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It Depends on



How You Look At It!

Someone gave us a new word the other day. We like it! "Misoneism" - hatred or dislike of what is new; strong opposition to change.

The setting of polling places for the two school elections was determined at a meeting of the school board Wednesday night and there seems to be an effort for convenience on the part of the school board in their decision.

The question arose about people living in one precinct and voting in another, having two ballot boxes in one precinct, and having a polling place established for less than 100 voters, etc., etc., etc.

The election laws of the state of interpretation of them or misinterpretation of them is some kind of a problem all over the state. It seems that the legislature could come up with a clear-cut law that tells people what they can do and can't do at elections in simple clear-cut language; or, that there would be someone who could and would be willing to say that something is right or wrong in holding an election. There are always some ambiguous answers, unquotable, no source recognized, saying something like "whatever you can get away with".

We think that most people want to do right about holding elections and voting, and they who are responsible for picking polling places, etc., are wanting to be convenient and fair, etc., but nevertheless, it is confusing to people who are told that it's alright to do some things some times but not alright to do things at other times.

And nowadays the threat of violations of civil rights is a big concern to people - or should be - when they make rules about voting according to their own interpretation of voting laws. And if you think that it's easy to get an official air-tight cut and dried opinion about some things connected with elections and voting, just try it! Maybe some of these days we will get everything straightened about about elections, voting, etc., so that most, if not all of the confusion will have passed. We hope so!

Several people have expressed an interest in the county school board, by just wanting to know what they do, when elected, how long they serve, etc.

We know - we think - this much! There should be one county school board member from each precinct and one member elected "at-large" - or by all the voters in the county. They serve for two

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Weather Station To Operate Here

The Federal Aviation Authority will begin receiving information about the weather at Sanderson within the next few days. The information will be relayed automatically every hour from a station that has been set up on US 285 just north of Sanderson.

Automatically relayed to a central gathering and dispensing center in Kansas City, will be the temperature, dew-point, wind direction and speed, altitude, and rainfall or humidity.

The information will be available to pilots equipped to receive the information as requested on weather. It will be used primarily by pilots of aircraft intending to fly in this direction and is expected to increase air traffic over this area.

It was explained that a pilot planning to fly in this direction would request the information from Kansas City and the latest report - no more than one hour old - would be given to him.

Seal Coating US285 Slated

The Texas Highway Commission has authorized seal-coating on US285 in Pecos County between Sanderson and Fort Stockton. The work will be supervised by District Engineer Paul H. Coleman, and will be done by Jones Bros. Rental Equipment Co., Inc., of Midland.

From 19 miles southeast of Fort Stockton, there is scheduled 19.3 miles of highway to the southeast; and the other stretch to be seal-coated is for 14.9 miles north from the Terrell-Pecos County lines.

The work is scheduled for the summer.

Simmental Sale Saturday At Oasis Ranch

W.F. (Bill) Roden, owner of the Oasis Ranch, the former Lindey Hicks ranch on Independence Creek in the eastern part of Terrell County, is having a "West of the Pecos" Simmental sale Saturday at the ranch. Guest consignors are Jack Riggs of Sanderson and William J. (Dub) Waldrip of Lubbock.

The Simmental breed, an import from France, is one of the exotic breeds of cattle becoming so prominent in the U.S. and are valued at several thousand dollars each, according to reports.

One hundred lots of the purebred to 1/2-blood heifers and cows will be offered for sale.

PRIZE WINNERS TOLD

Mrs. A.J. Pagitt, owner of Western Auto Associate Store in Sanderson, announced on Tuesday that Johnny Hogg had been awarded a barbecue grill, and Sandy Silvas a bicycle in connection with the opening of the store.

Officers Arrest Man Wanted for Robbery

Terrell County Sheriff Dalton Hogg stated Tuesday that local officers who had set up a road block just east of Sanderson, arrested a man possibly involved in a case that will stretch across Texas. The arrest came after local officers were called by a service station operator in Dryden. He was charged with driving without a valid driver's license.

Hogg stated that Julius Daniel Block, 33, of Groves had about \$700 worth of traveler's checks in his possession at the time of his arrest. He was attempting to pass a traveler's check in Dryden and the station operator grew suspicious of the circumstances and called local officers.

The checks were made out to Randy J. Harrison, who was contacted by Val Verde County officers in Irving, and stated that he had been robbed of \$1,500 by a man who had given him a lift in Galveston, then left him stranded near Houston. Block had purchased a used car in Del Rio, according to reports, with the traveler's checks. He was returned to Del Rio for questioning of several burglaries in that area.

Two Candidates Seek Re-Election

Two more men have announced for separate posts in two of the elections coming up April 5.

Weldon Cox has announced for re-election as a director of the Terrell County Water Control & Improvement District #1. The term of Edward Kerr expires this year and he stated that he would not seek re-election to the post. Two directors to that organization will be elected.

W.E. TenEyck has announced his candidacy for re-election as a trustee of the Terrell County Independent School District. The term is for three years. Will J. Murrah is the other member of the board whose term expires this year.

Beauty Salon Has New Manager

Mrs. F.D. (Dorothy) Moore is now managing the Vanity Beauty Salon and keeping it open Thursday and Friday and on Saturday until noon. All kinds of beauty salon services are available.

Mrs. Moore formerly lived here and was manager of the Vanity Beauty Shop. She is a sister of Mrs. Joe Neal Brown and she and her husband are residing on the Brown ranch.

AMONG OUR SUBSCRIBERS

New subscribers to The Times include Mrs. F.B. Moore, Sanderson; Kyle Walker, Van Buren, Ark.

Renewals have come from H.P. Boyd and Lupe Daniel of Sanderson.

Testing Continues At Gas Well

A Devonian-Fusselman gas discovery was indicated in Terrell County with the flowing of gas at the rate of 700,000 cubic feet daily, along with 10 barrels of water per hour at Hytech Rashap, Jr., in 3-176-TMRR, re-entry operation, 11 miles south of Sheffield, three miles south and slightly east of the Allison (Pennsylvanian detrital gas) field and 4 1/4 miles north and slightly east of the depleted one-well Brown-Bassett, North (Fusselman gas) field.

Flow was through a 1/2-in. choke and perforations at 11,143-512 feet, which had been acidized with 14,000 gallons. Testing continued.

Originally drilled by the former Roden Oil Co. to 12,756 feet, it was plugged and abandoned March 8, 1962.

Testing continued on Hytech Energy Corp., Midland, No. 1 Frank Rashap Jr., in Section 3, Block 176, TMRR Co. Survey in Terrell County.

The Devonian gas prospect is 11 miles south of Sheffield, three miles south of and slightly east of the Allison (Pennsylvanian detrital gas) field and 4-1/4 miles north and slightly east of the depleted one-well Brown-Bassett, North (Fusselman gas) field. It was flowing gas at the rate of 2 to 3 million cubic feet daily, plus load water at the hourly rate of 18 barrels.

The flow was through a 12-64-inch choke and perforations at 11,143-212 feet (corrected from 11,143-521 feet).

