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## LISTEN TO LUKE

By Albert:---

One of the things that local people have been talking about during the past few days is the fact that the Sanderson High School football players ended a losing streak of some 32 football games last Friday night when they beat Balmorhea.

There was, also, some compassion for the visitors expressed not in ridicule, but in respect!

Football fans in Sanderson and this area know well what the meaning of the word "defeat" is. We have learned it well. And we were shown again last Friday night the sweet taste of victory, and it was good!

One thing that Sanderson grid fans have learned is that a winning team is not the most important thing about football.

Coaches of football players are by no means exempt from their influence over boys and the influence of the coaches is at times felt for a long time in the lives of young men and their associates, the same as is the influence of others upon the lives of our young people.

Most of the football players in Sanderson High School are enjoying, at the outside, football as a participant, for only four years. But the things they learn during any one or all four of those years can be with them much longer than they could possibly play the game.

Probably most local merchants and shoppers are having some difficulty getting used to the new value of the state sales tax. We might add that we are, too. There has been a 1% increase in the tax, and there could conceivably be additional increases in years to come. Then, too, there is the expected deletion of exemptions that will add to the total that is paid.

There have been very few, so far as we know, obscene telephone calls locally, though there have been some. We are passing along some of the information that was handed to us concerning this low, cowardly, and vile act of demented and sick people.

You do not have to listen to more than the first obscene word. HANG UP!

Notify telephone company and law enforcement officials immediately. Steps can be taken to learn the identity of the caller if the practice persists and there are laws that can punish the violator.

Any threat received by telephone should also be reported to the officers.

## EFFORT MADE TO BURGLARIZE COOKE HOME

The back door screen at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Greene Cooke was torn recently by a person or persons evidently trying to gain entrance into the house.

Mrs. Cooke has been at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Brooks Hickerson, in Coronado, Calif., for two weeks and the burglary attempt was made during that time, she said.

A large hole was cut in the screen.



The six cuties who lead the pep squad for the junior high school games are shown in the picture above, from left to right: Sheryl Stewart, Maje Harrison, Vicki Haley, Janice Carter, Gailia Coker, and Peggy Louwien.

## Mrs. Mettie Leader Is Accident Victim In San Antonio

Funeral services were held in the First Baptist Church Saturday afternoon for Mrs. Mettie Leader, 60, with the pastor, Rev. M. R. Rogers, officiating. Burial was in Cedar Grove Cemetery, with the Janes Funeral Home of Ozona in charge of the arrangements.

Pallbearers were J. R. Coker, Dudley Harrison, N. W. Carroll, Bob Spence, James Caroline, L. E. Muller, J. R. Hodgkins, and Alton R. Yearly.

Mrs. Leader was born in Comanche County April 11, 1908. She came to Sanderson from Elgin in 1956 to assume the ownership of Mac's Package Store after the death of her brother, Ellis McDougal.

She had gone by bus to San Antonio Wednesday night to attend the funeral services for her brother, Eddie McDougal, and the car driven by her brother-in-law, T. W. Fusselman, who had met her at the bus station about midnight, was in a collision with a transit bus and Mrs. Leader was killed when thrown from the car.

She is survived by a son, Charles Ellis Leader of San Antonio, two daughters, Mrs. Mary Alice Glover of Elgin and Mrs. Carl Davis of New Braunfels; a brother, Wallace McDougal of Austin; two sisters, Mrs. Ruby Fusselman of San Antonio and Mrs. Myrtle Johnston of Houston; and 14 grandchildren.

## MRS. ERVIN GRIGSBY'S BROTHER DIES THURSDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Grigsby attended funeral services in Sterling City last weekend for her brother, Harvey Daniel Glass, who died last Thursday in that city.

Mr. Glass had operated ranches in that area for many years.

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## Eagle End Long Losing Streak Friday By Beating Balmorhea Bears 22-0

The Sanderson High School Eagles ended a long losing streak Friday night by defeating the Balmorhea Bears 22-0. There had been 32 previous losses and one tie for the Eagles prior to the game Friday night. The last win was November 13, 1964.

All of the first quarter against Balmorhea was played on the Balmorhea end of the field with punts, fumbles, and pass interceptions dominating the play. Sanderson had the ball on the Balmorhea 5-yard line when one of the fumbles occurred.

In the opening series of the second period, Sanderson scored

when James Alexander went over from the 3-yard line and a pass play for the conversion effort was incomplete.

In their next offensive series, after getting the ball on their own 38-yard line, the Eagles took the ball downfield and into the end zone in four plays. Jerry Greenleaf helped the effort on a 49-yard carry to the 13-yard line. On the third play from there, Greenleaf took the ball over from the 2 and also converted the two extra points on a running play.

The remainder of the second period was played mainly between the 30-yard lines.

