip to California when all of their clothes were stolen while they stayed at the Holiday Inn in Fresno.

The car, loaded with all of their clothing and wedding gifts was locked, and was opened by a wire inserted between the side windows. The thieves took a camera and all the clothing except Mr. Condron's suit.

Mrs. Condron is the former Dianna Underwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Underwood.

**HD CLUB HAS MEMBERSHIP TEA**  
Members of the Waldrip Home Demonstration Club had a membership tea last Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Don Whitley.

Guests were served from a pink and white table with silver and crystal appointments. The centerpiece was pink daisies and pink punch, pink and white petit fours and cheese hot-n-tots were served.

Club members presented a

program on things they had learned and made since forming the HD Club. They displayed their ribbons won at the Haskell County Fair. Games were played with prizes made by the members. The door prize was a big bouquet of blue and lilac tissue paper flowers, won by Mrs. Lee Britting.

Other guests included Mmes. W. A. Park, Wark Cooksey, Vernon Buckley and R. P. Barnard, Jr., and club members Mmes. Alex Godsey, L. A. Covey, J. O. Brothers, Johnny Reid, Joey Watkins, Charles Reeves, Jr., and Don Whitley.

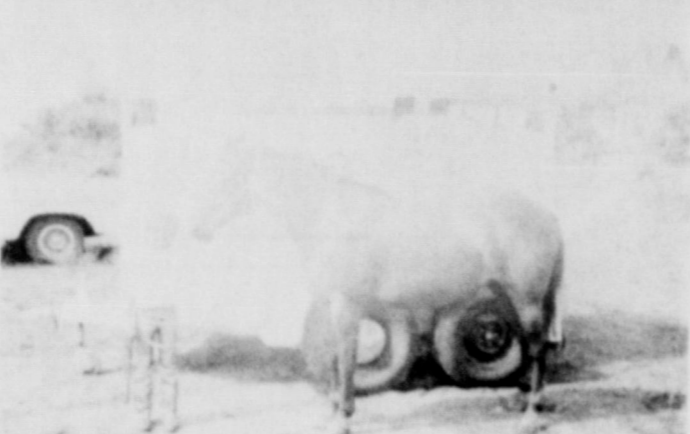
**HERE AND THERE**  
Jimmy Dunn of Fargo spent the weekend with the W. A. Park family.

Miss Gayla Underwood of Levelland spent last week with her aunt and uncle, the R. H. Underwoods. She was joined over the weekend by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Underwood of Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Underwood and Becky.

**4-H GIRLS MODEL AT CONTEST**  
Miss Debbie Del Hierro and Miss Betty Gutierrez modeled dresses they made at a recent 4-H workshop at the Haskell County Cotton Queen Contest Thursday night in Haskell.

Nineteen girls from Haskell County modeled clothing. The girls were accompanied by Mrs. Johnny Reid, O'Brien homemaking teacher, who was on the planning committee for the contest.

The easiest way to finish a hard job is to get to work. After the start is made, the finish is near at hand.



(Picture one) SHOWN LEFT, Barney Burnett — Champion Gelding, ridden by Susan McCannies, winner of the high point trophy of the show; and right FEATHER LIGHT — Reserve Champion Mare, ridden by Lisa Boone, runner-up trophy winner; (picture two) KEELA — Champion Mare, shown by Stasia Carver; (picture three) CIMARRON — ridden by Wyman Meinzer, with the best time in Barrel Racing in the show, 21.6 seconds. (picture four) LADY — shown with Kathy Roberson up - best time in Pole Bending for the show, 25.8 seconds.

## 1968 Knox Co. Horse Show Held In Benjamin, July 20

A good crowd watched Knox County boys and girls perform in their annual 4-H Horse Show, Saturday, July 20. The show was held at the Benjamin Riding Club arena with 18 contestants entering the various events. Mr. Royce McLaury, foreman of the Triangle Ranch, Paducah, judged the show.

Susan McCannies, 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon D. McCannies of Benjamin won the overall trophy with 17 points. The trophy was awarded on the basis of total points won in all classes of the show.

Lisa Boone, 10 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Boone of Knox City copped the overall runner-up trophy with 15 points.

The champion mare was shown by Stasia Carver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Car-

ver of Knox City. Reserve Champion mare was shown by Lisa Boone.

