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Elmer Berryhill Receives Award



Elmer Berryhill, Jr. received the Honorary State Farmer degree at the In-Service training workshop held recently in San Antonio, Texas. This award was presented by the Texas Association of the Future Farmers of America. This award is presented for work done in the fields of Vocational Agri-

culture and the Future Farmers of America. This award was presented by James Morris, State President 1961-62 and George Hurt State Advisor for F. F. A. The Quitaque Chapter received the Gold Emblem rating for the past two years.

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Elmer Berryhill Vocational Agriculture Teacher in the Quitaque High School, attended the State-wide In-Service Education Workshop for Teachers of Vocational Agriculture August 7-10, 1962, according to George Hurt, State Director of Vocational Agriculture. The four-day meeting was held in San Antonio as a part of the program in Vocational Agriculture to further improve the professional competency of the state's teachers.

Included in the workshop was an address by Dr. Charles E. Irvin a national figure in education. Dr. Irvin's address was on the subject "To Teach Is To Sell". Dr. A. W. Tenney, Director, Agriculture Education Branch, U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare addressed the group on the important area of "Agricultural Education in the Years Ahead".

The State Vocational Agriculture Education Staff and top Technical Agriculture Specialist conducted workshops in such important areas as "Animal Health Program in Texas", "Regulations Concerning Safe Use of Chemicals", "Operation Blackland Income Growth", "Diffusion Process of Communications", and other areas of training.

According to J. D. Nixon, President of the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association of Texas, the organization conducted several meetings at times not in conflict with the workshop program. Dr. M. D. Mobley, Executive Secretary of the American Vocational Association of Washington, D. C. addressed the membership meeting. Officers and Board members will be selected and a program of work for 1962-63 will be adopted by the organization.

Mrs. Elmer Berryhill Jr. attended the State In-Service training conference recently held in the Commodore Perry Hotel in Austin, Texas. The date of this conference was July 30-August 3, 1962.

The weekend between the two conferences was devoted to scenic and historical tours. We visited the Wonder Cave at San Marcos, Garneo Museum in Uvalde, Alamo Village and Ft. Clark in Bracketville, Texas and crossed over into Old Mexico at Del Rio. We also toured the Archive Building, and Capitol in Austin, Texas. Breckenridge Zoo, Sunken Gardens, and the Alamo at San Antonio, Texas proved to be very scenic.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. M. T. Witcher was honored on her 84th birthday Monday, August 13, with a party. The affair was held in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Buddy Morris, from 3 to 5 P. M. Mrs. I. L. Edgar baked the birthday cake, and Mrs. Ray Persons arranged a centerpiece of pink and white dahlias, with a background of "snow on the mountain" as greenery. The cake and punch were served to the following guests: Mmes. Edna Hawkins, C. P. Richmond, A. C. Barrett, Sid Bogan, Gladys Wise, John A. Johnson, Sallie Seay, J. T. Bradley, J. A. Taylor, J. W. Harvey, Alton Johnson, George Owens, Ray Persons, Miss Frankie Hawkins, and the hostesses, Mrs. Buddy Morris, Mrs. I. L. Edgar and Mrs. James May.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Hartgraves of Sweetwater spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. O. R. Stark, Jr. and family. Scotty and Sherry Stark returned home with their grandparents to spend this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry Morrison and children and Judy Colvin returned home Friday night after spending a few days in Colorado. They visited Colorado Springs, Denver and Estes Park. They attended the Pikes Peak Rodeo two days. Neva Dale shook hands with Rex Allen, the movie star, and got his autograph. They report a delightful trip.



Mr. and Mrs. Morris Parker of Monroe, La. have a fine baby girl, Gwendolyn Novelle, born Saturday, August 11, at 5:30 P. M. in the hospital there. The young lady weighed 7 lbs. 5 ozs. The mother is the former Yvonne Wise. Both mother and baby are doing fine and grandmother Novelle also.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Don King of Abilene have a new daughter, Kelly, born Sunday, August 12, in an Abilene hospital. The young lady weighed 7 lbs. 10 ozs. The great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Morris. The Ray Don King's address is 1642 Hickory, Abilene, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Hill of Amarillo have a new daughter, born Wednesday morning, August 15, in the Northwest Texas Hospital at 8:00 A. M. She weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz. and has not been named yet. She has two sisters, Jana and Dee Ann. The mother is the former Sue Barrett, and the grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett.

Bobby Payne of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Mort Hawkins one day last week.

BROTHER OF I. F. EDGAR BURIED LAST WEEK

Funeral services were held Thursday of last week at 2 P. M. in Salem Methodist Church at Graham, Texas, for Nathan Lee Edgar, 73, a retired gin manager who died in a Graham hospital Tuesday. He was the brother of I. L. Edgar of Quitaque.

Born October 2, 1888, in Fairdale, Texas, he and the former Miss Frankie Ham were married October 14, 1930, in Henrietta. They went to Graham on July 6, 1956, from Harrold, Texas.

Survivors include his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Margery Duewall, of Lamar, Colo., and Mrs. J. D. Stine of Nocona; one son, Bob L. Edgar of Amarillo; four brothers, E. Edgar of Waco, W. R. Edgar of Baytown, I. L. Edgar of Quitaque, and O. T. Edgar of Lubbock; three sisters, Mrs. R. O. Isham of Fort Worth, Mrs. Tarria Giles of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. W. J. Tuck of Fort Worth, and six grandchildren.

Officiating at the final rites was the Rev. W. L. Milner, pastor of Salem Methodist Church. Burial was in the Ringgold, Texas Cemetery under the direction of Morrison Funeral Home of Graham.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Elmer Lanham came home from Plainview Hospital and Clinic last Thursday after having surgery for a broken bone in his leg and another one in his heel. He went back Tuesday for a check-up with his doctor.

Mrs. Jack Stroup and her mother, Mrs. Thomas of Pampa brought Mrs. Dora Stroup to her home Saturday after spending a few days with her son in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Orin Stark left last Friday for Truth or Consequences, N. M. for a vacation.

