

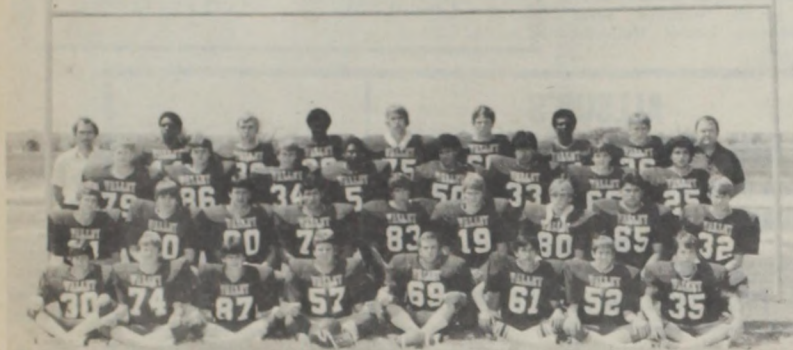
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VALLEY PATRIOTS—[top row] Coach Phelps, W. Williams, L. J. Browning, T. Clardy, W. Rice, J. D. Butler, T. Williams, R. Morgan, Coach Giddens; [second

row] W. Farley, L. Myers, M. Barrett, R. Jeter, T. Hinojosa, F. Ruiz, J. Fuston, B. Ortiz; [third row] K. Saul, S. Phelps, K. Beavers, D. Ortiz, S. Price, K.

Cox, D. Edwards, R. Silva, C. Morrison; [fourth row] R. Beavers, J. Morrison, R. Hughes, L. B. Clay, J. Tamayo, G. Brannon, C. Martin

Valley Takes Another Big Win Over McLean 34-0 Friday Night

The Valley Patriots rolled over McLean 34-0 Friday night to bring their status to 2-1 for this football season.

Coach Ted Giddens says it was another defensive game. The defense played a super game, he states.

Ricky Jeeter took a pass from Kraig Cox and took it 10 yards for the first Valley touchdown, and Tommy Williams added the extra point kick. The quarter ended with the score 7-0 in the Patriots' favor.

In the second quarter, Jeeter

carried the ball for a 43-yard victory and Williams added the kick.

At this point, Tim Clardy got into the action and ran another 43 yards to score with Williams again adding the conversion kick. The quarter ended with a halftime score of 21-0.

Criss Morrison got into action during the last quarter and added a touchdown. The extra point failed.

Valley made 13 first downs to McLean's two. They rushed for 280 yards to McLean's 17. The Patriots attempted eight passes, completing four of them for 42 yards gain. Net yards gained by the Patriots was 322 for the Patriots and 17 for McLean. McLean failed to complete a pass on four attempts. The Patriots intercepted one pass, received five penalties to McLean's six, and were penalized 35 yards to McLean's 45.

Coach Giddens says, "Offensively, we looked good at times and other times we just didn't execute.

"The whole team played with as much intensity as we have had in a long time.

"Tim Clardy and Ricky Jeeter both turned in a great performance at running back.

"Tommy Williams and Will Williams are both being hindered right now by injuries.

"There was great play turned in on defense by Larry Bob Clay,

Keith Beavers, Steve Price, Rosendo Silva, J. Dale Butler, Kraig Cox and Daniel Ortiz."

The Valley Patriots go to Lazbuddie Friday night. There are only two more games before district play begins. The offensive team needs more experience

Quitaque Methodist Church To Celebrate Eightieth Anniversary

On October 4, 1903, a small band of 13 Methodists met to organize a Methodist Church in Quitaque under the leadership of

the Reverend C. D. Pipkins, a Methodist Circuit Rider. This event occurred eighty years ago and will be celebrated on October 8-9, 1983 at the First United Methodist Church in Quitaque.

Valley Homecoming Set September 30

The annual homecoming activities get started Monday of next week in the Valley Schools.

The climax comes with Friday's Pep Rally at 3:00 p.m., and the crowning of the Homecoming Queen and Pep Squad Hero with the routine beginning at 7:15 p.m.

The football game between the Valley Patriots and Sudan begins at 8:00 p.m.

The Senior Class will sponsor a supper prior to the game. More details will be in next week's Valley Tribune.

The celebration will begin Saturday, October 8, at 7:00 p.m. with a special service of worship and remembrance. Former pastor, Reverend James C. Holman, will be preaching that evening and the Reverend George C. Price will lead the music. Following the service there will be a reception in the fellowship hall.

On Sunday, October 9, services will begin with a time of fellowship at 10:00 a.m. The morning worship service will begin at 10:30 a.m. with Bishop Louis W. Schowengerdt, presiding bishop of the Northwest Texas and New Mexico Annual Conferences, preaching.

The morning service will also include special music by Reverend George Price and the dedication of the new church organ. Following the morning service, lunch will be served in the fellowship hall.

All friends and former members of the First Methodist Church are invited to join the present members in the celebration of the church's eighty years of service to God and the community of Quitaque.

10 YEARS AGO

September 13, 1973

David Fuston has been a Distinguished Student in veterinary medicine at Texas A&M.

Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Armstrong left Monday night by plane to fly to Houston to spend a few days with their son, Scott, who was in the states from Singapore for a short course. They returned home Thursday night.

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS—[top] Mary Dowd; [middle] Lori Clay, Kaylene Green; [bottom] Karen Ramsey, June Johnson, Cristy Calvert

MRS. BROWDER TO BE IN TURKEY FRIDAY

Mrs. Virginia Browder of Memphis has written two volumes of Hall County history, entitled "Hall County Heritage Trails." She will be at Peoples State Bank in Turkey from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Friday, September 23.

MT. OLIVE BAPTISTS TO HAVE REVIVAL

The members of Mt. Olive Baptist Church in Turkey would like to invite you to join them in their revival from September 26-30. The time is 7:30 p.m. All are welcome.

Rev. Joe Horn, pastor of Macedonia Baptist Church in Matador, will be doing the preaching.



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Careful Planning Is Must For Cotton Producers

Extreme caution and careful planning are a must for cotton producers this fall if problems in meeting "Plant for PIK" requirements are to be avoided, according to officials of Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

USDA announced early this month that producers without enough cotton in the loan to cover their payment-in-kind entitlements would be required to satisfy 40 percent of those entitlements by putting 1983 production in the loan. Producers who laid out entire farms under the PIK program, and those without sufficient 1983 production to meet the mandate, USDA said, will receive their in-kind payment from government-owned Commodity Credit Corporation stocks.