The champion gelding was shown by Susan McCannies and Reserve Champion gelding by Kenneth Groves, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Groves of Benjamin.

Halter and Performance Class Placings were as follows:

Mares under 14 hands 3 inches - 1. Stacia Carver, 2. Lisa Boone, 3. Judie Ryder, 4. Tammy Carver.

Mares 14 hands 3 inches or more - 1. Lydia Lankford, 2. Ricky Carver, 3. Mike Burkham.

Geldings under 14 hands 3 inches - 1. Steve Conner, 2. Keith Conner.

Geldings 14 hands 3 inches or more - 1. Susan McCannies, 2. Kenneth Groves, 3. Ricky Meinzer, 4. Wyman Meinzer.

Showmanship - 1. Belle Hudson, 2. Susan McCannies, 3. Mike Burkham, 4. Mandy Lankford.

Senior Western Pleasure - 1. Rickie Meinzer, 2. Kermit Woolley, 3. Belle Hudson, 4. Susan McCannies.

Junior Western Pleasure - 1. Mandy Lankford, 2. Keith Conner, 3. Lisa Boone, 4. Mike Burkham.

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Senior Reining - 1. Wyman Meinzer, 2. Ricky Meinzer, 3. Susan McCannies, 4. Kermit Woolley.

Junior Barrel Race - 1. Kathy Roberson, 2. Lisa Boone, 3. Ricky Carver, 4. Keith Conner.

Senior Pole Bending - 1. Belle Hudson, 2. Kerry Cash, 3. Wyman Meinzer, 4. Ricky Meinzer.

Junior Pole Bending - 1.

# Benjamin News

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brown were in Wichita Falls last weekend to visit Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brown, Diane, Debbie, Wayman and Penny. Diane and Debbie returned home with them and they all attended the HemisFair in San Antonio and visited his sister, Mrs. Mae Tucker and Mr. Tucker. They also went to Corpus Christi and other points of interest and returned home Sunday and took the girls back to Wichita Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Brown and children attended Six Flags over Texas on their vacation recently.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hudson visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hudson and Belle in Pilot Point last weekend. Belle returned home with them for a visit before school starts.

Mrs. Ruby Melton of Seymour visited in the home of Mrs. Lil Moorhouse Tuesday night of last week. She also visited other friends and relatives.

Mrs. Della Barnett had the misfortune to fall and break her hip Friday afternoon and was hospitalized in Knox City, then transferred to Wichita Falls Saturday morning where she underwent surgery to place a steel ball in her hip. She was returned to Knox City to the hospital Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Holloway and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Elliott all of Baytown and Miss Connie Porter of Dallas all were in Wichita Falls with their mother and grandmother during the surgery. Mrs. Naomi Barnett remained here for a few days.

## Activities Of The Colored People Of KC

BY ALESTINE FLYE Reporter

The Church of the Living God had a full day, starting with Sunday School. The Pastor taught the Sunday School lesson, and the morning service was a very spirited sermon on "Holding fast to God", Job 2: Evening sermon - "Need to go through Samaria", St. John 4.

Mrs. Clydene Green, Mrs. Jessie Mae Dawson and children, and Mrs. Velma Jean Arrington and children of Wichita Falls spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Flye, and their aunt, Mrs. Annie Mae Moss.

Be sure to go to church Sunday.

St. Paul's Baptist Church, Sunday School, good attendance. Morning service by the Pastor, Rev. Norman.

After noon a small number of members went to Aspermont to attend the funeral services of Mr. Joe Powell. Then night services were the closing for the day.

Mrs. Luberta Jackson and children are in El Paso visiting her husband, and the children's father, who is in the Army Hospital there.

Services of the Church of God in Christ - The State Convocation was in session all this past week in Midland, Texas. There were no services at the local church, On Sunday Elder and Mrs. Leon Ward and four others traveled to Midland to attend the Convocation. They arrived in time to be in Sunday School. In the last service of the day the sermon was preached by a Bishop from Cuba, from this scripture: Matt 22:11, 14 - "Friend, how camest thou in hither not having a wedding garment?"

Believe it or not - Barbara Clay has improved.

Charles Alexander, nephew of Mrs. Leo Harris, visited in Knox City for a few days.