FLOMOT SCHOOLS TO START MONDAY, AUGUST 27

The Flomot school will begin August 27th, with a full day of school; busses will run and lunch will be served in the lunch-room.

Mrs. L. B. Turner, the Tribune's Flomot correspondent reports that new Supt. of Flomot Schools A. J. Barron has moved to Flomot and all is in readiness for another school year. Supt. and Mrs. Barron come to Flomot from Carton, Texas.

The following information has been released by Mr. Barron concerning the coming school year: Transfer information as released by Austin is:

If a child transfers from a school district, he may attend the school to which he transfers or he may attend the school from which he is transferred.

Supt. Barron complemented the work of the Custodian, Marvin Dike by saying, "The school is in wonderful condition, the building has been repaired and fresh paint has been applied where needed, the building is clean and ready for school."

Mrs. G. D. Pope will again teach the first and second grades; Mrs. A. J. Barron will teach the third and fourth grades; Mrs. Drennen will teach the fifth and sixth; Mr. Drennen will teach history and will have seventh and eighth class rooms.

Wayne Mackey is High School Principal, will coach and teach shop.

Stanley Nolan will teach English and Spanish—one teacher is yet to be secured.

The Board of Education adopted the following schedule:

School Opens—August 27, 1962.

Thanksgiving Vacation—November 22 and 23.

Christmas Vacation—December 22, 1962—Jan 2, 1963.

1st Semester ends Jan. 2, 1963. School Closes May 17, 1963.

Fire Destroys Willie Gragson Home

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This was a home . . .



Pictured above is the Willie Gragson home as it burned Wednesday afternoon. Although they are barely visible in the picture, the flames were still leaping high when the above picture was snapped around two o'clock.

Tribune Photo

Fire completely destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gragson shortly after noon Wednesday. The house, located on the Paul Hamilton farm about six miles northeast of Quitaque, and all the Gragson's furnishings and clothing was a total loss.

The Gragsons had moved to the farm just a few short weeks ago. Willie was on the job in town and Laurene was at home when the tragic accident took place. She was in the yard working and the three children were inside when she saw smoke coming from inside the house. She ran inside and got the children out and had to drive to town to turn in the alarm. By the time the fire truck arrived the fire was out of control.

Grant, the oldest son of the Gragsons received two burns on one of his arms, but according to his father, not seriously. Although such a loss is a tremendous one for anyone to suffer, Willie and Laurene are most grateful that the fire was discovered in time to rescue the children from the burning house.

Friends and neighbors of the entire community started a fund immediately to help the victims of this tragedy. With the exception of a loss by death, such a loss as this is one of the toughest to bear. Few people, of course, are financially able to afford such a loss as a burnout, but things are lost in a fire that can never be replaced, such as pictures and keepsakes that might not be worth much to anyone, but are priceless to the ones concerned.

Pete Rice has asked that the Tribune announce that anyone who wishes to help the Gragson family in any way may leave their gift at Rice Dry Goods.

Mrs. T. E. Long of Matador, mother of Mrs. Jimmy Baird, is in the hospital in Matador. She has been there for a week.

BAPTIST VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL TO BE HELD NEXT WEEK

Vacation Bible School time is here again at First Baptist Church. The school will begin Monday morning, August 20 and will run through Friday, August 24 during the hours of 8:30 to 11:30 each morning.

This is an unusual opportunity for a concentrated study of our Bible and great Christians through the ages.

All children of ages 3 through 12 are invited to attend Vacation Bible School.

An invitation to teen-agers is extended to attend "Teen Time" at First Baptist Church, Monday thru Friday of next week from 7:30 to 9:30 each evening.

Each evening will be spent in such activities as Bible study taught by the pastor, working with Crafts and Hobbies, and visiting our mission points throughout the world.

Some of the topics to be used are:

Monday — How the Bible Was Inspired.

Tuesday — The Old Testament and the New

Wednesday — An Ancient Book of Modern Problems.

Thursday — Explaining Inner Space.

Friday — New Testament Pattern of Witnessing, and

Drama Forums, Panel Discussions, Buzz Groups, Role Playing, Lectures and visual aids will all be employed in a profitable hour each evening.

An invitation is extended to all Young People and Intermediates to participate with us.

Mrs. John Reagan and Freda returned home Sunday evening after a month vacationing in California. Mr. Reagan met them in Amarillo. Mrs. Reagan and Freda visited Fisherman's Wharf and China Town in San Francisco.

They spent a week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eller Austin and family, a sister of Mrs. Reagan, in San Jose. They also went to the beach at Santa Cruz, visited the Broadwalk, went to Modesta Lake three times, and Freda learned to water ski. They report a very enjoyable trip.

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MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER TO BE GIVEN THE WILLIE GRAGSONS

A miscellaneous shower will be given for Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gragson in the Bank Community Room, Saturday afternoon beginning at 1 o'clock.

The Gragsons lost all of their belongings in a fire that destroyed their home northeast of town Wednesday afternoon.

Bring anything you feel like. They can use anything that it takes to keep house.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Cadenhead and children of Haskell were guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Roy Davidson and children last Monday. They were enroute to Canada to spend a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Whittington and children left Sunday for California to spend two weeks vacation. They will visit Wayne's father, R. D. Whittington, in Richmond, Calif. and other relatives.

Morrisons To Observe Golden Wedding Anniversary August 26



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ing. They have lived here in Quitaque for a number of years and for the past several years Mr. and Mrs. Morrison have operated the Morrison Hotel.

All of the Morrison children, five sons and one daughter, together with their families plan to be here to help their parents make the day one of the most remembered and happiest of their fifty years together. Their children are: Earl, Glynn, Travis and Garrett of Quitaque; Ray of Dallas and Mrs. James Washington of Springlake. They have 12 grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison extend a cordial invitation to all of their friends every where to come by for a visit on Sunday afternoon, August 26.

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Mrs. Roy Davidson, Sr. of Dallas is spending a vacation with her son, the Rev. Roy Davidson and his family. Mrs. Davidson arrived in Quitaque Saturday, August 11, and will remain until August 27th. She is a teacher in the Dallas Schools.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Benson for a week. The Bensons and Mrs. Lannom and children drove to Hereford Sunday to visit friends.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hawkins were her son, Potter Craig of Wagon Mound, N. M. and his sons, Tommy of Annapolis, Md. and Dan Craig of Sapelo, N. M.