The producer who has 1983 production that is owed to CCC under the plant for PIK requirement, says PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson, will do well to make absolutely sure that such cotton goes to the loan.

Failure to do so, "for whatever reason," Johnson continues, will put the producer out of program compliance and may leave him liable for liquidated damages of 15.2 cents per pound. Washington sources at this writing aren't sure if liquidated damages will be assessed. But the loss of deficiency payments, in-kind payments and loan eligibility are more penalty than most producers can stand, Johnson states.

Producers may put 1983 plant-for-PIK cotton into the loan at any time during the PIK availability period, i.e. any time before March 15 on the High Plains. But the danger, Johnson points out, is that some producers may be tempted to sell early-harvested bales into the market and take a chance on meeting plant-for-PIK needs later. "Taking that risk will be very costly if the weather should destroy, or even reduce yields on, cotton intended for late harvest."

Johnson also notes that producers may be able to profit from judicious selection of the bales to be put in the loan and the bales to be sold. For example, he says, qualities in greatest demand could go to market, with plant-for-PIK requirements met by qualities commanding lower market premiums—a strategy that would suggest holding all cotton until the harvest is complete.

Another producer consideration that may require more delicate calculations is what USDA calls its "special purchase program." This program allows producers two choices: (1) put cotton under loan in the regular manner and receive in-kind payment after quality adjustments, or (2) enter cotton in the loan

without having it classed, at the loan price for Strict Low Middling Light Spot one inch (42-32), and receive the same bales, pound for pound, as payment in kind.

Under this procedure the grower will need to contrast the advantage of getting 42-32 loan

price (48.05 cents) for a lower quality cotton against a possible advantage of having additional pounds to sell in the market, or in some cases to meet the terms of a forward contract.

One final word of caution is in order, Johnson says. "The rules of the game are still subject to change, and no producer should make final decisions without first checking with his county ASCS office."

ATTEND RETREAT AT CETA CANYON

Mrs. Gene Fuston and Mrs. Nadine Baisden spent the weekend at Ceta Canyon Methodist Camp attending a Spiritual Growth Retreat. It was sponsored by the Northwest Texas Conference United Methodist Women.







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THURSDAY, SEPT Tower Accept Applications Texas Studen

Senator John Tower has announced he will accept applications from Texas students who wish to compete for nomination to the service academies. Potential candidates between the ages of 17 and 21, unmarried, and U.S. citizens. High school seniors should specify whether to attend the Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs, the Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, New York, the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, New York, or the U.S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland.

The four service academies offer cadets and outstanding educational opportunities," Tower said in the announcement. "These young men and women commit themselves to national security."

Interested seniors should apply for an application from the Dallas office at 1100 Dallas, Texas 75242. Applicants need to have completed application, high school transcripts, SAT or ACT scores, and three evaluation forms. The application forms will be returned to the student upon return of the application. Additional recommendations are required. The deadline for the academy applications is September 15.

Now serving his 10th term, Senator Tower is chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee and is also a member of the Senate Committee on Education and the Arts, the Senate Committee on Housing and Urban Affairs, and the Senate Committee on Labor and Human Resources. He is also a member of the Senate Republican Conference, and now ranks 10th in seniority among members of the Senate.

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Valley Schools will continue to assure that lack of language skills will not be a barrier to admission or participation in all educational and vocational programs. For information on rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, Wilburn Leeper, at 423-1348.

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Tower Accepting Applications From Texas Students

Senator John Tower (R-Texas) has announced he is accepting applications from Texas students who wish to compete for his nomination to the nation's four service academies.

Potential candidates must be between the ages of 17 and 22, unmarried, and United States citizens. High school seniors should specify whether they wish to attend the Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs, Colorado; the Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, New York; the Military Academy at West Point, New York; or the Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland.

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Now serving his fourth term, Senator Tower is chairman of the Armed Services Committee and is also a member of the Budget Committee and chairman of the Housing and Urban Affairs Subcommittee. He is also chairman of the Senate Republican Policy Committee, and now ranks second in seniority among GOP members of the Senate.

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W.I.F.E. Convention Held In Brownwood

The Seventh Annual Convention of Women Involved in Farm Economics (WIFE) met at the Holiday Inn in Brownwood September 9-10-11, 1983.

Elva Reeves, Texas WIFE president from Dalhart, presided at all sessions. She gave the president's report after Central Texas Chapter served a snack supper on Friday evening. Swisher County directed an informal get-acquainted time.

On Saturday morning, Troop 78 of the Brownwood Boy Scouts presented the colors after which Terry Wilson, president of the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce, welcomed the WIFE members to Brownwood.

Jane Saylor, National WIFE president from Muleshoe, spoke Saturday at noon. She encouraged WIFE members to set goals and a time to accomplish them, then to pursue them with dedicated commitment. She has represented WIFE in Washington, D.C. and a number of states the past two years. She will be representing American agriculture in El Salvador in a few weeks. She has been instrumental in organizing the Texas Farm Forum and the National Farm Forum during the past year. She is currently serving as moderator of the National Farm Forum.

Leland Beatty of Texas Department of Agriculture in Austin also spoke Saturday concerning his work with Texas agricultural sales to Mexico. He reminded WIFE that Mexico ranks third in grain sales.

Roddy Peeples, director of the Voice of the Southwest Agriculture Radio Network, from San Angelo, gave suggestions for receiving publicity for WIFE.

Bess Patterson, humorist from San Saba, was guest speaker for the Saturday night banquet. Jesslea Rowe, country-western singer from Richland Springs, also entertained the group.

Jane Jones and Sharon Novak from Dalhart gave the Saturday morning devotional, after which brunch was served and the final business session was held.

The following resolution was passed:

Whereas agriculture producers have accumulated enormous debt as a direct result of government policy and government action, in order to avoid bankruptcy, he it resolved that Texas WIFE support legislation to exonerate accumulated interest on SBA and FmHA Economic and Emergency loans and Natural Disaster loans.

