



### To Merge Referendum Vote Approves Consolidation

The two school districts will merge for the 1976-77 school year and the merger will become permanent subject to the approval of the voters in the August 14 election, school officials said.

### District III Dress Revue Set July 22

The District III 4-H Dress Revue, to be Thursday, July 22, will be held jointly with District VII in Abilene at the Civic Center, according to Thelma Wirges, District Extension Agent.

County winners from the twenty-one county area will participate in the district revue. Each county will have one junior and one senior. Following district competition, four seniors will represent the district at the state revue in San Antonio.

Revis Cauble from Fisher County will narrate the District III portion of the revue. She was a winner in the cotton division of the state revue in 1975. Others to assist will be Nancy Nehring - Area 4-H and Youth Specialist and District 4-H Council Officers - Rena Bural of Kent County and Debbie Hightower of Childress County.

Herman Propst will present cotton awards from Rolling Plains Cotton Growers Association. The annual revue and luncheon is sponsored by West Texas Utilities Company. Dan Castles, Curly Hays, and Joel Wilson actively work with the revue.

### Swimming Lessons To Be Discussed

Parents and their children who are interested in taking swimming lessons are asked to meet at the City Swimming Pool in City Park Wednesday, July 21, at 10:00 a.m. Brian Williams will be instructing the course and more information concerning the lessons will be available at the meeting.

### Tom Thomas Undergoes Surgery

Tom Thomas is in Wichita General Hospital in Wichita Falls, where he had surgery last week. According to his wife, he is doing well and is expected to be home shortly. At present he is in room 487.

### Band Leaders Return From TSU

Hooker, camp instructor, during solo and ensemble contests held there on campus; however, they declined due to lack of practice time, according to head majorette Tamie Grindstaff.

### Bloodmobile Sets Visit Here July 21

Wednesday, July 21 will be Bloodmobile day in Knox City, according to Jan Watson, Bloodmobile chairman. Hours for the Bloodmobile will be from 2:00 until 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church.

Quota for Knox City is 82 pints and only half of our quota was received during the last Bloodmobile visit in January, Mrs. Watson explained.

Three units will be in operation at the Bloodmobile, so no one will have to wait in line to donate blood.

Women of the Santa Rosa Catholic Church will be in charge of canteen duties.

### County Youth Win Places At Stamford

A number of Knox County youths participated as well as placed in the Stamford Cowboy Reunion Open Youth Horse Show which was held Thursday, July 1.

Doug Brown of Benjamin, riding Calamity Jane, placed first in barrels in the 11 and under age division.

Joey Swain of Knox City placed second in both western pleasure and reining in the senior division. His mount was Don Joe Hancock. Lynda Brooke Hudson of Benjamin, showing Ima Cee Bar, placed third in poles and fourth in showmanship in the 12 to 14 age division.

Brett Boone of Knox City, riding Feather Lite, placed third in poles in the senior division.

Kelley Boone of Knox City, placed fourth in poles and sixth in reining in the 12 to 14 age division. His mount was Fry Dee Dun.

Melodie Whitley of Benjamin, showing Moonbeam, placed sixth in showmanship in the 12 to 14 age division.

Other Knox County youngsters showing at Stamford were Kristi Boone of Knox City, Julie Whitley of Benjamin, Stacy and Tammy Carver of Benjamin, and Brand Cude of Goree.

### Cheerleaders Win Awards At Cisco

Knox City High School cheerleaders returned recently from a week-long cheerleading camp held at Cisco Junior College. They joined 358 girls from area schools for the National Cheerleaders Association Clinic held June 20-25.

Head cheerleader and senior Adrian Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Jones; Sheryll Guinn, senior daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Guinn; Jami Clonts, junior daughter of Judge and

### Morris Dentons Move To Town

Morris and Arnell Denton moved into town last week from their farm six miles southeast of Knox City. The Dentons bought the farm in 1946 from the late John A. White and had lived there since that time.

In moving the house, an old copy of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram dated July 25, 1929, was found in one of the porch columns of the house. Guests in the Denton home over the Fourth of July holiday were their son, Billy Denton of Houston and granddaughter, Pam. Billy played with his father in the KC golf tournament Fourth of July weekend.



ANOTHER DERAILMENT of a southbound Santa Fe train occurred last Thursday afternoon about 4:30 just north of O'Brien. The costly mishap happened near a switch junction, but no details were available as local agent Z. I. Smith is on vacation. The impact broke one cast iron coupler and derailed two diesel units, one flat car carrying a large, new tractor, and a covered hopper car containing oats.

### In Texas Agriculture

## Heatly Named 'Man of Year'



REP. W.S. HEATLY  
...receives honor

COLLEGE STATION - State Representative W. S. "Bill" Heatly of Paducah has been named "Man of the Year in Texas Agriculture" for 1976 by the Texas County Agents Agricultural Association.

One of seven Texans selected for the honor, Heatly was nominated by county agents in District 3 (the Rolling Plains) of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The awards are presented annually to outstanding leaders in agriculture and related industries, said Dawson County Extension Agent Lee Roy Colgan, president of the state association. The awards also recognize the contributions made by these leaders to improving levels of living and economic growth in their communities, counties, state, and nation.

Heatly will receive his award during the association's annual meeting August 1-3 at the Knights Inn in Waco.

Heatly, who has served as a member of the Texas House of Representatives since 1954, operates a ranch with more than 300 Hereford cows and farms wheat, oats and grain sorghum on 1,000 acres in Cottle County. He is also a practicing lawyer.

The legislator has served on the Budget Board and is the only person to have served as chairman of the House Appropriations Committee for six consecutive terms. He currently serves on the House Livestock Export Committee.

Heatly has been recognized for outstanding service by such organizations as the Texas Bar Association, Texas Alcoholic Commission, Easter Seal Society, Texas Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association, Texas Pork Producers Association, and the Texas Farmers Union.

In 1968 Howard Payne College awarded Heatly an Honorary Doctor of Laws degree, and he was named an "Outstanding Alumnus" of Dallas Baptist College. Heatly is an honorary member of several 4-H and FFA clubs as well as the Texas FFA Association.

He has served as a resource person to the Cottle-King County Program Building Committee and has furnished show calves for 4-H and FFA members. He has been a keynote speaker at many 4-H events.

### Weather

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date	low	high	rain
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7- 9	70	90	
7-10	70	81	.12
7-11	68	76	.14
7-12	69	90	
7-13	72	84	

The state government official helped bring about improved care, treatment and training in the Mental Health and Mental Retardation Department of Texas and was a prime mover in the establishment of the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research Station at Munday.

At Paducah Heatly has been active in the Boy Scouts, Lions Club, and Chamber of Commerce.

Heatly holds B.A. and L.L.B. degrees from Baylor University.

## Jerome Savage To Hold Special Series

A gospel meeting has been scheduled by the Knox City Church of Christ to begin Monday, July 18, and continue through Friday, July 23, according to Linwood Bishop, minister.

Jerome Savage of Tahlequah, Oklahoma will bring the messages at 8:00 o'clock each evening with the exception of Sunday services which will begin at 10:00 and 10:45 a.m. and 6:00 and 6:45 p.m.

Born in Texas in 1931, Mr. Savage graduated from high school in Dallas in 1948. He was converted to Christ in 1950 and entered Abilene Christian College in the year of 1951. He finished at ACC in 1955 and married as well as started full time local work that same year in Rochester.

He did local work in Knox City and Nocona until 1964 when he moved to East Africa

Anderson has been pastor of the local church for the past two and a half years, coming here March 10, 1974, from Cuba Baptist Church in Bridgeport.

## Hospital To Re-Open Aug. 1

Knox City and area residents will be happy to know that if plans continue to go according to schedule, Dr. W.F. Thompson will be here and the Knox County Hospital will be open to receive patients as of Sunday, August 1.