Mrs. B. C. Lannom, Donald and Althea Lynn of Ft. Stockton arrived Friday to visit her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stewart of Krum and Mrs. Roy Stewart and daughter, Frances, of Denton spent the week-end with the C. T. Ruckers. Mr. Stewart is a brother of Mrs. Rucker.

Mrs. Dora Scott of Plainview and her granddaughter, Jan Tannahill of Albuquerque, N. M.; visited Mrs. Alton Johnson and family Sunday evening.

Mike and Tommy Baird visited in Lubbock over the week-end. Tommy spent Saturday night with Bobby Brooker in Levelland. Mike remained for a longer visit this week with his brother, James, and his family in Lubbock.

Mrs. J. R. Berryman of Matador spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Ober Johnson and family.

Jamie Johnson is spending this week with his cousin, Gerry Johnson, in Ft. Worth. They plan to attend Six Flags Over Texas while he is there.

David Seaney and a friend from McLean visited David's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett Sunday. They had attended the Rodeo at Silverton Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Browder of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cain Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Reagan and girls attended the Assembly of God Camp Meeting at Lubbock Sunday afternoon and night.

Mrs. Odis Reagan and Mrs. W. W. Cain took Earnest Reagan to Matador Wednesday morning for a check with his doctor. Earnest is recuperating from recent major surgery and the doctor reported that he is doing fine. While they were in Matador all of them visited W. P. Hawkins, whose condition is reported to be about the same. They also visited Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Tarpley, who now live in Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Setliff of Plainview attended church services here Sunday. Mr. Setliff spoke at both services, and they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lane and children of Plainview visited her mother, Mrs. W. E. Morrison after church services Sunday night. They had attended services at Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Tracy of Casa Grande, Ariz. are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tracy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Patrick visited their daughter, Mrs. D. C. Lewis and family in Amarillo Sunday. They returned their granddaughter, Vicky, to her home after having spent two weeks with her grandparents.

Mrs. Buster Chadwick, Stephanie and Laqueta, and Mrs. Vance Robinson, Valerie, Vanessa and Vona-

cell were in Amarillo Monday to see an optometrist. They visited Captain Kidd's program, but the Captain was on vacation. They took a tour through the building which was very interesting.

Flomot News

Mrs. L. B. Turner

The Flomot 4-H Club went to Matador July 20 and 21, and participated in the Motley County 4-H Dress Revue. There were five entrants in the Junior Division: Donna Sue Rogers, Sherrlyn Calvert, Kathy Gilbert, Barbara Moseley and Judy Mitchell. Four of these Flomot 4-H girls were in the Junior Division and one in the Senior Division.

Donna Sue Rogers entered a cotton dress of pink and white check and made into a dressy dress that won the highest points in the county in the Junior Division.

Sherrlyn Calvert won second place in the county with her pink flowered dressy dress.

Barbara Moseley entered a school dress of red cotton and Kathy Gilbert entered a cotton dress of white background with blue flowers and lace. Barbara and Kathy received red ribbons in their score of points.

Judy Mitchell received a white ribbon place with her dressy dress of solid blue cotton.

Each garment was judged on appearance, construction along with the record submitted with the entry and final score was tabulated after the garment was modeled by the girl and poise and grooming had their part in the scoring.

The winners will compete in the District 4-H Dress Revue in Wichita Falls August 17th.

The Adult Sponsors are quite proud of these 4-H Club girls and want to encourage each girl to keep up the good work.

This is the second year in succession that Flomot Juniors have had high score in the County and the sponsors as well as others are greatly pleased with the results. One adult sponsor said she sees no reason why Flomot 4-H Club should not have a state entrant and winner.

In 1961 Glynda Crowell was high score girl in the Junior Div. of the County. Due to illness, she was unable to enter this time.

The ones from Flomot that attended the encampment of Dickens and Motley Counties 4-H Clubs were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whitaker and son, Jan, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Reed, Mrs. L. W. Crowell and sons, Lynn and Joe Bob, Mrs. Howard Rogers and Donna Sue, Mrs. Ike Gilbert and Kathy and Mrs. Harmon Moseley and Barbara.

(Delayed)

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jones and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nall of Weatherford and Mrs. Jimmy Nall of Turkey returned home Friday, July 27th, from Bakersfield, Calif.

The Texas group left Sunday, July 22, on U.S. Highway 66 and

viewed places of interest along the way. They enjoyed the State and National Parks and Hoover Dam in Arizona. They met Richard Nall's sister, Mrs. Bob Ballenger of Fortuna and his mother, Mrs. Jimmy Nall at the home of a cousin, Mrs. Pat Ridge. Among the people they visited at Bakersfield were former Motley County residents, Mr. and Mrs. John Green, who was with the Memphis Production Credit Association at one time.

On their return home, Mrs. Jim Nall came with them and again they saw other places of interest on the central route. They visited cousins of Mrs. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McLaughlin at El Paso. The trip was enjoyed by everyone and the group was glad they beat the heat wave home.

FARM SALES UP BUT NET INCOME IS DOWN

Farmers, like other businessmen in recent years have their gross sales but have received less net income, reports C. H. Bates, extension farm management specialist.

The nation's farmers have increased gross sales since 1945 by 46 percent but their net income has declined more than 9 percent, Bates adds. Gross income in 1945 was \$25.7 billion and production expenses were \$12.9 billion. Net income equaled \$12.8 billion. By 1960, gross income was up to \$37.9 billion but expenses had jumped to \$26.3 billion, leaving a net of only \$11.6 billion.

Farmers have sought to improve their situation, says Bates, by shifting the inputs or "mix" of production resources. They have substituted machinery for labor. In 1940, U. S. farmers spent \$1.75 on machinery and buildings for each dollar spent on hired help. By 1960, they were spending \$2.77 on these items for each dollar spent for hired labor.