Sanderson kicked off to open the second half and kept the ball between the 50 and 15 on Balmorhea's end of the field, the Eagles giving the ball to the Bears on a fumble and an interception.

It was about mid-way through the fourth period when Alexander ran 87 yards for the final scoring by Sanderson. Johnny Freeman ran the two extra points in for the Eagles.

Almost all of those who had suited out for the game got to see some action, some for their first time.

Sanderson will have their next two games away from home, in Brackettville and Van Horn and will play Iraan here October 25 and Clint here November 1 in conference games. Van Horn will be the first district game.

In games last week, other Eagle foes had the following results:

- Rankin over Big Lake 14-7;
- Van Horn over Fabens 14-7;
- Socorro beats Jesuit 31-0;
- Iraan over Eldorado 13-0.

## Contract Let For Razing School

According to Superintendent of Schools Ken McAllister, the contract for the razing of the old junior high school building has been awarded to the Hobbs Demolishing Co. of Austin.

The amount of the contract is \$4,300.00.

Supt. McAllister stated that the work of demolishing the old building will not begin until the new building is occupied and no date has been set for the move yet.

The contract calls for the removal of the building, filling the basement, and leveling the ground.

## One Inch of Rain Falls Locally

An inch of rain fell locally last weekend in two separate showers.

A rain fell Friday and left about .04-inch of water in local gauges, then during the early morning hours Saturday, another rain fell, leaving about .45-inch of moisture.

Reports from the ranchmen indicate the rains were scattered, but that many received some rainfall during the two-day period.

## Report Given On Dam Project Here

The Sanderson Canyon Watershed Work Plan is 83% complete according to the San Marcos Watershed Work Plan Staff of the Soil Conservation Service, Darwin Schrader, local work unit specialist, stated.

A meeting was held with the Southern Pacific Railroad Engineers in San Antonio where capacities of two railroad bridges in Sanderson were discussed.

A preliminary design has been completed on a dam site near the rodeo grounds on Three-Mile Draw. When the design is finalized a meeting will be held with local sponsors to discuss the proposed structure. Other structure sites will be discussed at the same meeting.

Location and extent of a possible floodway south of the railroad in Sanderson will be investigated.

## FUNERAL THURSDAY FOR EDDIE McDOUGAL, 56

Funeral services were held in San Antonio Thursday for Charles Edward (Eddie) McDougal, 56, who died in that city following a short illness. He was a brother of the late Ellis McDougal and Mrs. Mettie Leader, and had been a frequent visitor here.





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## Jr. High Boys Beat Imperial Last Thursday

The junior high school football team beat the Imperial ladies 22-0 here last Thursday afternoon.

The touchdowns were made by Chago Flores from a field goal fake; by Ikey Billings on an end-around play; and on a pass from Robert Kline to Juan Saenz. Kendrick Harrell ran the ball over for the conversion of two extra points and Flores threw a pass to Saenz for the other two points. The final try for extra points failed.

The junior high gridders will play the McCamey juniors here Thursday afternoon.

All of the boys who were able to suit out saw some action in the game and they included: David Valles, Dale Harrell, Bill Mott, Kevin Phillips, Jake Murrain, Bobby Spence, Mauro Lopez, Martin Petty, Johnny Hodgkins, Floyd Watson, Jimmy Davis, Larry Hernandez, Ismael Yanez, Rosendo de la Cerda, Danny Garza, Darrell Cooke, Jesse Calzada, Mark Richmond, Curtis Schrader, Dennis Haynes, Jim Cash, Nelson Cooke, Skipper Harris, Juan Lomas, and the players mentioned in the scoring.

Kenneth Sanders was unable to play due to a broken collar bone received in practice.

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## Graveside Rites For Albert Appel Last Thursday

A graveside service was conducted by Rev. M. R. Rogers, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Sanderson last Thursday for Albert Appel, 88, a pioneer Terrell County ranchman, who died Wednesday morning in a Fort Stockton hospital after a long period of failing health. The Owens Funeral Home of Fort Stockton was in charge of the burial in Cedar Grove Cemetery.

Mr. Appel was married to Myrtle Mae Mounts in the Oklahoma Territory in 1908 and they came to Terrell County in 1916 from Oklahoma. He first worked as a foreman for Big Canyon Ranch and later purchased his own ranch which he operated until his death.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. James Word and Mrs. Gene Thom of Sanderson; three grandchildren, Mrs. Paul Weyerts of Alpine, James Word Jr. of Stillwater, Okla., and Al Word of Sanderson; also three great-grandchildren. A son, Albert Appel Jr., was killed in World War II and another daughter and his wife preceded him in death.

Pallbearers included Clarence Jessup, Jack Hayre, Herman Couch, Sid Harkins, Jack Harrell, and Aubry Harrell.