Officers elected for 1984 were Elva Reeves, Dalhart, president; Phillis Taylor, Richland Springs, first vice-president; Virginia Dujka, East Bernard, second vice-president; Mary Jane Thornton, East Bernard, secretary; JoAnn Johanson, Wildorado, treasurer; Ester Ruth Henson, Brownfield, historian.

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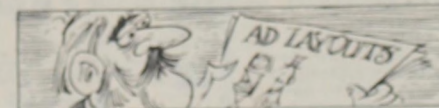
Attending from Caprock Chapter of WIFE were Janinne Brooks, first vice-president, and Ella Colvin, Quitaque, and Janice Hughes, Flomot.

Mrs. Fannie Mae Lokey of Lubbock spent from Friday until Sunday visiting the Charley Grundys in Quitaque. Sunday morning she returned to Lubbock and her sister, Mrs. Grundy, accompanied her. Charley reports they had planned to load up and head for Breckenridge Monday morning where Mrs. Lokey owns a home on the lake and they planned to get in some fishing. Charley plans to join them there if the fish are biting. If not, he will join them on the lake near Haskell.

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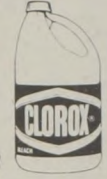
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Mrs. Allen Bolt and daughter, Courtney, of Paducah visited a few days in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Loury, while her husband, Dr. Allen Bolt, was in Abilene at the stock show checking the animals there. On Sunday, Mrs. Loury's mother, Mrs. Christine Williams, and her aunt, Jewell Glover, both of Childress, came for a visit and Mrs. Williams was honored with a birthday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Ramsey and children, Bryan, Amy, Kayla and Dara of Silverton spent the day in Quitaque visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ramsey. Jana Boyles of Turkey also visited in the Ramsey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Lyles of Turkey visited in the Shorty Woods home in Quitaque Friday night.

Tory Don Giddens Is Back At Home

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Giddens and Tory Don returned home Tuesday night. When they arrived in Fort Worth, the doctors found Tory's blood count was not right for surgery due to a viral infection from which Tory was recovering.

The doctors have rescheduled Tory for surgery in three weeks if everything is all right, and his bone graft will be taken from his hip instead of a bone bank, his mother reported to the Valley Tribune Wednesday morning. Tory will be put back into a body cast for three months following surgery.

Rev. and Mrs. Sid Parsley of Crowell were in Quitaque Monday morning. They were enroute to Felt, Oklahoma to attend the funeral services for her nephew, Mark McDaniel, 24, who had been killed instantly when he fell from a pickup. The Parsleys were planning to go to Felt to attend the Golden Wedding of her parents Thursday and received this sad news, and had to leave immediately.

CAPITOL UPDATE

John Tower
U.S. SENATOR for TEXAS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510



The ability of U.S. companies to sell goods and services abroad is vital to our nation's economic health. Yet, it also is critically important that we do not allow sensitive technology to be sold to actual or potential adversaries. The law through which the government tries to balance these national goals is the Export Administration Act of 1979, which expires at the end of this month.

This law has been less than satisfactory in its implementation. It has had the effect of unnecessarily restricting the ability of U.S. firms to do business abroad because of its complicated and time-consuming licensing requirements. Yet it has not prevented sensitive technology from being transferred to the Soviet Union and other unfriendly nations.

In addition, current law does not address the question of export restrictions as an instrument of foreign policy. The President has the authority to impose trade sanctions to express U.S. opposition to the actions of other nations. It is important that he retain this power. Yet, we have seen several instances -- most notably the 1980 grain embargo against the Soviet Union -- in which trade sanctions had little effect on the nation at which they were directed but a devastating impact on American business.

The Senate soon will begin considering a bill to revise the existing law. I believe that this bill represents the best balance of the goals and problems involved in international trade.

In order to restrict the transfer of sensitive technology to the Soviet Union, this legislation first seeks to increase the coordination of Western nations in the export control process. Additionally, the bill would give the Department of Defense the power to stop shipments involving militarily critical items.

However, the Senate bill also eases trade for those items which are not of potential military importance. It would simplify and speed up the licensing process so that American exporters can be more competitive in world markets. In addition, the export community would be given greater representation in the formulation and execution of export control policy.

Finally, the bill before the Senate seeks to discourage the improper or ineffective use of economic sanctions for foreign policy reasons, while maintaining the President's right to use this authority.

Tough standards for economic sanctions would require serious and thorough evaluation by the executive branch before sanctions could be imposed. The credibility of U.S. supplies would be protected by a provision that would allow contracts in effect when economic sanctions were imposed to remain in effect. And economic sanctions could not be imposed as an instrument of foreign policy if the nation in question could obtain the same goods from other sources.

In short, I believe this legislation is a balanced and fair approach to the difficult questions raised the need to increase our export trade at the same time that we seek to avoid unwittingly harming our national interest by allowing our technology to fall into unfriendly hands.

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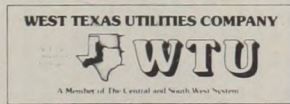


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Wedding Vows Read For Theresa Carter, Clinton Recently

Wedding vows were read by Rev. Melvin Clinton, father of the groom, Saturday, September 3, 1983 for Theresa Carter and Gary Clinton at the First Baptist Church in Turkey. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Goodson of Franklin and the groom's parents are Rev. and Mrs. Melvin Clinton of Turkey.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a beige dress with full skirt and a wide lace collar. Her bouquet was made up of daisies and was tied with white streamers. She wore blue flowers in her hair.

Matron of honor was Janice Richey of Amarillo, cousin of the bride. She wore a long blue dress

and had a white carnation corsage.

Bridesmaid was Karen Clinton, sister of the groom. She wore a multi-colored pastel long dress and also had a white corsage.

Flower girls were Kayla Richey of Amarillo, cousin of the bride, and Jessica Carter, the bride's daughter. They both wore long blue dresses.

David Landry of Turkey was best man and David Morse of Estelline, cousin of the bride, was a groomsman. Hal Fuston and Perry Jouett, both of Turkey, were ushers. Coby Richey, cousin of the bride, and Kevin Carter, son of the bride, were ring bearers.

Mary Beth Adamson played traditional organ selections and accompanied Brenda Smith, soloist, who sang "Devoted to You" as the couple lighted the white unity candle.