Another effort to boost efficiency is reflected in the amounts for fertilizer and lime. By 1960, U. S. farmers were spending 4.8 times more for these items than was spent in 1940. This means a great increase in quantity since prices for fertilizer and lime have increased only 50 percent.

Although comparable figures are not available on farmer expenditures for pesticides and herbicides, the trend has been sharply upward, says the specialist. These inputs have tended to keep

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down the cost of food to consumers, he adds.

The question is often raised, points out Bates, why do farm units continue to increase in size? A major factor behind the pressure for larger units is the use of machinery and the narrower margin received on products marketed, explains the fixed assets as was needed in 1940 to obtain net returns on a comparable level and the price-cost squeeze is contin-

uing, he adds.

The prim little lady entered the pet shop, and walked up to the clerk in charge.

"Excuse me, sir. I have a very fine parrot at home. Would you be interested in buying it?"

The clerk asked, "Does it have a nice plumage?"

"Gracious, I really don't know," she replied. "It's all covered with feathers, you know."

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LOCAL BRIEFS

Janice Hester and Ann Smith of Silveton spent Thursday night until Saturday with their aunt, Mrs. Odell Johnston and family. They attended the basketball game at Lubbock.

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PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 6, 1962. HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 51 proposing an Amendment to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new Section to be known as Section 9 to provide that the Legislature may authorize the creation of hospital districts composed of all or part of one or more counties; the assumption by the district of the indebtedness of the town or county hospital indebtedness and the transfer of all hospital facilities thereof to the district; the issuance of bonds for hospital purposes and the levy of taxes to pay the district's bonds, assumed indebtedness, and for operating and maintaining the district; providing other terms and conditions for accomplishing the purposes of this Amendment.



"Yes madam, drive-in banks are nice, but this doesn't happen to be one."

ing from Odessa to visit with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Carter and Mr. Carter. Jo Beth and Ronnie McCracken returned home with their grandparents to spend a few days this week.

A number from Quitaque attended church at the Church of Christ in Turkey Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Powell and Tina were in Childress Friday night to attend an ice cream party given by the West Texas Utilities Company.

Mrs. Loyd Edwards and Billy of Amarillo spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Johnston and attended the basketball game at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Bogan returned home Friday evening from a trip to Louisiana. They drove to Denton last Sunday and spent the night with the Barney Bogan's. They left Monday morning to visit Mr. Bogan's stepmother who is seriously ill in the hospital in Ruston, La. The Bogan's visited relatives in Castor and Homer, La. Enroute home, they had lunch with the Barney Bogan's in Denton Friday and drove home that evening. At the last report, there has been no change in Mrs. Bogan's health.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ewing were in Plainview last week to consult their doctor.

Mrs. A. V. Tipps of Amarillo is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Norville Hamilton and Mr. Hamilton for the next two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Owens and Betty returned home Thursday afternoon from a trip to Van Horn

to visit the Olen Lane's and to Dell City to visit the Bill Ebbs.

Misses Linda Gattis and Janet Prince of Loco Hills, N. M. spent from Thursday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Owens and Betty.

The Gaston Owens left Thursday afternoon to visit the Olen Lane's at Van Horn and the Bill Ebbs in Dell City. They returned by Loco Hills, N. M. and spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gattis.

Go To Church Sunday

SENATOR YARBOROUGH STATES HIS VIEWS ON OWNERSHIP OF COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITES

Before many years, the world will have instantaneous communications by TV, radio, phone and wireless telegraph, by use of signals from the earth relayed by satellites in space. Billions of your tax dollars were paid out for research which makes this possible. You paid for it and you, the people, deserve to own it.

Now, the Congress has to decide if the taxpayers will retain the ownership you now have, or if your investment in space will be handed over to a private, monopoly-dominated corporate set-up. That's why I've worked with a group of senators to develop the facts on this space communications program by days of debate on the Senate floor. Those of us who took part in this effort to get at the truth, working against heavy odds, have been accused of delay.

The main complaint seems to be that if we just quit objecting to this biggest giveaway plan in American history, if we would step aside, the Senate could quickly

pass its giveaway monopoly bill and wind up its other work. And we could all hurry home. Fellow Texan, I don't believe we were sent here to give up quickly, to get home quickly.

When America has a new system for instant world communication—a power for good almost beyond belief—I don't think that's the time for blind, reckless haste. On the contrary, it's a good time for careful deliberation.

I'm co-sponsor of a bill that would allow the government to own and to lease to private companies the space on the space satellite on a fair competitive basis. The government would not be in the communications business, the government would not be in the telephone business, but would preserve the competition that a monopoly bill would freeze out.

The bill to turn it over to a corporate monopoly is a bad one, because a satellite communications system is world-wide and involves foreign policy decisions that can't be given away to a private corporation. Our foreign policy must be run for the benefit of all the American people—not for the profit of the corporation alone. The monopoly bill is bad because your dollars would be officially given to a few for their profit. It's bad because the government has no agency equipped to regulate a corporate monopoly in space. The giveaway bill is also bad because it comes too soon, before any system has been perfected.

The space communications program is still only an experiment. It will take several years before any kind of complete world-wide space communications system will be developed. It is a golden promise of world peace and good will at time of maturity, and it is too great to toss away. Without the accord, there can be no oak tree.

Fellow Texan, will we turn back to the practice of the Europe of 1600, and charter a new monopoly to exploit space, as Queen Elizabeth I chartered the London Company to exploit Virginia in 1607? Or will we profit by this past three and one-half centuries of learning and progress and keep the space ways clear of the cobwebs of monopoly—keep them open to all in the true spirit of competitive free enterprise? Will Congress charter one company to collect for all time from the people for space TV, phone and telegraph use, for weather reports, and air and sea navigation? Or will calmer judgment prevail over the clamor of the hour?

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WHAT TO MAKE By Allan Carpenter, Director, Service Bureau Popular Mechanics Magazine. ROOM DIVIDER FOR LIVING-DINING AREA. Build this modern, movable room divider to give your living-dining room area the feel of two separate rooms.

Fellow Texan, we must not surrender the New Frontier to a corporate monopoly. We must protect our frontier in space with a flag on the satellite—not a private monopoly flag.