### BVRA Schedules Playnight, July 17

According to Brazos Valley Recreation Association president Stanton Brown of Benjamin, a playnight will be held at the association arena on the O'Brien highway Saturday night, July 17.

Books open at 7:30 p.m. with events scheduled to get underway at 8 p.m.

Barrels, flags, and poles will be run in three age divisions, with trophies going to first place winners in each event in each age division. All around trophies will also be given in each age division.

An open jackpot barrel race will be held following the regular events.

Knox City Hospital, learned Monday through a phone call from hospital administrator Glen Rumley, who was in Austin, that all processing on the application for Dr. Thompson's Texas license had been cleared in one morning, whereas it could have taken several weeks to accomplish this had the required papers been sent to the various places by mail.

Dr. Thompson will arrive in Austin by plane Sunday night to appear in person, as required, before the State Board of Examiners Monday morning.

After hospital authorities here learned that Dr. Thompson's application for a Texas license had been lost in transit, Mr. Rumley made a trip to Missouri last week to get the necessary papers signed, notarized, and witnessed rather than having to depend on various agencies to forward the papers as requested. He then took the papers to Austin for processing Monday morning.

## Oil, Gas Production Becomes Significant

As an era of cheap energy and energy independence faded for America, Knox County's 1975 crude oil and natural gas production became more significant to Texas and the United States than at any time since production began in 1946.

With its production marketed for a record \$5.7 million and an industry payroll totaling \$543,624, petroleum continued as a factor in the economic health of the county, according to a study by the Dallas-based Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association.

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Knox was one of 200 Texas counties which produced oil and gas with a market value in excess of \$100,000 last year, an increase of three over the 1974 total and seven more than in 1973. The county ranked 148th in the state in the total value of petroleum produced, realizing \$5.7-

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### Measurable Rain Still Needed Here

Unseasonable scattered showers and unusually cool temperatures have cooled Knox City and area residents the past ten days, with no measurable amount of precipitation benefitting the immediate area. However, to the west, near Guthrie, to the east near Goree, and south of Knox City to about Rule, scattered amounts the past five days have been reported to measure from one-half inch to one and a half inches.

According to forecasts, temperatures are due to warm up again by late Thursday or Friday, but a chance for weekend rains is still in the forecast.

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**LOST** - Beagle dog, Answers to name of Billy and wearing red collar. If found or if anyone knows its whereabouts, call Sammy B. White, 658-3203. 7-8 rfc

I need listings on all kinds of homes and land anywhere. Wallace Moorhouse, Monday, Texas. Phone 817 422-4342. 1-29 row

**FOUR BEDROOM** stucco with fireplace in den. Two baths. Call David Counts, 658-3211 or 658-3596. 7-8 4tc

**LOFTY PILE**, free from soil is the carpet cleaned with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer, \$1. Perry's, Knox City. 7-15 1tc

**CARD OF THANKS**  
A very special thank you to everyone who remembered me with prayers, visits, cards, and letters during my stay at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene and my stay at Brazos Valley Care Home in Knox City.

A great big thanks to all personnel at Brazos Valley Care Home for the many kindnesses shown me during my stay there.

May God bless each of you who have in any way helped to make my recovery easier.  
Mrs. A. W. McBeath  
7-15 1tc

from the **TAP kitchen**

**OVEN BARBECUED BEEF BRISKET**

5-6 lb. boneless beef brisket  
1 tsp. onion powder  
1 tsp. garlic powder  
1 tsp. celery salt  
1-1/2 tsp. salt  
1/2 tsp. black pepper  
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**FIVE-FAMILY** Garage Sale, Thursday-Friday, 9 till 5, Jimmy White residence, 1191 South Third and Avenue J. 7-15 1tp

**TWO BEDROOM** brick with fireplace. Many extras, would cost much more to build today. Call David Counts, 658-3211 or 658-3596. 7-8 4tc

**WANTED TO BUY** - Large clay flowerpots. If reasonably priced. Mrs. Ulric Lea, 658-3100. 7-15 1tc

**LOST:** One year old GREAT DANE, answers to the name of DUKE. If found call 743-3559. REWARD. 6-3 1tc

**LOST** - Male Australian Shepherd, Bobtail. Black with white ring around neck. Collar, but no name on it. Answers to "Skipper", likes to ride in pickup. Reward. Call C.A. Thomas, Haskell, 864-2527. 7-15 2tp

Place in covered container in refrigerator and let marinate overnight (at least 8 hours). Next day, sprinkle both sides with salt, pepper and Worcestershire sauce. Wrap securely in aluminum foil and bake covered at 275 degrees for four hours. Uncover and pour barbecue sauce over the brisket. Cover and bake one hour longer. Cut in 1/2-inch slices and serve with additional barbecue sauce. Can be served hot or cold. Yield 8 to 10 servings.

For additional beef recipes send a postcard request to Commissioner John C. White, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711.

## Legal Notice

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place at the Community Center in the town of Knox City, County of Knox, Texas, at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, the 28th day of July, 1978 for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority, in Knox County, Texas for taxable purposes for the year 1978, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

**BY ORDER OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION**  
Secretary to Equalization Board  
North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority  
7-15 1tc

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
**NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING CITY OF KNOX CITY, TEXAS**  
In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at the City Hall, City of Knox City, Knox County, Texas, at 2:00 p.m., July 20, 1978, for the purpose of determining, fixing, and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in the City of Knox City, Texas, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1978, and any and all persons having business with said Board, are hereby notified to be present.

**DONE BY ORDER OF THE EQUALIZATION BOARD OF THE CITY OF KNOX CITY, TEXAS**, this the 8th day of July, 1978.

Faye Railsback  
Secretary to the Board of Equalization  
City of Knox City, Texas  
7-15 1tc

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We would like to express our sincere and humble thanks for the many acts of consolation extended our family during the loss of our loved one, Lillie Vannoy.

We appreciate so much the flowers and cards, as well as the food prepared and served. May God bless each of you.

The Family of Lillie Vannoy  
7-15 1tp

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 30.05 OF THE PENAL CODE OF TEXAS - CRIMINAL TRESPASS (SENATE BILL 111 PASSED BY THE 62ND LEGISLATURE), NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL LANDS OF THE W. T. WAGGONER ESTATE ARE POSTED - SAVE AND EXCEPT WHERE WRITTEN PERMISSION IS GIVEN TO COME UPON THE SAME.

KILLEN M. MOORE  
TRUSTEE  
3-11 rfc

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## Care Home News

by MRS. EDNA EUBANK

Mr. Buchanan was happy to see his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Owens of Pampa.

Margaret Ann Hill and daughters Cheryl and Suzette of Munday were visitors of Mr. Waldrip.

Billie Taylor of Arlington made his dad, Mr. Taylor, very happy by a surprise visit.

Clyde and Theona Ray were weekend visitors of Mrs. Ray. Mrs. McBeath has returned to her home after spending a few days in the home. She was recuperating from a broken arm.

Jim Burleson is in the Stamford hospital. Get well soon, Jim.

Maggie Jones of Munday came to see her mother, Mrs. Griffith. She was accompanied by her daughter, Carlene of Lawton, Oklahoma.

Mr. Carney entertained a number of guests. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Demp Emerson; Bonnie Corley and her daughter Joyce from Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Monty Penman; Mrs. Sip Barnard and Hut Corley's sister.

Mr. Buchanan's daughter, Mrs. Smith of Dallas and two of her granddaughters came to see him.

Elaine Guley was Mrs. Hill's visitor.

Mr. Waldrip enjoyed the visit of Mr. and Mrs. O'Pry of Stamford.

Mrs. Hill received word that Thurman Guley, her nephew, had passed away. She attended the funeral on Friday.

Lillie Vannoy passed away at the home and was buried on Friday. We shall all miss Lillie.

Mrs. Williamson spent the weekend with her sister, Josie, who came to Clifford Williamson's to visit. The two sisters only see each other about twice a year. Josie lives in Hugo, Oklahoma.