Honorary pallbearers were: G. E. Babb, M. G. Northcut, R. S. Wilkinson, Web Townsend, Frank Warren, Jim Turner,



J. F. Cox ... marks 89th birthday

J. F. Cox, father of Weldon Cox, marked his 89th birthday on September 25 and as usual he was downtown in Sweetwater for his early coffee. He is residing with Mrs. Cox in Sweetwater near their daughter, Mrs. E. H. McCright, and they will celebrate their 61st wedding anniversary in a few months. The Coxes are frequent visitors here.

## LOCAL FRIENDS OF BAKER HAVE RALLY SATURDAY

Friends of George Baker who are supporting him in his race for the office of representative of the 66th district in Texas, met with him Saturday afternoon at Harvey's Restaurant.

An informal visitation was enjoyed for about two hours by friends who dropped by.

Mrs. Lee Blackburn of Big Spring is spending her vacation with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Martin took D. E. Davis to Alpine last week and he was in the hospital for several days to have the cast on his arm changed. He fractured his arm in a fall while on a ladder painting a sign several weeks ago.

J. S. Nance, and A. A. Shelton.

## Rep. White Sends Books To Library

WASHINGTON — U. S. Rep. Richard C. White sent a supply of book Thursday to public libraries in three small communities of his far West Texas district.

Large postal pouches of surplus duplicate books from the Library of Congress were dispatched by White to the libraries in Sanderson, Terrell County, Grandfalls, Ward County, and Mentone, Loving County.

Such books are periodically made available to members of Congress.

"I have previously supplied such books to several libraries and I will be glad to make them available to others in my district from time to time as the books are distributed," White said.

He added that he gives preference to new libraries that need all the help they can get, but that established libraries also will be considered if they are interested.

White said the books are generally older ones that are placed on shelves unclassified, requiring congressmen and their staffs to make their selections from "a mixed offering."

## AMONG OUR SUBSCRIBERS

Renewal subscriptions to The Times have come from E. A. Rogers, Dryden; Mrs. Richard Drake, El Paso; Mrs. Lee Grigsby, C. N. McMurrey, Les Walton, M. E. Hope, Mrs. T. H. Eastman, G. W. Kyle, Ruel Adams, Mrs. J. R. Blackwelder, A. J. Hahn, Mrs. Wanda Alexander, E. L. Massey, J. L. Schwalbe, Roy Conner, W. H. Grigsby, M. G. Northcut, E. F. Pierson, all of Sanderson; Mrs. David Zepeda, Lakewood, Calif.; Mrs. Col Coates, Fort Stockton, Carl L. Davis, New Braunfels, Harry Brown, El Paso; Ray Baker, Arnold, Nel.

New subscribers include Tommy Hayre, Kerrville; David Hardgrave, Lubbock; Boyd Wood, San Angelo.

## Personals ...

Mrs. Edward Welling was missed from an Alpine hospital last week after receiving medical treatment for several days. Mr. Welling has remained in the hospital for medical treatment and has shown some improvement, according to Mrs. Lee Grigsby.

Mrs. Lee Grigsby went to Antonio Saturday night to attend the annual meeting of the Chapter of the Order of the Star.

Mrs. W. H. Dishman was in San Antonio Friday night to spend the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Wayne M. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon W. King and baby left Friday for their home in Austin after being in the hospital for several days with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wemeking.

