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Hearing To Be Held In Silverton

Residents of the Quitaque area will have a first-hand chance to hear about regional programs for the elderly during a hearing scheduled for Tuesday, July 26, 1961 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon at the Silverton Senior Citizens Center, 705 Commerce, Silverton, Texas.

The hearings are being held in five area towns to acquaint citizens with the Fortbend Area Agency on Aging's operating plans for 1961. The budget year for the agency begins October 1 of this year and runs through September 30 of 1962.

The hearings are required by the Texas Department on Aging

so that private citizens can comment on the Fortbend agency's two-year plan, now beginning its first year. The agency receives \$200,000 from the state aging department. Over \$100,000 of that goes directly into services in the region. The remainder is used to finance administration of the programs.

These types of programs are funded in conjunction with senior citizens centers; transportation, information and referral, home-maker services, emergency response system, adult day care, legal services and congregational services.

Valley Tennis Open Winners Announced Here

Petersburg's Tom Gregory went home with most of the honors in his pocket following last weekend's Valley Open Tennis Tournament. Gregory whipped his school teammate, Max Sugi, to grab the Boys Singles title, teamed with his brother Greg, to win the Boys 18 Doubles, and hooked up with Alvin Davis to beat Wilburn Langer and Trent Gibbons for the Open Mixed Doubles crown. He finished second, along with H. A. Jack of Berger, in the Open Men's Doubles. The first loss to former South Plains College star, Scotty Smith of Quitaque and Ron Burton of Lubbock.

Jack topped the Men's Singles Championship with a victory over Quitaque's Jerry Burfield. Following a relatively easy first set win, Jack found Burfield tougher in the second. He had to go to a seventh game before he finally put the match on his 7-5.

Speaking of us, there wasn't any following Sunday's matches. Mother Nature blizzared the field with temperatures well over 90 degrees on Saturday and Sunday.

Trent Gibbons and Venaad Chandler interrupted their Women's Open Singles championship to assemble for copious quantities of liquids and wet towels. Gibbons won the match in straight sets.

Burfield's Christy Mullin beat Angie Edwards of Turkey for the Girls Singles crown. The pair finished second to Petersburg's Alvin Davis and Sherry Thompson in the Girls Doubles event.

Quitaque's Lane Meyers won the boys 13-14 Singles title with a victory over his junior high basketball teammate, Kirk Seal. Really now, just how important can it be, fellows? You're not supposed to smile at one another after crushing an overhauled job at each other. You guys have got to start taking the game more seriously. The John McEnroe of the world would not appreciate your humor.

Terry Case of Canadian and Johnny Choate of Tulsa stopped Meyers and Seal in the 13-14 Boys Doubles. Mullin beat Turkey's Angie Edwards in the 13-14 Girls Singles. They teamed together to win the doubles with a victory over Quitaque's Carl Morrison and Melissa Morgan.

In the 12 under division, Shari Mullin of Turkey beat Turkey's Penny Myers. Gina Connor and Amy Morgan of Quitaque beat Mullin and Myers for the Doubles crown. Derek Mullin then stopped Turkey's Chad Calvert in the Boys Singles. Mullin then partnered with Brandon Smith to beat Quitaque's Warren Wayne Maxwell and John David Herman.

The Tennis Committee would like to extend our warm and appreciation thanks to those who donated to the purchase of trophies: Lucy Dry Goods, Turkey Automotive, Two 7's China and Gifts, Peoples State Bank, First National Bank of Quitaque, Quitaque Diner and Repair, Alvin Smith, Rex's Dry Goods, Burfield's True Value, Connor Insurance, Turkey Drive-In, Mary's Drive-In, City Drug, Maxwell Food and the Valley Farm Store. Proceeds go to the Valley School Tennis program.

—submitted by Steve Oakley

VAUGHAN FAMILY TO LEAD TURKEY REVIVAL

Rev. Carl Vaughan of San Angelo, Texas will be the evangelist for a revival meeting to be held Saturday, July 29, through Sunday, July 31, at the Assembly of God Church in Turkey.

His daughter, Mrs. Lavelle Washline of Springdale, Arkansas, will be pianist and soloist. His granddaughter, Lori Washline of Springdale, a music major graduate of the University of Arkansas, will be music director and soloist for the meeting.

Other local and visiting singers will also be featured.

The public is invited to attend any or all of these services which will begin at 7:30 o'clock nightly.



Duke Woods on camel. Herd in background is those used on the Matting Farms in Saudi Arabia.



Duke Woods (seated), Joe Farley, Flomot (center), Two men from India are standing on either side of Joe.



One of the tractors, a 4-wheel model on the Matting Farms in Arabia. Staggered by John Duvoss, being

Jimmy Don Davidson Injured In Accident

Jimmy Don Davidson is recovering at his home located south of Sterling City, Texas, after a three-day stay in Sherman Memorial Hospital in San Angelo. He suffered a broken right leg and foot, head lacerations and lesions after being dragged by a horse while helping an uncle with ranch work.

He was taken to the hospital by Sterling City's ambulance service. He will be in a cast for four to six months but hopes to be in Quitaque next weekend.

PICTURES!

Your editor possibly didn't make it clear about the pictures. There will not be much difference about the policy of the past, only on wedding pictures. Those are the ones that will be charged.

When anyone has a picture and story that can be used (especially front page news) please bring it to the newspaper.

New Cafe Opens In Turkey

A new cafe opened on Main Street in Turkey Friday, July 14. It is called Elena's Mexican Cafe and is operated by Ben and Elena Gonzalez and their family, with Mexican food as a specialty. The Gonzalez family moved to this area last October from Flagstaff. They open at 6:00 a.m. and serve breakfast, lunch and dinner. They have an ad elsewhere in this paper.

FILM SHOWN SUNDAY FOR TURKEY CHURCHES

A film about El Salvador, entitled "Faces of Man," was shown in the chapel of the First United Methodist Church in Turkey Sunday evening at 6:00 for the combined congregations of that church and the First Baptist Church.

The film showed all phases of the lives of the people in San Salvador and was very enlightening and was well received by all who saw it. It showed how the people, especially the poorer class, worked hard six days a week and then worshipped on Sunday. It told how important the churches were in their lives. In the afternoon, families participated in some type of recreation together.

Following the film, everyone gathered in the fellowship hall and enjoyed homemade ice cream, cake and cookies.

PUBLIC NOTICE

If your newspaper is a day late this week, it is due to a death in the Charles Sargent family, the couple who make up the Valley Tribune ready to print.

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Senior Citizens Game Night Is Tonight

The regular game night for Senior Citizens sponsored by "We the Women" will be held Thursday (tonight) at the Quitaque Community Center. Bring your dominoes and playing cards and join in the fun.
Refreshments will be served.

