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LOCAL LADIES TO ATTEND MISSIONS SCHOOL

Mrs. I. L. Edgar and Mrs. Webb Taylor will represent the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Quitaque Methodist Church at the School of Missions and Christian Service of the Northwest Texas Conference. The school will be held at St. John's Methodist Church, Lubbock, July 24-28.

Five days of study, clinics and inspiration are in store for delegates to the school. Mrs. E. T. Pittard, of Anson, Texas, will serve as dean.

A special invitation has been issued to Methodist girls who are juniors in high school, or older. The opportunity is made possible by the Conference School of Missions and the Committee on Missionary Personnel of the Woman's Society of the Methodist Church.

Instructor for the Bible Hour will be Mrs. Cecil Matthews of Lubbock, wife of the minister to students, Wesley Foundations, Texas Technological College, Lubbock. She is a long-time teacher in schools of missions.

Dr. Woodrow Adcock of Abilene and Miss Alice Alsop, Fort Worth, will teach the course "Churches for New Times". Dr. Adcock was recently appointed superintendent of the Abilene District, following a seven year pastorate at First Methodist Church, Pampa.

Miss Alsop has served as a missionary in China and Japan. She is retired but still active, filling emergency assignments in community centers and teaching wherever she is needed.

Instructors for the study "The Christian Mission in Latin America" are: Miss Mary Sue Brown, Waco, who served as a missionary for 35 years in Methodist schools for girls in Brazil; Dr. Henry Goodlow, pastor of First Methodist Church in Searcy, Arkansas; and Mrs. Lamar S. Clark, wife of the new pastor at First Church, Texarkana, and teacher in conference mission schools for six years.

Mrs. James E. Tidwell of Andrews, and Mrs. W. Ian Moore of Lubbock will teach the study entitled "The Christian and Responsible Citizenship." Mrs. Tidwell, wife of the Means Memorial pastor, has been accredited as an adult teacher by the Board of Education. Mrs. Moore taught for thirteen years in schools of nursing in Methodist mission hospital in China and the Philippines.

Teachers of the course "The Meaning of Suffering" are: Miss Barbara Summerville, Lubbock, Director of Youth for the Northwest Texas Conference for the past five years; Dr. John Harden Hicks, professor emeritus of Old Testament at Southern Methodist University; the Rev. H. Doyle Ragle, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Vernon, Texas.

DAUGHTER BORN TO

MR. AND MRS. WILLIE GRAGSON

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gragson have a new daughter, born Monday morning, July 17, at 1:30 A. M. in Odom Hospital at Memphis. The young lady weighed in at 5 lbs. 6 oz. and has been named Laura. Mother and baby returned home Tuesday and are doing fine.

PARENTS OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Birt Lane of Plainview are the parents of a son, born at 7:10 P. M. Friday, July 14 at Plainview Hospital and Clinic. The baby weighed four pounds and one ounce.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lane of Turkey and Mrs. W. E. Morrison of Quitaque.

LIONS AND FAMILIES ENJOY ANNUAL PICNIC IN PARK

(By G. R. Colvin)

Quitaque Lions entertained their families in the park with a supper and the movie "Unchained Frontiers".

Chef James Brunson said, "There were skads of chicken before the eating started, but they wound up with only one wing". There were oodles of ice cream. Lion Roberson had four dishes, enough for a good size hog.

It was a nice evening enjoyed by all. The Tail Twister being more or less inactive. Due to his huge size, maneuverability on such a large scale is hazardous.

The official estimate has it that there were eighty two present.

ATTENDS REUNION AT AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Richmond attended the Buffalo Flat reunion at Thompson Park in Amarillo Sunday. This was the first reunion but those present voted to make it an annual affair, to be held the third Sunday in July. The Richmond's reported that everyone had a very good time.

ALL-STAR BASEBALL GAME AT SILVERTON

A treat is in store for the baseball fans of this area Saturday afternoon in Silvertown. The Amarillo Gold Sox, their general manager Jon Ferrios, and Dick Risenhoover will be on hand at the Silvertown Baseball Park when the Silvertown Jets, who are now in first place in the Irrigation League, will meet the Springlake Larks at 8:00 P. M. The Jets began this season in first place, dropped to fourth place, and have risen from their second place slot during the past week to again occupy first place. Mr. Ferrios will be guest speaker of the evening, and Dick Risenhoover will be announcer for two All-Star baseball games and the semi-pro contest.

A Little League All-Star game will begin at 4:00 P. M. At 5:30 P. M. a Pony League All-Star game will be played.

Joe Prepitone, the Gold Sox Center Fielder, has been assigned to the parent club, the New York Yankees, for another year. Little Leaguers can have baseball autographed by members of the Amarillo Gold Sox by bringing their own baseballs. Little Leaguers are to wear blue jeans, t-shirts and their regular baseball caps to the games.

Admission tickets will be 75 cents for adults and 35 cents for students. The tickets will cover the entire evening of activities which will include special events, an appreciation ceremony and entertainment between games.

Sandwiches, candy, pop and gum will be sold at the concession stand. Proceeds of both gate and concession stand will go to pay expenses of the ball park. New poles and brackets are to be erected soon, and the proceeds will help defray the expenses of the new lights, etc.

RALPH HARVEY IN HOSPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harvey received a call early Tuesday morning from their son Howard in Amarillo telling them that Ralph Harvey was in a hospital there in Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey left immediately for Amarillo to be at the bedside of their son.

FARMERS ADVISED TO ASK FOR GAS TAX REFUND

Farmers are reminded by C. H. Bates, extension farm management specialist, of their eligibility for a refund of the 4-cent gallon Federal gasoline tax on that used for farming purposes. The claim should include all eligible gasoline gallonage purchased between July 1, 1960, and June 30, 1961.

The claim for refund should be filed on Form 2240 and not later than September 30, Bates said.

The gasoline on which a refund may be claimed covers that used for farming purposes and includes most normal production operations. Three exceptions, however, are noted by the specialist. They are gasoline used on the highway, even though for transporting farm products; that used for processing, packaging, freezing or canning operations and that used for non-farming or personal purposes.

Records of fuel purchases should be kept to verify the refund request and care should be exercised to avoid inaccurate or excessive claims, Bates said. He noted that Form 2240 does not apply to diesel and special motor fuels. Farmers who have questions regarding taxes on these fuels are advised to contact an Internal Revenue Service director.