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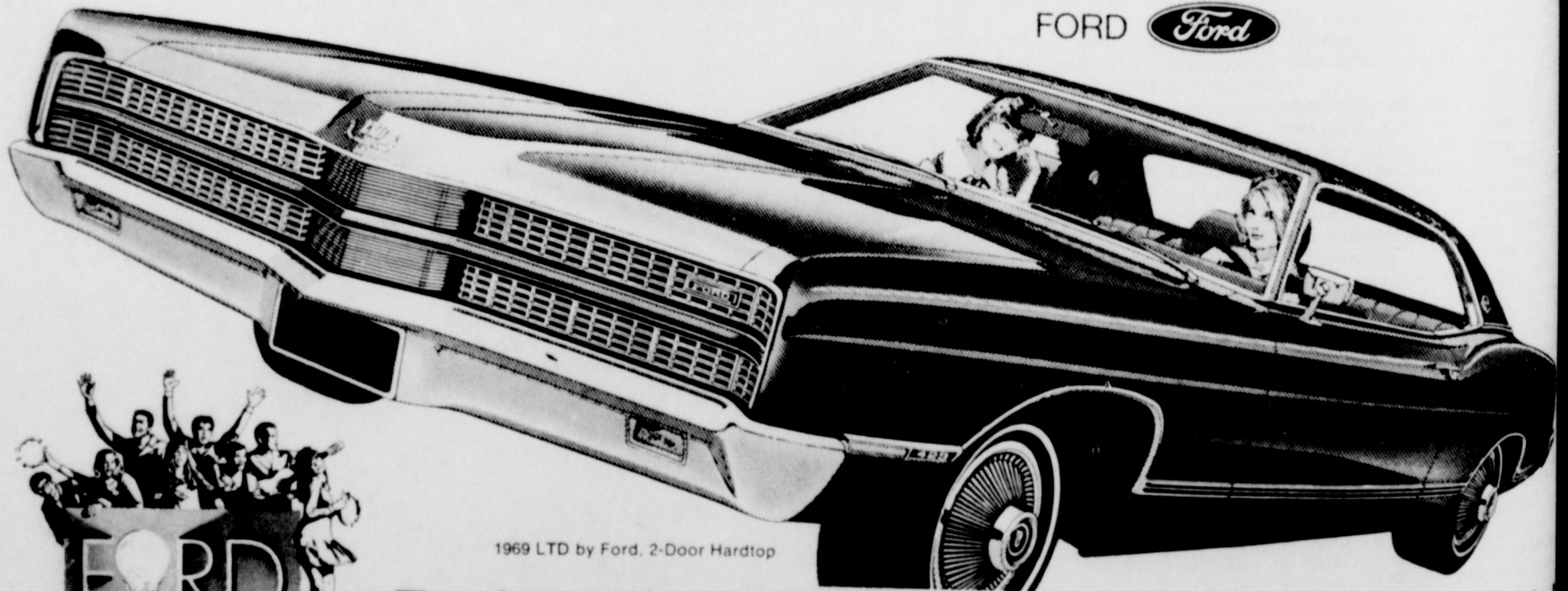
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**Pecos Co. Council of H-D Clubs Meets Here Last Tuesday**

The members of the Ranch Home Demonstration Club were hostesses last Tuesday for all of the clubs of the Pecos County Council, entertaining with a luncheon festival at the Legion Hall attended by 33 members. Mrs. C. T. Wrinkle, president, extended the welcome. For the recreational part of the day's program, the members of the Iraan Club presented a quiz and several quiz programs. Bill O'Bannon, a pharmacist from Fort Stockton, was presented to that club and he gave an interesting and informative discussion of "Youth and the Misuse of Drugs". The educational talk was given by Mrs. Delores Jennings of Imperial who talked about Davy Wilkerson and his organization "Teen-Challenge" which deals with traffic in dope and addiction. Mrs. Wrinkle gave the invocation for the lunch served at noon, featuring Mexican food, tossed salad, iced tea, coffee, and cake. The hall was decorated with large Mexican paper flowers. After adjournment cake and coffee were served. Those attending from the local club were Mmes. Ray Caldwell, Bob Allen, Jack Hardgrave, O. J. Cresswell, H. P. Boyd, T. H. Eastman, Ray Clifford, N.M. Mitchell, E. H. Jessup, J. Gamer, H. E. Ezelle, Wrinkle, and Miss Eva Billings; also two guests, Mrs. Gene McCarran and Mrs. Leola Hill.

**Wednesday Bridge Club**

Mrs. Tol Murrah was substitute hostess for Mrs. C. P. Peary when the Wednesday Bridge Club met in the diningroom at Harvey's Restaurant last week for a luncheon served at 1:00 o'clock. In the card games which followed, high score prize went to Mrs. Jim Ferr, second high to Mrs. Edward Ferr, and the slam prizes went to Mrs. R. S. Wilkerson and Mrs. Web Townsend. Also present were Mmes. John Jamison, Herbert Brown, W. W. Guduth, Austin Nance, Worth Adam, Dan Riggs, C. E. Litton, and Henry Bless of Brackettville.

**LIBRARY 'FRIENDS'**  
TO MEET TUESDAY, OCT. 22  
The quarterly meeting of the Friends of the Library will be on Tuesday, October 22, at 7:30 in the public library. Mrs. W. H. Savage, president, is urging the attendance of all of the members. Officers will be elected.

**Political Announcements**

The following candidates have authorized The Times to announce their candidacy for nomination to the office shown under the party indicated:

- DEMOCRATIC**  
For U. S. Representative, 16th Congressional District: RICHARD C. WHITE, El Paso, El Paso County  
For State Senator: PETE SNELSON, Midland, Midland County  
For State Representative, 66th District: GEORGE BAKER, Fort Stockton, Pecos County  
For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector, Terrell County: BILL C. COOKSEY  
For Commissioner, Pct. 1: FRANK WEIGAND  
**REPUBLICAN**  
For State Representative, 66th District: JIM KENT, Monahans, Ector County  
For State Senator: ERNEST ANGELO, Midland, Midland County



Miss Sylvia Vianes ... to wed Simon Fuentes

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Vianes of Monahans are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Sylvia, to Simon Fuentes Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Fuentes of Sanderson. They plan to be married June 21, 1969. The bride-elect is a 1967 graduate of the Sanderson High School and is attending a commercial college. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Maldonado. The prospective bridegroom is also a graduate of Sanderson High School in 1966 and has received his discharge from the U. S. Army, serving two years at Fort Ord, Calif. He is now employed in Odessa.