Earlier it flowed on the same choke at the stabilized rate of 1 million cubic feet daily, plus a small amount of load water.

Fusselman perforations at 11,481-521 feet had been squeezed prior to a flow of 700,000 cubic feet daily reported earlier.

Polling Sites For April 5 Vote Are Named

Polling sites for the county school board and the independent school trustee elections were set by the trustees of the Terrell County Independent School District meeting at a called meeting on Wednesday night.

There will be ballot boxes at the courthouse for the convenience of all Sanderson residents, and at the Methodist Church in Dryden, at the El Paso Natural Gas Plant, and at the ranch home of Herman Couch for the convenience of people who reside in those areas. People who vote in Sanderson for the county school board members by precinct will not jeopardize their vote, according to the ruling by the trustees of the school district, by crossing precinct lines to vote as there will be ballot and stub boxes at the courthouse for all four precincts for the county school board election, and a separate box for the ballot and stub for the school district trustee election.

Absentee voting for the school district trustee election will be at the school tax office, and for the county school board members, residents who wish to vote absentee will go to the courthouse in the office of County Clerk Ruel Adams.

The water district election slated for the same date-- April 5 -- will be at the courthouse with absentee voting to be at the water district office.

Look for bargains in want ads in The Sanderson Times. adv.

Solan Layman, Wilson Banner, and Willie Banner, left to right, are shown with a string of fish taken on the Banner Ranch a long time ago. The picture belongs to Cy Banner.



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years and one from each of two precincts and the at-large member are elected one year, and the other two precincts' representatives are elected the next year. Among other things, they make decisions concerning the bussing of students, they set the salary of the ex-officio superintendent who is the county judge. Persons interested in this office - as a voter or as a candidate - are urged to inquire about more of the duties from County Judge Charles Stavley. This year there will be an election of county school board members from each of the four precincts - two for a one-year term and two for a two-year term, and an at-large member.

According to our information - gleaned from the files of The Times - the last election of a county school board member was in 1971 when members were elected from precincts 1 and 3. If this is true, and if there is no reason to have changed anything, then this year the board members from those precincts will be elected for two-year terms, and the board members from precincts 2 and 4 and the at-large member will be for a one-year term. But this is not official and is only according to our files and what we understand.

The correct information is being sought.

L.E. MULLER'S BROTHER KILLED IN MISSISSIPPI

Henry Muller, 62, who was a taxi driver in Pulaski, Miss., was shot three times after being robbed by a passenger on Tuesday evening, Feb. 18, and the taxicab stolen, according to information received by his brother, L.E. Muller, here. The body of Mr. Muller and the vehicle were found the next day.

Mr. and Mrs. Muller left Saturday for Pulaski and attended the graveside services there Tuesday afternoon. They are expected home today.

Other survivors include a brother, Charlie Muller of Sabinal, and a sister, Mrs. Faith Yell, of Del Rio.

Henry Muller has resided in Sanderson several times.

Mrs. John Ed Robbins left Wednesday for her home in El Paso taking her daughter, Joni Jack, who had been visiting here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Riggs.

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HERMAN H. WEHNER, 79, SP ENGINEER, DIES

Herman H. Wehner, 79, a retired railroad engineer, died Saturday night in Del Rio. He had been in failing health for several months.

Burial was Monday after services in the First United Methodist Church, of which he was a member; also the Masonic Lodge.

Wehner was born in Alt Weisbach, Germany. He came to the U.S. in 1900 and moved to Del Rio in 1908. He began working for the Texas and New Orleans Railroad in 1912 as a clerk, and became a fireman in 1915. He retired in 1960.

He is survived by his widow, two sons, a daughter, 11 grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Minica and daughter have moved to El Paso.

MRS. FISHER'S FATHER DIES

Mr. and Mrs. F.D. Fisher left by plane from Midland Saturday for Napa, Calif., to attend funeral services for her father, Mr. Marshall, who died in his sleep at his home Thursday afternoon. The rites were Monday afternoon in Napa.

Welcome To This World

Mr. and Mrs. James Beard III of Odessa are the parents of a daughter, their third child, born Friday, February 21. Her birth weight was seven pounds and her name is Ashley Anne. Mr. and Mrs. M.G. Northcut of Fort Stockton are the maternal grandparents of the new arrival and Mrs. W.R. Turner is the maternal great-grandmother. Mrs. Turner went to Odessa Monday to visit her granddaughter and family for several days.

GIRL SCOUTS MEET

The Girl Scouts met Monday at the Scout Hut. Mrs. Luis Pena Jr. handed out "World Association Pins" to the girls. The girls and their leaders discussed a project for Easter. All of the girls brought their first aid kits to show. Mrs. Gil Martinez was also present. Rosella Falcon, scribe.

NEW OFFICE DEPUTY HIRED BY SHERIFF

Mrs. Yolanda Rubio is employed in the office of Terrell County Sheriff Dalton Hogg. She will assist Mrs. T. O. Moore following the retirement of Mrs. A.J. Hahn.

Mrs. Moore has been in Ozona for the past several days for training as a dispatcher, which includes the keeping of records, etc., necessary for obtaining or relaying information relative to the sheriff's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cosby and girls were weekend visitors in Lubbock with her brother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kotrlik of Fort Stockton visited here Monday with her grandmother, Mrs. W.R. Turner.

Hope Infant Dies Feb. 18

Funeral services were in Rankin Thursday for John Paul Hope II, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hope, former Sanderson residents.

The baby was born in Rankin Monday and taken to a specialist in a Midland hospital where he died Tuesday morning. Graveside services were in Rankin Thursday morning.

Besides his parents, he is survived by a brother, William Hope of Rankin; his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Rutland, of Rankin and the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M.E. Hope of Sanderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hope, Miss Patti Hope, and Steve Hope attended the funeral services.

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Mrs. Charles Stavley
...AOA's Valentine queen

Mrs. Charles Stavley was crowned Alpha Theta Alpha's Valentine queen for 1974-75 by Mrs. B.A. Pendleton at the annual Valentine dance Saturday night at the Exhibition Building in Fort Stockton and sponsored by the Fort Stockton City Council of Beta Sigma Phi.

"Stairway to the Stars" was the theme of this year's dance and Alpha Theta Alpha was responsible for the stage decorations.

Members and their husbands who attended were Messrs. and Mmes. B.A. Pendleton, C.H. Stavley, Bill O'Rourke, and Chris Hagelstein. Miss Linda Ball also attended.

*Miss Lupe Peña
To Wed May 24*

Mr. and Mrs. Edubijes Escamilla are announcing the engagement of her daughter, Miss Lupe Peña, and Ernesto Zepeda, son of Mrs. Julia Zepeda, and the late Juan Zepeda.

The wedding is planned for Saturday, May 24, in St. James Catholic Church.

Miss Peña, a graduate of Sanderson High School, is employed in the pharmacy at Odessa Medical Center Hospital in Odessa.

The bridegroom-elect is working with the Texas Highway Department at Iraan.