FARMERS UNION PICNIC

AT SILVERTON PARK MONDAY NIGHT

Briscoe County Farmers Union annual picnic will be held Monday, July 24th, at 7:00 P. M. in the Silvertown Park at Silvertown, Tex. Home-made ice cream, cake, and cookies will be furnished by the members. The public is cordially invited to attend. Special speaker of the evening will be the new Executive Vice-President of Texas Farmers Union, J. I. Naman of Waco, Texas. Also Alex Dickie, Jr. and others will attend.

HAS SURGERY

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Johnston drove to Amarillo Sunday, July 9, to be with their children Mr. and Mrs. John Kyle, while their son, James Alvin Kyle, underwent surgery on the following Monday morning. The baby has had a serious mastoid condition since December and it ended in surgery. Mrs. Odell Johnston and Sammy went up Monday morning for the surgery and Mr. Wallace Johnston returned home with them that evening. Mrs. Johnston remained until Sunday, July 16, to help care for the baby. He was doing fine when she left to return to Quitaque.

James Golden of Levelland came last week and took his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Patrick to Lubbock where Mr. Patrick had X-Rays made. Mr. Patrick will have to return to the hospital in three weeks for further treatment for ulcers. Mr. and Mrs. Patrick went to Levelland for a few days visit with their daughter and her family, the Ray Golden. While they were at Levelland the Golden's crop was hailed out.

James returned his grandparents home and will stay a week or two with them.

Mrs. Novelle Wise and Yvonne, left Tuesday morning for Monroe, Louisiana. They are going to make preparation for the wedding of Yvonne and Morris Parker in Monroe on August 19.

ELMER BERRYHILL AT STATE CONFERENCE

FARM TRAILERS MUST HAVE LICENSE PLATES NOW

New license plates for farm trailers not used for hire are now available, according to Bob A. Lilly, Texas Farm Bureau legislative director.

Lilly said the department of Public Safety has advised him that the \$5.00 license tags are now in county tax collectors' offices across the state. Owners of farm trailers of between 4,000 and 10,000 pounds gross weight must have these tags displayed on their trailers in accordance with a new law passed during the regular session of the 57th Legislature. The law also provides a 30-m.p.h. speed limit, but exempts trailers up to 10,000 pounds gross from brake requirements.

The DPS indicated that it will give trailer owners a "reasonable" period of time to secure the tags before strict enforcement begins, Lilly said. The law became effective with the Governor's signing of House Bill 1082, the farm trailer bill, on May 29 but the new tags were not available until just recently.

Lilly said that the Texas Farm Bureau has been attempting to secure passage of a farm trailer law for several years. He explained that the \$5.00 license cost was a compromise to forestall a veto of the bill.

The TFB legislative director said that the new law was necessary to permit farmers to continue using their trailers to haul farm products. The DPS had warned that it was planning to begin strict enforcement of trailer licensing laws if a special farm trailer law were not enacted this year. Before the new law was passed, farmers were required by law to obtain commercial licenses for trailers over 4,000 pounds gross weight even though they normally use their trailers for only a few weeks each year.

Farmers who fail to obtain tags will be subject to a fine and also must immediately register their trailer as a commercial trailer and obtain a commercial license plate. A commercial license for a 10,000 pound trailer would cost \$55.00.

News From The County Agent's Office

I have noticed during the last week or so, a number of patches of field bindweed in fields and along the roadside. The presence of this weed in or near the field is and always will be a serious threat to good cropland. If at all possible, an eradication program should be carried out to eliminate this damaging weed.

The following information on the control of Field Bindweed was taken from an article prepared by A. F. Wiese, Agronomist, Bushland, Texas, and H. E. Rea, Professor, Texas A and M College:

Small patches of field bindweed can be eradicated with Benzac 354, Zobar when applied at a rate of 40 pounds per acre; Trysben 200, Benzac 1281 and Benzabor at a rate of 20 pounds per acre; and sodium chlorate at 960 pounds per acre.

Large infestations of bindweed on non-cropped areas can be controlled in five years or less by applying one-half to one pound of acid formulations of 2, 4-D per acre to vigorously growing bindweed with runner 6 to 10 inches

Mr. Elmer Berryhill, Teacher of Vocational Agriculture in the Quitaque High School, will attend the State Conference of Vocational Agriculture Teachers to be held in Austin, August 8-11, 1961. The annual conference is planned to assist teachers in keeping abreast of the many changes in the complex field of agriculture in the state. Workshops, panels and other presentations will concern themselves with subjects vitally important to the further training of vocational agriculture teachers.

In addition to educational features of the four-day conference, teachers will participate in several meetings of the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association. Activities of the group will include an entertainment program on August 8, an Awards Breakfast on August 9, which will be followed by the annual membership meeting. The membership will hear an address by Floyd Johnson, President, National Agricultural Teachers Association. Johnson is a Vocational Agriculture Teacher at York, South Carolina. New officers will be elected and newly elected members of the Board of Directors will be installed.

Dr. Alexander Nunn of the Progressive Farmer Magazine, Birmingham, Alabama, will be principle speaker for the first general session on Tuesday, according to George Hurt of Texas Education Agency, who is charge of educational features of the four-day program. Many additional meetings will be held in smaller groups divided by districts, areas and subject matter preference.

Leon Tichinin, Russian born California Extension Fruit Specialist, will be the main speaker at the business session of the Association on Wednesday. Tichinin was an American representative with the American Exhibit in Moscow for several weeks. More than eleven hundred teachers and friends are expected at the meeting.

Mrs. A. F. Van Meter returned to Lockney Monday morning for medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Claudie Chandler, Bobby and Russell, and Mrs. Olene Chandler of Dallas spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chandler.

Usually two applications will be required annually. Germinating seedling must be controlled with 2, 4-D or the area will become reinfested.

More information on the control of Bindweed, Blueweed, and Johnsongrass is available in my office.

In a recent letter from Bill Gunter, Area Agronomist, he stressed that June planted cotton—particularly north of Lubbock—should be watered with extreme caution. At the most, he said, June planted cotton would need watering only once on the hard lands. The excessive water of June cotton will affect the plant the same as early watering of May planted cotton—will tend to encourage shallow root development and excessive vegetative growth.

On the other hand, on sandy land farms near Quitaque, root development is not particularly retarded by too early an irrigation, but excessive vegetative growth can still be a danger where heavy applications of nitrogen have been applied.