WITH THE SICK

Floyd Gilmore returned home from the Hall County Hospital in Memphis Saturday afternoon. He is reported to be resting better.

Mrs. Bert Degam had surgery at Nichols Hospital in Plainview and returned home Tuesday of this week. According to reports, she is doing fine.

Mrs. U. F. Coker, sr. entered Hall County Hospital in Memphis Saturday and is reported to be feeling better.

Mrs. Charles Hamner returned to her home from Hall County Hospital Saturday. She had surgery on Thursday and is reported to be doing fine.

Leroy Stone is a patient at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview. He was taken to the hospital by Mrs. Stone on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Mack (Brenda) Seymour is a patient at Hall County Hospital in Memphis. She went to see her doctor Tuesday morning, and he admitted her to the hospital and scheduled her for emergency surgery Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. H. G. Tant was moved from the hospital to the Heritage Home in Plainview last week, according to report by her daughter, Mrs. Mildred Hulsey. Her doctor wants her close so she can keep a check on her health.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barbee have both been on the sick list.

A. C. Barrett returned home from Central Plains Hospital in Plainview Saturday. Mrs. Barrett reports he is recuperating very well and they are both doing great.

TURKEY RESIDENTS ATTEND FU BARBECUE AT CROWELL

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. (Red) Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Blakney attended a barbecue in Crowell Thursday night held at the Ag Pavilion. It was sponsored by Floyd Borchardt, District III president of Farmers Union. Mr. Williams is president of the local FU.

Speakers for the event included Rep. Foster Whaley of Pampa

Buffalo Flat Reunion Is Well Attended

The Buffalo Flat annual reunion was held Sunday, July 17, at the Bob Wills Cafeteria. New officers were elected as follows, Lee Seymour, president, and Josephine Seymour, secretary-treasurer.

There were 52 persons in attendance from the following towns: Jacksboro, Panhandle, Hedley, Quanah, Fort Worth, Plainview, Amarillo, Pecos, Morton, Lubbock, Silvertown, Memphis and Turkey.

—Josephine Seymour, sec.

Mrs. James May visited friends in Memphis Sunday. She visited Lillie Davis and Nellie Stephens. The ladies had worked in the hospital together.

Recent visitors in the Orval Cobb home were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Dyer of Whitehouse. On Sunday, they were joined by Mrs. James McBee and son, Christopher, of Kress, Donna McBee of Amarillo, and Michael Cobb of Amarillo, who had spent the week visiting his grandparents, the Orval Cobbs.

Visitors in the Odis Reagan home last Sunday were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Chapman of Springtown and Mrs. Ella Mason. The Chapmans came Saturday and spent the day

and night with her mother, Mrs. Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Kirk of Lubbock were here to attend the wedding of Suzanne Lane last weekend. Mrs. Kirk is the former Susan Sperry.

Mr. and Mrs. Corky Morris of Dimmitt spent from Friday until Sunday morning visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Morris, in Quitaque. They drove to Childress Saturday morning on business but returned to Quitaque to spend the night.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Morris were in Lockney Tuesday morning to see the doctor. They both received treatment.



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USDA Offers Special "Harvest For PIK" Cotton Loans

The U. S. Department of Agriculture will offer special "Harvest for PIK" loans to cotton farmers who do not have enough upland cotton under CCC loan to satisfy their PIK requirements, Everett Rank, executive vice president of the Commodity Credit Corporation, has announced.

Rank said a special procedure will be available for those producers who are required to harvest 1983 cotton for PIK but do not want a regular loan. Two options are available at the time the loan is made: the producer may receive the PIK cotton immediately and the proceeds from the sale of cotton to CCC after the PIK availability date, or receive the proceeds immediately and the PIK cotton after the PIK availability date.

CCC will pay warehouse storage charges through the date the producer redeems his loan to satisfy his PIK requirements

unless the producer elects not to pay the loan service fee.

"With this procedure," Rank said, "producers will be permitted to obtain their PIK commodities before the PIK availability date but will not receive payment for 1983-crop cotton sold to CCC to satisfy PIK requirements until the PIK availability date."

Rank said CCC also will offer to purchase cotton that has been ginned but has not been classed and is not stored in an approved warehouse. In this instance, the purchase price will be based on the 1983 loan rate for the base PIK quality for the area where PIK was earned. The cotton purchased by CCC will be used to satisfy the producers' PIK on a pound-for-pound basis.

Rank said producers should contact their local Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service office for further details on their loans, which will be available soon.

Taxing The Nation's Health

Some legislators are looking for ways to defeat a proposed tax increase that could affect America's health.

The Administration has proposed an amendment to the Internal Revenue Code that would impose a tax on a portion of the health care coverage employees receive from their employers as fringe benefits.

Under current law, employer contributions to employee health benefit plans are not taxed. Under the Administration's plan, health care benefits would be regarded as taxable income for the first time in history.

Employees with families would be taxed on the amount of employer contributions for health benefits exceeding \$175 per month in 1984; for individuals, the benefits ceiling, or "cap," would be \$70 per month in the first year. By treating employer contributions as taxable employee income, amounts also would be subject to Social Security Tax payments.

The American Dental Association and its 140,000 members hear the nation's concern with rising health



The government would like to tax health benefits plans.

care costs, but question the worth of this approach.

The tax increase may continue the inflationary trend in health cost by favoring those health services and benefit plans that have been among the most inflationary: hospital and major medical care. The proposed tax could force American workers to insure against catastrophic illnesses and injury by giving up preventive health care such as that covered by dental plans in order to avoid higher taxes.

Many taxpayers are asking their legislators about their stand on H.R. 2574 or S. 640, the House and Senate bill to tax health insurance. The constituents are communicating with Congress at the House of Representatives, Washington, D.C. 20515 and the U.S. Senate, Washington, D.C. 20510.

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CHILDREN INJURED ON PLAY EQUIPMENT

"Last year thousands of children, mostly under 10 years of age, were injured on or around outdoor play equipment," cautions Dr. Mary Ann Shirer, a health education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. According to Dr. Shirer, the first step in safety is proper installation of equipment.

Swing sets should be installed a minimum of six feet away from fences, walls, walkways and other play areas such as sandboxes. The equipment should be placed over grass or sand rather than hard surfaces such as concrete. For stability, the legs of the equipment can be set in concrete, but all types of anchoring should be placed below ground level to avoid a tripping hazard, says the specialist.



A message from the Troopers of the
Texas Department of Public Safety

Medicaid Sanctions To Be Imposed

AUSTIN—An estimated \$1 million a year in Medicaid sanctions will be imposed on nursing homes which are not in compliance with federal and state standards, under a policy adopted Thursday by the Texas Board of Human Resources.

The sanctions would be levied against nursing homes when deficiencies pose an immediate threat to the health and safety of recipient patients, when deficiencies are a health hazard, when there are deficiencies in general operations, and when nursing homes are deficient twice in a 12-month period.