Mr. Clarence Brantley, his wife and two daughters are here visiting his mother, Mrs. Willie Brantley.

Mrs. Mary Williams is still in the hospital - keep visiting her. The Lord said, "When I'm sick you visit me not." Don't forget to visit the sick.

Kathy Roberson, 2. Lisa Boone, 3. Keith Conner, 4. Lydia Lankford.

Adult leaders helping with the show were Charles Lankford and Donnie Ryder, ringmasters; Van Green and Bobby Roberson, announcers; Fred Carver and Bud Conner, timekeepers; Mrs. Bobby Roberson and Mrs. Donnie Ryder, tabulators; Pate Meinzer and Leon Burkham, flagmen; Joe Boone, gateman; Mrs. Charles Lankford, Mrs. Fred Carver, Mrs. Bud Conner, concessions; and Mrs. Charles Lankford, photography.

Rev. K. E. Woolley was in Wichita Falls Saturday afternoon to visit Mrs. Della Barnett in the hospital there.

Mrs. Mary Tom Pope of Fort Worth visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. Jonnie Barker and Corky last week.

Mrs. Tom Lemley of Jacksboro visited in the home of Mrs. Gloria Clower and Betty over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gideon, Lana and Oscar of Poolville spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Grover Nunley, other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Mary Stone, Susan, Cindy and Chris and Vicki Terry and Lisa Cartwright attended the Seymour Rodeo Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Parker were in Knox City Friday afternoon and Mrs. Parker visited Mrs. Della Barnett, Mrs. Bonnie Terry and Vesta Jacobs in the Knox County Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Lindsey, Debbie and Mitzi spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Si Gholston in Aspermont.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Zena H. Waldron Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jack Hamilton and children of Munday and Linda Cox who had been living in Colorado, but is presently employed in Texas.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Wayne Young over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cummins and family of Memphis; Wayne Young Jr. and girlfriend, Earlene Howell, and two daughters of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Young, Jackie Jr. and Debbie of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. Butch Young and children of Grand Prairie.

Rodney Pyeatt of Plainview is visiting in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Snailum for a few days. He and his grandfather, Lee

Snailum attended the Seymour Rodeo Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hester Hall had a family reunion in their home over the weekend. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cook of Houston and their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Harris and son of Kerbyville, Mo.; Mrs. Marshall Powell and son of Pasadena; Mr. and Mrs. Tesner and Tonia of Pasadena; Mrs. Hall's aunt Mrs. Hattie Harsby of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hall and two boys of Lubbock and Donald's two daughters, Pat and Barbara Hall, of Seymour; Mrs. Hall's sister, Mrs. C. W. Hannah and Mr. Hannah and daughter of Pecos; her brother, Rev. Eldon Cook and Mrs. Cook and three daughters of Big Springs and Mrs. Janis Gentry, Kimberly and Tiffany and Mrs. Lora Hall of Benjamin.

Members of the family unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cook of Farmington, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cook and daughter of Flagstaff, Arizona and Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Cook of Escandille, California and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hall and baby of Houston.

Mrs. Rosellen Albus and daughter of Munday visited her mother, Mrs. Nora Hertel Monday of this week.

Mrs. Glenn Dunkle of Austin visited her mother, Mrs. Lil Moorhouse over the weekend.

Mrs. Kathleen Melton and Jim were in Knox City Monday morning. Jim entered the Knox County Hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hertel, Larry and Timmy returned Sunday from their two weeks vacation in Corpus Christi, a ballgame at the Astrodome in Houston and other points of interest.

NEW BABY

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Lindsey are the proud parents of a new baby daughter born last

Monday morning in the Knox County Hospital. The new baby weighed 6 lbs. and has been named Rachelle. She has a sister named Debbie very proud of her sister.

BIRTHDAY

Lynda Broche is honored with a birthday home last Monday on her sixth birthday. Those attending were and Sheila Clower, Kim Clower, Celia Clower, phanie Hudson, enjoyed by all and favors were served.

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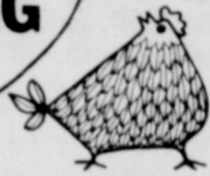
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# Registration Can Disarm Only You, Mr. Citizen

(An Editorial)

It's time someone explained the facts of the proposed gun registration and licensing laws. Let us do it without the fierce rancor and passion generated by those who would take your gun away from you.