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 6, 1962. HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 35 proposing an Amendment to Subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas to authorize the State to create a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Program for elected and appointive officers and employees, who serve in such capacity for twelve (12) or more years in any county or other political subdivision, a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Program.

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 6, 1962. SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 12 proposing an Amendment to the Constitution to provide that state employees may be employed in an advisory capacity or appointed to serve as a consultant or on an advisory committee, or as a member of a Public School Board provided they are not members of the teaching profession, with the approval of the administrative head of the institution in which such employee is employed and provided there is no conflict of interest.

Master Gland Key to Health

Why can some persons quickly and easily throw off every infection while others constantly wage a losing battle against one germ after another? Why do most individuals react with overwhelming success to a vaccine, while it has very little effect on other persons? Is there perhaps a master gland that triggers the immune reactions? "Yes, it's the thymus gland," says Dr. Robert A. Good, research professor of pediatrics at the University of Minnesota, and March of Dimes grantee.

Hi-Plains Hi-Lights

NEWS from the High Plains
Research Foundation

September 14th is the date of the Sixth Annual Field Day of the High Plains Research Foundation at Halfway, Texas. Tours of the 310 acre research farm will start at 1:30 P. M. and continue throughout the afternoon. Agricultural research in many fields will be observed and explained at each of the six stops on the tour. Tractor-drawn trailers will transport the visitors around the farm. A display of the latest farm equipment will be available at the last stop of the tour. Guests will also be taken through the new office building, laboratory, greenhouse, plant science building and the 20-saw laboratory gin, before or after the field tours.

Visitors will be served barbecue or fish dinner at 5-15. They will be the guests of the Grady Goodpasture Grain Company and the

Hale County State Bank for the evening meal.

An interesting program will complete the days activities at Halfway.

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Farmers throughout West Texas may be growing sunflowers as a cash crop in the near future, if scientists at the High Plains Research Foundation are successful in their attempt to breed improved varieties for commercial use.

The sunflower plant, which was being used by the Indians when the earliest European explorers discovered North America, offers considerable promise as a potential cash crop for West Texas. Of particular importance is the fact that it is a drought tolerant plant well adapted to our soil and climatic conditions. It can be grown with less water than most other crops such as corn, grain sorghum, soy beans, cotton, and castorbeans.

Several hundred plant types from Russia, Canada, Chile, Columbia and South Africa are under study at the Foundation. Dr. Earl Collister, Chief Agronomist, and Barry Love, Assistant Agronomist, and Paul Belcher, Technician, are conducting the plant breeding pro-

gram. Superior plants are being self-pollinated for use in developing high yielding varieties adapted to complete mechanization. The goal of the breeding program is to develop varieties that can be harvested with a regular grain combine.

The sunflower seed could be marketed as an oilseed crop to oil mills, sold directly to feed mills, or consumed on the farm as feed for poultry and livestock. The whole seed is an excellent feed for poultry and livestock. It contains a higher percentage of total digestible nutrients, protein, and fat than many other feed crops, particularly corn, oats, and wheat.

Sunflower seed contain approximately 30 percent oil or fat, which is classified as a very high quality semi-drying oil, and approximately 22 percent protein.

The oil is used in the manufacture of drugs, shortenings, salad dressings, oleomargarine, and liniments. The meal or flour from the sunflower seed is an excellent source of protein, minerals, and vitamins. It contains about 50 percent protein, is unusually rich in calcium, an excellent source of thiamine or vitamin B1, and particularly outstanding in its supply of niacin. From the standpoint of nutritional value, sunflower meal would be a very desirable ingredient in human food products.

On commenting about the future of sunflowers as a crop for the future, Dr. Collister stated, "sunflowers could be an important cash crop for the farmers of West Texas, since it can be grown with less water than most crops." "With our declining water table throughout the High Plains of West Texas, crops of this type will be essential in our farming program in the future."

Cotton Research Projects which numbered five in 1957 now number 30 at the High Plains Research Foundation. This increase has taken place through the desire of the Board of Trustees and the Staff to give as many practical answers to cotton problems as soon as private enterprise action could possibly achieve solutions. Suggestions and requests for some of the projects came to the Board of Trustees from staff members, farmers, Plains cotton growers

offices and professional agricultural personell, Dr. Earl H. Collister said in a recent interview.

The 30 research projects are so arranged in five major groups. The soil fertility studies on cotton include seven projects; (1) fertilizer rates and ratios (continuous since 1957); (2) time of nitrogen application; (3) nitrogen and phosphate carryover (started in 1961); (4) sources of phosphate; (5) phosphate placement; (6) magnesium and trace elements; and (7) time of phosphate application.

The cotton variety testing program at Halfway, includes; (1) standard commercial varieties; (2) field sole variety tests; and (3) regional cotton variety tests.

Irrigation and water management on cotton include studies on; (1) irrigation methods; (2) soil and water management; and (3) crop rotation.

The weed control of cotton has five separate tests and they are; (1) chemical versus flame weed control; (2) flaming height test; (3) flaming versus conventional method of cultivation; (4) burner position comparison; and (5) flaming speed tests.

Cultural methods research on cotton include; (1) skip-row planting systems; (2) plastic mulch; (3) pelleted cottonseed; (4) cotton topping; (5) row spacing; (6) in-furrow fungicide test; and (7) crop climate tests.

The twenty acres devoted to cotton research at Halfway in 1957 has been increased to 121 acres in 1962. The new 20-saw laboratory gin, new research laboratory, and new cotton research equipment will permit increased research efficiency and early completion of each year's report. Dr. Collister stated that the expansion of the cotton research program is an example of the Foundations desire to meet the needs of the High Plains area.

BOLLWORM INFESTATION CAN CUT PRODUCTION GREATLY

The cotton farmer who thinks that low infestations of bollworms are not harmful may be losing considerable production to them.

Though small numbers of cotton bollworms may only slightly reduce the lint quality, they can sizeable yield losses, explains Progress Report 2235, by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

When an average of 3.6 of the bolls were damaged, losses of 627 pounds of seed cotton per acre occurred in tests conducted by P. L.