The bride's mother wore an off-white dress with black figures and a white corsage, while the groom's mother wore an aqua blue dress and had a white corsage.

The reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church. The table was laid with a white lace cloth over white and was centered with an arrangement of pastel

silk flowers. The tiered cake was trimmed with pastel flowers and was topped with a wedding bell arrangement which was used at the 25th wedding anniversary reception for the groom's parents. Judy Barrett of Quitaque and Debra Clinton of Ponca City, Oklahoma, sister of the groom, served the fruit punch and wedding cake with nuts and mints.

The bride is a graduate of Clarendon College and is employed by American National Insurance Company of Childress. The groom is a graduate of Valley High School and attended Clarendon College. He is employed by the Texas Highway Department. Following a short wedding trip to Amarillo, the couple is at home in Turkey.

Rev. and Mrs. Clinton were hosts to a rehearsal dinner in the fellowship hall on Friday evening for the wedding party.

Visitors in the Wendell Farley home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Farley, April and Cory, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wellman, Jamie, Richard and Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Farley, Melody and Vance, all of Quitaque; Jana Boyles, Turkey, and Mrs. E. J. Farley and Junior, Quitaque.

Couple To Be Honored On 50th Anniversary

You are invited to the fiftieth wedding anniversary reception for Mr. and Mrs. Lee Seymour in the Senior Citizens Room at Turkey Sunday, September 25, from 2:00 until 4:00 in the afternoon.

The event will be hosted by their children.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Kimbell drove to Turkey Sunday where they are guests for lunch with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Setliff.

Other guests present were Mr. and Mrs. James Lynn Kimbell, Shorty and Travis and Bruce Setliff, who is attending WTSU in Canyon.

Afternoon visitors were Mrs. Bobby Brunson, Edmonson; Mrs. Bob Brunson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Cantwell and children, all of Plainview, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Setliff of Hereford.

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PROPOSITION NO. 10 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 17 proposes a constitutional amendment that authorizes the Legislature to enact laws which would allow a city or town to expend public funds to relocate or replace sanitation sewer laterals on private property if done in conjunction with the replacement or relocation of sanitation sewer mains serving the property. The amendment requires that the law authorize the city or town to attach a lien on the private property, with the consent of the owner, to cover the costs of the replacement or relocation of the sewer laterals on the property. The lien may not be enforced until five years have expired since the date the lien was attached. The amendment provides, further, that the law require that the costs of the replacement or relocation of the sewer laterals on the private property be assessed against the property with repayment to be amortized over a period not to exceed five years and at an interest rate provided by law.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment for financial assistance to veterans and to authorize the issuance of \$800 million in bonds of the state to finance the Veterans' Land Program and the Veterans' Housing Assistance Program."

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 1 proposes a constitutional amendment that authorizes empty veterans' organizations from ad valorem taxation on their property. The amendment requires that the organizations be chartered by the United States Congress, be composed of members or former members of the United States Armed Forces, and be organized for patriotic and public service purposes.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment for the use of the permanent school fund to guarantee the issuance of bonds issued by school districts. The amendment provides, further, that the Legislature may appropriate part of the available school fund for administration of the permanent guarantee program established pursuant to the amendment."

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PROPOSITION NO. 9 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 10 proposes a constitutional amendment to authorize the Legislature to provide, through the issuance of bonds, for the purchase of land for the purpose of providing for the care and maintenance of the graves of veterans and their families.

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The amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing statutory provisions for succession of public office during disaster caused by enemy attack and authorizing the suspension of certain constitutional rules relating to legislative procedure during those disasters or during immediate threat of enemy attack."

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 12 proposes a constitutional amendment that authorizes the Legislature to enact legislation providing for the use of the permanent school fund and income from the permanent school fund to guarantee the issuance of bonds issued by school districts. The amendment provides, further, that the Legislature may appropriate part of the available school fund for administration of the permanent guarantee program established pursuant to the amendment.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the use of the permanent school fund to guarantee the issuance of bonds issued by school districts."

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 1 proposes a constitutional amendment which would permit the Legislature to provide for the enforcement of court-ordered child support payments. The amendment remedies other purposes.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment allowing the Legislature to provide for additional remedies to enforce court-ordered child support payments."

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 14 proposes a constitutional amendment to authorize the Legislature to provide, through the issuance of bonds, for the purchase of land for the purpose of providing for the care and maintenance of the graves of veterans and their families.

PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 8, 1983

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 91 proposes a constitutional amendment which requires a county with a population of 30,000 or more to be divided into not less than four nor more than eight justice of the peace precincts. A county with a population of 18,000 or more but less than 30,000 shall be divided into not less than two nor more than five justice of the peace precincts. A county with a population of less than 18,000 shall be designated as a single justice of the peace precinct or, upon a finding of necessity by the commissioners court, shall be divided into more than one justice of the peace precinct but not more than four. The amendment provides further, that in any precinct in which there is a city with a population of 18,000 or more, two justices of the peace shall be elected. The amendment allows a justice of the peace, constable or commissioner to continue in office until the expiration of his term, although a change in precinct boundaries results in the officer no longer being a resident of the precinct for which he was elected or appointed and allows a justice of the peace or constable to continue in office until the expiration of his term even though a change in precinct boundaries results in the abolishment of the precinct or more than one justice of the peace or constable serving the precinct. Vacancies in the office of justice of the peace or constable that result from a precinct boundary change shall be filled by the commissioners court until the next general election. The amendment would take effect on January 1, 1984, and counties with populations of less than 30,000 and with more than four justice of the peace and constable precincts would have until January 1, 1984, to reorganize their precincts.

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 1 proposes a constitutional amendment that authorizes the Legislature to enact legislation that permits representative associations of agricultural producers to collect refundable assessments on their product sales to be used solely to finance programs of marketing, promotion, research and education relating to those products. It provides, further, that adoption of the proposed constitutional amendment will bring into effect Senate Bill 607, Acts of the 68th Legislature, Regular Session, 1983, with rejection of the amendment resulting in Senate Bill 607 having no effect.