**Thursday Bridge Club**

The Thursday Bridge Club members and several guests were entertained in the home of Mrs. Jack Riggs Friday afternoon. Those attending were Mmes. G. E. Babb, Gilbert Bell, C. E. Litton, F. J. Barrett, Lee Weathersbee, Henry Bless of Brackettville, Vic Littleton, W. H. Goldwire, J. L. Schwalbe, A. J. Hahn, and Bill Rose. Mrs. Hahn held high score and shared slam with Mrs. Bell; Mrs. Babb was second high and Mrs. Goldwire was low. Refreshments consisted of chocolate pie, tea, cold drinks, and coffee with candy and mixed nuts available throughout the games.

Mrs. E. E. Farley spent the weekend in San Antonio visiting relatives and attending HemisFair.

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**Lions Broom Sale To Be October 19**

The Sanderson Lions Club will conduct an all-out drive on Saturday, October 19, to sell quality blind-made products to residents and local businesses, according to an announcement made by Carlton White. The articles are all manufactured in the Lighthouses for the Blind which are located throughout the state.

The Lions Club earnings from this sale will be used for sight conservation. The entire membership of the Lions Club has been organized to supply friends and neighbors with this quality merchandise delivered right to their homes. Every household can use some kind of household cleaning aid and every item sold helps some blind person to help himself. Sales of Blind-Made Products held by the Sanderson Lions Club in previous years have been most successful and Lion White expressed his confidence in another successful sale this year. Dudley's Used Car Lot will be distribution point for the sale.

Sandra and Condie Rogers of Del Rio were weekend visitors with friends and their father, Harvey Rogers.

**'COUNTRY FAIR' CANCELLED BY RANCH CLUB FRIDAY**

At a called meeting of the Ranch Home Demonstration Club Friday afternoon, the group voted to cancel the "Country Fair" planned for November. There will be a regular meeting of the club in November - a no-hostess affair with everyone bringing a covered-dish.

Mrs. Sophie Frost and son, Larry, of San Antonio were weekend visitors with her brother, Carl Werneking, and family. Larry was in Valentine Saturday to attend the homecoming for the school.

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### Applications Open For Appointments To Service Schools

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All applicants are required to participate in an examination prepared and administered by the Civil Service Commission. Since the last scheduled examination will be given November 9, applicants are urged to write immediately to Congressman White at 1329 Longworth House Office Bldg., Washington, D. C. 20515.

The congressman will make his nominations on the basis of scholastic records, leadership, physical qualifications, and competitive performance in the examinations. Then the Academies themselves will examine the nominees and Congressman White will make appointments from those recommended by the Academies.

Mrs. W. C. Hudson of Bryan has been visiting here with her brother, Ira Moses, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wemeking visited in Seminole last weekend with their daughter, Mrs. Glynn Chandler, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Stadler went to Big Wells the first of the week to visit his uncle, Allen Coleman, and for Mr. Stadler to go on a dove hunt.

Mrs. Cruz Marquez visited in San Antonio last week with relatives.

### Early Mailing Campaign Opened By PO Department

U. S. Postal authorities have launched their annual "mail early" campaign for Christmas mailing to armed forces overseas, Postmaster J. R. Hodgkins announced.

The following periods have been designated for mailing Christmas parcels to armed forces overseas: Surface transportation, Oct. 14 to Nov. 9; Space available airlift, Oct. 21 to Nov. 23; PAL, Oct. 28 to Nov. 30; Airmail, Nov. 30 to Dec. 11.

All articles should be packed in boxes of wood, metal, solid fiberboard or strong double faced fiberboard. All boxes should be tied with strong cord and sufficient cushioning material should be used to prevent rattling or loosening. A slip showing list of contents, name and address of sender and of the addressee should be enclosed in the parcel. Information on what can and can not be sent and what require custom declarations may be obtained at the postoffice.

Questions concerning size and weight limitations on all types of mail should be directed to the postoffice.

Mrs. Wayne Malven and son and her grandmother, Mrs. P. G. Harris, visited here last weekend with relatives. Mrs. Harris, who had been in San Antonio for several weeks, returned with them for a longer visit.

### Jack Williamson New Foreman Of SP Roundhouse

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williamson of Valentine are moving to Sanderson this week and he will be the SP roundhouse foreman.

Mr. Williamson began working for the railroad as an apprentice in 1922 and held various supervisory positions while living in Houston. He moved to Valentine in 1949 and was the roundhouse foreman there.