The new policy is subject to public hearings and adoption of final rules.

An estimated 50 nursing homes could suffer cancellation of their contracts to furnish Medicaid health care to low-income elderly, blind, disabled, and mentally retarded Texans. An estimated 150 nursing homes could lose Medicaid payments for an average of 30 days each.

About 1,100 nursing homes furnish Medicaid health care to roughly 72,000 impoverished Texans at a cost of \$496.6 million.

At present, the department enforces nursing home compliance with standards by temporarily withholding Medicaid reimbursements or cancelling contracts to care for needy Texans.

The reimbursements eventually are released to the facilities after standards are met. The department sets nursing home standards and pays for Medicaid health care. The Texas Department of Health inspects nursing homes for compliance with standards.

Under the new DHR policy, when deficiencies are found that affect the immediate health and safety of patients, the department will immediately withhold Medicaid payments for existing patients and notify the home that its contract is being cancelled. No payment will be made while the homes is without a contract. Then, during a 30-day probationary contract period, the department still will not pay for care of new Medicaid patients admitted by the home. If a Health Department survey shows the nursing home has remained in compliance with standards for the 30-day probationary period, a non-probationary contract could be negotiated.

Hazardous deficiencies could result in withholding Medicaid payments for up to 60 days while the nursing home is attempting to remedy its problems. The facility would not be reimbursed for new Medicaid patients until it has complied with state and federal standards. If the home's contract is being cancelled, no reimbursement would be made for new Medicaid recipients during a

30-day probationary period, when a new non-probationary contract could be entered if the facility remains in compliance.

Nursing homes would have

30 days to correct deficiencies in general operations. If the deficiencies are not corrected within that time, the department would withhold Medicaid payments for up to 60

days. If corrections are not made within the 60 days, DHR would cancel the contract. Payments for new Medicaid patients would not begin until the nursing home




entered a new non-probationary contract, following a 30-day probationary period.

"What is easy is seldom excellent." Dr. Johnson

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West Texas Natives Returning To Fair

Three West Texas natives will be returning to the 66th annual Panhandle-South Plains Fair in Lubbock this fall after an absence of three years.

Larry Gatlin and the Gatlin Brothers, natives of Odessa, have been booked for appearances at 7:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. September 27, according to Steve L. Lewis, general manager.

Others slated to appear include Reba McEntire and the Maines Brothers, co-headlining two shows at 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. on September 26; Ronnie Milsap on September 28; Conway Twitty, September 29, and Mel Tillis, September 30. The latter three acts will be at 7:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. daily.

A new format is being attempted by the fair for the first time this year. Except for the McEntire/Maines show, none of the others will have opening acts. Instead, headliners will perform one-hour shows, with no intermission.

Aside from being natives of the area, the Gatlins are no

strangers to the Lubbock area. They last played at the fair in 1980.

Although group leader Larry attended the University of Houston on a football scholarship, his brothers attended Texas Tech. Steve Gatlin graduated with a degree in elementary education and Rudy got a BA in business administration.

Larry, the eldest of the trio, began writing religious lyrics to pop songs when he was 10 years old.

Larry got his first break singing and touring with the famed Imperials, a gospel group which had previously worked with the late Elvis Presley. He moved to Nashville and met Dottie West.

Steve and Rudy later joined him there and they did some backup work for Miss West in addition to a demo record that eventually found its way to Monument Records. They were offered a recording contract and cut several songs, including "New York City," which was released in 1972 as a single.

Later came "Larry Gatlin, Family and Friends," an album that provided a turning point. "Broken Lady" won them a

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bendnati are the proud parents of a daughter, born July 18. She weighed 8 lbs. 3 ozs. and measured 21 inches. Her name is Candace DeShay.

Grandparents are Mrs. Mary Helen Wallace and Mrs. Barbara Bendnati.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James W. Kimbell.

Grammy Award in 1976 and was followed by such hits as "Statues Without Hearts," "I Don't Wanna Cry," "Love Is Just a Game," "I Just Wish You Were Someone I Love," "Night Time Magic," "Straight Ahead" and the biggest hit of their career, "All the Gold in California." A pair of LPs, "Help Yourself" and "Not Guilty" followed that big one.

Last year the group toured the nation and co-headlined some 100 concert dates with Kenny Rogers and also appeared with Dolly Parton.

Tickets for all stage shows are \$7 and \$9 and may be ordered by mail by writing to Show Tickets, P. O. Box 208, Lubbock, Texas 79408. Requests will be processed in the order in which received and orders will be filled after August 1.

The Turkey office of the Tribune received a note from Mrs. Mike Mullin of Hobbs, New Mexico, former Turkey resident, giving us a change of address, which we will share with you: #114 Continental Trailer Park, Hobbs, New Mexico 88240.

We also received a call from Shirley Couch Saturday saying they had moved to Clarendon. We will miss her, Darrell and daughter, Kristen, but wish them well in their new home. Shirley has been commuting for a long time to her job in Clarendon, and Darrell had been attending classes there.

Tim Johnson, minister of the Church of Christ in Tulia, visited friends and relatives in Turkey Monday.

Sammy Hamilton has spent the past two weeks visiting in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Brunson visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bloxom, in Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Birt Lane and Patti, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lane, Amy, Krysha and Kiley, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lane and Blade, all of Plainview, were in Turkey for the Lane-Thomas wedding Saturday. Later they were supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lane.

HISTORICAL COMMITTEE TO MEET FRIDAY

The Briscoe County Historical Survey Committee will have a meeting Friday, July 22, at 7:30 p.m. at the Quitaque Community Center.

It is very important that all commissioners and historical committee members be present.

OPEN TENNIS TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD IN FLOYDADA

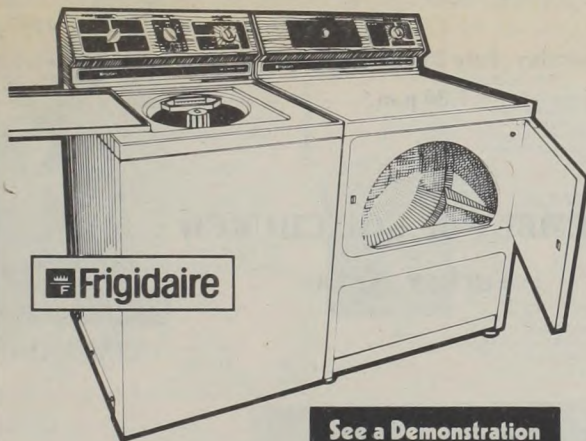
The 1983 Floydada Open Tennis Tournament, sponsored by the Floydada Quarterback Club, will be held August 10-14 at the Floydada High School Tennis Courts.

There will be divisions and events for the 14's, 18's, and Open. Trophies for first and second place winners in each division and for first place consolation winners (open) will be presented.