*L.S. Neighborhood
Committee Meets*

The Sanderson Girl Scout Neighborhood Association met on Tuesday, February 18, in the Scout Hut with Mrs. Charles Stegall and Mrs. Philip Eggleston presiding. Four other members attending were Mmes. Charles Hornsby, Larry O'Keefe, Tommy Corbett, and Chris Hagelstein.

After a discussion of the annual Girl Scout Drive, the date of April 27 was set for the drive for funds locally.

Girl Scout Week is March 9-15 and Girl Scout Sunday is March 9, with the Girl Scouts and Brownies planning to attend church together that day.

Girl Scout cookies will be here February 28 and delivery will continue through March 7.

Day camp was discussed and the date set for June 2-6, the site to be at the Kerr well property again this year. Day camp leadership training will be April 11 and 12 in Fort Stockton. Adults interested in helping should plan to attend.

Leaders for Day camp are needed for Brownies, Juniors, and Cadettes. Emergency back-up leaders are also needed and they will be asked to help only if volunteer leaders are unable to help at the last minute.

*Culture Club Meets
In Card Home
Last Thursday*

Roll call at the Culture Club meeting Thursday afternoon revealed only one member absent with 19 members and one guest, Mrs. Sid Harkins, attending. The meeting was in the home of Mrs. C.B. Card with Mrs. Monty Harkins as co-hostess.

At the executive board meeting which preceded the regular meeting, there was a recommendation that the Western District president, Mrs. B. Frank Sandel of Big Lake, be invited to the March meeting; also that the Culture Club be responsible for at least one item for the bazaar and door prizes, provide the name tags, and be responsible for the "a cold drink for the road" hour at the spring convention of the Western District in Alpine on April 4 and 5 with Fort Davis, Marathon and Sanderson assisting as hostess clubs. Mrs. N.M. Mitchell Jr. and Mrs. Joe N. Brown attended the planning meeting in Alpine last week.

Mrs. E.E. Harkins Jr. read an original poem "Love Me" and then a selection "Him" from "Leaves of Gold" when giving the devotional to open the meeting with Mrs. N.M. Mitchell Jr. presiding.

The recommendations of the executive board were adopted and the reports heard from standing committees. In keeping with a special treat provided each year for the members of the high school's National Honor Society, Mrs. Harkins told of plans to take 15 members to Odessa Saturday afternoon with a tour of several places to be made before having dinner at a cafeteria and then going to the Globe Theatre of the Southwest to see "West-side Story". The adults providing cars and accompanying the students will be Mr. and Mrs. C.F. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. N.M. Mitchell Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A.H. Zuberbueler, Mrs. Harkins, and Mrs. E.E. Farley.

The Community Improvement project was presented by Mrs. W.H. Savage, who asked the members to give some thought to what the club's entry might be as the decision had to be made soon.

Mrs. Monty Harkins brought some brochures pertaining to "Conservation" which she had obtained and made them available to the membership.

Mrs. Joe N. Brown made a few remarks pertaining to continuing education.

Mrs. Card and Mrs. E.E. Farley gave the tentative dates of the upcoming UIL speech presentations and the club voted to provide the refreshments for those attending.

Mrs. A.H. Zuberbueler displayed the tablecloth which she had purchased for the members to embroider cattle brands on and Mrs. W.W. Sudduth will prepare the cloth for embroidering. The cloth will be the property of the club to use on special occasions.

Mrs. G.K. Mitchell presented items from the General Federation Magazine.

An entertaining program on "Frontier Justice" was given by Mrs. J.N. Brown who related several humorous incidents as justice was meted out.

The hostesses served dainty refreshments from a white linen-covered table centered with a hurricane light holding white daisies and greenery and surrounded by larger daisies and fern.

Tiny hot sausages were served from a silver chafing dish and with them olives, pickles, cheese biscuits, cherry tarts, salted nuts, tea, and coffee.

Also present were Mmes. A. D. Brown, David Marx, Mary Cox, L.H. Gilbreath, Barton Massey, C.F. Cox, N.M. Mitchell, H.E. Ezelle.

*Historical Group
Hears Odessa Man
Talk on 'Museum'*

The public had been invited to the meeting of the Terrell County Historical Survey Committee on Wednesday evening in the library. A large crowd attended.

The group heard John Wilson of Odessa, museumologist of UTPB, who spoke of the possible sites for a museum here. Earlier in the day he had met with the museum and budget and finance committees and they had viewed several buildings that might be considered. He also told the group of the various steps involved in establishing a museum and he offered his help in any way. He exhibited a scale model of the museum at Iraan.

Mrs. W.H. Grigsby, chairman, then called the business meeting to order and announced several committee changes. The scrapbook committee chairman will be Mrs. Vic Littleton and chairman of the Historical Appreciation Committee is Mrs. L. G. Hinkle.

The memorials chairman,

Mrs. W.W. Sudduth, reported that memorials had been received in memory of Mrs. M.G. Northcut and L.H. Gilbreath. The group voted to contribute \$100 to the YPCC for the markers commemorating the flood victims of the 1965 flood here. They also voted to give 150 of the Terrell County maps to the Culture Club to use in the gift bags at the Western District, T.F.W.C., convention in Alpine.

L.G. Hinkle, chairman of the budget and finance committee, announced that he would accept donations for the proposed museum.

Members attending were Mmes. Cruz Marquez, Pat Harris, George Escobar, W. O. O'Rourke, W.H. Savage, W.W. Sudduth, Vic Littleton, Charles Stavley, W.A. Banner, A.H. Zuberbueler, and E.E. Farley, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hinkle, Bill Rose, and Skipper Harris. County commissioners present were Austin Chriesman, W.W. Sudduth, and David Mitchell; also County Judge Charles Stavley.

Guests were Mmes. E.F. Pierson, L.H. Gilbreath, and

Charles Hornsby, and Mr. and Mrs. C.J. McAughan of Houston.

Weekend visitors with Mrs. C.E. Litton were her son, Steve Litton, and his fiancée, Miss Rene Nielsen, who attend Angelo State University.

Darrell and Jerry Wilcox of Fort Stockton visited here for several days last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Wilcox.

Mrs. V.G. Ross was brought home Friday by Mr. and Mrs. Hal Black after being a medical patient in an Alpine hospital for a week.

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Methodist Women Plan Circle For Young Members

After giving the devotional on "Facing the New Year" and leading in prayer, Mrs. H.E. Ezelle presided during the business session of the United Methodist Women meeting in the fellowship hall Monday afternoon.

Announcement was made of plans for organizing a new circle of young mothers. The Big Bend Sub-District meeting here in September was confirmed.

Miss Eva Billings reported on several articles in the World Outlook Magazine on "Poverty, Protein, and Profits".

Mrs. Ervin Grigsby read II Corinthians 5:5-15 before Mrs. W.H. Taliaferro presented the program on "Concerns".

Mrs. Clyde Higgins, hostess, served a congealed salad, party crackers, roasted pecan halves, tea, and coffee during the social hour. An arrangement of daffodils centered the lace-covered table and a thank-offering box marked each place.

Also present were Meses. L. H. Gilbreath, W.W. Sudduth, Mark W. Duncan, David Treat, W.O. O'Rourke, J.C. Halbert, L.G. Hinkle, and Richard Gates, a guest.

Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Johnson of Sutton, Alaska, and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bob Johnson, and two children of Anchorage, Alaska, left by plane Sunday from Midland for their homes after a visit here. The F.J. Johnsons are parents of Mrs. L.J. Hartzog, who took them to Odessa and Mrs. Bob Johnson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Jones.

Baptist W.M.U. Has Mission Study Monday

Mrs. O.D. Gray gave the lesson from the mission study book "Missions in the Mosaic" by M. Wendel Belew, when the Baptist WMU met Tuesday morning in the church.

Subjects covered were: "Ministering with American Indians, black Americans, Hispanic Americans, European Language Groups, and Oriental Americans".

Mrs. H.G. Cates read the Call to Prayer and the missionaries' birthdays, and also led the closing prayer.

Also present were Meses. H. Pipes, A.N. Farley, A.D. Brown, Paul Tatum, V.E. Keyes, and R.F. Kuethe.

Thursday Bridge Club

Mrs. C.H. Stavley invited the members of the Thursday Bridge Club to Admiral's Steak House for a luncheon last week and then two tables of players participated in the card games. Mrs. T. W. McKenzie brought homemade candy to be made available during the games.

High score was held by Mrs. McKenzie, second high by Mrs. Mark Duncan with Mrs. Bill Smith and Mrs. Philip Hanson sharing slam, and Mrs. Weldon Cox was low.

Also attending were Mrs. Diane Andrews and Mrs. W. H. Goldwire.

Mr. and Mrs. G.H. Carter took their daughter, Miss Brenda Carter, to Houston Friday and she will undergo chemotherapy treatments.

Wednesday Bridge Club

The Wednesday Bridge Club was entertained in the home of Mrs. F. J. Barrett last week and she served a luncheon at 1:00 o'clock. Arrangements of daffodils were on the dining table and stock in the party rooms.

In the card games, Mrs. Diane Andrews held high score, Mrs. Tol Murrah was second high, Mrs. W.H. Goldwire low, with Mrs. Herbert Brown and Mrs. C.H. Stavley sharing slam.

Also present were Meses. John Harrison, Weldon Cox, David Marx, Jim Kerr, Austin Nance, Jack Riggs, and R.S. Wilkinson.

BELLRINGERS TO SEEK FUNDS FOR MENTAL HEALTH

Mrs. Manuel Parada Sr. was named Mental Health campaign chairman for Sanderson. She will organize "Bellringer" workers to go house-to-house during May, Mental Health month.

All proceeds from the campaign will benefit the Texas Association for Mental Health, a voluntary citizens' organization. The association is dedicated to informing the public about mental health and mental illness, while working to improve services for the emotionally or mentally disturbed.

Ray Hodgkins visited in Corpus Christi last weekend with his son, Johnny Hodgkins, who is attending Del Mar College, and with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Hodgkins, and infant daughter. He also visited his daughter, Mrs. Bill Shepp, and family in Portland. Mrs. Patty Phillips accompanied him on the trip and visited with her daughter, Mrs. Karol Phillips, and Michele in Corpus Christi.

Library News

New fiction books received in the library include: "The Continental OP" Hammett "Danger Money" Eberhart "The Return of Moriarty" Gardner

New non-fiction books received recently include: "Signers of the Declaration" Ferris

"Gentilz" Kendall

"World's Great Paintings" Memorial books and cash:

L.H. Gilbreath -

"Dictionary of the Osage Language" LaFleshe

"Brewster County" Casey

Mrs. Louise Causey -

"Missions of Texas" Malloy

Mrs. Pearl Northcut -

"Life Was Simpler Then" Erdman

"The Glory and the Dream" (2 volumes) Manchester

Mrs. Della Harkins -

"Hallelujah Chariot" Hathaway

"The Burning Lamp" Murray

"The Wind Leaves No Shadow" Laughlin

Mrs. C.G. Riggins -

"Flower Arrangement" Rockwell

"How To Use Houseplants Indoors" Kramer

Mrs. R.A. Gatlin was brought home Wednesday from a San Angelo hospital and is recuperating from surgery for a detached retina. Their son, Kip Gatlin, and wife and two sons of Phoenix, Ariz., left Saturday for their home after a two weeks' visit here.

Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Santiago Rodriguez were their son, Julian Rodriguez with his wife and their two children, Esteban and Laura, of San Antonio, and their daughter, Mrs. Mike Leyva, with her husband and their two children, Diana and Mario, of Pecos.

Public School Week To Be March 3-7

In observance of Texas Public School Week, the elementary school faculty is cordially extending an invitation to all parents and interested parties to visit the classrooms during the school hours of 9:00 a.m. and 2:45 p.m. on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 4 and 5. Visitors are urged to walk in any classroom they wish to visit.

There will be schedules of all activities posted on the doors. In this way, visitors may visit the different subject areas being taught, it was explained.

Parents of junior high and high school students are also encouraged to visit these schools during the Public School Week.

Mrs. O.T. Sudduth has been in San Antonio for over a week on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. H.D. Price, who is in intensive care in the hospital. She is visiting her sister, Mrs. M.C. Dye, and family and with her daughter, Miss Nella Kay Sudduth.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hope and children returned home Saturday from San Angelo after visiting with her mother and other relatives for two days.

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Special Services On Ash Wednesday For Catholics Here

Ash Wednesday, February 12, was marked in the St. James Catholic Church here with a special service. Other churches will be making mention of the season at their regular services during the period.

Lent is a 40-day season of prayer, reflection and penance in preparation for Easter, a reminder of the 40 days that Christ went into the desert to pray.

Ash Wednesday, opening day of Lent, takes its name for the "ashes and sackcloth" which are an ancient symbol of penance. Liturgical rituals employ ashes made by the burning of the palms of the previous Palm Sunday, which marked Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem. The ashes are marked on the foreheads of the people in the shape of a cross, symbolizing their acceptance of the penitential season.

Eaglettes Lose Bi-District Tilt

The Sanderson High School Eaglettes lost in their bi-district basketball game to Fort Davis by a score of 32-58. The game was played in Fort Davis Tuesday night of last week.

Coach Jack Cosby stated that he appreciated the following of fans that made the trip, and that it bolstered the morale of the team to know that they had many loyal fans. He also praised the effort of the girls in the game, noting that they were beaten by a superior team, but they played a very good basketball game, in his opinion.

Sanderson trailed throughout the game and the quarter-ending scores were: 6-14, 11-28, 24-36, and 32-58.

Elaine Brown was high scorer for the Eaglettes with 13, JoAnn Hagelgans had 10, Bryanann Stavley 7, and Gaye TenEyck 2. Alice Montalvo and Tammy Moses also saw action as forwards. The guards were Linda Hagelgans, Janet Harrell, Vonda Wallace, Yolanda Rodriguez, Patti Hope, and Cynthia Allison.

Oil & Gas Leases

Wayne W. Connally, trustee, to Exxon Corp. Sect. 18 6 20, Block H, GCESFRR Survey, 1,308.3 acres. Vol. 47, pp 1-3.