Adkisson, R. L. Hanna, and C. F. Bailey, of the Department of Entomology, Texas A&M College.

These tests were conducted to determine the fruit damage and number of worms that can be tolerated before yield losses occur.

Recommendations usually suggest when 4 to 5 young larvae per 100 plants are present.

Since young bollworms are hard to find, control measures should be started when 5 percent of the young fruits are injured regardless of the number of worms present, according to the report. Relatively low percentages of injured bolls, if sustained over a long period, may result in yield losses.

Bollworm attacks on cotton can be severe, especially if the worms are allowed to destroy the bolls. In many cases the worms may not completely destroy the boll by feeding but they allow rot organisms to enter the bolls which may cause a lowering of the grade the report states.

To control the bollworm efficiently, insecticide applications must be started while the larvae are small.

For details on the results of the study on yield and quality at different levels of bollworm infestation write the Agriculture Information Office, College Station, Texas, and request a copy of Progress Report 2235.

-Local Briefs-

Mrs. Amos Persons and her daughter, Mrs. Tommy Vaughn and Bridget of Farmington, N. M. arrived Wednesday for a visit with the Jimmy Baird's and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Foster attended the "Way" family reunion at McKenzie Park in Lubbock Sunday, August 12. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. John Way, and Mr. and Mrs. Artie Dockery and family of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Fred Foster, Estelline, Billy Dean Reagan and family of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wilson and family of Seminole.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Merrell and children left last Friday for a vacation trip to Colorado Springs, Colo. They plan to visit the Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Williams, former pastor of Fairmont Church, who is pastor of a church in Colorado Springs.

Willie Mae Woods and Glendale

THE QUITAQUE TRIBUNE - THURSDAY, AUGUST 16, 1962

Morrison of Lockney spent from Thursday night until Saturday afternoon at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Francis and children of Silverton spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boone McCracken. Alvie is feeling better after his recent stay in the hospital in Lubbock.

Mrs. Bill Tillson returned to her home in Brownfield Sunday after

spending several weeks here with her mother, Mrs. Anna Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Barrett and family of Amarillo visited their parents, the D. C. Duck's and the A. C. Barrett's in Quitaque. Gary Barrett remained for a visit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Degan of Turkey visited Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Duck Saturday.

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 6, 1962.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 25 proposing an Amendment to Section 60 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide insurance for all employees; providing for the submission of this Amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof.

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

Section 1. That Section 60 of Article III of the State Constitution, be amended to read as follows: "Section 60. The Legislature shall have the power to pass such laws as may be necessary to enable all employees of all political subdivisions of this State to provide insurance for all employees of all political subdivisions of this State as in its judgment is necessary or required; and the Legislature shall provide suitable laws for the administration of such insurance in the counties or political subdivisions of this State and for the payment of

the costs, charges and premiums on such policies of insurance and benefits to be paid thereunder."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the date fixed by law for the General Election in November A.D. 1962, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing Workman's Compensation Insurance for all employees of all political subdivisions"; and

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment providing Workman's Compensation Insurance for all employees of all political subdivisions."

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

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

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TWELVE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 6, 1962.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 19 proposing an amendment to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas to add a new Section to be known as Section 1-A which permits the Legislature to delegate certain zoning powers to the governing body of any county bordering on the Gulf of Mexico or the tidewater limits thereof.

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

Section 1. That Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section, immediately following Section 1, to be known as Section 1-A which shall read as follows:

"Section 1-A. The Legislature may authorize the governing body of any county bordering on the Gulf of Mexico or the tidewater limits thereof to regulate and restrict the speed, parking and travel of motor vehicles on beaches available to the public by virtue of public right and the littering of such beaches.

"The Legislature may enact any laws not inconsistent with this Section which it may deem necessary to permit said counties to implement, enforce and administer the provisions contained herein.

"Should the Legislature enact legislation in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such legislation shall not be invalid by reason of its anticipatory character."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1962, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to delegate limited zoning powers to any county bordering on the Gulf of Mexico or the tidewater limits thereof."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to delegate limited zoning powers to any county bordering on the Gulf of Mexico or the tidewater limits thereof."

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

Science Briefs

Tired?

Fatigue is the most common symptom of depression, two Boston physicians report. Disturbances in sleeping patterns and eating habits are other common symptoms, they say.

Puzzling Figures

Where you live may affect your health. A recent Public Health Service survey, for example, shows that lung cancer death rates vary sharply between cities. For white men, the New Orleans rate is 100% above the national average; Lima, Ohio is 60% below.

One-Shot Shot

Tomorrow's children may be immunized against 50 to 100 diseases by a single vaccination, predicts Dr. Jonas Salk, who developed the Salk Polio vaccine.

Flying Virus

Mosquitoes or other insects may be involved in a widespread form of cancer among African children, three British scientists report. They suspect the insects of carrying a virus that contributes to the disease.

Beneficial Blow

A sharp blow to the side of the rib cage twice successfully restarted the heart of a patient during an operation, a New York surgeon has reported.

Cholesterol Cut By Shortenings

CHICAGO — New research findings reported to the medical profession indicate that certain widely consumed partially hydrogenated shortenings lower blood cholesterol levels.

Four scientists, writing in a recent issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association, have reported a research study that shows these products lower cholesterol levels as effectively as unhydrogenated vegetable oil.

Their conclusions followed a 32-week clinical study that compared the cholesterol response of four partially hydrogenated shortenings and oils to a composite fat representative of all dietary fats, as well as butterfat and unhydrogenated oil.

The results demonstrate that all-purpose Crisco shortening produces significantly lower cholesterol levels than the fat consumed in the average American diet. Since all-purpose shortenings are used by 90% of American families, the study points the way to broad applications in the average family's daily diet. Shortenings are long established as the product women prefer for baking and frying, primarily because they offer a wider variety of uses and other cooking advantages than do other fats and oils.



Prepared by American Foundation for Animal Health

Many farmers, without realizing it, may be paying a heavy price this summer for the various types of internal parasites that become such a problem with livestock at this time of year.