Flomot News

Mrs. L. B. Turner

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Young and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jean Pope and son, Randy of Turkey, visited in the James Monk home, Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cannon and son, Monte of Tullia, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Monk.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Moseley and Randy of Dallas visited with his brothers and their families, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Moseley and Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Moseley, recently. Wanda Moseley, daughter of the A. D. Moseleys brought a friend, Miss Yvonne Busby of Lubbock, home with her over the week-end.

Mrs. Otto Hammons and her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hammons, Darlene and Marlene of Brawley, California, visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Moseley, Saturday.

Mrs. Harmon Moseley and Barbara, Mrs. Jackie Starkey, Bessie, Jackie, Marvin and Michel of Floydada, and Mrs. M. R. True-lock of Quitaque, went to Borger, Wednesday and visited friends and relatives there and at Dumas. They returned home, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pace Cramer of Arlington were accompanied here, the first week in July by his father, of Fort Worth. The Cramers visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stapleton and their daughter, Carolyn Cramer, who is spending the summer with her grandparents.

The three sons of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Clark surprised their parents the first of July by bringing their families and honoring their father

with a birthday dinner, Sunday, July 2nd. The sons and their families are Dr. and Mrs. B. J. Clark and daughter, Debbie Sue of Odessa, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Burl Clark, Burl Jr., Treva Jo and Charlotte Ann; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Clark and children of Jal, New Mexico. The company scattered out their departure by starting the process on Sunday afternoon and some remaining until Wednesday.

Other recent guests in the Clark home have been Mrs. Ben Cogdill and granddaughter, Mrs. Jimmie Willard and baby of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Matthews and daughters, Mrs. L. D. Bilberry, Mrs. L. B. Turner, Mrs. C. H. Hamner and Mrs. Bert Grundy of Quitaque and Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Owens.

Mrs. Ben Cogdill and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Edna Lackey are vacationing in New Mexico. They wrote from Matel Palma, New Mexico, that they were spending the night at the Flying C Ranch and were going to Santa Fe then on to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Clark transacted business in Childress, Saturday.

ATTEND BAPTIST CAMP

A group of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Ike Gilbert and surprised her with a coffee Tuesday morning on her birthday. Those attending were Mesdames: L. B. Isbell, W. T. Ross, J. H. George, Joe Degan, Wilburn Martin and Marilee, Leon K. Cloyd and Dickey, Sam Ross, Raldo Martin, Mrtt Gilbert, Misses Shelia Degan, Kathy and Judy Gilbert.

Mrs. L. E. Shorter and Louis and Mrs. G. E. Whitaker were the sponsors for six junior girls that attended the Baptist Encampment for Junior Girls, Monday noon

through Wednesday noon. Girls attending were Judy and Joyce Shorter, Kathy Woods, Pam Morris, Kathy Martin, and Carolyn Cramer. Mr. L. E. Shorter helped convey the group to camp and get them settled in their cabin.

Mrs. Windell Morris and Mrs. L. B. Turner went up to the Camp, Tuesday and relieved the women that were there and stayed with the girls until camp was over. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fisher and Mrs. J. C. Franks came up Wednesday morning and stayed until the group was homeward bound. Rev. and Mrs. Ed Spivey came out to the Camp for a short time Wednesday after attending the revival services at the First Baptist Church at noon. The revival services at camp are truly inspirational to all.

Mrs. R. W. Patrick is visiting in the home of her grandson and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Patrick. "Aunt Pat" as she is lovingly called is now making her home with her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Patrick. She wishes her many friends to know that she is making her home at Quitaque and would appreciate a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond are away on vacation and are visiting with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gates and daughter in Colorado. They plan to visit other places before returning home. Mrs. James Monk is acting post-mistress while Mrs. Bond is away.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Crowell and sons, Joe Bob and Lynn are visiting relatives and friends at Iraan and Stephenville this week. Their daughter, Glynda is stay-

ing with her grandmother, Mrs. M. J. Pyron.

Mrs. J. B. Barrett and children of Bovina visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. George, this week. Mr. Barrett came Wednesday and made an overnight visit and all returned home Thursday.

Recent rains have made weeds thrive and hoe-hands have been in demand. Tuesday afternoon, several truck loads of Mexicans arrived.

HI-PLAINS HI-LIGHTS

Seventeen varieties of wheat were tested at the High Plains Research Foundation at Halfway during the 1960-61 season. The wheat was planted on October 15, 1960 and harvested June 24, 1961. Delbert Langford, Associate Agronomist, in making the report, said that the wheat project was an intrastate wheat variety test made in co-operation with Dr. I. M. Atkins, Agronomist in charge of Small Grain Research for the state of Texas at Texas A & M.

The pre-plant fertilizer application was 300 pounds of 10-20-10, applied on October 7th. A top-dressing of 30 pounds of nitrogen from ammonium nitrate was made in March. The wheat was not grazed.

The yields of the different varieties were: Improved Triumph, 85.9 bushels; Super Triumph, 85.5 bushels; Tascosa, 77.0 bushels; Early Blackhull, 76.8 bushels; Coucho, 76.6 bushels; a hybrid MQ-ORO x Wichita 70.6 bushels; Kaw, 68.7 bushels; Kharhof, 67.5 bushels; Triumph, 67.3 bushels; Crockett, 66.4 bushels; Comanche, 65.5 bushels; Red Chief, 63.1 bush-

els; Wichita, 62.1 bushels; Bison, 57.9 bushels; Rodco, 47.0 bushels. Aztec, 46.3 bushels; Tejas, 45.0 bushels.



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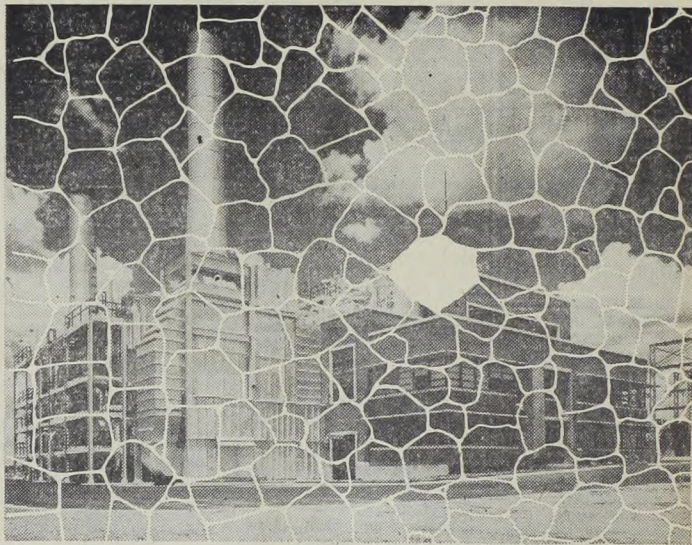


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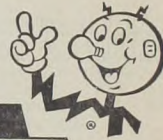
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COTTON GROWERS RELY HEAVILY ON SMITH - DOXEY CLASSING

Cotton growers rely more and more on the U. S. Department of Agriculture's cotton classing and market information programs, reports Charles E. Cox, in charge of the Agricultural Marketing Service's cotton office at Altus, Oklahoma.