Frank Rashap, trustee, to Belco Petroleum Corp., Sec. 7, Blk. 173, TMRR Co. V. 47 pp 29-30.

Mrs. Fannie Montgomery Hunt to Amoco Production Co. Sec. 1, Cert. 1882, Abst. 1247, TCRR Co. Survey. Vol. 47, pp 32-33.

N.M. Mitchell Jr. and wife to Amoco Production Co. Sec. 15, Blk. 2, CCSDGRG NGR Survey. 692.8 acres. Vol. 47, pp 34-36.

W.H. Goldwire and wife, and W.H. Goldwire, executor for the estate of Mrs. Madeline C. Goldwire, deceased, to Chalfant, Magee, and Han Hansen, Inc., 1,920 acres. Sections 86, 98, 99, Block 1, GCESFRR Co. Survey. Vol. 47, pp 39-40.

Pages 4-46 in Volume 47, Oil & Gas Lease, are amendments to previous oil and gas leases by Wayne W. Connally, trustee, to Exxon Corp.

Mrs. Julia Zepeda is recuperating at her home after being in an Alpine hospital for two days and then in an Odesa hospital for five days as a medical patient.

Charlie Muller of Sabinal was an overnight visitor Monday with his aunt, Mrs. Edna L. Heyman.

Rep. McBee Sends Texas Flag To Legion Auxiliary

The Legion Auxiliary received a flag last week from Rep. Susan Gurley McBee, 70th District of Texas, and it is being flown with the U.S. Flag on the staff near the memorial marker on the southwest corner of the courthouse block.

Noting that in the past, flags which had flown over thenational and state capitols had been given to organizations requesting them, the local Auxiliary made a request for one and in less than a week it had arrived. The policy of giving the flags has been discontinued, Mrs. Gurley stated, but a nominal fee is charged for the flag. The request was the first that Mrs. McBee had received for a flag after beginning her duties on January 1 and she stated in a note that she was happy to be able to furnish the flag.

'Snow' Meet In Stockton Saturday

Track Coach George Black took the Eagle track team to Fort Stockton Saturday for the Comanche Relays - a meet which was finished in snow and sleet.

Black stated that Marvin Davis had a broad jump of 17'11-3/4" for fourth place, which was Sanderson's only placing in the meet.

Ja Chriesman was 3rd in qualifying heat in the 440-yard dash with a time of 54.7, but pulled a muscle in the 220-yard dash and was not able to run in the finals in the 440.

Conn Sumrall placed 7th in the 220 with a time of 2:37.0.

Coach Black stated that the individual members of the team were encouraged to not participate in their respective events Saturday due to the bad weather and possible injury, and that all the other track team members chose to not participate.

The team will go to Wink Saturday for another meet.

Drilling News -

Amoco 1-A Mitchell was last reported drilling below 4,103 feet.

Amoco 1-B Mitchell is said to be drilling below 7,317 feet.

Mobil 2 Mitchell was last reported drilling below 7,909 feet.

Superior 1 Bassett Trust was at 14,688 feet in shale and sand at last report.

Skelly 1-7 Culbertson was last reported drilling below 13,097 feet in a sidetracked hole.

C.G. Riggins returned home Friday from Gonzales and his two sisters-in-law, Misses Pauline Ebel of San Antonio and Olga Ebel of Gonzales, accompanied him home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hope have been in San Antonio for 10 days and he is in the hospital for treatment of a back problem, according to reports.

Honor Rolls For Schools Named

Sanderson Junior High School Principal Jack Cosby released the honor roll for the fourth six-weeks period last weekend to The Times. The list includes the following students:

All 90 - Roberta Bell, Lori James, Malone Mitchell, Sandy Silvas, Pat Molitor, Kim Wueste, Tammy Hagelgans, Mickey Corbett, Shalor Sumrall, Benny Fierro, Scott Mitchell, Tom Kerr, Patricia Vawter.

90-average - Lisa Stavley, Gary Allen, Lloyd Coots, Paula TenEyck, Mary Corbett, Jose Daniel, Cynthia Hornsby, Milby Winn, Carrie Escobar, Leticia Esqueda, Juan Daniel, Leslie Morris, Amy Harrison, Steve Falcon, Ele Chris Hagelstein, Larry Payne, Elizabeth Babb.

85-average - Gib Bell, Paula Castro, Norma Fisher, Sonja Allison, Julian Martinez, Aubby Black, Alma Falcon, Rex Holcombe, Patty Gonzalez, Rudy Licon, Scott McDonald, Cody Carruthers, Lupe Lopez, Maricela Martinez, Amelia Lomas, Matthew Card, Nancy Condes, Anabelia Daniel, Rosella Falcon, Sylvia Fisher, Ken Kothman, Yolanda Marquez, Steven Marquez, Anita Eckert, Elizama Garcia, Manuel Maldonado, Lizbeth Marquez, Rhoda Sue Bell.

The honor roll of students in Sanderson High School was released Monday by James I. Payne, principal.

The All-A roll includes Elaine Brown, Debra Druse, Janet Harrell, Hanna Sullivan, Sandra Villarreal, Vonda Wallace, Margarita Escudero, Clay Mitchell, Tom Whistler.

Students who had an A-average were: Ja Chriesman, Virginia Falcon, Kevin Farley, Linda Hagelgans, Donald Jones, Ricky Marquez, Danny Montalvo, Paul Hinkle, Joanna James, Lali Marquez, Bryanann Stavley, Debbie Tulk, Cynthia Allison, Imelda Escamilla, Randy Massey, Alicia Montalvo, Conn Sumrall, Beverly Winn, Cristina Escobar, Selene Farley, Jeanette Kerr, Roland Valles, Jeff Wueste.

Students on the B honor roll include: Elias Calzada, David Carter, Ernestina Flores, Carlos Munoz, Kendall Billings, Mary Escudero, JoAnn Hagelgans, Patti Hope, Bobby Hunn, Rosella Marquez, Elizabeth Montalvo, Albert Pena, Yolanda Rodriguez, Mario Salazar, Raeline Thompson, Minerva Villarreal, Billy Walton, Marla Bell, Rosa Carrillo, William Corbett, Robert Haynes, Elva Hernandez, Rosalinda Lopez, Lali Luevano, Jan Tatum, Kevin Vinson, Martha Garza, Tim Baker, Susan Corbett, Marvin Davis, Ruben Esqueda, Mary Gonzales, Terry Harrell, James Maldonado, Beth Ann Molitor, Jesse TenEyck, Mark Condes.

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Easter Seal Letters Mailed This Week

Easter Seal appeal letters are being delivered this week, according to Charles G. Riggins, Terrell County Easter Seal representative of the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas.

The representative serves as contact for disabled persons needing Easter Seal rehabilitation services and also serves as Treasurer of the Easter Seal Appeal in the county.

During 1974, the Texas Easter Seal Society provided treatment and services for 20,152 children and adults who were in need of assistance. Easter Seal services are available to any disabled person who can benefit from help provided by the Easter Seal Society, and who does not qualify for any other assistance. Self-mailing requests for assistance are available through the representative.