It has been estimated that internal parasites cause losses as high as \$500 million annually. A recent study at midwest packing plants showed 40 per cent of several thousand normal-appearing swine had intestinal parasites. A similar study in another area showed an infection rate of 70 per cent.



Livestock infected with parasites are poor producers, poor profit makers.

Another recent four-month study involving littermates showed that a pig harboring 104 adult roundworms weighed 53 pounds less than a littermate free of internal parasites. Both pigs were fed the same rations during the study.

The problem of internal parasites can be serious during the summer when cattle, sheep and swine on pasture are likely to pick up parasite eggs and larvae. In general, symptoms of internal parasites include weakness, anemia, scouring, dullness and constipation. Nervous disorders may indicate the presence of bladderworms, coughing or breathing difficulty may signal lungworm infection, and the presence of nodular worms in sheep may be shown by dry, brittle and yellow wool.

Because symptoms are so similar, the wisest thing for farmers to do is to call a veterinarian for a diagnosis in dealing with these problems. Despite the similarity in symptoms, treatment for the various internal parasites is different. It certainly can be a waste of time and effort to employ the wrong worming product.

Along with treatment, a preventive and pasture-rotation program is important. Even a modest parasite control and cleanup effort can pay big dividends, both in better gains and in lower feed costs.



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CHURCH NEWS

Methodist News

Sermon Subjects for Sunday:
 Sunday morning - "Worship: An Act of Listening for Guidance." (Isaiah 6:8)
 Sunday evening - "The Temple of God" - (Mark 11: 17)

There was a special called session of the Plainview District of The Methodist Church last Tuesday at the Trinity Methodist Church in Plainview.

The business of the conference concerned the building of a new district parsonage and the District Trustees were given the authority to purchase lots for the new parsonage and accept bids on the present house. Mr. E. J. Hamilton is one of the District Trustees. N. V. Hamilton and the pastor attended the meeting.

The M.Y.F. of The Silverton Me-

thodist Church have invited the M.Y.F. from Quitaque to a swimming party Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock. This to climax the youth activities week in the Silverton church.

First Baptist Notes

Sermon Subjects for Sunday:
 Sunday morning - "What Crouches At Your Door?" - Gen. 4:1-8
 Sunday evening - "Obscure Disciples" - "Matt. 10:1-7."

NOMINATING COMMITTEE MET TUESDAY NIGHT

The Nominating Committee of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday night in the pastor's study to consider nominations for church officers for the coming church year. The Committee is made up of C. V. Johnson, Chairman; Mrs. Ina Mae Baird and Clarence Barrett.

The Nominating is charged with

the heavy responsibility of nominating all church leadership.

The names of those nominated by the committee will be submitted to the church membership to be voted on October 1, 1962.

NEW MEMBER FELLOWSHIP

The first of New Member Fellowships was held in the pastor's home Sunday, August 12.

This is done that our new members may feel needed, wanted, and that they must be a part of all church family affairs. It also gives them an opportunity to visit with the pastor and his family and church leaders in an informal atmosphere.

Those attending the fellowship were Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Brown, Mrs. Paul Bailey and Debbie, Jon Johnson, Jackie Bedwell and Sharon Bailey.

Host and hostesses were Deacons and Mmes. Chas. Gowin, Bill Griffin, Sid Bogan, Mrs. R. G. Davidson, the pastor's mother, and the Rev. and Mrs. Roy G. Davidson and family.

The annual Summer Revival at First Baptist Church will be held this year beginning Friday, Sept. 7, and will run through Sunday, September 16, pastor Roy Davidson announced this week.

The evangelist for this year's

revival will be the Rev. Robert McGinnis, pastor of Casa View Baptist Church in Dallas. The Song Leader will be Dwain Harris, who is a sophomore music major at Wayland Baptist College, Plainview.

W.M.U. NOTES

The Baptist W.M.U. met Tuesday, August 14 at 10 A.M. in Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church.

During the months of August and September the ladies are giving careful examination of Communism and its plan of action in trying to understand what Communism wishes to do. They have turned to basic writings to see the plan set out for the conquest of the world.

When Mr. Kruschew looked out at American T-V audiences and said "this generation's grandchildren will live under Communism", he spoke with conviction.

The stages of action may be summed up in the words, Deception, Destruction, Dictatorship, Disillusionment and Death.

concerning Communism's plan of W.M.S. has begun will develop into a community interest in the subject of Communism.

Mrs. Roy Davidson and the pastor's mother carried on a dialog concerning Communism's pan of action.

farmers and ranchers primarily to assist them in developing, protecting, and making proper use of their land and water.

Loans may be used by individual farmers to drill wells and otherwise improve water supply systems for irrigation, home use, and livestock; purchase pumps, sprinkler systems, and other irrigation equipment; construct and repair ponds and tanks, ditches, and canals for irrigation; dig ditches and install underground tile; make other related improvements.

These loans may be used to clear and level land; carry out basic land treatment practices including liming, fertilizing, and seeding; subsoil or sod land; purchase posts, wire, other fencing materials; establish permanent pastures.

Funds may also be used to build dikes, terraces, waterways, and other erosion control structures.

In addition, loan funds may be used to obtain plans and pay fees for legal, engineering, and other technical service, and to pay the borrower's share of social security taxes for labor hired to make the improvements.

The interest rate is five percent per year on the unpaid principal. Each loan is scheduled for repayment within a period consistent with the borrower's ability to repay.

To be eligible, an applicant must be an individual farmer or farmowner, a partnership that owns and operates a farm, or a domestic corporation engaged in farming; be unable to obtain the necessary credit on reasonable terms and conditions from private or cooperative lenders; be of legal age; and possess the character, industry and ability to carry out the proposed operations, and honestly endeavor to carry out the undertakings and obligations required of him in connection with the loan. The applicant must plan to improve a farm with the loan which is of such size and productive ca-

capacity that it (a) will produce agricultural commodities in sufficient quantities that the proceeds from their sale will be a substantial portion of the operator's total cash income, and (b) is recognized as a farm in the community rather than a rural residence; have training or farm experience necessary to give reasonable assurance of success in farming whenever the soundness of the loan depends on the farming operation; and if the applicant is a tenant, have a satisfactory written lease for a sufficient period of time and under terms that will enable him to obtain reasonable returns on the improvements made with the loan.