Figures released yearly show an ever increasing number of bales classed under the Smith-Doxey Act.

Approximately 13.7 million bales were classed in 1960 for members of cotton improvement groups. This is 96 percent of the total production, a slight increase over the previous record set in 1959.

Deadline for applying for free classing of the 1961 crop is August 1. To be eligible, a grower must be a member of an organized cotton improvement group, with its primary purpose the improvement of cotton.

"So, if you haven't already done so, now is the time to get in touch with your cotton improvement association or county agent. Let him know you want your cotton classed by USDA this season," Mr. Cox suggests.

Application blanks are available from Mr. Cox's office at P. O. Box 249, Altus, Oklahoma, or from local county extension agents.

Cotton growers belonging to Smith-Doxey groups are entitled to receive free four market news reports provided by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, according to Charles E. Cox, in charge of the Agricultural Marketing Service's cotton office at Altus, Okla.

The Cotton Market Review, issued throughout the year, covers market conditions with respect to demand, price, inquiries, offer-

ings, domestic and export sales, crop developments, harvesting conditions and other pertinent information.

The Cottonseed Review, released weekly during the active ginning season, covers movement of cottonseed, changes in price and quality and harvesting conditions. Information is limited to areas where cottonseed is officially graded.

The Cotton Classing report, issued each Monday during the harvest season, shows the grade, index, staple length and number of samples classed in each classing office territory under the Smith-Doxey Act.

The Cotton Quality report, dealing with cotton quality, gives the percentage distribution by districts of the grades and staples of cotton ginned during the month, cumulative for the season and year ago comparisons.

Requests for any or all of these reports should be addressed to: John L. McCollum, Manager, Southwestern Area, Cotton Division, Room 404, 708 Jackson Street, Dallas 2, Texas.

AREA BOYS NAMED TO PLAY IN ALL-STAR FOOTBALL GAME

Preparations are being made to make the Fourth Annual Panhandle Grid Classic the best ever. Frank Hodnik, General Chairman of the power packed group to make up the Sodbuster squad. The Sodbusters are made up from the outstanding football players from Classes AA, A and B schools of this area.

The Panhandle Grid Classic is the annual all-star football game which is played between the stars of the larger high schools (City Slickers) and the stars from the

smaller high schools (Sodbusters). Price College Stadium in Amarillo is the site of the game to be held at 8 P. M. Saturday, August 19.

Mail orders for tickets are now being accepted. Write to Panhandle Grid Classic, P.O. Box 2193, Amarillo, Texas. Ticket prices are Reserved Seats \$2.00 and General Admission \$1.50.

The City Slicker squad and coaches for both teams will be announced next week.

1961 Sodbuster Squad
CENTERS — Jimmy Hudson, Groom; Wayne Cooper, Lockney;
GUARDS — Bernie Karr, Stinnett; Bill Callarman, Canyon; Eddie Parks, Floydada; Mike Barron, Muleshoe;

TACKLES — Leroy O'Briant, Dimmitt; Dan Carroll, Quanah; Ralph Bates, Tulia; Don Davis, Floydada;

ENDS — Fred Riney, Olton; Robert McAllister, White Deer; Leland Knight, White Deer; Ronald Jay, Panhandle;

QUARTERBACKS — Bob Frost, Happy; Charles Dillman, Price College;

HALFBACKS — Bill Mangold, Lockney; Kenneth Bingo, Sunray; Lewis LaGrone, Vega; Bill Logsdon, Gruver;

FULLBACKS — Guy Campbell, Matador; Paul Corona, Estelline.

SIX FLAGS NARROW GAUGE TO MAKE INITIAL RUN

One of the world's few remaining narrow gauge railroad trains, the Six Flags steam engine, newly completed, will make its first run around the giant entertainment park on Thursday July 20. The train is scheduled to depart from the railroad depot, located in the Republic of Texas section, at 2 p.m.

The powerful little engine coupled with passenger cars can carry over 300 persons at one time over a one and one-half mile track that completely circles the new \$10,000,000 facility.

A featured attraction at SIX FLAGS Over Texas, the run aboard the narrow gauge railroad train will recapture for visitors the adventuresome ride that 19 century pioneers aboard iron horses experienced.

Outlaws and Indians roam the areas where the SIX FLAGS iron horse chugs along and it will be a lucky run indeed if the train ever succeeds in making a complete journey around the park without undergoing a desperate attack or two by Sam Bass and his gang or a band of hostile Indians.

The train was originally purchased in 1896 by a Louisiana gentleman named Hippolite Patout to haul sugar cane at his 8,000 acre Enterprise plantation in Patouville, which is near New Iberia.

Some of Mr. Patout's descendants live in Dallas and have watched with great interest the complete rebuilding of the narrow gauge steam engine. One of the descendants, Mrs. Clyde L. Faison, the former Besie Patout, can recall that in addition to the train hauling sugar cane at the plantation, it also was used by the Patout family for many hours of frivolous entertainment.

"It is perhaps fitting," said Mrs. Faison, "that the former Patouville steam engine which had once provided only our family with the joy of owning a real locomotive, can now offer thousands of visitors to SIX FLAGS the same fun and thrills we have experienced."

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TOP O' TEXAS RODEO PLANS NEARING COMPLETION

Preparations are well underway for the Seventeenth Annual Top o' Texas Rodeo, scheduled for August 7-12 in Pampa.

Two Go-Rounds and a Finals will be held in all regular rodeo events and the Cowgirl Sponsor Contest, with the first performance on August 8th. The top eight men in each rodeo event will qualify for the Finals on Saturday night, August 12, while the top ten Cowgirls will be competing in the Finals in the Sponsor Contest. All entry fees, added to a purse, will be paid in all events, plus special awards going to the champion cowgirl and the all-around cowboy.

Morris Stephens, well known rodeo producer of Quitaque, Texas, will furnish the stock for the big show, with Nat Fleming, prominent rodeo announcer, calling the events.