The Easter Seal Campaign will continue through Easter Sunday, March 30.

Mr. and Mrs. H.P. Boyd returned to Del Rio Sunday after visiting here with friends for a few days. They brought Mrs. O.J. Cresswell home after she had visited friends there in recent weeks.

Spec. 4 Eddie R. Tatum, son of Rev. and Mrs. Paul Tatum, has been assigned as a Cobra helicopter crew chief in the First Cavalry Division at Fort Hood. He visited here recently while on furlough.

Day of Prayer Set for March 7

At a service in the First United Methodist Church at 10:00 a.m. on World Day of Prayer, March 7, the church women of Sanderson will join millions of people in a chain of prayer spanning six continents. This 89th celebration of World Day of Prayer will be observed in a thousand languages and dialects by Protestant, Orthodox, and Catholic Christians.

The theme for 1975 is "Become Perfectly One," a search for the meaning of Christian unity in the broader context of a pluralistic society. The worship service has been prepared by the Women's Ecumenical Prayer Fellowship of Egypt. Thousands of Christian women who are outside the Orthodox tradition will be able to savor a service that includes elements from a liturgy dating back to the early centuries of Christendom as well as elements born of the Arab experience of Protestantism and Catholicism.

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SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SPECIAL ELECTION APRIL 22, 1975

NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. No. 3)

Repealing Sections 48a, 48b, 51e, and 51f of Article III and Sections 62 and 63 of Article XVI of the Texas Constitution, Article XVI of the Texas Constitution is amended to:

Provide for the revision and consolidation of provisions relating to state and local retirement systems and programs and to provide that all general laws that have established retirement systems and optional retirement programs for public employees and officers in effect at the time of the adoption of this constitutional amendment will remain in effect, subject to the general powers of the Legislature.

Provide that the amount a participating officer or employee contributes to the employee retirement system or the teacher retirement system shall be established by the Legislature but may not be less than 6% of current compensation and providing further that the amount contributed by the state may not be less than 6 nor more than 10% of the aggregate compensation paid to participating persons, except that in an emergency, as determined by the Governor, the Legislature may contribute more than 10% of the aggregate compensation paid to persons participating in state retirement systems.

Provide that the Legislature shall provide for local retirement systems created by any city or county for its officers and employees and shall further provide for a state-wide system of benefits for officers and employees of counties or other political subdivisions of the State which may voluntarily participate, and

to further provide that a state-wide system of benefits shall be provided for officers and employees of cities which may voluntarily participate.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment revising and consolidating provisions relating to state and local retirement systems and programs and providing for a maximum state contribution to state systems of 10 percent of the aggregate compensation paid to individuals."

NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. No. 6)

Amending Article III, Section 24 of the Texas Constitution to:

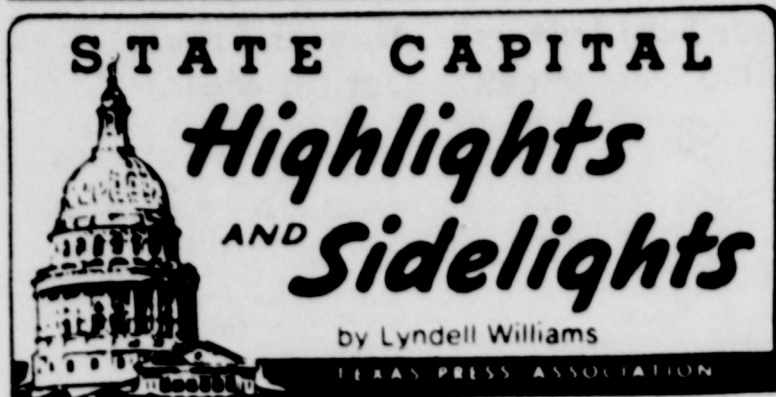
Provide an increase in salary for members of the Legislature from \$400 per month to \$600 per month.

Provide an increase in the per diem rate for members of the Legislature from \$12 to \$30 for each day during each Regular and Special Session of the Legislature.

Provide an increase in the transportation allowance for members from \$10 per mile to the rate prescribed by law for employees of the State of Texas.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment setting the salaries of members of the legislature at \$600 per month and setting a per diem of \$30 per day during legislative sessions and a mileage allowance at the same rate provided by law for state employees."



AUSTIN—Texans may be selecting their presidential nominating convention delegates in a special primary next year.

A presidential preference primary bill was voted out of the House Elections Committee in spite of heavy opposition from a parade of witnesses.

Significantly, perhaps, the Committee vote came on the same day U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen of Texas announced his candidacy for the Democratic presidential nomination.

Bentsen has acknowledged his interest in seeing a preference primary established in his home state, although he insists he is not making a major campaign for it.

Texans now choose delegates to presidential nominating conventions in state conventions of the major parties.

Under the proposal approved by the Committee, delegates would be elected on the primary election ballot. Presidential candidates would pick their own delegates in each of Texas' 31 senatorial districts.

Opponents assailed the bill advanced by Rep. Tom Schieffer of Fort Worth as a "winner take all" measure. Schieffer insisted that it is not, and claimed Democratic party rules authorize such methods of naming delegates.

Bentsen aides reportedly feel the primary will make it possible for him to get a bigger share of Texas delegates than he would win under the existing convention system, although this is subject to question.

MORE FUNDS DUE

Texas will get \$64.2 million in recently-released federal funds to aid cities with building sewage treatment facilities.

The money, impounded by presidential directive, was ordered released last week by the U.S. Supreme Court. It is in addition to \$111 million released immediately after the High Court's decision.

Water Quality Board members are working on a list of cities which will receive the \$64.2 million.

WQB Executive Director Hugh C. Yantis Jr. said Texas will also be permitted to allocate separate funds to large cities and small cities. In the past, small cities have had to compete with large cities for available funds.

OIL ALLOWABLE SET

Texas Railroad Commission once more set the statewide oil production allowable at 100 per cent for March.

For three years, the Commission has been directing all-out production, and at the same time imported oil is continuing to flow in.

Commission Chairman Ben Ramsey said 4,023,000 barrels were imported the first week of February, a considerable increase over January. Buyers asked for 4,055,124 barrels of Texas oil daily, which represents a 8,946 barrel decrease from February.

SPEED LIMIT DEBATED

House members found extending the 55-mile-per-hour speed limit hard to accept, and sent the legislation to accomplish it back to committee.

Some want to levy a minor

\$5 fine (not attributable to insurance rates) for speeding offenses between 55 and 70 miles an hour.

When all the fussing is over, the Legislature almost certainly will extend the present limit. To do otherwise would risk loss of \$303 million a year in federal highway funds.

COURTS SPEAK

An Austin district judge granted Atty. Gen. John Hill's request for a temporary injunction to stop a \$45 million increase in Texas intrastate long distance telephone rates March 1.

Frances "Sissy" Farenthold's year-old campaign finance lawsuit against Gov. Dolph Briscoe and key campaign aides was dismissed at her own request. She had sought a \$2.5 million civil recovery—and ended up paying the court costs.