Anyone interested in entering the tournament should contact Teresa Hollums, 711 West Virginia, Floydada 79235, 983-5193; Tommy Baxter, 1112 South Third, Floydada, 983-5395, or Pat Zimmerman, P. O. Box 490, Floydada, 983-5611.

Mrs. Eva Blevins of Farmington, New Mexico was a visitor last week in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Conner.

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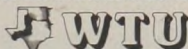
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Senator Bill Sarpalius Reports



SOCIAL WORK CERTIFICATION

AUSTIN The Texas Legislature has approved legislation we sponsored which calls for changes in the state's social work certification process.

The new measure allows the Texas Department of Human Resources to consider experience and degrees which are closely related to social work when a person applies for social work certification.

Under the new provision, a person can become a Certified Social Worker, which is the highest level of certification, if he or she has a Ph.D. or master's degree in a social work related field and two years of experience. In addition, an individual can qualify as a Certified Social Worker if he or she has a bachelor's degree in social work or a related field and five years of experience, or a bachelor's degree in any field and ten years of experience. Previously, a person applying for Certified Social Worker status was required to have a Ph.D. or master's degree in social work.

To become certified as a social worker, which is the second highest degree of certification, a person will now be eligible if he or she has at least an associate's degree and ten years of experience or a high school diploma and fifteen years of experience. Previously,

a person would be considered for Social Worker Certification only if he or she had a bachelor's degree in social work.

The new provisions included in the Social Work Certification process will

only be in effect until 1985. After that time, the standards for certification will revert back to the original educational requirements, and the "grandfathering" period will be over.

The grandfather clause is necessary to protect those workers who are highly respected in the field of social work and who are extremely competent despite the fact they may not have a Ph.D. or a master's degree. We believe the grandfather clause is important to allow for certification of those individuals who have worked in the field of social work for ten, twenty, thirty years or more and contribute a great deal towards understanding and responsibilities of child care.

We believe this legislation is significant to Boys Ranch and Girlstown as well as to many other child care facilities around the state.

If you have questions or comments about the certification process, you can contact us by writing, Senator Bill Sarpalius, P.O. Box 12068, Austin, Texas 78711.

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Better Tractor Use Is Conference Goal

Ways farmers can recognize a soil compaction problem and some things to do about it will be explained during the Big Tractor Conference in Amarillo Thursday, August 11.

The conference is designed to help area farmers make the most economical use of their tractors and assist equipment dealers in matching equipment to the needs of their customers. Elston Grubaugh, agricultural engineer with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, said.

The conference begins at 10:00 a.m. at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center, 6500 Amarillo Boulevard, West. Registration begins at 9:00 a.m. There is no charge to attend.

Speakers for the conference will include agricultural engineers, economists and tractor specialists from the Extension Service and industry.

Management of soil compaction, including ways of holding it to a minimum, will be discussed by Edwin Colburn, Extension agronomist and soil management specialist from College Station.

Mechanical front wheel assist in row crop tractors will be

examined by Norman Swinford, tractor products manager for Allis Chalmers Corporation, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

High speed farming with two-wheel-drive and four-wheel-drive equipment will be discussed by W. D. Holstun, marketing division manager for John Deere Tractor Works, Waterloo, Iowa.

The use of computerized management tools to analyze tractor costs will be explained by Extension agricultural economist Gary D. Condra of Lubbock.

The size and shape of the tractor of the future will be discussed by Gerry Mortensen, engineering field test manager for Steiger Tractor, Inc., Fargo, North Dakota. William P. Simpson, product information specialist with J. I. Case Company, Racine, Wisconsin, will discuss tractor weighting and its effect on performance.

Tractor size and implement matching will be covered by Dave Hess, advanced design manager for crop production systems, International Harvester, Hinsdale, Illinois. A comparative analysis of radial and bias-ply drive wheel tractor tires will be made by Lyle Bohnert,

senior field development engineer for B. F. Goodrich Company, Franklin Park, Illinois.

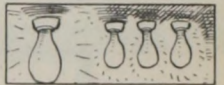
The role of four-wheel-drive tractors in row crop farming will be examined by Dave Hess, advanced design manager for crop production systems, International Harvester, Hinsdale, Illinois.

The program will conclude with a panel discussion by area farmers and equipment dealers. Henry O'Neal, Extension agricultural engineer from College Station, will moderate the discussion.

A display of tractors and implements will be provided by area farm equipment dealers.



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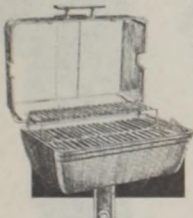
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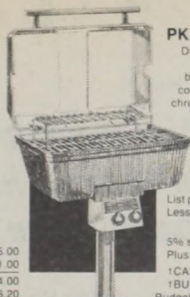


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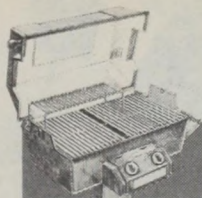
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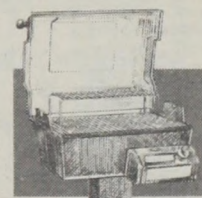


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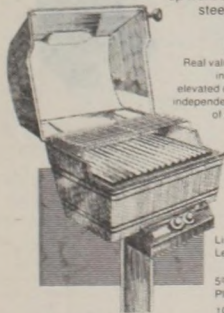
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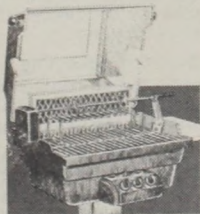


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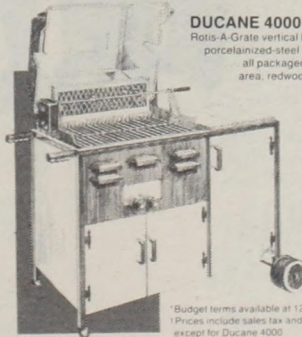
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Cherri Brown Attended Study Tour In New York

Miss Cherri Brown, County Extension Agent at Clarendon, recently attended a Clothing Study Tour in New York. She was one of sixty Extension Agents and Clothing Specialists from across the state to participate.

The group left Dallas by plane. The tour included educational visits to Celanese Fibers Marketing Company, J. P. Stevens Company, a fabric manufacturer, Butterick Fashion Marketing Company, the Wool Bureau, Metropolitan Museum of Art-Costume, Simplicity Pattern Company, E. I. DuPont, Jerry Brown Imported Fabrics, Clairol, Men's Fashion Association, Eastman Chemical Products, Cotton Incorporated, Museum of the City of New York and McCall Pattern Company.

The purpose of the tour was to help Extension home economists gain an understanding of the interrelationships and resources available from business, industry, trade associations and educational institutions in order to be more effective teachers in the counties they serve.

Miss Brown is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bennie D. Brown of Quitaque.