The proposed constitutional amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing for the advancement of food and fiber production and marketing in this state through research, education, and promotion financed by the producers of agricultural products."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 30 proposes a constitutional amendment which authorizes the Legislature to enact laws to provide for the succession of members of the Legislature in the event of enemy attack and allows the suspension of procedural rules in the event of a threat of enemy attack. The amendment would take effect on January 1, 1984, and counties with populations of less than 30,000 and with more than four justice of the peace and constable precincts would have until January 1, 1984, to reorganize their precincts.

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 13 proposes a constitutional amendment that authorizes the Legislature to enact laws which would allow a city or town to expend public funds to relocate or replace sanitation sewer laterals on private property if done in conjunction with the replacement or relocation of sanitation sewer mains serving the property. The amendment requires that the law authorize the city or town to attach a lien on the private property, with the consent of the owner, to cover the costs of the replacement or relocation of the sewer laterals on the property. The lien may not be enforced until five years have expired since the date the lien was attached. The amendment provides, further, that the law require that the costs of the replacement or relocation of the sewer laterals on the private property be assessed against the property with repayment to be amortized over a period not to exceed five years and at an interest rate provided by law.

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Meyer-Helms Vows Exchanged In Formal Church Ceremony

Karla Shalon Meyer and Kenneth Joe Helms were united in marriage September 17 in an afternoon service at Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church in Tulia. The double-ring ceremony was performed by Pastor P. Marc Clayton.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Meyer of Turkey. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edd Helms of Quitaque.

Guests were registered by Shanlee Meyer, sister of the bride. Tim Meyer of Wellman and Max Meyer, brothers of the bride, were ushers. Dan Meyer, also a brother of the bride, was acolyte.

Robbie Helms served his brother as best man. He and the groom wore grey Ascot tuxedos.

Miss Fraser of Claude was her sister's matron of honor. She was attired in a suede rose full-length gown. The skirt was a soft A-line and the bodice featured a lace stand-up collar and a sheer yoke edged with a deep lace ruffle. She carried a miniature of the bride's bouquet.

The bride, escorted to the altar by her father, wore her mother's wedding dress. Her sister had also worn the dress. The lace gown featured a fitted bodice with a hand-clipped neckline outlined with scattered pearls. The long, fitted sleeves ended in points over the hands. The bouffant skirt was overlaid with net appliqued with lace medallions and the scalloped hemline extended into a chapel train. Her hat was styled in Chantilly lace and featured a turned-up side accented with silk flowers. An overlay of imported illusion was caught at the front of the hat and draped over the crown, ended in elbow-length streamers in the back. She carried an old-fashioned arm bouquet of rubrum lillies, daisies, carnations, roses, statice and baby's breath. A handkerchief belonging to her great-grandmother Schuch was tucked into the bouquet.

Dana Ramsey of Plainview was organist. Donna and Alton Hurley of Amarillo sang "Morning Has Broken." Mrs. Hurley also sang "The Lord's Prayer."



MRS. KENNETH HELMS

CHURCH HAD DRAWING FOR BEDSPREAD LAST SATURDAY

Mt. Olive Baptist Church had a drawing Saturday for a bedspread that was displayed in the window of City Drug. Mrs. Leroy Stone was the lucky winner of the spread.

Mrs. Z. P. Polly, in speaking for the church members, said "We want to thank everyone who helped us out with their donations and any other help. We appreciated everything so much." They cleared \$66 on the project, Mrs. Polly said, and the money will be used to paint their church on the outside and also on the inside.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Stone were in Lubbock Sunday to be with their son, Dr. Jay Stone, who was attending a State Pest Control Convention held at the Civic Center.

SMALL WORLD!

Friday night Tonya Cambridge of Dallas called her folks, the Roy Pattersons, at Turkey and said, "Mama, you'll never guess who I saw today while I was on my lunch break" (in downtown Dallas). She said someone came up behind her and said, "Aren't you from Turkey?" She turned around and there was Bob Dvorak (former Valley coach and husband of the former Connie Ferguson). She said they both showed pictures of their children and spouses and had a nice visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pierce and children, Howard Gene, Tommy and Linda of Vernon spent the weekend in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pierce. Mrs. Tom Berg of Lubbock, a niece of Mrs. Pierce, visited on Friday.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Michie Maupin over the weekend were his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Maupin of Concrete, Washington, Mrs. Maupin's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tiner of Memphis, and the Maupin's daughter, Donna and Milton Mann of Higgins.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Green and Kaylene spent the weekend in Beaumont visiting with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Green, Justen and Jamie.

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In the next few days you will be receiving through the mail a letter explaining this new service and how you can apply for it. It will be very important to fill out the enclosed card and mail it back to us. This survey will determine how many descrambler boxes will be ordered and what price per month will be charged each customer.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the social hall. The serving table was laid with white lace over white. A crystal bowl holding an arrangement of the same flowers as the bridal bouquet was flanked by crystal candle holders with white tapers. The tiered cake was topped with fresh flowers and a golden wedding cross. Frosted punch was ladled from a crystal bowl. Serving were Paula Helms of Lubbock and Seritha Hamilton of Amarillo, sisters of the groom, and Starla Kindle and Charlotte Watson of Pampa.

The couple will be at home in Quitaque after a honeymoon trip to Cancun and Cozumel, Mexico.

Friday night the groom's parents hosted a barbecue supper at the Community Center in Quitaque.

John and Orva Smith of Salem, Oregon have been visiting in Quitaque the last few days with his brother, Isaac Smith, and his nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edd Smith, and with friends. The Smiths left their home August 28 and visited in Montana, Minnesota, Mission City, Iowa, St. Louis, Missouri, and finding it hot in most of those places, they came back to Denver, Colorado, then to Texas, where they found it hot again.

Mr. Smith stated they are returning home through New Mexico, Utah and possibly Nevada.

Woodrow Cobb of Hale Center visited his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Cobb, in Quitaque Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Cobb drove to Kress Sunday and got their grandson, Christopher, and they all drove to Hale Center to spend the day with the Woodrow Cobb family.

Guests in the home of Lottie Owens Sunday were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Owens and Kami of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Henderson, Wayne and Zane of Silverton. They all came for lunch and spent the afternoon.

Mrs. T. J. Reeves of Plainview is spending this week visiting her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bailey, in Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hamilton of Amarillo spent the weekend in Quitaque visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edd Helms, and friends.