## STREAMS IN DESERT PLACES

by Ozelle Stephens

"But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, temperance; against such there is no law. (Galatians 5:22-23)

When you go to the gospels to study the life of our Saviour and ask the Holy Spirit to form Christ within you, first he fills your mind with his love, your heart with his spirit. Moving within your inner being; it truly is the revelation of the spirit power that gives you freedom of spirit, a warmth of his love, and healing influence. It helps you to deal with all your problems of life. It opens up your understanding; gives your mind intellect, wisdom, and understanding how to keep down the carnal man; as though he was dead.

It is actually a person living within you--your hope of glory. It is the real truth, the pure genuine product of God Himself through his Son, Jesus Christ. This life in you produces the fruits of the Spirit which are "love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, and temperance"; the greatest of these is love, we receive this love by the Holy Spirit as a gift (because we have received Christ as a gift). What a debt we owe for the love Christ gave for us. What are we doing about it? Make a full surrender and He will take over and use you to his glory.

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# O'Brien Happenings

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## On Bad Weather Driving

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# Mrs. Hester Returns From WTC Tour

Mrs. Annette Hester recently returned from a three-week American West tour sponsored by Western Texas College in Snyder.

The American West is the second tour by WTC as part of the national celebration of the American Bicentennial. Last summer's seminar, which Mrs. Hester also took part in, toured the southern and southeastern United States, including Washington, D.C.

This year's seminar toured not only a different geographical region - the west - but looked to other aspects of the American Character.

The philosophy of the seminar is to take the students out of the fixed environment of the traditional classroom and travel with them to locations of historical, literary, cultural, and archeological significance.

Courses offered by this seminar were two English; two history; two geography; anthropology and sociology courses.

Thirty-three students (credit and non-credit) and three instructors left Snyder on June 7, on a Continental Bus with the following itinerary:

Tour Day 1 - Snyder to Pueblo, Colorado.

No special activity was planned on this day but points of interest discussed during the travel were Clayton, New Mexico; Rabbit Ear Mountain; Capulin Mountain; Folsom, New Mexico; Raton Pass, Raton, New Mexico; Trinidad, Colorado; Purgatorie Valley (South of Trinidad); Ludlow, Colorado and the Spanish Peaks, southwest of Aguilar, Colorado.

Tour Day 2 - Pueblo to Denver

The second day took the group to Royal Gorge, Canon City (Colorado State Penitentiary), Garden of the Gods, Pike's Peak, Cripple Creek, United States Armed Force Academy, and Seven Falls.

Tour Day 3 - Denver to Steamboat Springs, Colorado

The day began at Denver Museum of Natural History, especially the collection of fossilized shelters in the Dinosaur Hall. Several hours were spent at Central City, Colorado, once known as "the richest square mile on earth". Two of the best known landmarks of the town still are in operation including the Teller House Hotel and the adjoining Central City Opera House. In 1873 President Grant visited this mining town and walked from the stagecoach to the hotel on a path of silver bricks. The saloon in the hotel is famous for its "face on the barroom floor." The Eisenhower Memorial Tunnel was passed through as the tour crossed the Continental Divide three different times as the group traveled Highway 40 through Yampa Valley to Steamboat Springs, a ski resort. Lakes and streams make this a year-round tourist resort, also.

Tour Day 4 - Steamboat Springs to Salt Lake City, Utah

The first stop was at Dinosaur National Monument Visitor Center, just north of Jensen, Utah, where the group observed as workmen cut meticulously away sandstone to expose fossil bones. The day ended with arrival at Salt Lake City where the group was to hear the Mormon Tabernacle Choir rehearse, but due to an out-of-town tour for the choir, the group was seated in the choir seats during an organ recital by Alexander Schreiner, the choir organist.

Tour Day 5

The group toured Temple Square, Brigham Young's Home (The Beehive), Trolley Square and some of the group waded in the Great Salt Lake.

Tour Day 6 - Salt Lake City to Reno, Nevada

The group traveled more miles (528) this day than any other. No stops were made except for food and rest but the scenery included the Great Salt Lake Desert, Skull Valley, Donner-Reed Trail Monument, Pilots Peak, Bonneville Speedway, Emigrant Pass, and Wells, Nevada. The group's travel paralleled the trail that hundreds of settlers traveled in the 1840's and 1850's. The group got a night view of the "Biggest Little City in the World," Reno.

Tour Day 7 - Reno to San Francisco, California

The group took Highway 27 up the backway to the North-eastern edge of Lake Tahoe, an oval lake, twenty miles long and ten miles wide located 6,225 feet above sea level.

The next stop was Donner Memorial State Park set aside in memory of the ill-fated Donner Party who were "trapped" in 22 feet of snow in the Sierra Nevada Mts. in 1846.

The group then went to Colma, California to Sutter's Mill, the Gold Discovery State Park; then Placerville, named because of placer mining.

Tour Days 8-9

Activities in San Francisco were flexible - the group members were allowed to tour on their own. Annette's group took a cable car to Union Square, Nob Hill, Chinatown, and Coit Tower. They also took a tour bus and visited Japanese Tea Gardens, St. Mary's Cathedral, Cliff House, Seal Rock, Russian Hill, Japanese Hill, Presidio, and Lombard Street (the crookedest street in the world).

Tour Day 9 - began with the group boarding the "Harbor Princess" for a two hour tour of Alcatraz Island. The afternoon took the group across the Golden Gate Bridge to

Muir Wood Forrest (redwoods) and Bridgeway Drive at Sausalito.

Tour Day 10

The group left San Francisco for Paso Robles - driving down Highway 1 from Monterey to San Simeon. Annette reported, "You have not taken a tour until you ride a Continental Bus on this highway. Mountains are on one side and rocks and cliffs down to the Pacific Ocean are on the other (92 miles in three hours)." The group took a tour of the famous William Randolph Hearst Castle at San Simeon, beautiful but gaudy. The most impressive thing seen was the million dollar indoor swimming pool he built during the depression. It is a State Historical Monument - donated to the State of California after his death in 1951.

Tour Day 11 - Paso Robles to Fresno

The Archangel Mission, San Miguel, California was visited on the way to Sequoia National Park, the site of some of the largest and oldest trees in the world. "The General Sherman Tree" is the largest living tree, estimated to be between 3,000 - 4,000 years old. Towering in the distance was Mt. Whitney, 14,494 feet high.

While the group was stopped at the top of Mt. Sequoia, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Speer of Haskell were seen, the group. This was quite a treat 2,000 miles from home and two miles on top of a mountain.

Tour Day 12 - Fresno to Los Angeles, California

The Toma Wine Company at Fresno was toured. Roma is the world's largest winery, handling 80,000 tons of grapes a season. They store 16,700,000 gallons of wine in vats on the premises of this winery.

The group arrived in Los Angeles with evening attendance of the taping of the "Sanford and Son" T.V. show. After the show, the group toured NBC's Color City Studio in Burbank.

Tour Days 13-14

Tour Day 13 began with the group taking a four-hour tour of Universal Studios, the largest and busiest studio in Hollywood. Some of the movie sets seen were "The Sting", "Kojak", "Earthquake", "Airport '75" and Marcus Welby's house.

The evening included a Hollywood Bus Tour seeing sights of interest including some of the stars' homes.

Tour Day 14 took the group to Disneyland.

Tour Day 15 - Los Angeles to Las Vegas, Nevada

Another day of travel, with scenery which included Victorville, California, early day Hollywood movie location for 200 films. Stars filming there were William S. Hart, Tom Mix, Harry Carey, Hoot Gibson, Will Rogers, and many others; Calico Ghost Town, Yermo, California; Barstow, California; Cat Mountain; and Devil's Peak were also viewed.