Texas Supreme Court held a doctor can be made responsible for medical bills of a defective child born to a mother who had German measles during pregnancy where the physician failed to give proper warning of dangers.

The High Court sustained a \$5,117 jury finding for a woman who was hurt when another driver turned right at a "confusing" experimental red arrow signal in Wichita Falls.

In still another case, the Supreme Court agreed with Attorney General Hill that a Galveston proposal to issue \$26 million in bonds to build a grain elevator in a city harbor should have been rejected.

AG OPINIONS

Counties may be granted limited zoning authority over parts of islands and other recreation territories within their boundaries but outside city limits.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

- Statistics on juvenile crime may be furnished the Department of Public Safety by local agencies provided information does not identify offenders.

- Revenue in a county road and bridge fund can be transferred to the general fund and used for any lawful purpose.

- No funds are appropriated for research and management for protection of the white-winged dove, although money may be spent for acquiring a dove habitat.

- The Highway Department can spend state funds to match federal money for city street and county road projects.

NEW APPOINTMENTS

Governor Briscoe reappointed Dewitt C. Greer of Austin to the State Highway Commission.

Other recent appointments by the Governor include Dewey G. Smith of Alice to the State Board of Trustees of the Teacher Retirement System; John W. Arnn of Temple to the Texas Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations;

Judge Frank G. McDonald of Waco and Judge Louis Holland of Montague to Texas Civil Judicial Council; Otha F. Dent of Austin to be Interstate Compact Commissioner for the Red River; Russell B. McGowen Jr. of Pecos to be Pecos

Disabled Workers Should Apply Promptly for Social Security

Working people who face a long-term severe disability should apply promptly for social security benefits to avoid loss of payments they may be entitled to, according to social security officials here.

Social security pays monthly benefits to eligible workers and their families if the worker is severely disabled and cannot work for a year or more. Payment begins with the sixth full month of disability.

"Back payments can only be made for up to 12 months," a spokesman said. "So disabled workers shouldn't delay their applications, even if they're not sure they'll qualify for payments. About one of every 12 workers getting social security disability payments misses out on some payments because he applied too late."

Disabled workers who

haven't applied for benefits should call any social security office as soon as possible, according to the spokesman. "Or, they can ask a friend or relative to make the call," he said.

Social security disability benefits are paid to over 2 million disabled workers and over 1½ million dependents. The average payment is \$205

a month. Disabled people who have been entitled to social security disability benefits for 24 consecutive months or more also are eligible for Medicare health insurance.

The Social Security Administration is an agency of the U. S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

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Single copies of the leaflet are free on request at any social security office. The Social Security Administration is an agency of the U. S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

River Compact Commissioner;

Charles H. Freeman Jr. of Pleasanton to the Evergreen Underground Water Conservation District board of directors and Raymond Hicks of Bandera to the Bandera County River Authority.

SHORT SNORTS

Texas National Guard will conduct 25 area disaster relief exercises during March, April and May in all parts of the state.

A controversial amended version of a bill to raise consumer finance loan interest rates received five-to-one approval of the Senate Economic Development Committee.

The State Senate approved a \$153,709 supplemental appropriation to the Texas Department of Labor and Standards for mobile home inspection and \$840,000 for continued adult basic education programs.

Eighty million dollars worth of emergency aid to schools will be mailed to 1,049 districts during the first week of March. Eighty-seven self-supporting budget-balanced districts will get none of the money.

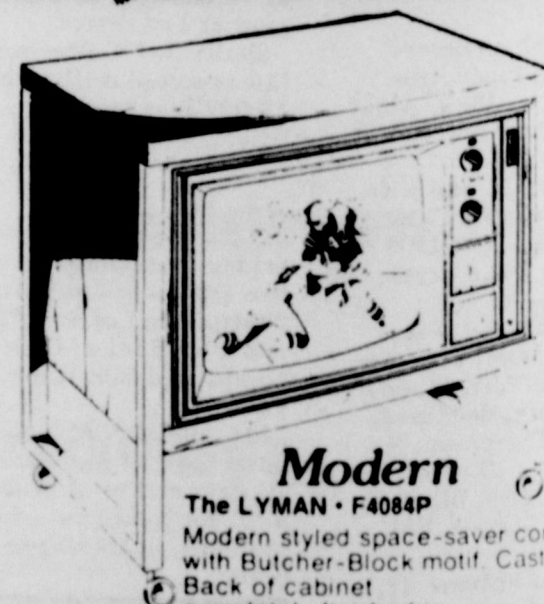
A new round of hearings on proposals for revising the state constitution article-by-article are underway in House and Senate.

Legislation to reform rape laws ran into an unfriendly reception from some House members, although most witnesses testifying favored the measure.



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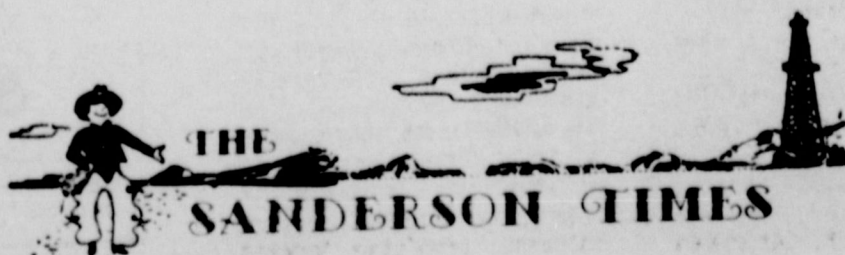
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'Heimlich Hug' May Save A Life

What would you do if you encountered a person choking -- unable to talk or breathe? Most people would probably slap them on the back and hope the problem would work itself out. Now, however, there's a better way! It's called the "Heimlich Maneuver" or the Heimlich Hug". It was devised by Dr. Henry J. Heimlich, director of surgery at the Jewish Hospital in Cincinnati and in most cases where the "hug" was applied, a life has been saved.

Because the "hug" is so easy and quick to do, and because its results have been so successful, the Texas Medical Association recommends that everyone become familiar with it so that future choking victims can be spared a needless death.

Prompt action is required to save a choking victim because death can occur inside of four minutes. The "Heimlich Hug", which you want to practice on a willing "victim" first, can be applied from the standing position in this fashion:

1. Stand behind the victim and wrap your arms around his waist, allowing the victim's head, arms and upper torso to hang forward.
2. Make a fist with one hand and grab it with the other. Place the fist against the victim's abdomen, just above the navel and below the rib cage.
3. Squeeze the fist into the victim's abdomen with a forceful upward thrust. This may be repeated if necessary.

(Note: a second person should be prepared to remove ejected food or other obstruction from the victim's throat when it is expelled.)

If the victim has already collapsed, the rescuer need not pick him up. Face down or face up, the procedure is basically the same: Straddle the victim, place both hands (one on top of the other) just below the victim's diaphragm

and then push sharply toward the victim's head. The procedure should be repeated if necessary.

(Note: a second person should be prepared to remove ejected food or other obstruction from the victim's throat when it is expelled.)