Chester "BOBO" Barnett, world famous clown, with his varied acts will be featured nightly during the rodeo.

The Miller Bros. Dance Band will return for the third year to furnish music for dancing in the National Guard Armory building, Wednesday through Saturday nights, and the Pampa Harvester Band, under the direction of Bill Tregoe, will be on hand nightly to cue the show.

The Kid Pony Show on Monday afternoon and night, August 7 will feature many events for the young fry. Boys and girls between the ages of five and fifteen are eligible for participation.

The 4H and FFA Beef Calf Scramble Contest will again be featured nightly, with boys from Wheeler Co. participating Tuesday night, Hemphill Co. Wednesday night, Robert Co. Thursday night, Carson Co. Friday night, and Gray Co. Saturday night.

An official American Quarter Horse show will be held on Thursday and Friday August 10-11, beginning daily at 1:00 P. M. with sixteen Halter Classes being judged, along with five Performance Classes with appropriate awards in all classes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn, Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Vaughan and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Vaughan all of Silverton visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Owens and Eddie Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Vaughan are newly weds, having been married at Burkburnett, Sunday, July 9, in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Travis McMinn.

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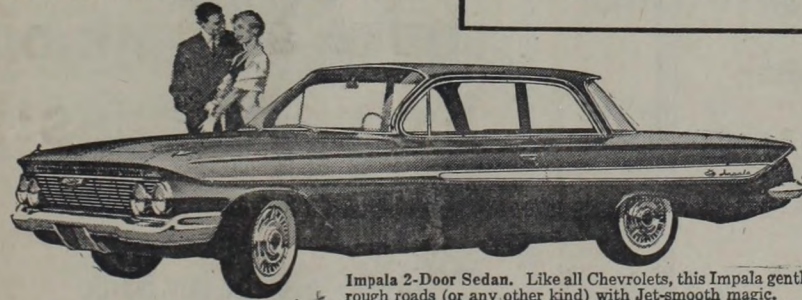
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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Long of Matador spent Thursday and Thursday night with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Baird.

David Seaney of Masterson is spending this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gowin left Saturday for San Diego, Calif., to visit her brother, Howard Montgomery and family. Mr. and Mrs. James Gowin and family are here from Kansas taking care of the farm for his parents while they are away.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McKay of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Dud Watters and daughter of Silverton spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Boyles.

Mrs. Jack Bradley and son, Tillman, of Dalhart spent Saturday night with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bradley.

Rev. W. A. Tarpley received a message Monday evening about 10:00 P. M. that his mother was seriously ill. The Tarpley's left immediately for Weatherford, Tex., to be at her bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Oats and Mrs. Minnie Gates of Gardena, California, spent Monday and Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cagle and Rhonda.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Howard of Hale Center spent the week-end with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cagle and Rhonda.

Mrs. H. E. Curtis is spending this week in Silverton with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McWilliams.

Mrs. Novelle Wise and daughter, Yvonne were visitors Sunday afternoon with the Murray Wises in Lubbock. They were accompanied by W. P. Hawkins who went to have a visit with little Tommy Wise, his newest great-grandchild. C. T. Rucker also visited his sister, Mrs. Frances McElhannon.

Mrs. Gus Gibson, Jr. and children of Sunray visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chandler Saturday.

Mrs. Jim Stell of Friona visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chandler, Monday. Gary

returned home with her to spend this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Chandler spent the week-end in Tahoka with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Chandler and family.

Visitors in the J. W. Ewing home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gregg of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Gregg of Silverton, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gregg of Plainview. Mr. and Mrs. Foy Peacock and Linda called in the afternoon.

Cecia Ann Morris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Corky Morris of Hereford, spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Morris. The Morris' took

Celia Ann to Silverton Sunday morning where she will spend a few days at the home of her other grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Peacock and daughter Linda, her girlfriend, all of Plainview, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Morris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gregg of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Morris Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Chadwick and girls spent Sunday in Turkey with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith.

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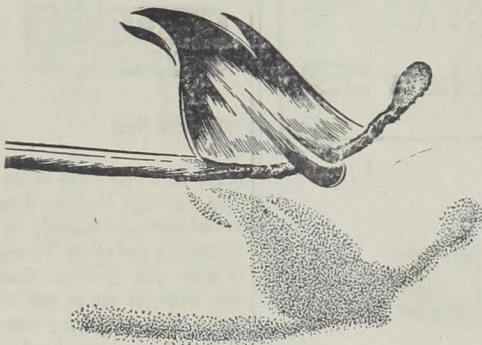
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CHURCHES

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Pastor-Rev. W. A. Tarpley
 Sunday School 9:45
 Worship Service 11:00
 Evening Service 7:45
 Prayer Meeting
 Tuesday 8:00
 W. M. C. Wednesday 3:00
 Youth Meeting, Friday 7:45

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor-Rev. Bob Beck
 Sunday School 9:45
 Morning Worship 11:00
 Training Union 7:00
 Evening Worship 8:00
 Prayer Meeting
 Wednesday 8:00

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Morning Service 10:30
 Evening Service 6:00
 Bible Study
 Wednesday 7:30

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor-Rev. James C. Holman
 Sunday School 10:00
 Worship Service 11:00
 M.Y.F. 6:00
 Evening Worship 7:00
 Bible Study, Choir Practice
 Wednesday 7:30

Subjects For Sunday

Continuation of series from 23rd Psalm.

Sunday morning—"He restoreth my soul".

Sunday evening—"He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness".

OLD METHODIST PARSONAGE FOR SALE TO BE MOVED

The old Methodist Parsonage building is now being advertised for sale to the highest bidder. M. L. Roberson, at Roberson Dry Goods is receiving all bids, the bids to be opened on August 28th. A 10 percent deposit is required with the bid. The Church reserves the right to refuse all bids. The house must be moved from the lot beside the church and that lot will become

additional lawn for the present. The Holmans are happily situated in the lovely new parsonage and report that, "it is wonderful to live there".

BAPTISTS WORSHIP WITH METHODISTS SUNDAY NIGHT

Since pastor, Bob Beck, of First Baptist Church, was away last Sunday night, the Baptists attended service at The Methodist Church. The Methodist Youth Choir sang, and following the service the Baptist Youth were invited to remain with the Methodist Youth for refreshments, which were furnished and served by Mrs. E. J. Hamilton.

METHODIST OFFICIAL BOARD TO MEET MONDAY NIGHT

On Monday night, July 24th., at 8 o'clock, the Official Board of First Methodist Church will hold its monthly meeting. George Ray Colvin, Chairman, will preside.