The Williamsons have three children, Jack, Don, and Miss Ellene Williamson, all of El Paso, and six grandchildren.

A community "going-away" supper was given for them in Valentine September 19.

They will reside in the company house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mott and boys who have moved to the Mullings rent house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spann. Mr. Mott will now be night roundhouse foreman, replacing M. J. Jonas, who has returned to San Antonio, their former home, and his family will join him there in a few weeks.

Mrs. Glynn Chandler and children of Seminole were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wemeking.

Mrs. B. F. Dawson returned home Saturday from Shreveport, La., where she had visited for several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Hom.

### Baker Talks Of 'Gun Registration' Opposition To Club

Opposition to gun registration laws at any legislative level, and a common-sense approach to laws pertaining to sale and transportation of firearms were affirmed recently in Alpine before the monthly meeting of the Big Bend Sportsmen's Club by George Baker, Fort Stockton newspaper man who is Democratic nominee for state representative for the 66th district in Texas.

Baker invited opinions from the club members, as well as from responsible citizens in all counties of the district, on how laws might be strengthened to curb misuse of firearms without interfering with the rights of law-abiding sportsmen to enjoy ownership of guns.

Baker stated that he would work actively, and enlist aid of other legislators from West Tex-

as who understand our problem to exempt from restrictions carrying loaded weapons in vehicles the West Texas ranch or other authorized person working on privately-owned land off public roads.

"An unloaded gun in a pickup rack would be about as useful to a ranchman when he sights a coyote or bobcat in the pasture as a couple of rocks on a seat," Baker stated.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Peak of Andrews were weekend visitors with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Albert Peak and Kelly. They went on a bow and arrow hunt while here but their only kill was a large rattlesnake.

Mrs. Manuel Garcia left Saturday night for Atlanta, Ga., to visit her son, Rev. Daniel Garcia, and family including a granddaughter.

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## Legion Auxiliary Meeting Was Tuesday In Legion Hall

The Legion Auxiliary met Tuesday evening in the Legion Hall in regular monthly business session.

After the opening ceremony, the "Hymn of the Month" which is "How Great Thou Art" was sung with Mrs. W. H. Savage playing the piano accompaniment.

Mrs. Clyde Higgins reported 47 adult members and eight junior members paid. She also told of the plans she had made for "Poppy Day" to be observed on November 9. Mrs. E. E. Farley named a committee, Meses. Tip Frazier, H. E. Ezelle, and Savage, to meet with the Legion this week and make plans for the observance of Veterans Day November 11.

Mrs. Betty Wauzell of Odessa, 16th District Auxiliary president, will make her official visit to the local unit next Tuesday when members will join her for a no-hostess luncheon at the Oasis Restaurant.

Named as delegates to the fall convention in Midland on November 2 and 3 were Meses. Farley, Savage, Higgins, and C. W. Kyle. Alternates are Meses. Ezelle, Mark Duncan, W. T. Frazier, and A. C. Garner.

Mrs. Kyle was named to see about the installation of an outside light at the repose room, the fixing of an awning over the door to keep out the rain and having a load of gravel placed near the entrance where the water drains.

After adjournment, a recording of a speech given to a convention of insurance salesmen in Denver, Colo., by Dr. McFarland was played.

Mrs. Dalton Hogg and Mrs. Ezelle, hostesses, served jiffy fruit pie, tea, and coffee for refreshments.

Also present were Meses. J. O. Little, L. H. Gilbreath, E. McSparran, and Greene Cooke.

## Tuesday Bridge Club

Mrs. Hugh Rose entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club with a dessert-bridge this week in the dining room at Harvey's Restaurant.

High score was held by Mrs. Mary Lou Kellar, second high by Mrs. C. E. Litton, with Mrs. Kellar and Mrs. Herbert Brown sharing the slam prize.

Also present were Meses. G. E. Babb, James Caroline, Weldon Cox, and F. J. Barrett.

## CULTURE CLUB TO MEET NEXT THURSDAY

The Sanderson Culture Club will meet Thursday afternoon of next week in the home of Mrs. W. H. Savage with Mrs. Mary Cox as co-hostess.

## W. M. U. SORTS CLOTHING FOR BAPTIST MISSION

Five members of the Baptist W.M.U. met at the mission, Tuesday morning to sort clothing and shoes which will be taken by Rev. Raymond Sanders to the Baptist missions along the border.

They were Meses. O. D. Gray, Gene Black, David Cooke, M. R. Rogers, and C. L. Eggleston.

## C. T. WRINKLE'S PARENTS HAVE 50TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Wrinkle and son, Tommy, attended the golden wedding anniversary of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Wrinkle, in El Paso Saturday, September 14. The celebration was a quiet affair, a family dinner party in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Dan H. Asher, and her husband. The Alton Wrinkles' son, D. E. Wrinkle, of Newport News, Va., was unable to attend the celebration.