Recent visitors in the Leroy Hamilton home were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Matthews and family, Laura, Debbie and Chris. They were guests for lunch.

PROPOSITION NO. 9 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 70 proposes a constitutional amendment to authorize the Legislature to provide, by local or general law, a method by which judges of statutory courts with probate jurisdiction may be assigned to any other statutory court with probate jurisdiction and to any constitutional county court in any county in the state.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to change the Board of Pardons and Paroles from a constitutional agency to a statutory agency and to give the board power to revoke paroles."

Estos son las informaciones sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparecerán en la boleta el día 8 de noviembre de 1983. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de las informaciones en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252-9602 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12887, Austin, Texas 78711.

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 34 proposes a constitutional amendment to provide for the succession of members of the executive branch in the event of a vacancy.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide for the succession of members of the executive branch in the event of a vacancy."

House Joint Resolution 30 proposes a constitutional amendment to provide for the succession of members of the executive branch in the event of a vacancy.

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 105 proposes a constitutional amendment to limit a city, town or village to a lot or lots amounting to not more than one acre of land, together with any improvements on the land. The constitutional requirement that, at the time of

the proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing fewer justice of the peace and constable precincts in counties with a population of less than 30,000 and providing for justices of the peace, constables, and county commissioners when precinct boundaries are changed."

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JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS—[top] Sandy Price; [second] Melissa Maupin; [third] Paula Scoggins; [fourth] Lacy Price, Cari Morrison

Bentsen Bill Gives Tax Break To Small Businesses

Senator Lloyd Bentsen introduced legislation recently to make small businesses more competitive with larger businesses by allowing companies to claim the same investment tax credit for used equipment as for new equipment.

The Bentsen proposal to re-

move the investment tax credit limitation on used equipment was one of five provisions in a small business bill he introduced.

"Small business accounts for almost half of our Gross National Product and creates 60 percent of the new jobs for American workers," the Senator said in remarks accompanying his measure.

"My bill today addresses some fundamental problems confronting the continued strong economic growth of small business—capital formation, inventory reform and equipment obsolescence. These issues have become a primary concern of the independent business community."

Bentsen said there is a \$125,000 limitation on the amount of used equipment eligible for the 10 percent investment tax credit. This limitation will increase to \$150,000 in 1985. There is no such limitation on the purchase of new equipment.

He noted that a business operator would have to spend over \$600,000 to buy enough used equipment to establish a small machine shop employing 10 people.

The operator could expect an investment tax credit of \$12,500 for that purchase, compared with a \$60,000 credit for the purchase of \$600,000 worth of new equipment.

Other provisions in the Bentsen small business bill would reduce the maximum effective capital gains tax rate from 20 percent to 10 percent for individuals who hold new issues of stock for at least five years; permit small corporations to claim tax deductions on up to \$250,000 of the dividends they pay; simplify Last-In-First-Out (LIFO) accounting rules for small business; and permit small businesses to use cash accounting methods similar to those now allowed farmers.

"We cannot maintain a healthy, competitive and growing economy unless there is enough capital available for the risktakers and entrepreneurs who have ideas they want to turn into businesses," Bentsen said.

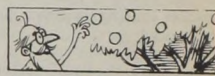
"We must also ensure that these small businesses receive equitable tax treatment. They are the backbone of the American economy," Senator Bentsen said.

William McKay of Lake Tahoe, Nevada spent two weeks visiting his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Woods, in Quitaque. Mr. McKay was enroute to McAllen to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry Morrison and Ruby Cushenberry drove to Tulia Wednesday of last week and were met there by the ladies' sisters, Mrs. Era Heckerson and Mrs. Neva Hickey of Dimmitt. They drove on to Amarillo to attend funeral services for Grant Troxell, 78, father of Morris Troxell. Mrs. Morris Troxell is a niece of the ladies.

Mrs. Cushenberry remained in Amarillo to visit her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Layne Cushenberry. Mrs. Layne Cushenberry brought her home Saturday.

Bailey Eddleman of Dimmitt fell at the home where he is staying and injured himself. He stayed in the Dimmitt hospital a few days. Mrs. Murry Morrison and Mrs. Ruby Cushenberry of Quitaque visited him Tuesday of last week. They report he is out of the hospital and improving.



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The ladies shown working on Mrs. Fuston's quilt are (left to right) Mrs. Fuston, Lois Lipscomb and Sabra Setliff.



Working on Mrs. King's quilt are Vernell Russell, Ida Hill, Virginia Degan, Nadine Baisden and Mrs. King.

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TURKEY HAS ORGANIZED A QUILTING CLUB

The newly-organized Quilting Club met Wednesday, September 15, in the Senior Citizens Room at Turkey City Hall to quilt for two of the members. Alice Fuston's quilt was an "improved nine patch" made of double knit materials. Ora Lee King's quilt was a "double wedding ring" quilt and was made of cotton material. Eighteen ladies were present and an enjoyable time was had by all. The next quilting date is October 11.

Directors Attend Annual Conference

Directors of the Plainview Production Credit Association (PCA) joined approximately 160 other farm credit officials attending the 1983 PCA Directors Conference held recently in San Antonio.

Directors representing the association were Chairman H. L. Porter of Petersburg, A. W. Anthony of Friona, Ray Robertson of Dimmitt and Harley Wells of Plainview.

Bill Black, president, also attended.

The purpose of the conference, held annually, is to update members of Production Credit Association boards of directors on matters concerning farm credit.

Featured speaker for the occasion was Peter J. Carney, president of the Federal Farm Credit Banks Funding Corporation. Carney explained how the Farm Credit System obtains the funds eventually passed along to the nation's agriculture industry.

A highlight of the conference was presentation by J. A. Rogers, president of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Texas, of a commemorative plaque honoring the Production Credit Association's 50th anniversary. The association was chartered in January of 1934.

Plainview PCA is one of 30 member-owned Production Credit Associations in Texas. Collectively they serve more than 16,000 of the state's agricultural producers. Last year more than \$2 billion was loaned through Texas PCAs.

At mid-year the Plainview Production Credit Association had approximately \$58 million loaned to 886 member-borrowers in Bailey, Briscoe, Castro, Floyd, Hale, Lamb, Parmer and Swisher counties.