JUNIOR GIRLS GO TO CAMP AT FLOYDADA LAST WEEK

Seven Junior girls went to the South Plains Baptist Assembly near Floydada last week and stayed from Wednesday until Friday. The girls attending camp were Yvonne Powell, Carol Myers, Connie Brummett, Anita Edwards, Sheila Payne, Sammie and Janis Johnson, and Debbie Bailey.

Sponsors were Mary Ellen McCracken, Ruby Cushmanberry, Shirley Voyles and Jean Bailey.

Mrs. Warren Carpenter, W.M.U. President, wants to express her appreciation to everyone who helped with the transportation to and from camp and also to the sponsors for giving their time to such a worthy cause.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gregg of Plainview visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Stanley of Matador are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Marilyn Kay, to John Franklyn Thrasher. The wedding has been set for 2 P. M. Saturday, July 22, at First Methodist Church.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thrasher, 328 Ash, Plainview, formerly of Matador.

Both Miss Stanley and her fiancé are graduates of Matador High School, and have been attending West Texas State College, Canyon, where they received degrees in spring commencement.

An open invitation is extended to all area friends of the couple and their families, to attend the wedding.

Joe Seay, who has spent the past several weeks at Camp Philmont in New Mexico was due to return home the past week-end but called Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Persons to tell them that he had a job as Quarter Master for one of the Scout Camps at Beaubion, N. M. and would be there until around the latter part of August.

Bobby Payne of Odessa is here visiting relatives and friends. Bobby works for the Delta Drilling Co. at Odessa.

Mrs. Harvey Lively was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mort Hawkins and other relatives and friends. Mrs. Lively is the former Laverne Mayhall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Rhoderick of Silverton returned this week from a trip to New Mexico. They stopped at Fort Sumner for a visit with Mrs. Charlie Craig and her son, "Sprout" and his family. They have two boys, Jessie 15, and Don, 11. The Rhodericks also visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ratliff, who also lived at Quitaque many years ago.

PRE-NUPTIAL SHOWER HONORS MISS YVONNE WISE

A pre-nuptial shower honoring Miss Yvonne Wise was given Friday, July 14 at the home of Mrs. R. L. Brunson.

Miss Wise, daughter of Mrs. Novelle Wise is bride-elect of Morris Parker of Monroe, Louisiana.

The Brunson home was decorated with roses, multi-colored gladiolus, and petunias.

The centerpiece on the lovely refreshment table was of yellow gladiolus in a white umbrella. The cloth was snowwhite cut work over yellow, using the chosen colors of the bride-to-be. Appointments were crystal and silver. Orange punch and white cake squares with yellow rosebuds were served.

Miss Wise received a lovely array of useful gifts including sheets, pillow cases, towels, wash cloths, bathroom sets, blankets, bedspreads, aprons, potholders, pottery, Corning Ware, kitchen utensils, iron and ironing board. Mrs. Wise's gift was a complete set of Club Aluminum.

Serving as hostesses with Mrs. Brunson were Mmes; Bill Woods, Ralph Carter, Bert Grundy, Preston Woods, Hubert Dudley, R. J. Harmon, C. A. Hawkins, Jake Merrell, Orville Cobb, J. H. McDonald, Warren Carpenter, O. R. Stark and Mary Pittman.

Rev. and Mrs. Milton Kresse of Maple, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Long of Vega, and Mr. and Mrs. Ghent Muncy and children of Tascosa visited last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McElyea.

Mrs. Orb Payne and Jackie Carpenter and Mrs. Wayne Martin were in Lockney, Monday for medical attention.

Olin Patrick of Fort Worth visited his parents over the week-end. He was enroute to Colorado for a vacation.

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WALTER ROGERS' NEWSLETTER

To The People Of The 18th District:

WILL BERLIN BRING WAR?

If the Berlin crisis causes a third World War in this century, it will be a sad commentary on man's ability to handle his own problems. It will be definite and conclusive proof that wars have always created problems, not settled them. Some historians would probably write that the third World War in the 20th Century was caused by a fight between the major victors of World War II over the spoils of that war. Such a statement would not be completely true unless Berlin could be called a spoil of a conflict. There is no question but that it was thoroughly spoiled from a physical standpoint at the end of the war. There are scars still standing like grim specters throughout the city, but the physical spoil has been cured. West Berlin has been rebuilt into a modern city, primarily by the generosity and help of this country. The Eastern sector has also been rebuilt, but it is very crude in comparison with the modern look of the Western side. This physical difference actually reflects the difference between Communism and the free enterprise system. The difference is also reflected in the faces of the population, sadness in the Eastern sector, joy in the Western sector.

Whatever may be argued it cannot be denied that Berlin was the center of the activities and conduct that brought about World War I. It was the center of activities and conduct that brought about World War II. In both instances the city and the country were in full control of the German people and a German government. Al-

though it may be said that the same exists today insofar as West Berlin is concerned, it must be admitted that the influence of other countries on West Germany and West Berlin is much more pronounced under the present circumstances than it was before. The German people in the Eastern sector are dominated by the Soviet Union. Hence, if Berlin becomes the point where the spark that fires World War III comes into existence, it cannot be blamed on the Germans. It will be the fault of the outside powers.

The propaganda machine of the Reds is at work again to try to split the West on this issue. The recent remarks of Walter Ulbricht, the Communist leader in East Germany, that Western Germany was rebuilding itself for the purpose of renewing its traditional military activities, are a good example. This is undoubtedly being done for the purpose of creating suspicions among the Western powers. If there is any reason to suspect the activities of Western Germany, the several governments which comprise the NATO organizations could control the situation without too much difficulty, and should. On the other hand, the Red propaganda machine is slyly suggesting that there is a rift between Red China and the USSR. The Free World should recognize this for what it is—a move to lull us to a false sense of security. It must be realized that if a controversy existed between these two powers it could hardly rebound to the benefit of the Free World. We are not dealing with a bunch of naive people. We are dealing with a shrewd, ruthless and tough opponent. The worst mistake we could make would be to again underestimate this bunch. The people in this country were led to

believe that a great revolution was about to take place inside Russia and that much internal unrest was on the move. There is very little evidence of that being the case. There is less evidence that if such a revolution were to start it would have the most remote chance of the least possible success. The complete failure of the countryside to rise up in support of such a move occurred in the recent Cuban invasion. Had the countryside arisen to the challenge, the invasion probably would not have failed. We in this country must face the cold, hard facts of reality and understand that whistling in the dark is not going to scare off the attempts of the Communists to try to take all they can get. We must let them understand without question of doubt that we intend to fully support our commitments, and the protection of our rights, whether it be Berlin or any place else. To negotiate fairly and honestly—"Yes," to sacrifice principle—"No."