The major argument for gun controls is that such laws will fight crime and make the streets and highways of America safer for you and your family. We believe you can make a decision for yourself after you have reviewed a few of the unfair claims made by those who would restrict gun ownership and enjoyment to a privileged few.

Let's take time to look at some of the more blatant claims for "benefits" under proposed gun controls. We will answer them with factual statements and invite your decision. We suggest you communicate that decision to your federal, state and local lawmakers before it is too late.

**CLAIM:** Gun registration will keep guns out of the hands of hoodlums and mental incompetents.

**FACT:** Convicted felons and mental incompetents are the only ones such laws CANNOT disarm. The Supreme Court, in January 1968, ruled that a person who is prohibited from owning a gun cannot be made to register it, for that would be forcing him to incriminate himself in violation of the Fifth Amendment.

Felons, mental incompetents and others who should not have guns are prohibited by federal and state laws from owning or possessing any firearm. The Supreme Court ruling exempts those who are supposed to be disarmed by registration. But YOU, as a responsible citizen, must obey the law.

The fallacy of all gun control laws has been to expect criminals to obey them — although a criminal is, by definition, someone who breaks the law. Not only is it illogical to expect a criminal to register his gun, now the Supreme Court says he does not have to.

**CLAIM:** Registration and licensing will not be used to take away the guns of legitimate owners.

**FACT:** Despite thousands of terrorized New York City citizens who would like nothing better than to have the lawful means with which to defend themselves, there are only 1,890 handgun licenses issued for the purposes of competition shooting, collecting and self-defense — 25-thousandth of one per cent of the New York City population of eight million — according to a recent letter from the New York City Police Department to Gun Week newspaper, Sidney, Ohio.

In some areas of New York state, no pistol possession permits are issued to anyone for any purpose. In Chicago, where a pistol permit is needed to purchase a handgun, eleven have been issued in two years. In San Francisco, which just enacted a registration and licensing law for all guns, there have been no new permits issued in several years for anyone to carry a handgun.

If the anti-gun forces are after only criminal guns, why do they cite "gun death" statistics that include gun suicide and gun accident totals? Is anyone concerned that criminals will commit suicide or accidentally shoot themselves with their illegal guns?

**CLAIM:** Because of its strict gun laws, England has less than 50 gun murders per

year while the U.S. has 6,500.

**FACT:** London and New York City have almost identical populations and almost identical gun laws. London has 35 to 40 total murders per year while New York City in 1966 had 654 murders.

Despite the stringent Sullivan Law, which the anti-gun forces want to copy, 184 of New York City's 1966 murders were with handguns — every one of them illegal guns — and only 24 were with then-uncontrolled rifles and shotguns. Even if these gun murders are not counted, New York City has more than 12 times as many murders as London. Obviously factors other than gun laws are at work. One important factor: England swiftly and severely punishes criminals; U.S. justice is slow and punishment soft.

**CLAIM:** Cities and states with tough gun laws have less crime.

**FACT:** No scientific study, of several made, has found any relationship between gun laws and crime rates. If the claim were true New York City would be the safest spot in this nation.

**CLAIM:** Areas with tight gun laws have a smaller percentage of gun crime. Only 30 per cent of New York City's murders are with guns while the national average is 60 per cent.

**FACT:** Percentages have no meaning unless totals are considered. Vermont, with minimum gun laws, has a 100 per cent gun murder percentage — but a total of only seven murders in four years and the lowest per capita murder rate in the nation. Despite virtual prohibition of handguns, New York City has MORE handgun murders per capita than the national average! With 4 per cent of the nation's population, New York City has 4.1 per cent of the nation's handgun murders.

**CLAIM:** Gun registration and licensing are reasonable and necessary.

**FACT:** Registration laws need not be obeyed by those at whom they are supposedly directed. They must be obeyed only by the responsible citizen. That alone qualifies such laws as unreasonable.

The minimum standards called for by President Johnson are totally unreasonable. One requirement for you to keep your gun: Obtain a statement from a physician that in his professional opinion you are "mentally and physically capable of possessing and using a firearm safely and responsibly." What physician, unless he were also a psychiatrist, firearms safety expert and mind-reader, could honestly sign such a statement for anyone?