Tour Days 16-17

The tour to Death Valley had to be abandoned due to the excessive heat (120 degrees). The night activities included most of the group attending some of the Las Vegas shows: "Hallelujah Hollywood" (a tribute to the magic world of movies), Paul Anka, Glen Campbell, Tony Orlando and Dawn, Ginger Rogers, and Nipsy Russell.

Tour Day 17 took the group to the Valley of Fire, Nevada State Park. The Valley of Fire derived its name from the brilliant red sandstone formations, which were formed from great shifting sand dunes of the Jurassic Period, 150 million years ago.

The group also toured Lost City Museum of Archeology, at Overton, Nevada. This museum has one of the most complete and latest collections of the early day Pueblo Indians in the Southwest, starting with the 1,000 year old Gypsum Cave People to the last comers; the Paiute who followed about 1,100 A.D.

Tour Day 18 - Las Vegas to Grand Canyon, Arizona

The first activity of the day was Hoover Dam, the highest arch dam in the United States rising 722 feet high.

The highlight of the day was the two mile walk along the rim of Grand Canyon and the sunset over the Canyon.

Tour Day 19 - Grand Canyon to Mesa Verde, Colorado

The day began with the drive along the East Rim with a stop at Desert View Watch tower.

The rest of the day was spent driving through some of the most desolate country seen: The Navajo Reservation, the "Hogans", the bead stands along the highway - the drive through Monument Valley with its towering majestic buttes and spires.

The day ended on top of Mesa Verde (7,349 feet elevation) where the group spent the night.

Tour Day 20 - Mesa Verde to Santa Fe, New Mexico

The morning began at the Spruce Tree House (cliff dwellings), then the Cliff House (larger dwellings). Several hours were spent climbing among these relics preserved in Mesa Verde National Park.

The group arrived in Santa Fe at 5:00 p.m. and went to the Plaza to eat and browse among the old structures.

Tour Day 21 - Santa Fe to Snyder

Another seminar finished - educational and fun.

Richard Lancaster, the tour planner and English instructor is planning a possible tour to Europe in two years, Mrs. Hester said.

# Vannoy Rites Held Friday

Funeral services for Mrs. Lillian Estella Vannoy of O'Brien were held Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock in the First Baptist Church in O'Brien with the Rev. Bob Cameron, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the O'Brien Cemetery under the direction of Smith Funeral Home.

Mrs. Vannoy, 80, died at 1:20 a.m. Thursday, July 8, in the Brazos Valley Care Home after a long illness.

Born in Alabama on June 26, 1896, she had lived in the O'Brien community since she was 11 years old. Her parents were the late Dr. and Mrs. J.W. Barnard. She married David Andrew Vannoy in Rochester on October 8, 1916. Mr. Vannoy died April 4, 1974. Mrs. Vannoy was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Bonnie Jo Lippard of Dell City, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Myra Dell Reeves of Knox City; one son, Bill R. Vannoy of Horatio, Arkansas; one sister, Mrs. Velma Tillinghast of Knox City; eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

One son, Byron Vannoy, also preceded her in death.

Pallbearers were Kemp Emerson, Willard Emerson, Junior Mathis, Hoye West, Sam Johnston, and R.P. Barnard.

## BUCHANANS VISIT

Mrs. J.O. Buchanan and her daughter, Opal Dell Smith of Dallas, spent Friday in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. K.E. White and Sunday night in Rising Star with Mr. Buchanan's cousin, Ethyl White.

## RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Mabel Pyeatt returned home Thursday last week after spending two weeks with her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Everette Kelly.

## VISITING DAUGHTER

Mrs. Tommy Kent is spending several days this week in Lubbock with her daughter, Kary, a student at Jessie Lee's Hair Institute.

## FROM PORT ARTHUR

Mrs. E.I. Welch of Port Arthur is here visiting her nieces and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Perdue and Mr. and Mrs. Chad Wilson and her nephew and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clonts, Greg and Jami.

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# Truscott - Gilliland News

by JIM CUMLEY

## AROUND TOWN

Guest of Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Miller this weekend were Mrs. and Mrs. Jerry Hayes and children of Abilene and Danny Groves of Vernon.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Cook this week were Mrs. Sue Winstead and Keith Winstead, both of Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Davis of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Winnie Carter of Granbury.

Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Jones attended the Jones family reunion in Dumas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Meers of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Navratil here Sunday.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Alexander this week were Mrs. Betty Young and Randy Alexander, both of Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander's grandchildren, Jamie and Anne Alexander of Panoia will be here for a few weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Owens visited several people in the Crowell Rest Home last weekend.

Rhonda Westbrook and Billy Brown went with the Foard County 4-H group to Padre Island last week.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cash this week were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cash and Kim Cash, all of Grandfield, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. N.L. Looney attended the town reunion at Wilson last Sunday. Wednesday, they were present at the funeral of G.C. (Cleve) Looney in Dublin. Mr. Looney was a resident of Truscott many years ago.

Mmes. Francis Cook, Mary Kay Tomanek, and Gladys Meek visited Gayla Daugherty in Iowa Park last Sunday and saw the anvil shoot.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry Bullion of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bullion here last week.

Guest of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Horne this week were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Horne and Melissa of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith and Michael of Houston.

## LAST WEEK'S NEWS COMMUNITY EVENTS

Saturday's jamboree was very successful. Thanks to all who came and helped us celebrate the Bicentennial!

## AROUND TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Chowning of Fort Sill, Oklahoma visited Mr. and Mrs. Marion Chowning this week.

Guest in the Ralph Caram home for the holidays were Olivia Palacios and Suzanne of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Caram, Pam and Karen of Munday, Edward Arredondo of Austin, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Molina and grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Molina Jr., Ralph and Louis Caram, and Mr. and Mrs. Truman Arredondo, all of Wichita Falls.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Simmons this week were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dillard of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jetton of Munday. Mr. and Mrs. Jetton also visited the Ronnie Simmons family.

Mr. and Mrs. David Navratil of Arlington visited Mr. and Mrs. Emil Navratil this weekend.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. E.D. Welch this weekend were Mr. and Mrs. George Oustad and children of Earth and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Welch of Munday.

Mr. Louis Cogdell of Littlefield visited Mr. and Mrs. Horace Haynie last weekend and they all attended the Truscott jamboree Saturday.

Mrs. Charlsie Blain of Shawnee, Oklahoma visited Mrs. L.B. Baty this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. N.L. Looney attended the Dublin homecoming last weekend.

Visiting Mrs. J.C. Black last weekend was Mrs. J.G. Adcock of Crowell.

Lisa Patterson of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. John Jamison last weekend.

Mrs. Lloyd Heard and Rhonda went with the Munday Baptist Church to Fabens, Texas to the River Ministry Vacation Bible School. The group also crusaded in Mexico. They made the trip all last week.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Alexander last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Mac Alexander and children of Garland and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Nibloe and Ellen Rifle of

## Fort Worth.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A.R. Bayers last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Bartos of Burkburnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Myers and children of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Myers last weekend.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cash last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cash and children of Grandfield, Oklahoma.

Ray Glasscock was in the Veterans Hospital in Dallas last week. He was reported to be doing fine and returned home Tuesday.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bullion last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Murry Bullion of Houston.

Guests of Mrs. Elmer Welch over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jones and Brad of Vienna, Virginia, Charles Welch of El Paso, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Welch of Wichita Falls.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Navratil last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Wilson and Kimberley of Rising Star.

Richard Westbrook will be attending Haskell Singing School for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Lois Enlow of Olney visited the Lloyd Heard family last weekend.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J.L. McBeath Jr. last week were Sydney Ray McBeath and Tina Smith, both of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cawthron and Scotty of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glasscock last weekend.

Renee Westbrook of Wichita Falls visited home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Claymon and Luke of Columbia, Illinois visited Mrs. Margaret Todd last weekend.

## RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Shaver returned home Sunday night after taking their daughter and grandchildren, Mrs. John Muller, Annica and Edward of Beaumont home after a week's visit here.