This will do more to avoid war than anything else.

VERY FEW TAX REFUNDS STILL TO BE MADE

In response to inquiries, District Revenue Officer today there are only a few income tax refunds to be made in Dallas District. Mr. Campbell, district majority of 1960 payments have already been made. He explained that show large amounts contain indications of errors audited before the refunds were made.

This avoids the cost and incon-

venience both to the taxpayer and the Service resulting from refunding tax and then facing the possibility of collecting all or part of it back from the taxpayer.

He said the priority schedules are being met in this district for completing these audits and mailing tax refunds.

He said that taxpayers who have been concerned about not having received their refunds can feel a little better since IRS pays 6 percent interest on refunds scheduled after June 1.

TAX-MAN SAM SEZ:

The Texas A and M Extension Service has been working with Internal Revenue to hold fifteen to twenty schools every year. If plans work out County Agents will attend a short school conducted by the tax folks on how to teach a simple Income Tax Training Course for farmers. The county agents will in turn hold tax schools in their local communities. Over the state county agents will probably hold several hundred farm tax schools this year.

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Mr. H. E. Curtis celebrated her 79th birthday Sunday with a dinner with her children, grandchildren, and other relatives and friends.

Here to help her make the day a very pleasant one were the following; Mr. and Mrs. Glen McWilliams, Jimmy and Mary Beth of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Howard of Hale Center; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Orcutt and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Couch of Estelline; Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Curtis and Don of Olton; Lavada McCracken, Beth and Ronnie and Esker Curtis Tullia; Mr. and Mrs. Adelle McBrayer and David and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Davis, Lynn and Joe of Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. Charley Cook, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Shackelford, Don, Vada and Pixie Hoff, Anita Freeman and Gina of Amarillo; Mrs. Bud McBrayer, Darvin, Deenise, Douglas and Darlene King of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cagle and Rhonda, and Mrs. Estelle Davidson and Freddie of Quitaque.

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THE QUITAQUE
HIGHWAY PATROL
The Highway Patrol
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in Briscoe County
month of June. A
D. R. Dowdy,
Supervisor of the
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HIGHWAY PATROL REPORT

The Highway Patrol investigated one accident on Rural Highways in Briscoe County during the month of June, according to Sgt. D. R. Dowdy, Highway Patrol Supervisor of this area.

This wreck accounted for a property damage of \$500.00.

The Rural Traffic Accident Summary for Briscoe County during January through June of 1961 shows a total of 7 crashes. As a result of these crashes there were one person injured and no persons killed. The estimated property damage amounted to \$2,170.00. This compares with the first six months of 1960's total of nine Rural crashes injuring seven people, killing no persons and causing an estimated property damage of \$6,130.00.

The Sgt. advised that the summer Slow Down and Live campaign emphasizes the need for motorists to control their driving speed. Speed control is vital to safety, because of the overcrowded conditions of the highways caused by thousands and thousands of vacation travelers, most of whom are in a big hurry, since vacation time is usually all too short. That hurry attitude frequently steers them into speeding violations—or, worse than that, a serious accident—even death itself!

Any automobile accident can be

serious, but those which involve slower vehicles are less dangerous than those traveling at high speeds which can so easily get out of control. The faster a car goes, the greater the impact in the event of a collision. Escape from injury-or-death is practically impossible when a vehicle operating at excessively high speed meets up with another car or some stationary object, such as a bridge abutment. Even those cars within posted legal speed limits often travel too fast to escape serious results in case of an accident.

Throughout prior years accident statistics always show that more accidents occur in the last six months of the year than in the first six months. With this thought in mind the Sgt. cautioned all motorists to exercise due care while traveling on the streets and highways. "Drive unto others as you would have them drive unto you," he said. "If everyone would remember that speed kills and that courtesy prevents accidents, we could reserve the trend shown in prior years for the last six months of the year," the patrol supervisor concluded.

Don't ring a fire, or build a fireplace, with limestone, or other porous rock. Porous stones are liable to explode when over-heated.

GOVERNOR PRICE DANIEL GIVES VIEWS ON TAX SITUATION

By Governor Price Daniel
As stated in the first of this series, the main fight for a general sales tax is being waged by the lobbyists for special interests and such pressure groups as the Texas Manufacturers Association, which find in this tax a means of avoiding further taxation on natural gas pipeline companies, interstate corporations and alcoholic beverages.

I concede that many good citizens and legislators favor the general sales tax for entirely different reasons, but every informed person knows that the captains of the cause and financiers of fight are the special interest which advocate broad-based taxation only so long as it is not broad enough to cover them.

For instance, the Senate version of H. B. 334 contained permanent taxes on the people and their purchases, but the only exclusive taxes on commercial interests were to be temporary—for two years only.

There has been much dispute as to the initial and ultimate impact of a general sales tax as between individuals and commercial enterprises. No one has challenged my estimate of the ultimate impact as being 90 percent on individuals and only 10 percent on business. The opponents speak only of the initial impact, which of course is about 65 percent on individuals and 35 percent on business, but all the experts agree that business taxes are ultimately paid by consumers. That is why the ultimate impact would be greater on individuals.

Action at the regular session of the Legislature convinces me that the special interest lobbyists will have the power and the pressure to pass their general sales tax unless the people of this State wake up and demand a fairer and more equitable solution at the special session which begins July 10.

By way of compromise, an equitable solution could have been arranged in the final week of the regular session if only the special interests would have agreed on a permanent change in the corporate franchise tax and to a limited sales tax which would not have included the basic necessities of life. Of the latter, low-cost clothing was the only item which the lobbyists insisted upon taxing. They

agreed to omit food, prescription medicine, and farm supplies.

Had H. B. 334 been changed to a limited or special excise or sales tax with beer, whisky, and others alcoholic beverages included, clothing items under \$10 could have been omitted without any loss of total revenue. Instead, clothing was taxed and alcoholic beverages were exempted from the Senate version of 334 on the grounds that they already bear a brewery or wholesale per barrel or per gallon tax. The answer is that so do other products, such as automobiles, utilities, and cement, bear taxes prior to the retail sales. Twenty-two other States, including our adjoining States, collect their retail sales on alcoholic beverages even though they also collect per barrel or per gallon taxes at the brewery or wholesale level.