"We The Women" View Slides Of European Trip

"We the Women" met Monday for its regular monthly luncheon.

The president, Mrs. O. R. Stark, jr., called the meeting to order and read a letter from the Texas Beautification Bureau which congratulated Quitaque on its entry and the much work done over the year to win tenth place in the contest. She also read a comment which was printed in The Tulia Herald, written by Editor Wendell Tool-ey, in which he expressed his congratulations to his neighbors east of Tulia, Quitaque, on their entry into the contest and placing over so many entries. He called attention to this people, of the work that Quitaque has done over the years and how the combined effort of all the people had made Quitaque a clean, neat town with "pride" which is part of the Quitaque motto. He asked his people through the City Council and the Chamber of Commerce to take notice and get behind a similar effort and clean up their town.

Mrs. R. E. Boyles brought a financial report. Other items of business were discussed, including the participation and sponsoring of a Bike-a-Thon and possibly a Walk-a-Thon to help the St. Jude's Crippled Children. The organization voted to sponsor this worthy project.

After the business meeting, Mrs. Stark showed slides of the trip she and her husband made last fall to Europe. She narrated the pictures and it was very interesting and very beautiful, beginning with the landing in England. She and her husband and another couple took the trip together, rather than try a tour, and they were able to see the things of interest to them and to visit the countryside in the countries they visited. In this

way, they were better able to get the feeling of the people of the countries. They visited England, France, Switzerland, Austria and Germany.

Mrs. Stark stated this trip was a dream come true, but now it is just the first dream come true. She plans to return, if at all possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Grundy and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Chandler and grandson, Jon Earl Pigg,

recently spent the weekend at Lake Stamford in their trailer houses. They report a good catch of fish, having all they could eat and bringing some home.

Guests in the R. E. Boyles home the afternoon of July 4 were Mr. and Mrs. Preston Smith of Amarillo.

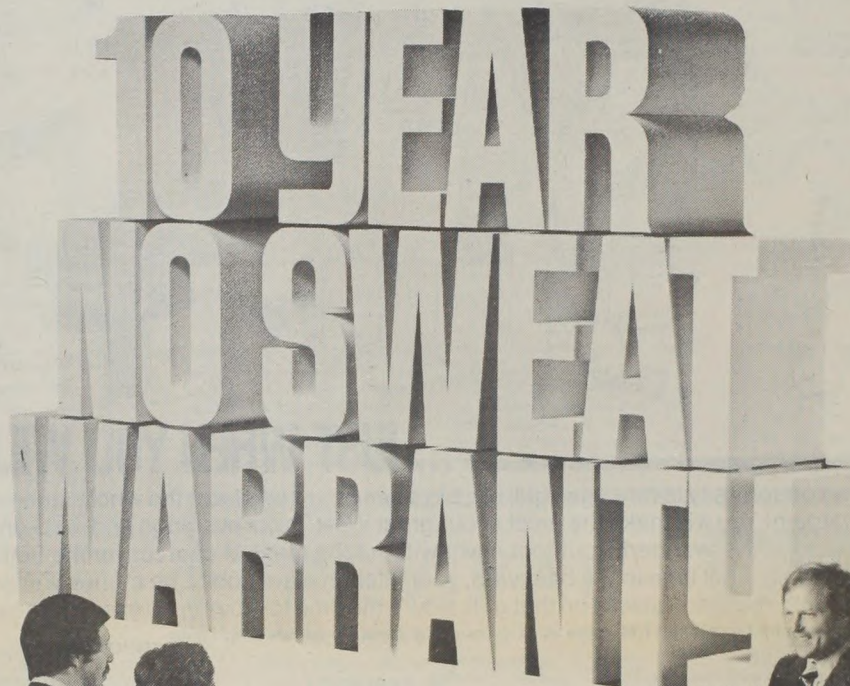
Mrs. L. G. Johnson and daughter, Tracey, of McKinney arrived Saturday in Quitaque to

visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. John Monk. She returned home Sunday taking her son, Dennis, who had spent the week here. Tracey remained in Quitaque to visit her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Conner and daughters were in Petersburg Sunday where Elgin spoke at the Church of Christ for both services. They were guests for lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Adrian. Sunday evening after services

they drove to Floydada with the Larry Lyde family and enjoyed pizza.

Lottie Owens visited her sister, Mrs. Ollie McMinn, in Silverton Sunday. Mrs. McMinn spent a few days at High Plains Hospital in Amarillo last week. Her son, Travis McMinn and wife, and her father, Lawrence Renfro of Lubbock, visited in the afternoon. They took a tour of Lake Mackenzie in the afternoon.



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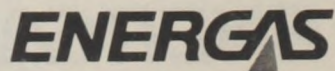
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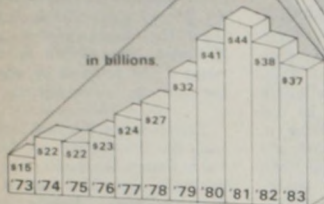
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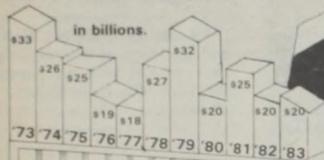
Statistics that shape Agriculture, from the Texas Dept. of Agriculture

Exports Fail to Boost Farm Income

Farm Exports Up 143% Since 1973



Farm Income Down 40% Since 1973



'83 figures are estimates. Source: U.S.D.A.

The current administration has proposed a continuation of an export-based farm policy, but "the facts show that increased farm exports haven't increased the farmer's income," said Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower. "Agriculture exports have helped to diminish the U. S. international trade deficit, and have boosted the income of many export firms, but farmers have seen their commodity prices fall and their income plummet to the lowest level in 50 years."

New emphasis put on helping Texas youth, elderly

AUSTIN—The Texas Board of Human Resources has placed new emphasis on preventing teen-age pregnancy, furnishing employment opportunities to welfare mothers, and protecting abused elderly Texans.

The board added the emphasis in approving a \$2.2 billion operating budget for the year beginning Sept. 1.

The budget total does not include up to \$715 million in federal food stamps which are expected to be distributed during the year.

The annual operating budget would increase cash grants to \$48 per month for children who are eligible for Aid to Families with Dependent Children. The current average monthly payment is \$42 per person.

The 3-member citizen board added more than \$5 million to the budget recommended by the staff of the Human Resources Department. The additional funds will come from a 10 percent transfer of funds from a federal block grant for home energy assistance. The \$8.2 million transfer, authorized by federal law, will come from 1984 funds and unused funds from 1983.

The additional money was dedicated to a public awareness campaign and telephone hotline for receiving reports of abuse, neglect, or exploitation of the disabled and elderly.

The estimated cost would be \$208,492.