Prior to returning the Mullers to Beaumont, the group assisted their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Brack Shaver and Braxton in their move from Uvalde to Denton, where Brack has accepted a position as coach in the Denton school system.

# Legislation Will Be Proposed To Cut Taxes

AUSTIN - Rep. Dan Kubiak of Rockdale said Monday he will propose legislation when the next Legislature convenes that will save Texans almost \$1 billion in local property taxes.

Kubiak predicted a "taxpayers' revolution" because property owners and citizens across the State "have suffered not only continuous but dramatic increases" in local property taxes during recent years.

Under Kubiak's proposal, the state would begin picking up the portion of the Minimum Foundation Program for public education, a portion that is now paid entirely by local school districts. He said this local fund "share" totaled \$985 million for the current and the upcoming school years.

While transferring this local cost to the State, Kubiak told a Capitol news conference his bill would guarantee that local taxpayers in school districts across this State will see their taxes go down.

"My legislation will mandate that each local school district must reduce its local taxes by an amount equal to its local fund assignment," Kubiak said. He added that school districts could decide for themselves whether to cut their tax rate, assessment ratio, or both buy that "the bottom line that each taxpayer has to pay must be reduced."

Kubiak said the legislation for this mandatory tax reduction would be effective for one year only and would be funded from a portion of the more than \$2 billion projected revenue surplus.

"About funding this plan in the future, beyond this surplus and beyond the next biennium, I would have every faith in the world that Texas' continued growing economy and its continued dollar volume growth in tax revenue can absorb this additional burden, providing the Legislature exercises restraint and good judgment in dictating the Minimum Foundation Program," Kubiak added.

Kubiak called criticism that the bill would destroy local control of public education "hogwash."

"There should be and there will be a clear distinction between the actual allocation—that is to say, funding—and the controls on these funds," Kubiak answered. "Local school districts will still have

the total authority and total power of the selection, retention and promotion of the most important person working in public education—the teacher in the classroom."

Kubiak also said local ad valorem taxes could be levied to pay for buildings, capital improvements and all other amenities, including teacher salary supplements, just like they are now under local enrichment programs.

"That means if the Dallas School District wants to build a junior high school in downtown Dallas, then let Downtown Dallas taxes pay for it."

Terminating his proposal a "no strings attached, public education version of the revenue sharing program," Kubiak predicted some "nitpickers and naysayers" would call it a "temporary, cold patch on an old flat tire."

"That's fine," he responded. "The taxpaying public will buy that. But at least we've bought some time and can make some plans for the future."

## ELLIOTT GUESTS

Rev. and Mrs. W.H. Wright and Mike of Idalou spent Sunday visiting with his aunts, Blanche and Clifford Elliott.

## FROM ODESSA

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Williams of Odessa visited Saturday in the home of her sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin A. Lowrey and Jan.

# Dollar-Wise Decorating

INSTALLMENT DECORATING

By Joy Miller

Design experts have devised a plan that allows you to start your decorating scheme right away—and carry it through gradually, over a period of years if necessary—adding to it as your budget allows. This way you can enjoy what you have, as you decorate.

In a sense, this is decorating in installments—furnishing a room in easy stages without going broke in the process.

Perhaps you're changing the room of your college child into a den. Or you find you're not using your dining room for dining all that much, and you want to make it into more of a family room. Or... you want to remodel your living room completely.

As in every decorating scheme, the first important step is the planning stage. Put your dreams on paper and list all the furnishings you'd love to have. Then do some arithmetic and figure out the cost of these items. When you reach the total, don't panic. Remember, you are furnishing in "easy stages."

Stage one is the absolute necessities, such as carpeting. More people every year save money on residential carpet by doing the installation work themselves. Whether they use carpet rolls or self-stick tiles, a few hours' investment of personal time can produce professional looking results. To help the consumer, Armstrong has a free booklet available, complete with instructions and illustrations, including a handy chart for estimating how much carpet to buy.\*

For a living room, the

choice of a tuxedo-style sofa is excellent. Not only good-looking and practical, it's not likely to go out of fashion and adapts easily to most decors. A chrome-and-glass coffee table will look just right in front of the sofa. As for chairs, two cane-and-chrome will serve the purpose beautifully—at this stage, that is.



Eventually these chairs will move into another room and be replaced with the ones you've always wanted. Until that time, even overstuffed floor pillows in bright colors can be both useful and decorative. The same goes for do-it-yourself bookshelves made out of bricks and boards. And what about wicker baskets turned upside down for end tables?

For wall interest, posters and prints, a wall-hung rug, a plant suspended from the ceiling—all these can add color and warmth to any room. Add a few lamps and some accessories—and you're ready to use in your "new" room until the next stage, next year perhaps, when your budget allows some changes.

\*Note: For free booklet, "How To Install Do-It-Yourself Carpet," write Armstrong Cork Company, Department SP, Lancaster, Pennsylvania 17604.

## Safety Comes First While Camping

WICHITA FALLS - Camping trips are fun, but they can turn to tragedy if children and campers fail to be cautious, particularly around the campfire.

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department offers these safety tips: Use flame-retardant tents and sleeping bags if possible (industry safety standards for tent and sleeping bag flammability are voluntary). Keep stoves, lanterns, and candles away from tents or sleeping gear. Keep fire downwind from flammables. Avoid using charcoal and catalytic-heating products in unventilated areas. Transport flammable liquids in safety containers and keep them capped, out of tents, and away from children.

## FROM SAN ANTONIO

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Lewis Floyd were her daughters, Mrs. H.D. Hediger and Debbie, and Mrs. D.V. Hutcheson, all of San Antonio.

They also visited in the home of their sister and her family, the Doug Meinzers.

## Cindy Stone August 7th

The engaged bride, Cindy Stone to Roger Stone, announced.

Cindy is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Stone and H.C. Stone and Roger's Mr. and Mrs. J. Tahoka.

A 1975 graduate of City High School, she is a sophomore at Texas College in Fall.

The prospective groom is a 1974 graduate of Tahoka High School, employed at Midland Cooperative in Midland.

The wedding is August 7 in the Church here.

## HELMS VISITORS

Karen West of Falls and Jimmy of San Antonio visited in the home of Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Helms and Debbie. Karen spent the weekend with Jimmy.

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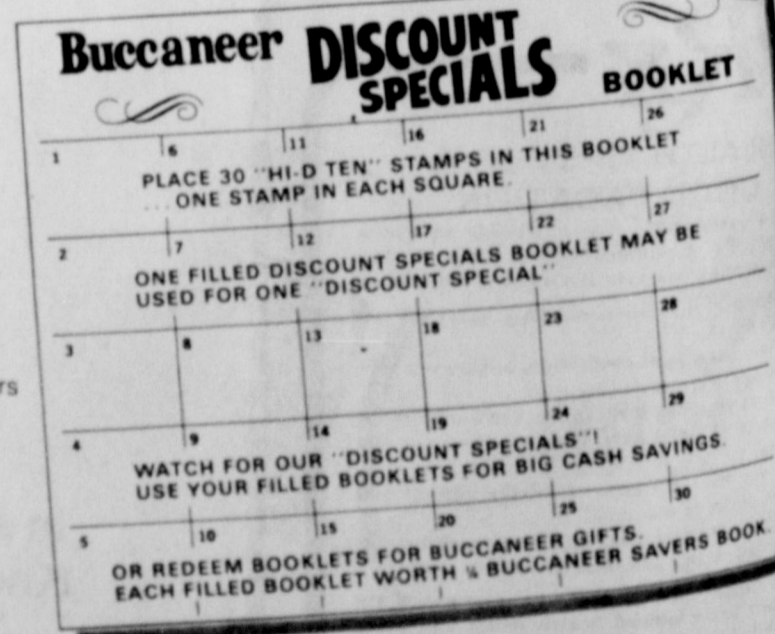
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## Olney Savings Adds Oldham To Staff

James Oldham has joined the staff of Olney Savings Association Nocona Branch, according to an announcement from Don McClatchy, president of the north central Texas savings and loan company.