**CLAIM:** The cost would be \$1 per gun and \$1 for the owner license.

**FACT:** The actual cost of issuance of a New York City license is said to be \$25, which would run the cost of federal registration and licensing into the billions of dollars, burdening overworked and undermanned police with investigations of the law-abiding — for no others need apply.

Who would pay for it? You would, in fees based upon actual costs; and you and your neighbors would pay in further deterioration of police protection.

Rather than go through the federal rigamarole and pay the burdensome tax you might decide to give up your guns. That is the real purpose of these laws.

**CLAIM:** The "gun control" laws are being pushed by concerned citizens who

want to "get tough" on crime.

**FACT:** The groups pushing hardest for these laws are the same groups which are pushing laws to reduce punishment of criminals. They are the same people who are so terribly concerned about the rights of criminals, yet seemingly have no interest in the responsible citizen's right to be protected or protect himself from criminal violence.

They are the same ones who have constantly stymied the efforts of gun organizations to place certain and severe punishment upon anyone who uses a gun in a crime — the only way to make criminals stop using their guns.

**CLAIM:** Opposition to gun controls stems from the selfish, powerful gun lobby which has opposed all gun laws.

**FACT:** The heart of the opposition to registration, licensing and other unworkable gun laws centers in people like you and your gun-owning neighbors who know the above facts; who know gun laws can disarm them, but not the criminal; who know that no gun law has ever reduced crime but has allowed criminals to carry out their wanton violence without fear.

If you, having studied these facts, decide to oppose such laws with letters and telegrams to your lawmakers, welcome to the "gun lobby."

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GUN WEEK, Friday, July 19, 1968

## Cotton Pickin's



ROLLING PLAINS COTTON GROWERS INC.

Most of the cotton planted for 1968 harvest on the more than 850,000 acres of cropland in the 32 counties of the Rolling Plains area is up and in excellent condition according to information received in the Rolling Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. office.

In most areas prospects for the 1968 crop are far above average for this stage in the production year, according to Charles G. Bragg, executive vice president of RPCG.

Heavy rains, damaging hail and blowing sand in some sections have forced producers to replant several hundred acres, as many as three and four times, in some isolated areas. Collingsworth County was hard hit only last week.

But excellent moisture conditions, warmer and more stable weather resulted in rapid germination and excellent growth, Bragg said.

As yet there are no reports of serious insect infestations in the 32-county area. With average rainfall for the remainder of the season and no uncommon buildup of insect populations, Rolling Plains producers should gin about 525,000 bales from the current crop, Bragg believes.

This would be about 150,000 more bales than were ginned in the Rolling Plains in the past crop year. Even so, the long-range outlook for cotton producers in the Rolling Plains and the rest of the cotton growing areas of the nation are not too rosy, Bragg said.

"Cotton farmers must organize if they survive and prosper in our organized society," Bragg stated. "We must depend

on the Congress to provide a sound legislative program. In view of the huge spending deficit, the war in Vietnam and pressure for expanded welfare programs, we are having a tough time getting agriculture a fair share of the Federal budget."

RPCG is now making a drive to improve its membership and influence by enlisting memberships from individuals and business firms whose financial well-being is tied directly or indirectly to cotton production. In West Texas, this includes practically all citizens.

RPCG is a non-profit organization, financed by volunteer payment of dues from the producers who contribute 15¢ per bale harvested; a cent a bale from ginners, half cent a bale from compresses and warehouses and two cents a ton on cottonseed from oil mills. Due to the short 1967 crop the income from dues has not provided the funds necessary for the planned program for 1968-69.

IN FITZGERALD HOME  
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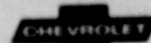
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Has the Sullivan law stopped crime and killing in New York? ... has gun registration stopped killing in New York or Chicago?

Registration will create another bureau to tax the already heavily taxed citizen.

Sportsmen, collectors, citizens do something now, and help protect your birthright... not the unregistered criminal using a gun which the Supreme Court says he does not have to register.

MAIL THIS AD TO YOUR SENATOR TODAY!

The undersigned agrees that the misuse of firearms should be dealt with severely and that registration of firearms is NOT a solution to crime and violence.

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