PCAs have been a source of agricultural loans since the first association was chartered on September 11, 1933 in Champaign, Illinois. On October 10, the first PCA loan was made to Milton W. Warren at Mansfield, Illinois. The loan was for \$830.50 and was used to purchase 30 head of 850 pound cattle.

Today, there are 422 PCAs with more than \$22 billion in loan volume. Nationally they serve the credit needs of more than 380,000 farmers and ranchers.

"Stubbornness is the energy of fools." German Proverb

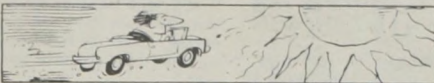
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter were in Lubbock Saturday on business. They visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Carter and Melanie, while there.



Cattle were brought to the New-World by Christopher Columbus on his second voyage.



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Elderly Farmer Attributes Good Health To Hard Work

He's had enough and he's not going to take it anymore. That is, 95-year-old John Adamson is swearing off surgery. He not only had his gallbladder removed at Highland Hospital, but eight days later underwent prostate surgery.

In the midst of a morning shave, only hours before the doctor told Adamson he needed prostate surgery, Adamson declared, "I'm not going to do this again. I'm not going to have surgery anymore."

But both operations were successful for the retired farmer who had his temperature taken for the first time when he was 84 years old. He attributes his health and age to "hard work. I'm a farmer so I don't have to get sick."

And although he says Highland Hospital (in Lubbock) is a "pretty good place to be," adding that "all the girls have been real nice to me," Adamson says he is going home soon.

And his wife of 68 years, Mayme, 91, says she's ready for him to. They have places to go and things to see. For example, they took their first two trips out of the country only recently.

"We went to 14 countries in Europe and then we took a trip to the South Pacific Islands and got to go to China, Singapore, Indonesia and Tahiti. The doctor gave us all these pills to take for sea sickness and we didn't take a one, but we didn't come home with any either. We had to give them to all the other people on the ship," said Mrs. Adamson.

While they were in Honolulu, Mrs. Adamson said her husband walked up 190 steps at one tourist site to view a monument. "One of our younger friends started up and looked around and John was right behind him," she said with pride.

Of course, the Adamsons have always found plenty to do in Turkey, where they have made their home for the past 55 years.

Adamson attends a cow sale with his son, J. R., jr., every Wednesday in nearby Floydada—a 55 mile drive.

"Every week he tells me, 'I want a clean shirt Mayme,'" Mrs. Adamson said. Picking himself up from his pillow, Adamson said, "I've got a girlfriend at the cow sale, but don't tell Mayme."

In addition, they play 42 weekly with the pastor of their church in Turkey. But the Adamsons tell conflicting stories on who racks up the most wins. However, Adamson did concede,

"I taught her to play, and I like to of taught her too good," he said.

As the nurse comes in with Adamson's afternoon dose of white chalky medicine and ominous-looking pink liquid, he smacks his lips. "Oh boy, that's good." But when the attendant jokingly offers him more "if it's so good," he declines.

Adamson, a firm believer in exercise, walked four miles a day until five years ago when "that wreck slowed me down." The couple was involved in an accident that broke Mrs. Adamson's jaw and several of his ribs.

Adamson retired from farming and ranching completely eight years ago, but says, with a wink, "I still work hard every day." Mrs. Adamson says she never worked outside the home, choosing instead to "just take care of John."

An obvious fan of her husband, Mrs. Adamson commented on his humor. "He doesn't talk much, but every once in a while, he'll come out with just a few words," she said.

But he says his reason for not talking much is simple: He doesn't get much of a chance. "There's no point in my talking much—Mayme outtalks me," he said, with a smile.

Reflecting over their life together and their health, Mrs. Adamson says she believes that thinking of others more than of oneself is the road to happiness and health. But Adamson says the key is much simpler than a philosophy—"It's just a good cook."

"They (time and doctors) are trying to kill me, but they can't do it. I'm sticking around."

(Editor's Note: Mrs. Adamson had thought they might get to bring Mr. Adamson home on Tuesday, but he has not felt so well the last few days.)

Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Maxwell returned Thursday from a three-week trip to their cabin in Arkansas. During the time they were joined by her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Earley and their son, Ross Maxwell, all of Odessa, Missouri, and their other son, Dr. and Mrs. Jon Maxwell and children of Idabel, Oklahoma. Since they returned home, their daughter, Mrs. Tim Holland and son, Russell, of Follett visited on Sunday.

The Dutch once believed that if a stork built its nest on the roof of your house, it meant the best of luck.

Vet's Land Program Generates \$16 Million In Loans

Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro has announced that the Veterans Land Board set an all-time agency productivity record for a 30-day period by requesting the issuance of 809 cash warrants from the State Comptroller's Office totaling \$16,600,000 during August to individuals selling land to the Veterans Land Program.

"This record-setting pace in the Veterans Land Program is good news for our Texas veterans and the entire state economy, particularly our Texas realtors and the banking and savings and loan industry. It represents an additional \$16 million generated into the state economy by the Veterans Land Program and is the largest number of warrants ever requested for one month in the 37-year history of the program," Mauro said. "For every dollar loaned to veterans from the program, another seven dollars will be generated for the entire state economy through additional related lending activities," Mauro said.

Mauro, who serves as chairman of the Veterans Land Board, said the figures represent 809 payments issued to individual land owners selling land to Texas veterans through the Veterans Land Program. The Veterans Land Board purchases land directly from the seller and then resells the land to the veteran through a long-term, low-interest rate loan. The program is operated at no cost to the taxpayer.

Mauro said the record number of warrant requests were achieved by eliminating needless paperwork and unnecessary steps in the loan application process and through his administration's use of modern goal-oriented management techniques. This has greatly reduced the amount of time needed to submit a completed application. The simplification of the loan procedures has enabled the Veterans Land Board to reduce the closing time for most loans from as much as 18 months previously to a current average of 90 days.

"This record could not have been set without the cooperation of our Texas real estate professionals, lending institutions, title companies, and the veterans organizations that have provided their confidence in the Veterans Land Program. It should also be welcome news to taxpayers who insist on and are entitled to cost-efficient government with a minimum of bureaucracy," Mauro said.