A longtime resident of Nocona, Oldham assumed the position after moving back to Nocona. Before returning to Nocona, he was assistant plant manager for Rucher-Hycalog, an oil field service company.

The son of Louie and Dorothy Oldham, he has many friends in Nocona dating back to when he was an honor student and quarterback of



**JAMES OLDHAM**  
...returns to Nocona

the Class AA football team.

Oldham is a graduate of East Texas State University, where he received his bachelor's degree.

He and his wife Mary Jane will reside at 514 Clay Street.

## Missed Your Tech Student's News?

The Knox County News is always interested in printing any items of interest concerning Knox City as well as area students.

As the News office has not been receiving any releases from Texas Tech University in regard to these students, an inquiry was directed to Dan Tarpley, manager of the Tech News Bureau, last week. The following letter was received from Mr. Tarpley Saturday.

July 8, 1976

Mrs. Biliye B. Angle,  
Publisher  
Knox County News  
Knox City, Texas 79529

Dear Mrs. Angle:

I can't remember if I have answered your letter, but if I have please forgive the duplication. I have answered a good many similar to it.

For the last several semesters and graduations we have not

made hometown releases on students on the deans lists and the graduates. There are two or three reasons, none of which are very good, I think.

In the case of deans lists, our resident counsel has suggested that we run a risk of using such information unless we have written clearance from every student whose name is used or we may be violating his or her privacy. In rare cases students do not want anything going out for newspaper use about them. It is hard for me to understand and I don't think we would be running much of a risk. But at any rate, that is the reasoning for the policy. I know, too, that most other state institutions are still sending out the hometown releases.

The other reason is that there

are literally thousands of them on the deans lists every semester and we don't have the people nor the funds to do it. We do try to send out hometown releases when we get scholarship recipient stories and we know the students do not object.

We are happy to have you back on our regional weekly newspaper list and we hope you occasionally find one of our releases of use to you. And we will make every effort to get you everything we can about students from your area. We know how important it is to us and we think such news is of value to you and your readers, too.

Regards,  
Dan Tarpley, Manager  
News Bureau

## Comptroller's Audits Yield Additional Taxes

AUSTIN Comptroller Bob Bullock said the enforcement officers of his Wichita Falls district office revealed through audits \$81,870 in additional taxes owed the state and collected another \$92,406 in taxes during the month of June.

Bullock said the office conducted 74 audits during June, yielding an average \$133.77 in additional taxes owed per audit hour.

Of the \$92,406 collected by the office during the month, the Comptroller noted, \$80,557 had become delinquent.

Statewide field collections by the Comptroller's 36 district offices totaled \$4.6 million during June, including

\$2.3 million in delinquent taxes, Bullock said. He said the combined audit efforts of the field offices turned up a total \$3.6 million in additional revenue owed the state.

Bullock said the Wichita Falls office is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., but added that taxpayers needing assistance can schedule appointments earlier or later for their convenience.

The Wichita Falls office, headed by Ronald Watkins, is located at 111 Fre-Mar Valley, telephone 723-0811.

The Wichita Falls office serves Wichita, Archer, Baylor, Clay, Foard, Hardeman, Jack, Knox, Montague, Throckmorton, Wilbarger, and Young Counties.

## Bilingual Education Office Awarded Grant

A federal grant of \$81,897 for the 1976-77 academic year has been awarded the Bilingual Education Department Office of Region IX Education Service Center, according to Delma Banelos, director of the department.

"This is the third successive year we have had federal funding", Miss Banelos said. The program provides bilingual pre-school home tutoring for children, ages three through five, with limited English speaking ability. English and Spanish are taught to the youngsters on a home basis, the only such program in Texas, she explained.

"Last year we served a total of 102 children", she

added. Counties serviced include Hardeman, Foard, Knox, Wilbarger, Baylor, Throckmorton, Young, Archer, Jack, Montague, Clay, and Wichita. This will be the first time Childress and Haskell, neither of which is in the Region IX area, will be participating in the program.

"We are in the process of recruiting teachers and screening children," Miss Banelos said.

Interested persons, wishing to refer a child to the Region IX Education Service Center, 3014 Old Seymour Road, Wichita Falls, Texas may call Miss Banelos at 817 322-2501.

## Farm And Ranch News

By Norman Collier

### BOLL WEEVIL DAMAGE

A few untreated Knox County cotton fields are showing heavy cotton boll weevil damage at this time.

Many fields where early season control applications were used and some fields where the over wintering boll weevil did not reach in heavy numbers are looking good at this time. Some cotton in the county where late replanting was necessary has not reached the 1/2 grown square stage while much of the older cotton started blooming in early July.

Control applications for the boll weevil in this older cotton should be used now only if really necessary as this is the stage when unnecessary applications may add to the cotton boll worm problem.

### SORGHUM MIDGE

Sorghum midge usually start in small numbers when early sorghum reaches the bloom stage and increase to high damaging numbers in a relatively short time.

A very few midge have been observed, but the population increase could build up in the next week or two to make it necessary to use control applications on sorghum blooming later than the majority.

### SPIDER MITES

Spider mites, or red spiders as they are sometimes called, spell bad news for a garden.

There's no way to keep spider mites out of your garden, but it's a good idea to be able to recognize the pests and what type of damage they do.

Spider mites are quite small, about 1/60 of an inch long, and can be white, red or green in color. They lay eggs on the undersides of leaves and the eggs hatch in about five days. The life cycle of a spider mite lasts three weeks. Hot dry weather is particularly favorable for their development.

Spider mites prefer beans, tomatoes, and peas but will attack almost any plant.

The bugs feed by sticking their mouthparts into leaf

tissue and sucking out the juice while injecting a toxic substance into the leaf at the same time.

When a plant is infected with mites, it shows up as tiny spots on the undersides of leaves. Heavy infestations of mites cause bleaching and yellowing along the main leaf veins at first and later the whole leaf is affected.

After a while, the leaf's edges curl up, turn brown, and eventually drop off the plant. If not controlled, spider mites can completely defoliate a plant.

Use only pesticide compounds specifically intended to control mites. These may have to be applied from two to four times and used once every five days.

Use pesticides only as directed and inspect your plants frequently to check for signs of spider mites. Some good insecticides to use include diazinon, kelthane, malathion, ethion and sulfur.

### WHITE GRUB CONTROL

The white grub, the larval stage of the May or June beetle, is one of the major lawn pests in Knox County.

White grubs feed on grass roots during the summer, fall and spring months and during this period complete three larval stages. The third and largest larval stage which is present from late August until pupation occurs in June causes most of the damage.

Large numbers of grubs cut the grass roots through their feeding activity causing the

grass to turn brown and die. The grubs damage the soil and can be lifted and ground.

Most effective control of white grubs is accomplished by applying a larval stage insecticide from mid-July to early August. When four grubs are found in an area one to four inches deep, measures are not needed. If several grubs are found, several scatterers should be used to determine if grubs are present in damage.

Diazinon application or sprays are effective control methods in the first year. The granular is easier to apply to the soil than the liquid. The key is to get the diazinon to the root zone. Spraying should be done every 25 gallons of water per square foot of lawn before the also helps.

When using other insecticides, give a trial to see if they should be followed. Additional grubs are white grubs (L-1131, White Turfgrass). This is available at your local Agent's office.

IN LUBBOCK Mrs. Doug Tyke spent last week in Lubbock visiting her daughter and Mr. and Mrs. ...

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**Your Social Security**

People covered by Medicare medical insurance can assure faster payment of their claims if they make sure their health insurance number is on the claim form, according to Mr. Carl R. Beisner, Social Security claims Representative in Vernon.

"About one of every three delays in payment of Medicare medical insurance claims is caused by use of a wrong health insurance number or omission of the number entirely," Carl Beisner said.