The county committee of the Farmers Home Administration determines the eligibility of applicants. The Motley County committee consists of three farmers and ranchers, Mr. William A. Dye of Roaring Springs, Mr. John C. Franks of Flomot and Mr. D. I. W. Birnie of Matador. These committeemen know local farming and credit conditions and what it takes for a farmer to succeed. Before acting on an application, the committee may ask the applicant and his wife to meet with them or they may visit the farm.

The Farmers Home Administration County supervisor will assist the applicant in working out a farm and home plan to determine the soundness of the loan and the applicant's debt-paying ability.

Soil and water loans are accompanied by advice in sound farm and home management to help

borrowers who are tenants or owner-operators make profitable use of their land, labor, capital, and other resources that will be available to them. The county supervisor furnishes advice and assistance in keeping accurate records of expenses and income and in budgeting and otherwise making wise use of income and credit. He also provides on-the-farm assistance with farm and money management problems during the first few years of the loan.

Each loan will be adequately secured to protect the interest of the Government.

Usually, a loan will be secured by a real estate mortgage. In certain cases, a loan to be repaid in less than 10 years may be secured by chattels or other suitable security.

The loan may not exceed the normal value of the farm and other security minus any debts against the property and may not exceed the amount certified by the county committee. An appraisal is made of the security property to determine its normal value.


In no case may the Farmers Home Administration loan plus other debts against the security property exceed \$60,000.

An applicant living in Motley County applies at the Motley Farmers Home Administration office located in the Motley County Courthouse, Matador, Texas or he may write to Farmers Home Administration, Box 668, Floydada, Texas for an appointment. He will be given an application blank, and the supervisor, Mr. Alfred A. Harrison will be glad to answer any questions he may have.

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LOCAL BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Graves Mayfield of Waco spent from Wednesday until Friday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mayfield. They returned their children home with them after having spent the week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mayfield of Borger came for their children Saturday and spent the night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mayfield. They had attended coaching school at Lubbock last week. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mayfield of Farwell, Texas had also attended the school and they spent the night with his parents and Jimmie Dell.

Leo Reed is home after spending 14 months in the Reserve. He spent some time in Missouri and some in Colorado, and he was discharged from Ft. Hood.


Mrs. Nora Stevenson of Los Linas, N. M. and Mrs. Edgar Morrison visited Mrs. W. E. Morrison last Friday.

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CONGRESSMAN WALTER ROGER'S WASHINGTON REPORT

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 18TH DISTRICT:
SECOND SESSION OF 87TH CONGRESS
A term of Congress lasts for two years. This term is divided into two regular sessions. The first session is held during that year

in which the Congress is convened after the general elections. The second session is actually a continuation of the first in most everything except name. All bills introduced after the beginning of the first session of the term of Congress remain on the calendar for the full two years unless otherwise disposed of by defeat, passage, or other action. At the end of the second session, all pending measures die. Unless these measures are re-introduced in the following session of the Congress, they are not before the Congress.

We are now in the second session of the 87th Congress, which was convened on January 10, 1962. From that time through June 30th, the Senate had been in session 99 days, the House of Representatives 94. The Senate spent 555 hours, 43 minutes in session; while the House spent 350 hours, 24 minutes. This wide differential in time is no doubt due to the fact that in the House debate is limited. In the Senate it is not. In the House, it is very seldom that a Member is allowed to talk for more than 10 or 15 minutes during any session while scheduled business of the House is being handled. The rules followed in the House are different from those followed in the Senate, hence the Members of the Senate are not limited in debate, and in fact have set some records in recent years. There are many, many times that I wish the House had unlimited debate, because things that should be said are blocked by the limitation rules. The pages in the Congressional Record reflect the difference in the time session. The Senate had placed 7,058 pages in the Record as of June 30th, while the House had placed 4,456.

During this time, 109 public bills had been enacted into law, 70 of which were House bills while 39 were Senate bills. And, 161 private bills had been enacted into law, 105 of these being House bills and 56 being Senate bills. All of these bills had to be passed by both houses and signed by the President. This does not mean that these were the only bills that were passed by either house. The fact is that the House had passed 571 bills and the Senate had passed 421. The committees in the Senate had reported to the Senate 636 measures; 625 measures had been reported by House committees to the House of Representatives.

Since January 10th and through June 30th, 1,069 measures were introduced in the Senate. During that same time, 3,444 measures were introduced in the House. These include bills, joint resolutions, concurrent resolutions, and simple resolutions. If you will compare this figure with the number of bills that have been enacted into law, you can see that very

few of the bills introduced ever become law. Parliamentary procedure is one of the great safeguards under the democratic form of government. Once a bill is introduced, the gamut through which it must travel before it finally reaches the President's desk is quite formidable. When it is first introduced, it is sent to a committee by the Speaker of the House. Usually it is then assigned by the Chairman of that committee to a subcommittee. Public hearings are then scheduled by the subcommittee during which testimony is taken from both proponents and opponents. When this is concluded, the bill is considered in executive session, during which time amendments may be offered and acted upon. When this proceeding has been completed, the bill is reported to the full committee for further action. It is then considered in executive session for further amendments, should any be desired.

If the bill is then approved by the full committee, it is then reported to the House with proper recommendation. The matter is then submitted to the Rules Committee. The Rules Committee hears testimony from other Members of Congress with reference to the measure and the time that should be allowed for its consideration. Should the Rules Committee approve of debate on the measure, it adopts a resolution fixing the time of debate for the House. This resolution is then reported to the House and called up for consideration. If it is adopted, the House is resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for further consideration of the bill. The debate is then held. When this is concluded, the bill is read for amendments, at which time any Member may offer an amendment and be heard on the same for five minutes. Sometimes the discussion of the bill under the "five-minute rule" the number of amendments that may last all day, depending upon are offered.

When this proceeding is finished, the bill is reported back to the House of Representatives, at which time it is voted upon by voice vote, by division vote, by teller vote, or by a roll call vote, or by a four. If it passes, it then

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