The idea of the "heimlich Hug" is to compress the air in the lungs, so that food stuck in the throat pops out, enabling the victim to breathe again.

Every year in the United States, 3,900 people strangle on food stuck in their throats and that's more people than are killed each year in accidental shootings. In most cases, the incident occurs at the dinner table. The victim suddenly chokes, turns blue or black, and is dead within minutes. He can neither speak nor help himself. And chances are no one else will help him either since bystanders usually confuse the episode with a heart attack. Thus the popular appellation of "cafe coronary".

The typical case of "cafe coronary" involves an elderly person with either no chewing teeth, or with ill-fitting dentures. The victim also often has been drinking, and so is not as careful as he should be about cutting up his meat or chewing adequately.

In one case, a man told his wife, "Mabel, you can't swallow that big piece of steak." She replied, "Oh, yes I can!" Unfortunately, those were her last words.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Wilkinson and family have moved from Houston to Durango, Colo. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R.S. Wilkinson.

Mrs. W.V. Munson returned home last week after visiting for several days with her sister, Mrs. Marjorie Inmon, and family and his sister, Mrs. J. H. Wehmeyer, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Turner and son of Dryden have moved to Tomball and he will be employed by his brother, Buddy Monroe, of Houston.

WTCC Relates Tax Debt of Citizens

Texas taxpayers will be required to pay about \$17.8 billion in federal taxes as their share of the cost of the federal spending budget of \$349.4 billion proposed by President Ford for the 1976 federal fiscal year beginning July 1, 1975, according to an estimate this week by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

This estimate was based on the Chamber's calculations that Texas taxpayers bear 5.10% of all federal taxes.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce pointed out that any change which Congress may make in this budget will reduce or increase the amount that Texas taxpayers will have to bear depending on whether Congress cuts or spends more.

The \$17.8 billion share which would be borne by Texas taxpayers to support the president's proposed budget is 4-1/2 times the total Texas state spending in 1972.

"The average citizen of Texas has a hard time relating to a \$349.4 billion national budget," J. Pike Godfrey, executive vice-president of WTCC said. "In fact, the average person can not relate to 5% of that amount, the \$17.8 billion that Texas taxpayers will pay."

"How much is the \$17.8 billion of federal taxes that Texans will pay?" Godfrey asks. "Well, let's look at it in terms we can all understand.

"The federal taxes Texans will pay on a \$349.4 billion budget would amount to \$1,590 for every man, woman, and child in Texas or to \$6,360 for an average family of four.

"Put another way, Texas' federal tax bill would build nearly a half a million \$30,000 homes, or if the inhabitants of Fort Worth could divide that much money among themselves, each man, woman, and child in Fort Worth would get about \$23,382.00 each".

We have customer wanting 5 or 6 copies of The Times of January 30. Will buy them. We have no more copies at our office. Please bring one if you have it.

CARD OF THANKS
Our heartfelt thanks are extended to all those who so kindly expressed their love and sympathy in so many ways at the time of the death of our loved one.

By words of condolence, memorials, floral offerings, cards, messages, and food, friends have showed that they shared our bereavement. We pray God's blessings on each of you.

The family of Mrs. Charles G. (Teeler) Riggins

CARD OF THANKS
We are truly grateful to good friends who did so much for us during our recent sorrow. May we take this means of saying "thank you" for the many comforting expressions of your friendship and affection.

The family of Joe C. Penney Sr.

CARD OF THANKS
Thanks to all the people of Sanderson and El Paso for the cards, calls, and other kindnesses shown while I was in the hospital recently. May God bless you all.

Anacleto Veliz
CARD OF THANKS
For the cards and gifts which kind and thoughtful friends sent to me while I was in the hospital, I am very grateful. I also appreciated all of the favors and attention given by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Odessa hospital.

Mrs. Julia Zepeda.

Counties Urged To Participate In Bicentennial Activity

Counties should play an active role in planning and staging local observances for America's Bicentennial in 1976, according to Rod Kendig, a member of the National Association of Counties, who said "things must first happen at the local level."

Kendig addressed the 17th annual county judges and commissioners' conference at Texas A&M University and outlined several ways counties can participate in America's Bicentennial.

"Counties can establish citizen committees to work on the Bicentennial, work with the school system to create an awareness of county government in the state of Texas, and work with the local historical society," said Kendig, who is based in Washington, D.C. "Committees can work on plantings and decorations for the courthouse grounds and other locations."

Kendig said Hood, Gray, and Randall counties have established oral history projects which work with historical societies to record reminiscences of the past, and Randall County is putting in a visitor center which will benefit that county's citizens for years to come, he said.

"It is how we respond to the future that is going to make a difference in how citizens judge our county," said Kendig. "America's Bicentennial celebration should begin, not end, in 1976."

PURELY LOCAL



Mrs. Ferne Carmichael is arriving in Midland Saturday to spend some time with the Robert Hunns and Bobby.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pena and children of El Paso were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Guzman, also his mother, Mrs. Edubijes Escamilla, and family.

Mrs. W.J. Ferguson Jr. took her mother, Mrs. Burk Rose,

YPCC 2nd & 4th Thursdays 7 p.m. tonight at courthouse

ELECTION JUDGES NAMED FOR SCHOOL VOTING

Election judges and clerks for holding the elections for trustees of the Terrell County Independent School District and the Terrell County School Board members were named by the school board trustees at their recent meeting.

At the courthouse in Sanderson, Jimmy Caroline will be the judge, with clerks to be Mrs. Troy Druse, Mrs. W. J. Ferguson Jr., Mrs. Irvin Grigsby, Mrs. Salvador Garza Jr. In Dryden, Mrs. Mary Coots will be the judge with Mrs. Shirley Lobstein as the clerk. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Couch will be judge and clerk at their ranch house; and Mrs. E.E. Westbrook and Mrs. Anita Gregg, the judge and clerk at the El Paso Natural Gas Plant.

Voting will be between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on April 5.

to Del Rio last week and they visited Mrs. Ferguson's daughter, Mrs. Tom Smith, and family there for several days.

Miss Wynn Massey, a student at Tarrant County Junior College in Fort Worth, returned Sunday after visiting here for three days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Massey, and Randy. Misses Debbie Dudley and Debbie Presell, collegemates, accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Potter of Amesbury, Mass., visited their niece, Mrs. Richard Gates, and family the first of the week. They had left Amesbury on February 10 for a tour of the U.S.

Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Edubijes Escamilla and Miss Margarita Pena were Mrs. Escamilla's daughters, Mrs. Ruben Flores, with her husband and daughter, Angie, and Miss Lupe Pena, of Odessa; and her granddaughter, Miss Lizzie Pena, of Del Rio.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jordan returned home Friday from a vacation trip. They went to Houston for her to have a medical check-up and then to Kilbourne, La., to visit his daughter, Mrs. Ronnie Williams, and family; then to Lubbock to visit his son, Minward Jordan, and wife; to Crane to visit her son, Dennis Hambrick, and wife and their two children who were former Sanderson residents; to Grandfalls to visit his daughter, Mrs. Donald Posey, her husband and four children.

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