The Wrinkles were married in Childress Sept. 14, 1918, and have resided in El Paso for the past 28 years. He is a retired Southern Pacific Railroad employee.

## MRS. KEN REGAN MARRIES

Mrs. Roberta Regan, widow of the late Ken Regan of Midland who was district congressman, was married on September 27 to Charles Naywert of New York and Palm Springs, Calif. Mr. Naywert, a designer of fine jewelry, was originally from Antwerp, Belgium, but is now a naturalized U. S. citizen.

Mrs. Regan was a frequent visitor here with her late husband. Since his death, she has made her home in Santa Fe, N.M.

## FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER BY MASONS LAST SATURDAY

The Masonic Lodge had a "family night" supper Saturday evening in the Masonic Hall with about 60 attending. The families of the Masons and the Eastern Star Chapter members and their families were present.

A barbecue supper was served with home-made ice cream and cake for dessert.

For entertainment, Rev. M. R. Rogers gave a "chalk talk". Ruel Adams, master, was the master of ceremonies and gave a resume of the 60-year history of the local lodge. He mentioned all of the secretaries who had served the lodge, the late Fred Savage serving for 18 years and the present secretary, R. S. Wilkinson, completing his 30-year tenure in that office. A Masonic ring was presented to Judge Wilkinson in recognition of his service.

## Personals . . .

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Talbot of Uvalde visited here for a few days with friends, returning to their home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Duncan returned home last week from San Antonio and she is recuperating satisfactorily from cataract surgery.

Tol Murrah received painful injuries to his leg when he fell from a pick-up driven by his son, Will J. Murrah, on the

ranch Saturday. Will J. did not know that his father, who was standing on the back of the pick-up, fell off and the pick-up had passed over his leg until a ranch hand, who was also in the pick-up, told of the accident later. Mr. Murrah went back for his father who did not seek medical attention until Sunday when X-rays revealed no broken bones.

Charlie Rogers of Fort Stockton was a weekend visitor here with his son, Harvey Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Esqueda have returned home from Del Rio where they had visited their daughter and family and he had been receiving treatment for two fingers injured in an accident.

Mmes. W. H. Savage, E. E. Farley, and Irvin Robbins attended a library workshop for librarians of this area in Fort Stockton last Thursday.

Sheriff Bill C. Cooksey was called to Goldthwaite Sunday on account of the illness of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lowther Jr. and children of Fort Stockton were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thorn.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Cox visited in San Antonio with their daughter, Mrs. Tommy Hagan, for several days last week and also attended HemisFair, returning home Sunday night.

Mrs. Hollis Haley and daughter, Vicki, and Mrs. W. J. Ferguson Jr. went to San Antonio Friday and went to HemisFair, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Weigand received word that their grandson, Tommy Weigand, has seen some action as the offensive tailback with the Alabama University Crimson Tide this year.

Cress deBusk, a frequent visitor here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Cresswell, is a freshman student at Lubbock Christian College this year. He is a resident of Odessa.

Mrs. Minter Parker of Del Rio is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Austin Nance. They went to Mid-

land Friday to visit Mrs. Nance's daughter and husband and Mrs. Parker had an appointment with an ophthalmologist there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cox attended the monthly meeting of the Federal Land Bank Assn. in Marfa Monday. The meeting was an all-day affair at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Mellard.

Mrs. Dalton Hogg returned home Sunday night from Temple where she had been with her father who underwent major surgery in the VA Hospital there. His condition is satisfactory.

Attending the annual fall meeting of the Women of the Church of District III of the Presbytery of the Southwest in Pecos Tuesday were Meses. W. H. Savage, J. A. Gilbreath, C. C. Mitchell, H. A. Couch, G. K. Mitchell, David Mitchell, N. M. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Martin left Wednesday for Wind Cave, S. D., to visit their son, Ben Edward Martin, and family.

Mrs. Cora Cottle of Del Rio has been visiting here with her daughter, Mrs. John L. Whistler Jr., and family since Mrs. Whistler and their infant daughter were brought home from a Fort Stockton hospital.

Mrs. Clyde Griffith left Monday for Fort Worth to reside, planning to be in a nursing home but at present she is in the home of her son, Dee Finley, and family. Her grandson, Bobby Finley, and Dr. and Mrs. Saeger came after her.

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**CARD OF THANKS**

My heart overflows with gratitude for the thoughtfulness expressed by friends in so many ways - the flowers, cards, visits, food, everything. I'll never forget your kindness. Mrs. Mark Duncan.