Mr. and Mrs. Leck Fuston of Monte Vista, Colorado came by Turkey on their way to Lawton, Oklahoma and San Antonio on a business trip. They left their small daughter, Jamie, to spend some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Fuston, and other relatives. James accompanied Leck and Lisa to San Antonio to pick up some longhorn cattle.

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Senator Bill Sarpalius Reports



Amendment No. 1

AUSTIN — There have been justices of the peace in Texas ever since Stephen F. Austin set up his colony in 1824 and every constitution since that time has provided for such an office. The office of constable has co-

existed primarily to deliver legal documents and to assist the justice courts.

On November 8, Texas voters will be asked to allow their local commissioners court to determine the number of precincts for justices of the peace and constables. The proposed amendment

to the constitution would allow the commissioners court to determine the number of JPs and constables within established state standards.

Proponents say there are many counties that do not need as many as four justices and four constables as is now required by the Constitution. The local court could reduce the number to as few as one justice and one constable.

Those who favor the amendment also say that paying the salaries of several JPs and constables when there is not a real need imposes an unnecessary financial burden on county taxpayers.

Those who oppose altering the Constitution say that if the number of justices and constables is reduced that other judges or some other county officials may have to perform some of the duties and that the county judicial system is already overburdened.

If the number is reduced, opponents say, people in those areas will be burdened with longer and more inconvenient trips to receive the services of the justice of the

peace or constable.

Under the amendment, a county with a population of 30,000 or more may not have less than four or more than eight precincts. A county with less than 18,000 population would be designated a single precinct unless the local court finds a greater need. Those counties between 18,000 and 30,000 would have not less than two or more than five precincts. In cities with 18,000 or more population, the amendment would call for two justices in each precinct.

If you have any questions about this or the other 10 amendments please contact me by writing Senator Bill Sarpalius, Box 12068, Austin, Texas 78711.

Social Security News By Terry J. Clements

One provision of the Social Security Amendments of 1983 increases the tax rates on self-employment income to a point where they equal the combined employer-employee tax rate. Under the old law, the self-employment tax rate was about one and one-half times the employee rate. For 1984, self-employed individuals will pay a total Social Security tax of 14 percent instead of the 9.35 percent scheduled under previous law.

The new law also provides for a self-employment tax credit of 2.7 percent of self-employment income for 1984, 2.3 percent for 1984, and 2.0 percent for 1986 through 1989. After 1989, these credits will be replaced by special provisions that are designed to treat self-employed persons in much the same manner as employees and employers are treated for Social Security and income tax purposes.

The self-employed individual's net earnings would first be adjusted downward so that only one-half of the total combined tax would be counted as part of his or her net earnings. This parallels the way employees are treated since their employers' taxes are not considered to be part of their wages for Social Security tax or benefit purposes.

Self-employed people will also get an income tax deduction equal to one-half of the self-employment tax rate. This, too, parallels the provision under which employers are permitted to deduct the Social Security taxes they pay on behalf of their employees as a business expense.

If you have a question concerning self-employment taxes please call us at 293-4371. If you need to visit our office our address is 1401-B West 5th Street, Plainview.

State Treasurer Sends Checks To Counties For Roads

Texas Treasurer Ann Richards has sent checks totaling \$7.3 million in grants to the state's 254 counties for road construction and maintenance projects.

The 27 counties in the Panhandle area are receiving a total of \$500,000.

The State Treasurer each year disburses money appropriated by the legislature for the Lateral Road Program. The grants may be used by counties for the purchase of right-of-way and for construction and maintenance of lateral roads, farm-to-market roads or state highways.

Mrs. Richards said the \$7.3 million is allocated to each county under a formula based on the county's area, rural population and lateral road mileage.

Briscoe County will receive \$13,729.90, and Hall County will receive \$16,517.96.

SEVEN COUSINS HAVE REUNION

Mrs. James Fuston and granddaughter, Jamie Fuston of Monte Vista, Colorado, spent the past weekend in Lubbock at the Granada Royal Hometel for a cousins' reunion. They had a great time. One of the cousins they had not seen in about ten years.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hill and Mrs. Goldie Russell visited Sunday afternoon in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Weatherly and family.

Otho Stubbs had surgery at Nichols Clinic in Plainview last week. He was scheduled to go to the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Gladney Stubbs, the first part of the week.

Mrs. Pigg Associated With Lubbock Realtor

Malcolm Garrett Realtors has announced the addition of Barbara Pigg as sales associate to the company's staff.

Mrs. Pigg, a native of Quitaque, received a business certificate from West Texas State University in 1970, and was associated with J. W. Lyon, Jr., attorney, in Silvertown for 10 years.

She became the youngest Justice of the Peace in Texas, for Precinct 1 in Briscoe County, in August of 1973, serving for nine years. She was elected to the board of directors of the Justices of the Peace and Constables Association of Texas and was made a life member of that association before leaving office.

Her family includes a son, Jon. Mrs. Pigg will be a part-time investigator for Associated Securities, Inc. in Lubbock.

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We wish to thank everyone for the many gifts of food, money donations, phone calls, cards, and the visits to the hospital and our home during the long illness and recent death of our husband and father, Joe Tiffin. These things will not soon be forgotten. A special thanks to the ladies who brought food to the church and those who served us. The family of Joe Tiffin

At the recent funeral of our mother, Rosamond (Johnson) Battles, formerly of Quitaque, a beautiful floral arrangement of pink glads, red roses and white mums was sent in her memory by "Quitaque Friends." The flowers, and the loving remem-

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NOTICE OF FILING

Notice is hereby given by West Texas Utilities Company (WTU) that on September 1, 1983, WTU filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) under Commission Substantive Rule 23.23 (052.02.03.033) (b) (2)—Rate Structure—a Petition to Set Interim and Final Fixed Fuel Factors. The Interim Fixed Fuel Factor applied for, \$0.036991 per KWH, is higher than the fuel factor that was applicable to August billings of \$0.035023 per KWH. The Final Fixed Fuel Factors applied for recognize seasonal variations of fuel costs and are as follows: November—1983 through April 1984—\$0.035279 per KWH, May 1984 through August 1984—\$0.041394 per KWH. Protests on requests to intervene in this filing should be directed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, Suite 400N, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Austin, Texas 78757, phone number (512)458-0100.

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