Senator Aikin, Representative Hinson and Representative Atwell all had compromise proposals which could have served as the basis for a limited or special excise or sales tax to serve as a growth tax but still avoid the basic necessities.

Any compromise should also include these items:

1. A natural gas pipeline tax written as suggested two years ago but which was not enacted. It did not contain the unconstitutional provision recently knocked down by the Texas Supreme Court.

The gas pipelines have a great fortune buried away in their low-price dedicated reserves, and they will either absorb with ease or pass along whatever tax is placed on them.

Natural gas is an irreplaceable resource of this State. When it is gone, it can be taxed no more. And yet, in this State we raise more tax money each year from cigarettes than we do from gas. More tobacco can be grown and more cigarettes can be made, but when the pipelines take away our natural gas, it is gone forever. The time has come for natural gas to bear a fair share of the tax load—at a rate at least half of that charged by our neighbor and competitor Louisiana.

2. Adoption of a two-factor formula for determining the corporation franchise tax. This would affect only the 11,660 corporations engaged in interstate business and sales, and would not cost the 33,000 wholly domestic corporations any more than they now pay.

This would eliminate a discrim-

ination in the tax formulas which exists only in Texas and Washington in favor of interstate corporations and against the wholly domestic companies. The formula would simply fix the interstate corporation franchise tax base more nearly on actual capital and business operations of interstate companies within Texas. It would increase the yield from this tax about \$8 million a year.

RIGHT NOW IS TIME TO GUARD AGAINST TAKING POLIO!

When controversy leads to public enlightenment, we're all for it. But there are times when controversy results in public confusion, with disastrous results. This is particularly true when experts clash on technical points that cannot be grasped by those of us without scientific background.

We fervently hope the recent controversy over the relative merits of polio vaccines will not discourage parents from seeing that their families are given a full series of Salk shots immediately. This is the critical time of year when the unprotected are most exposed to the polio attack. The Salk vaccine is available now. It is more than 90 per cent effective in preventing paralytic polio. Those who have not been vaccinated are gambling against the possibility of being crippled for life through their own negligence.

Whether or not the Sabin live-virus vaccine is a better vaccine than Dr. Salk's is a matter for scientists and physicians to decide—later. The National Foundation, which financed all the research leading to both vaccines with funds contributed to the March of Dimes, gives the only sound advice which parents can follow. It points out that, since no live-virus vaccine has yet been licensed for distribution, since you cannot get live-virus vaccine from your physician, and since the present polio "season" will be over before mass production, licensing and distribution of the live-virus vaccine are completed, there is only one course of action for conscientious parents to pursue. Get your family started on a full series of Salk shots TODAY.

Millions of pre-school children and young adults are still without protection. These are the age groups most open to attack.

Don't let technical controversy confuse you. Vaccinate NOW.

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Other Assets	2,448.07

TOTAL ASSETS \$ 2,170,235.98

LIABILITIES

Due Federal Intermediate Credit Bank	\$1,707,278.76
Drafts Outstanding	11,000.00
Other Liabilities	1,597.95

TOTAL LIABILITIES \$ 1,719,876.71

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Capital Stock	247,460.00
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FOR SALE: Former Methodist Parsonage in Quitaque, to be moved from premises: To highest bidder (reserving right to refuse all bids). Bids will be opened Aug. 28th; 10 percent deposit required with bid. M. L. Roberson at "Roberson Dry Goods" will receive bids. House located just west of church. Can be seen any time.

FOUND: Pair of gloves. Owner may claim them by describing the gloves and paying for this ad. Mrs. W. J. Carter.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Broxson and children of White Deer visited for a short while Sunday morning at the home of his sister, the Ralph Carters. They were on their way to Dallas, where their son, Jeff, will receive his regular check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter and Mrs. W. J. Carter visited in Hale Center Sunday afternoon, the Ralph Carters at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hedrick and Mrs. W. J. Carter at the home of another granddaughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Rucker were in Plainview Monday morning, where Mrs. Rucker received her regular check-up by her doctor. She reports that she is progressing very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Tad Persons of Richardson, Texas spent the weekend at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Persons. They are vacationing this week in New Mexico and will return this weekend and visit again with his parents. Other guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Persons were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hewett and two

children of Plainview, who visited Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. George Kaether and three daughters left Monday for their home at Alvarado.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Young and son, Greg of Hobbs, N. M. were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mort Hawkins.

Mrs. Anita Savitsky and two sons of Dallas visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Whittington over the week-end.

MERRELL FAMILY HAS ANNUAL REUNION LAST SUNDAY

The annual Merrell reunion was held Sunday at the Warren-Merrell farm south of Quitaque.

A large group of relatives and friends gathered under the shade trees to enjoy visiting and the dinner.

Dinner, which consisted of barbecue, salads, vegetables and many desserts, was spread at noontime.

All of the five brothers and sisters were present this year. Those present for the occasion were:

Mrs. O. W. Stroup, Gladys Stroup of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stroup; Mrs. Lizzie Eddleman, Bertha Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eddleman and Elizabeth of Estelline; Mr. and Mrs. Doc Merrell, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Peacock and Linda, Mrs. Mary Kimbell and Marilyn and Mrs. George Wykolf and girls of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Merrell, Mrs. Pearl Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Joe Martin and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Martin of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Irby of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Boots Gunn of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Johnson, Don and Jerry of Estelline; Mr. and Mrs. Jake Merrell, Warren Lee, Jo Beth and Jerry; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Merrell, Mark and Lena of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Merrell, Bruce and Billy of Turkey; Mr. and Mrs. Truman Merrell, Cheryl and Jayne; Mrs. Vivian Merrell, Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Jay Franklin, Flomot; Mr. and Mrs. Ikie Gilbert, Jerry, Judy and Kathy, and Miss Shelia Degan of Flomot; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hawkins; Henry Merrell; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson, Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pigg, John

David, Sue and Regina of Kress; Maynard Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Taylor, J. Ronald and Katie and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor, Greg and Risa of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Callahan, Canyon; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Merrell, Floydada; Mrs. Jack Douglas, Donna and Don Wayne, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sauls; Mr. and Mrs. Connie Bearden, Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Gale McPherson, Steve and Darlee, Lockney; Mrs. W. D. Graves, Deming, N. M.; Mrs. F. B. Hunt, Cement, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Othel Peacock, Plainview; and others who did not sign the register.

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