**CARD OF THANKS**

Since I am moving from Sanderson, I want to thank you good people again for every act or expression of love and concern shown me during the past year of my illness, and during all the years I lived here. "May the Lord be gracious unto you". Frances Wolfe

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**Road Traffic Accidents Cost Up \$140 Million**

Traffic accidents cost the nation an estimated \$1,265,243,000 during July, an increase of more than \$140 million over the toll of July 1967, the Insurance Information Institute reported.

The increased economic loss came about in spite of the fact that highway deaths in July dropped slightly from their 1967 level, the Institute pointed out. The improved fatality record was more than offset by an increase of 13.2 per cent in the total number of traffic accidents during the month.

National Safety Council figures showed that July traffic deaths totaled 4,770, as compared to 4,820 a year ago. But estimates based on official records from a cross-section of states showed total traffic injuries up 2.2 per cent, in addition to the rise of 13.2 per cent in total accidents.

The estimated July economic loss brings the total for the first seven months of 1968 to \$7,670,555,000, up by \$759 million from the \$6,911,350,000 figure for the same period in 1967.

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**CARD OF THANKS**

Our sincere thanks to those who were so thoughtful in so many different ways at the time of the death of our loved one; for the cards, letters, flowers, food, and your kind expressions in other ways. The family of Mrs. Mettie Leader

**Eighth Proposed Amendment Would Alter Legislative Purchasing Plans**

AMENDMENT NO. 8 —(Deleting certain constitutional provisions relating to the purchase of fuel by the state and the refurbishing under contract of rooms and halls used by the legislature and eliminating the requirement that the governor, the secretary of state, and the comptroller approve certain contracts of purchase.)

This proposed amendment to Section 21 of Article XVI, relating to state purchasing contracts and their approval, makes four basic provisions:

(1) It deletes "fuel used in the Legislative and other departments of government, except the Judicial Department, . ." from the contract purchase requirement.

(2) It deletes "repairing and furnishing the halls and rooms used for meetings of the Legislature and its committees, . ." from present contract requirements.

(3) It relieves the governor, the secretary of state, and the comptroller from the tedium of approval of all such contracts.

(4) It changes the reference to "Deaf and Dumb Asylum" to "Texas School for the Deaf" to conform with the change in name of this institution made by the legislature in 1949.

Other provisions relating to contract for stationery and printing and safeguarding the state from participation by a member or officer of any department in such contract, remain unchanged.

**BACKGROUND**

Section 21, Article XVI, as now contained in the Constitution, has never been amended. It was placed in the Constitution of 1876 in answer to practices of the reconstruction government, which granted

contracts for fuel and printing at exorbitant prices as special favors to friends or relatives of those wielding governmental powers. Beginning in 1919 with the creation of the Board of Control as the state purchasing agent, this agency, in effect, has exercised the function of calling for and awarding all state contracts. Compliance with the constitutional provision requiring approval of the governor, the secretary of state, and the comptroller has generally been perfunctory, although the Board of Control does give notice to the three officers when bids on printing or fuel are to be opened.

The proposed amendment merely streamlines the existing Section 21, Article XVI, by doing away with unused, excess verbiage.

**ARGUMENTS FOR**

1. The governor, secretary of state, and comptroller, all busy officials, should not be burdened with the strictly storekeeping function of approving purchasing contracts. Approval of contracts by these officials has, in actual practice, become a mere formality and something of a nuisance. Such "approval" is performed by ministerial subordinates of these officials, so that the requirement has in reality become so much "red tape."

2. Contract purchase requirements for fuel for the legislative and other departments of government were also a holdover from the reconstruction period, and since the capitol complex has its own central power plant today, this requirement in the Constitution is outdated. Removing the requirement by adoption of the proposed amendment would simply serve as a clean-up

**measure for the Constitution AGAINST**

1. Even though action of the governor, secretary of state, and comptroller may be perfunctory in passing on purchases, contracts awarded by the State of Texas, the requirement that these officials act in this capacity serves as a check on those actually performing the service. Purchasing agents and officials unconsciously exert more caution under the knowledge that their actions are subject to review by high state officials.

2. Although the present needs for fuel by legislative and other departments of government can be met without fear of graft and corruption, circumstances could change and, certainly, this provision of Section 21, Article XVI as originally included in the Constitution of 1876, is not harmful.

**Personals . . .**

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Griggs returned home Saturday after spending last week in Sterling City and attending funeral services for her brother Friday.

After spending several days here, Mrs. Joe Wolff returned to Deer Park Saturday with her son Willie Wolff, who had brought his aunt, Mrs. B. F. Dawson to Sanderson. Mrs. Wolff took her house to the K. F. Robinson family who will reside there and she will live in Deer Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Rogers and their daughter, Miss Mar Lynn Rogers, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Moses and accompanied Mrs. Moses and her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. C. Hudson, of Bryan to Valentine Saturday to attend the annual homecoming.

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