The number identifies a claim for Medicare payment, on bills for medical services. "If you put a wrong health insurance number - or don't enter a number - on a Request for Medicare payment form, a search for your correct number is necessary," Beisner said. "The search can delay your payment."

If itemized bills are sent in with a claim, the number also should be written on each separate bill, he said.

The health insurance number appears on the health insurance card issued to everyone covered by Medicare. The number has nine digits and a symbol, such as A, B, F2. "The number, including the symbol, should be copied onto the designated blank on the Request for Medicare Payment form," Beisner said.

"Payment can also be delayed when medical bills are submitted without Request for Medicare Payment forms, or when claims are sent to the wrong address," he said.

The form is available at most doctors' offices and at any social security office. Claims should be sent to P.O. Box 22147, Group Medical & Surgical, Medicare - Part B, Dallas, Texas 75222, the organization that handles Medicare medical insurance payments in this area.

"If a doctor and patient agree," Beisner said, "the doctor can send the claim in and be paid directly by Medicare. If the patient submits the claim, the Medicare payment goes to the patient."

Medicare medical insurance helps pay for doctor bills and many other medical expenses of almost everyone 65 and over, disabled people under 65 who have been entitled to social security disability payments for 24 consecutive months or more, and eligible workers or members of their families who have permanent kidney failure.

Medical insurance is the voluntary part of Medicare, funded by individual premiums and Federal general revenues. The Medicare program is administered by the Social Security Administration, an agency of the U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

## OIL AND GAS PRODUCTION

(Continued from Page One)

million from the sale of 725,119 barrels of crude oil; \$50,953 from the sale of 103,773 MCF of natural gas. The county's royalty owners last year received \$716,986.

In addition to paying local school and county property, county producers also contributed to the support of state government with production tax payments totalling \$265,328-\$261,507 paid on oil output; \$3821 on gas production.

According to the Texas Employment Commission, 58 oil and gas industry employees worked in the county in 1975. But because oil and gas

production and processing operations require such extensive support from service and supply firms, these direct employment figures are only a part of the story of the industry's impact on the local economy.

The industry's search for oil and gas continued in Knox County, with oil and gas developers last year spending an estimated \$2.3-million drilling 60 wells in the county. Some \$1-million of that was lost in 29 dry holes, but the total drilling effort yielded 31 oil wells. The exploratory effort in the county last year saw the drilling of 10 wildcat wells.

## LAWFUL WAYS TO SAVE PLANNING FOR RETIREMENT



If you're employed but have no pension plan, you can set aside 15 percent of your income—up to \$1,500—in an Individual Retirement Account (IRA).

And if you're self-employed you can also set aside 15 percent of your salary—but up to \$7,500—in a Keogh Plan.



In both cases you won't pay taxes on the money set aside until you retire, in which case you'll probably be in a lower tax bracket.

There are several ways you can invest the money—trust funds, annuities from life insurance companies, U.S. Government bonds.



But investment counselors often recommend mutual funds, which minimize risk by diversifying shareholders' money in securities of many different companies.

For a free booklet with more information on IRA and Keogh investments, write to Investment Company Institute, 1775 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006.

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# BENJAMIN NEWS

by Mrs. Van Green

**HERE** Sealum took her Shirley Leaverton Sunday where she plane for her Jose, California. Amarillo, they Bob Pyatts in the Charles Lefors. Mrs. Jerry Snair, Mrs. Todd, Angi Piano visited his Lee Snallums

## River

### Harmless

**ALLS** - What was to be a piranha routine in the do River in early med out to be a ant-eating fish. and Wildlife es biologist Rod- had identified "pacu", a South es similar to at a vegetarian. a fish was ed by a Brown- an checking his the Colorado

14 pounds and inches in length. Wildlife Com- 1974 banned 11 other groups harmful fish into Texas. common aqua- available from most dealers. McCabe fish enthusiast feeding the pacu in the Colorado

Thursday. The children remained for a visit with their grandparents while they played in a golf tournament in Plainview. They returned home Sunday.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Barnett were Mrs. Bill Elliott, Mark and Mycal of Dallas, Miss Connie Porter of Houston, Mrs. Tom Porter and Mrs. Judy Gore of Seymour and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Howard of Anton.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Barnett and Miss Connie Porter took Mrs. Bill Elliott, Mark and Mycal to Bridgeport Sunday afternoon where they met Mr. Elliott of Dallas and she and the boys returned to their home with him.

Miss Connie Porter, Mrs. Bill Elliott, Mark and Mycal and Mrs. Pete Barnett visited Mrs. Tom Porter in Seymour Thursday and attended the parade Thursday afternoon. They also were dinner guests of Miss Nan Gilbert and Mrs. Judy Gore while in Seymour.

Recent guests of the Bobby Robersons were Mrs. George Parrish of Franklin, Robbie Sullivan of Woodson, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Feemster and Michael of Brownwood, Mrs. Lona Feemster, J. Winston Feemster, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Feemster of Vera, Kathie and Tres Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Roberson of Benjamin. They all enjoyed a bar-b-que supper on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Conner and Kim vacationed several days this past week in Oklaho-

## Having Information Available Can Save Time For SS Applicants

Persons who plan to apply for supplemental security income payments can save time by first getting together some information about themselves, according to Carl R. Beisner, Social Security claims representative in Vernon.

The supplemental security income program makes

monthly payments to persons with little or no income and limited resources who are 65 or over or blind or disabled. Information can be obtained about applying for the payments by calling or writing any social security office.

"When applying," Beisner said, "it's a good idea to have with you as many of the following as possible: a checkbook, if you have one, to show how much you have in the bank, any savings account books, stocks and bonds, life insurance policies, automobile registration cards, latest real estate tax statements if you own a home or any land, last year's income tax return, W-2 forms, and evidence of all other income."

It may save time, too, according to Beisner, if those applying for supplemental security income payments know the value of their car, if they own one.

"You should also have your social security card," he said. "Disabled or blind students 18 to 22 should have a school identification card, tuition receipts, or similar evidence of school attendance."

The supplemental security income program is administered by the Social Security Administration, an agency of the U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. The Vernon Social Security office is at 1701 Cumberland. The phone number is 817-552-9346.

## Farm Pond Safety Suggestions Given

By Arche Lieb USDA SCS

Ponds, like any body of water, attract people. When the two come together, there always is a chance of a drowning or boating accident.

Ponds are an asset to the environment and have many uses Arche Lieb, U.S. Soil Conservation Service district conservationist, states. During the past 30 years, Texas landowners have built more than 350,000 ponds as part of their soil and water conservation plans. Some 350 have been built in the Knox County area.

Families and friends are attracted to ponds because they are nice places to picnic, swim, boat, or fish, Lieb said. But the small boy passing by who is attracted by the water may do almost anything. This is why keeping ponds safe is so important.

Here are some pond safety suggestions listed by Lieb: 1. Before construction, find out about your liability. You may need to protect yourself with insurance and have your pond built by a reliable contractor who will follow engineering specifications. 2. During construction, remove trees, brush, and anything else that might hinder safe boating or swimming. Eliminate sudden dropoffs and deep holes in the swimming area. 3. Once a pond is completed, mark the safe swimming areas and put warning signs at danger points. Tell swimmers not to swim alone, and post safety instructions for swimming and boating. Use boats that will float if swamped or capsized, and warn swimmers and boaters to stay out of ponds during storms and when spillways are flowing. Above all, recognize that farm ponds are hazards to small children.

Your farm pond can be a source of enjoyment as well as profit, buy only if it is safe, Lieb concluded. A helpful leaflet, Make Your Farm Pond Safe, PA 396, is available from local Soil Conservation Service offices.

## Year-End Results Given On Wheat Demonstration

Three medium late maturing varieties were top yielders in the 1976 twenty-two Variety Wheat Demonstration eight miles south of Goree on the Bill Goode farm, according to County Extension Agent Herman H. Collier.