An extra \$1.2 million would be used to beef up the department's family planning program to prevent teen-age pregnancies and \$1.4 million more would be spent to furnish employment opportunities for welfare mothers and applicants for welfare. The employment program would be accompanied by \$1.8 million to furnish day care for the children of women working their way off welfare.

The board also voted \$600,000 to extend services at family violence centers and to evaluate the effectiveness of centers for battered spouses.

Eligibility for entering a nursing home also was eased by a decision to raise the ceiling on monthly income to \$611.40 rather than the existing \$568.20 maximum income for a person seeking Medicaid nursing home care.

The board directed department executives to prepare cost estimates and a recommendation for furnishing prenatal health care to pregnant women who would be eligible for AFDC upon the birth of a child. Such a program might cost \$5 million, the board was told.

A recommendation also was requested on the cost and procedures for furnishing

Medicaid health care to children who live in poverty, but who are not eligible for AFDC. The board was told that such a program might cost \$26 million a year.

INDEPENDENT CATTLEMEN BEGIN AG SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM IN TEXAS

The Independent Cattlemen's Association of Texas is aiming to keep more Texas young people involved in agriculture through a new scholarship program begun this year in cooperation with the Texas 4-H Foundation.

At its ninth annual convention in Austin recently, ICA awarded the first \$1,500 installment toward a four-year \$6,000 scholarship to an outstanding 19-year-old Hereford breeder from Ralls —J. D. Ragland. Ragland, an

animal science major at Howard County Junior College in Big Spring, was selected for the honor based on outstanding achievements in beef production and breeding under the Texas 4-H program. Ragland has built a herd of 64 registered and commercial cattle from scratch, and hopes to specialize in artificial insemination and embryo transplants.

The scholarship program, known as the ICA/4-H Ranchers Award, is designed to assist promising young adults who wish to pursue ranching-related degrees.

"Agriculture is our country's greatest strength, and our young people are our most precious asset," said ICA President Roy Wheeler. "ICA is proud to sponsor this scholarship program, and feels that the dollars we invest in our young people's

ENERGY SAVING RESULTS ON SOME FOODS

Since the microwave absorption of foods depends on their water and salt content, microwave cooking is not equally energy saving for all foods, states Bonnie Piernot, a family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Research shows the greatest energy savings when cooking small to medium quantities of

concentrated foods, such as meats, potatoes, desserts and TV dinners. Foods such as corn, broccoli and similar vegetables require more energy to cook with microwave than with conventional electric surface units. "For any normal saucepan operation, the cooktop of an electric range is as energy efficient, or more so, than the microwave oven," says Piernot.

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GRAVESIDE RITES FOR BROTHER-IN-LAW OF TURKEY RESIDENTS

Graveside rites for Cecil Lee Culver, jr., 54, of Groom, were conducted in Dreamland Cemetery at Turkey Monday at 2:00 p.m. Mr. Culver was the brother-in-law of Mrs. Dona Browning, W. B. Horace Elmer and Jesse Mullin, all of Turkey. He died Saturday afternoon.

Funeral services were held in Groom at 10:00 a.m. Monday at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Barry Bradley, pastor, and Gene Shelburne, minister of the Anna Street Church of Christ in Amarillo, officiating.

Survivors include his wife, the former Mary Maude Mullin, two daughters, a step-son, Arnie Duncan of Amarillo, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Culver, sr. of Groom, and four grandchildren.

The family requested that memorials be to the American Cancer Society. A member of the family stated that Mr. Culver had contributed to the Don Harrington Cancer Research Society and it was very dear to him and his family.

A time of fellowship and refreshments was provided by the Turkey Church of Christ following the graveside rites, which was much appreciated by the family, it was reported.

The Brewer sisters had a get-together recently. Connie and her husband, Weldon Townsend of Oxnard, California came to Odessa to his brother's to pick up a car, then they went on to Big Spring and Bernice Arnold accompanied them to Turkey to the home of Therna Farley. They all went to Muleshoe and visited with Ethel Askew and on to Amarillo to visit Esther and Russ Butler and Odie Lane. They had a great time visiting, according to reports.

Marlene and Ray Mullin of Springfield, Missouri spent last week visiting her mother, Mrs. Faye Cawley, and his father, Bill Mullin.

FORMER QUITAQUE PASTOR'S WIFE DIES IN ARKANSAS

Mrs. J. Lowell Ponder, 75, died Wednesday, July 6, at Fayetteville, Arkansas. According to report received here, she suffered a heart attack and the doctor reported she had three collapsed arteries. On Sunday, July 3, she suffered a stroke and died on the following Wednesday.

Mrs. Ponder was the wife of Rev. J. Lowell Ponder, a former pastor of the First Baptist Church in Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farley of Almagordo, New Mexico and her cousin, David Kingsly of Plainview visited over the Fourth of July weekend with his mother, Therna Farley. The Steve Farleys had lunch with them at Therna's and that night they all enjoyed cake and ice cream and shot fireworks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mullin are spending the week at South Fork, Colorado where they are fishing and sightseeing.

Mrs. Robert Pierce and children, Howard, Tommy and Linda, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Spivey of Bowie spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pierce.

Visiting in the home of LaVon Gafford over the weekend were Floyd and Betti Gafford and their grandson, Joshua Gafford, all of Pampa.

Chad Isbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. LaVon Gafford is expected home on August 6. He has been visiting this summer in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. James Barefield spent from Tuesday until Friday last week in Breckenridge on Lake Hubbard. They got in some fishing and also visited James' brother, Mr. and Mrs. Don Barefield. They stayed in the cabin on the lake.

THE VALLEY TRIBUNE

Mrs. Velma Jones accompanied Lottie Owens to Lubbock Monday morning to see a doctor. Lottie had a painful thumb caused by an injury two years ago when she broke her left arm in a fall on the ice. The doctor put an injection into the thumb joint and reports it was thrown out of place in the fall but had been put back into place. This has caused a little misalignment, but is nothing serious. It is just causing arthritis. (At least we know now.)

Recent visitors in the Leon McCracken home were Rev. Mike Grebenik and family.

Also, Rev. Bob Beck and wife, Reva Jean, of Fort Worth. He preached at both services at the First Baptist Church in Quitaque during the absence of the pastor.

Other visitors were Jerry and Ann Chandler of Forney, Texas. They attended the Fifties Class Reunion at Turkey, and also visited the McCrackens.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Dyer of Whitehouse visited in the Odis Reagan home recently. Mr. Dyer is a former resident of the Quitaque area. He and his wife take the Valley Tribune and he reports he reads it from cover to cover, even the want ads.

Visitors in the Dick Taylor home Wednesday evening for dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Duncan and Darcee, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ray Duncan, Nikki, Robi and Samantha Jo, all of Panhandle, and Mrs. Eula Merrell of Clarendon.

The two Duncan families spent the night. On Thursday, the Duncans and the Taylors drove to Lockney where they visited Mrs. J. T. Bradley and they had five generations pictures made. The Tribune will print the pictures and a story later.

The Duncans returned to their respective homes Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Taylor of Canyon spent Tuesday of last week in Quitaque visiting his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Taylor drove to Clarendon Sunday where they were guests of Mrs. Eula Merrell. In the afternoon, Mrs. Dan Duncan and daughter, Darcee, and a friend from Panhandle joined them for a visit.

Visitors in the Carl Woods home last week were their daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Dale Rowell and Stephanie of Dumas.

Guests for the weekend were Dale Rowell and Carl Wayne Woods of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Woods, Alisa and Zant, Plainview, and Shannon Rowell came with them after he had spent a few days visiting in Plainview. Mrs. E. E. Woods and Opel Hamilton, Quitaque, and Mrs. Essie Woods of Arnett, Oklahoma, and Bart Owens were guests Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hairgrove of Lubbock were overnight visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Woods visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Woods, Ashley and Trevor, in Lubbock Saturday. Trevor returned home with his grandparents to spend a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Grundy and Mr. and Mrs. Babe Chandler spent the weekend at their cabin on Lake Stamford. Charley reports the fish were not biting.

THURSDAY, JULY 21, 1983

Scott Hedrick of Canyon spent from Friday until Sunday in Quitaque visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter.

Todd Hedrick of Canyon is appearing in the production of the drama, "Texas," this summer. He is a cowboy, singing, riding, etc. This should make the drama more interesting to local folk and make more want to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Farley are going back and forth checking on their daughter, Mrs. Jack Wellman, who is still in the hospital and progressing about the same, her mother reports.

Visitors in the Wendell Farley home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Farley, April and Cory of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Farley, Melody and Vance, Quitaque.

April remained with her grandparents for a longer visit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight McKay and son, Jody, of Amarillo spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon McKay, in Quitaque.

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At the request of the Office of the General Counsel of the Public Utility Commission, the Commission has established Docket No. 5113 to inquire into pressing issues involving the entire telephone industry in Texas. Docket No. 5113 will deal with many issues resulting from the impending divestiture of American Telephone and Telegraph Company and Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. Some of those issues include establishing the service areas of Southwestern Bell after divestiture and assessing the impact on other telephone companies in Texas, including General Telephone of The Southwest, of current settlement arrangements between Southwestern Bell and those companies. Additionally, Docket No. 5113 will deal with the issues arising from the Federal Communications Commission's Final Order in Docket 78-72 (the Access Charge Docket) as they impact all telephone companies, including General Telephone Company of The Southwest. It is anticipated that Docket No. 5113 will be evidentiary in nature. RATES FOR GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE SOUTHWEST MAY BE DETERMINED BY THE COMMISSION IN OR AS A RESULT OF THIS PROCEEDING. Interested parties seeking further information or desiring to participate in Docket No. 5113 are advised to write to Rhonda Colbert Ryan, Secretary and Director of Hearings, Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757 or telephone the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512)458-0223 or 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221 TTY for the deaf.

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Mrs. Oakley Is Cystic Fibrosis Chairman

The Lone Star Chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation announces the appointment of Mrs. Cynthia Oakley as chairman of its 1983 campaign in Quitaque.

The campaign will be held to provide the community with information about cystic fibrosis, and to raise funds to support research, education and care programs.

The number one genetic killer of children, CF is difficult to diagnose and impossible to cure. Each day five babies are born with the tragic disease that will clog and choke their lungs and inhibit their digestive processes and their growth, the disease that will eventually take their lives as it takes the lives of three people each and every day.

For information about cystic fibrosis and how you can help in the fight to find a cure, please contact Mrs. Oakley.

A group will contact the public for donations. Each night at the softball tournament, two cakes will be given away. You do not have to be present to receive a cake. The tournament begins Friday night and continues through Sunday night.

Be sure to make your donation early.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Friend:

You have written me in the past to express your opposition to the President's proposal to withhold 10% of the interest on savings and dividends for income taxes. Since the July 1 deadline for implementing this new law has passed, I wanted to let you know the status of our efforts to repeal the law.

As you may already know, the withholding proposal was never an additional income tax, but was a new way of collecting taxes on interest and dividend income which has always been subject to taxation in the past. The measure was part of President Reagan's tax program, and the President and the Secretary of the Treasury have insisted that it must remain in place.

Earlier this year, I cosponsored a bill to repeal the law. The Senate and the House have both passed bills to repeal it, although the Senate passed a different version than that which passed the House. Until the House and Senate work out their differences between the two bills, the law will remain on the books. In the meantime, the Secretary of the Treasury has said that he will delay the implementation date of the new withholding procedure until August 1 so that the matter can be resolved.

Once the bill is passed in final form by both Houses, it will go to President Reagan for his signa-

Fuston-Davidson Wedding Plans Are Announced

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Fuston of Turkey and Mr. and Mrs. James M. Davidson of Quitaque announce the marriage plans of their children, Laura Lynn and Jon David.

Wedding vows will be read at the Turkey Church of Christ Saturday, July 23, at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

Friends of the couple are invited to attend.

ture. At this point, it is impossible to predict what the President will do. The President proposed the withholding tax originally, and over the past few months has said several times that he will veto any repeal rather than sign it into law. If he does this, then the only possibility for repeal of this new collection procedure is an override of the President's veto by a two-thirds vote of Congress. I will vote to override if it comes to this.

If the House and Senate can agree on a final bill that will sufficiently strengthen interest and dividend tax reporting requirements, then it is still possible that the President will sign the withholding tax repeal law. I sincerely hope this is what will happen, since both Congress and the American people have indicated such strong objection to the withholding of taxes from interest and dividends.

This is the situation as it stands now. The House and Senate should complete their work on the bill in the very near future, thereby clearing the

County Appraisal District To Waive Fourth Quarter Payments From Taxing Jurisdictions

The board of directors of the Briscoe County Tax Appraisal District met in regular session July 14, and voted to waive the fourth quarter payments by the taxing jurisdictions.

A discussion was carried on concerning the district's surplus funds, which have resulted mainly from expenses being less than were anticipated for 1983. Members felt that the money would be beneficial to the jurisdictions.

The taxing jurisdictions and payments involved are Briscoe County, \$7,561.20; Silverton ISD, \$9,254.08; City of Silverton, \$775.97; Mackenzie Water Authority, \$775.97; City of Quitaque, \$382.78. Letters of notice concerning the fourth quarter payments have been mailed by the appraisal office to the jurisdictions concerned.

All members of the board were present, including Chairman L. B. Garvin, Jr., Ray Teeple, Stanley Fogerson, Don Burson and Joe Mercer. In addition, the chief appraiser, Mrs. Carlye Hill, was present.

A financial report was given by Mrs. Hill prior to the discussion of surplus funds in the appraisal district account.