All varieties were hand clipped and bundled May 27 and stored until a threshing day could be arranged at the

Texas A&M University Research Center at Chillicothe-Vernon July 1 with the following yields in bushels per acre. Baca 38.8, Osage 38.5, Sage 31.5, Danne 28.1, TAM W-101 28.1, Scout 66 27.9, Eagle 26.7, Trison 26.7, Sturdy 26.6, Tascosa 25.9, Agent 24.5, CO 72505 24.4, HRP-1 23.8, Sentinel 23.1, Cap-ock 22.9, Early Triumph 22.3, Lancota 22.2, DeKalb 571 22.0, Pronto 21.5, Centurk 21.0, TAM W-103 18.5, DeKalb 581 11.5.

Dry weather conditions through late winter and early spring apparently hurt yields of several of the earlier varieties more than the medium late varieties. Medium late to late maturing varieties could utilize moisture received in April and a relatively cool spring allowed these to mature well.

These results were from one year only and the demonstration was not on a scientific research basis, Collier said. The demonstration was planted October 10, 1975.

## IN LUBBOCK

Mrs. Annie Dowling spent last week in Lubbock where she visited Mrs. Rene Branch and Jennifer.

They attended dedication services for the Rancing Heritage Center at Texas Tech where they saw Lady B Johnson, Dale Robertson, and George Mahan. They also attended sunrise services and a chuck wagon breakfast that followed, as well as taking in one of the Harley Sadler tent shows.

Rene and Jennifer brought Annie home last Friday and visited other relatives here.

## AT POSSUM KINGDOM

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Guinn, Sheryll and Dell, Jan Quintanilla and Jason, and Mrs. Ozelle Stephens, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wyndol Stephens, Randy, Rodney and Randy's friend, Belinda, all of Jal, New Mexico, Mrs. Wynelle Roberts, Sue, Mary and their friend, Linda, all of Tulia, spent the Fourth of July weekend at Possum Kingdom Lake near Graham. They reported enjoying a boat parade, fireworks, and water skiing.

## IN MASON

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Kent visited her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lyon in Mason last weekend. Lyon is publisher of the Mason County News.

## FROM SAN ANGELO

Elvis Hutchinson of San Angelo visited Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Salem Hutchinson.

## KC Colored News-Events

BY ALESTINE FLYE

On Thursday night, Rev. Horn of Galilee Baptist in Crosbyton open our pastor's anniversary program by preaching from Isaiah 53:2. The sermon was "Who hath believed our report".

On Friday night, the churches of God in Christ with Elder L.W. Ward preaching from I Corinthians 6:19-20, sermon, "For ye are bought with a price". On Sunday services were Sunday school as usual. For morning service Elder Asia Flye of Sacramento, California preach from John 10:9. His sermon was "Preach the word". At 3 p.m. were the anniversary hour. Guest churches were Rev. Ashford and church, Elder Brown, Church of the Living God, Rev. O.T. Jackson, church, Mt. Zion of Seymour, Rev. D.L. Cooper of Rochester and Rule, Rev. L.T. Jackson and church, Rev. M.A. Brown of Slaton preach the anniversary sermon from Ephesians 6:15-16, "The gospel of peace".

Children and grandchildren some from Dallas, Abilene Midland spent the holiday weekend with Mrs. Willie Brantley. Mrs. Elnora Millard of Albuquerque, New Mexico spent the week of the Fourth with her mother and uncle and wife, Asia Flye of Sacramento, California and her uncles and aunts here and also enjoyed doing some fishing.

I hope I won't have to do the Tricentennial the next 100 years from now, do you? Thursday night of last week, some of St. Paul went to Haskell to Pilgrim Rest to hear Rev. Slaughter preach sermon no. three which we all enjoy very much.

The Goodwill Club is sorry about being so late about thanking our many friends for their support during our annual. We are so proud of our friends and hope to see you all again the next time around.

St. Paul held Sunday school with a small attendance. Supt. Manuel in charge. Lesson were taught by the teacher. No other service for the day.

The Goodwill Club meeting is postpone until a later day. SERVICES OF THE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

The YPWW Joint meeting was held at the Goree Church July 4, Elder George Blue preached. Bible Band Joint Meeting was also held at the Goree

## Tractor Pull To Be In Wichita Falls

The Wichita County Young Farmers organization is bringing tractor pulling to Wichita Falls! A Tractor Pull, sponsored by the Young Farmers, will be held this month, with two performances - the first on Friday, July 23, and another on Saturday, July 24.

Church Monday before last.

On Tuesday night a few of the members from the Knox City church attended service in Stamford. Elder Cox preached from Philippians 2.

Junior Choir practice was held at the Southside Church in Abilene on Saturday evening.

Sunday School had an excellent attendance with Supt. Smith in charge.

In the morning service Pastor Bennett preached from St. John 8:31 down a few verses. YPWW was the last service of the day at the Knox City church.

We attended a committee meeting at the First Christian Church on Sunday evening conducted by evangelist Lightfoot concerning the Area Wide Revival to be held here in August.

## RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Eaton and children returned home July 5 from Lacey, Washington where they visited their son and his family, E-J and Mrs. Jay Eaton and Jay Bob. Jay is stationed at Fort Lewis, Washington.

During the 18 day trip, the Eatons also enjoyed sightseeing in Oregon, Las Vegas, Reno and Lake Tahoe, Nevada, as well as Disneyland in California.

Each show will begin at 7:30 p.m., and will be held at the Wichita County Mounted Patrol Arena on FM 369 (off Seymour Highway), Wichita Falls.

The Tractor Pull will feature top pullers from a two-state area, as well as local farmers trying for \$3,000 in prizes and trophies. A small admission will be charged, and tickets may be purchased at the gate. For further information concerning the Tractor Pull, contact Barry Mahler, 592-9014.

## Lions Club News

by Z.I. Smith

Lion Paul Anderson presided at Wednesday's meeting and introduced the new Lion Sweetheart, Jan Lowrey. Lion Herman Collier had his son as a guest.

Lion Pete Elliston will be program chairman for the month of July.

A report was given by Lion Bill Baker concerning Dr. W.F. Thompson, who is now due in Knox City on August 1. Lion President and Lion Baker both reminded members about voting in the school referendum, July 10.

It was reported Lion Jesse Gilpin has returned home from the hospital and Lion James Patterson is in Lubbock with his wife who has had surgery.

Lion Anderson expressed his appreciation to all members who attended the July 4th Celebration.

## TIPS ON BICYCLING

### TIPS ON BICYCLING

or packages that obstruct your view.

Use hand signals to indicate turning or stopping. Use required reflectors and lights when riding at night.



Wear comfortable clothing. Don't wear anything that might hamper your ability to maneuver the bicycle.

Watch out for road conditions. Be on the lookout for drainage grates, oil spills, potholes, and broken glass.

If you do see a pothole coming up, face it straight on and try not to lift the bike as you ride over it by standing on the pedals.

Bicycle riders must conform to the same laws that govern the use of automobiles. They must stop at stop signs, red lights etc.

Some communities may have additional restrictions on the use of bicycles, and cyclists should check on these by contacting the safety division of their local police department.

Mr. Henry says, "Some communities may have additional restrictions on the use of bicycles, and cyclists should check on these by contacting the safety division of their local police department."

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Morton's Chicken	IN A BASKET	2-LB. BOX	\$1.89
Toilet Tissue	CHARMIN	4 ROLL PAK	69¢
Jam or Jelly	BAMA GRAPE	18-oz. JAR	59¢
Paper Plates	CHEFS PRIDE	100 COUNT	79¢
Coffee Filters	MR. COFFEE	100 CT. PKG.	79¢
Maalox Liquid		12-oz. BOTTLE	\$1.29
Hair Spray	AQUA NET	13-oz. CAN	79¢

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