The 1982 collections through the month of June were reported by Mrs. Hill as Briscoe County, 95.1%; Silverton ISD, 94.6%; City of Silverton, 84.6%; Mackenzie Municipal Water Authority, 90.0%.

Mrs. Hill reported that all delinquent accounts had been turned over to Perdue, Brandon, Blair & Fielder, delinquent tax attorneys for the appraisal district. Delinquent taxpayers will be receiving letters from the attorneys in the next few days. The 1983 delinquent tax rolls are somewhat more than last year. Motion carried to accept the collections and delinquent tax report as favorable considering the economic conditions this year.

Following was a discussion of the Budget Hearing held June 23 at which no representatives from the jurisdictions were present. Motion carried to adopt the 1984 proposed budget.

Mrs. Hill reported that the 1983 Board of Review, consisting of Murry Wayne Morrison, John

matter for a decision by the President.

Sincerely,
/s/ Jack Hightower

Francis and Clifton Stodghill held its organizational meeting July 5. Officers elected were Clifton Stodghill, chairman, and John Francis, secretary. Members set the date for the Taxpayer Protest Hearings on July 28 from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. The ARB approved the proposed ag and market values. Schedules used by the tax office for personal and residential property were examined and approved.

Following examination of the current bills, the motion to pay all bills carried.

PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT NEEDS MAINTENANCE CHECKS REGULARLY

Backyard slides and swings can help children fill long, "boring" summer days with fun. They can also cause needless injuries.

Parents should remember to check home playground equipment at least every two weeks during the summer, says Dr. Mary Ann Shirer, a health education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

A maintenance check should include inspecting moving parts for wear and strength, tightening any loose nuts, bolts and clamps, and applying tape over protruding bolts and screws. In addition, metal parts should be regularly oiled and repainted as necessary and wooden equipment should be checked for splinters. Landing pits should be refilled if needed.

Most important, Dr. Shirer says, repairs should be made immediately. Children should not be allowed to play on broken, rusted or worn equipment until it is repaired.

Kris Cagle of Mesquite spent the past two weeks visiting her grandmother, Faye Cawley, and other grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cagle of Flomot. Her mother, Darlene Cagle of Mesquite, came on the weekend and she and Chris returned home on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Emmett Baisden and her daughter, Mrs. Marsene Patterson and children, visited in Littlefield Saturday and came back by Lubbock Sunday and spent the night with Mrs. Vida Mae Baisden.

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GARAGE SALES

GARAGE SALE AT THE Home of the E. G. Reeds in Quitaque Friday and Saturday, July 22-23, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Several families involved. 6-1tc

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PUBLIC NOTICES

APPRAISAL REVIEW BOARD FOR THE BRISCOE COUNTY, TEXAS APPRAISAL DISTRICT

Notice of Public Meeting of the Appraisal Review Board: Notice is hereby given that a public meeting of the appraisal review board of the above named

county appraisal district will convene at 9:00 a.m. on July 28, 1983, at the Briscoe County Appraisal Office in said county, and will continue in session on that day until 2:00 p.m.

The board will examine and equalize the appraisal records of the chief appraiser, and will hear and determine taxpayer and taxing unit appeals on all matters permitted by TEX. PROPERTY TAX CODE Chapter 41.

The appraisal review board will be in session on other days, notice for which shall be duly posted, until all tax appraisals have been equalized and approved and all timely filed appeals heard and resolved.

This notice is given pursuant to TEX. REV. CIV. STAT. ANN. art. 6252-17.

Clifton Stodghill
 Chairman
 Appraisal Review Board 6-1tc

CARDS OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett want to thank the EMTs for their assistance in Mr. Barrett's illness and transport to the hospital in Plainview last week. They appreciate every helping hand that was there. They want to say what a wonderful town Quitaque is when people are in trouble. The Barretts ask for your continued prayers. Mr. Barrett is home and improving.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett 6-1tp

We want to thank those friends who were so kind to brave the heat to attend Richard's birthday party. He had such a wonderful time and was so happy to see so many of his friends.

Jo Hamilton
 Mary John Harris
 Sandy and Riley Harris
 Shelly and Scotty 6-1tp

I want to thank everyone for the visits, phone calls, flowers, cards and, especially, the prayers while I was in the hospital and since I have been home.

Mary Clay

I would like to thank everyone for the thoughtfulness of each one to me and my family while I was in Amarillo in the hospital. I am glad to be home and am feeling better.

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CAPITOL UPDATE

John Tower
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One of the most interesting trends in international trade today is a resurgence of barter -- trading goods and services without exchanging money -- as a means of doing business.

Both nations and private industries are finding this method helps stimulate trade to the benefits of all parties involved. For example, Chrysler is trading trucks for Jamaican bauxite. A number of Third World nations are trading various materials for food.

The approach makes sense. We in the United States have large and growing surpluses of agricultural goods. Yet, many nations in the world need to import food, but have trouble finding ways to pay for it.

At the same time, the United States National Defense Stockpile is sorely in need of rebuilding. This stockpile of 61 materials, primarily minerals not found in the U.S., is designed to prevent disruption of our defense manufacturing capability in case of national emergency or supply interruptions. To completely provide the desirable levels of these stockpiled materials would cost about \$10 billion.

I plan to introduce legislation which would make it possible for us to trade our surplus agricultural commodities for these strategic materials -- many of which are produced in Third World nations. This program would make it possible for us to help alleviate world hunger at the same time we obtain materials which we need.

Experience has shown us this exchange is workable. Between 1950 and 1973, the U.S. engaged in just this kind of barter trade. Between 1950 and 1969, for instance, the United States acquired through barter from Turkey alone strategic materials, such as chrome, worth nearly \$1.7 billion.

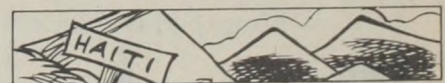
The U.S. dropped these programs because our stockpile needs changed, Commodity Credit Corporation inventories were depleted, and the legislative authority was restricted.

However, our current agriculture surpluses and stockpile needs, and the food needs of many Third World nations, seem to warrant a revival of this system. My bill would remove the legislative barriers to multilateral trading, allow involvement of U.S. trading companies, and inject safeguards to make certain that agreements do not displace cash sales of U.S. agricultural products or disrupt world market prices.

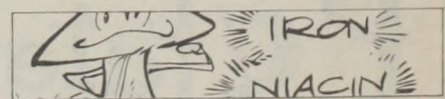
Already the U.S. is involved in an agreement with Jamaica to exchange dairy products for bauxite, the basic raw material used in producing aluminum.

My legislation would make it possible to use barter on a much-broader basis to deal with the two problems of agricultural surplus and shortages of strategic stockpile materials. I am hopeful that the Congress will realize that barter is an idea whose time has come again.

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