

# TAX REFERENDUM SET FOR AUG 24

Directors of the Palo Duro Authority passed a resolution Monday morning to hold a referendum on August 24th. In Hansford and Ochiltree counties will vote on a tax increase of 6 cents per \$100 on the county tax. The tax, expected to be \$20,000 will be used to hire an office and staff authority, pay for pre-engineering, and pay the permit for the project from the Texas Water Commission. The permit for the dam must be secured at a cost of \$6 before the authority can apply for grants and loans from the government to help with the proposed \$7 million project.

The directors also set August 21 for an appreciation dinner for State Representative Dean Cobb and State Sen. Max Sherman. Cobb introduced the bill creating the authority in the house and Sherman pushed it through the senate.

Gov. Bill Hobby will speak at the dinner to be held in the Perryton Club which will be sponsored by the Chambers of Commerce in the two counties.

The project, if approved will form a lake 10 miles long and four miles wide with 190,000 acre feet of water. The proposed site is 13 miles of Perryton, 15 miles northeast of Spearman and 17 miles east of Gruver—a point just north of Palo Duro River's confluence with Horse Creek in Hansford County. The prime purpose of the dam is to furnish a municipal water supply to serve Perryton, Spearman and Gruver. The dam also will provide recreation and assist in local soil conservation.

In 1962, a \$5.6 million bond referendum for the dam was turned down by one vote in the two counties. Since then, however, reports have shown that irrigation has taken a heavy toll on the ground water supply.

The Palo Duro River Authority board has four Perryton representatives, three from Spearman and one from Gruver. They are Robert Skinner of Spearman, president; vice president, R.D. Lemon of Perryton and directors Dee Jackson and Gus Renner, both of Spearman; Bob Logsdon of Gruver; and Bob Urban, Delbert Timmons and Jerry Garrison, all of Spearman.

A maintenance tax election notice appears in this issue of this newspaper. The election has been set for August 24, 1973.

Directors have contracted Nichols engineering firm for \$100,000 to do pre-engineering to the dam. The firm is also doing the required Texas Water Rights permit for the dam, according to a spokesman of Spearman, manager of the project. The Hansford County Economic Development Agency, Davidson executive, a "better break in loans than would be available" for the dam. Sources said that the Economic Development Agency, programs under the Development Act, Corps of Engineers, Texas Rural Development and the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation.

Twenty per cent of the project will be paid for by such as about 10 per cent will be left up to the two counties, he said. The local would come from revenue sharing.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 2, 1973

## ASCS Announces NoSet-Aside Land

Hansford ASCS received the following announcement concerning government set-aside land for 1974. The announcement is that there will be no set-aside of land in 1974 for feed grains, wheat or cotton. This will free farmers to go all out to produce feed grains, soybeans, wheat and cotton and will permit farmers to begin making plans for 1974 crops.

The maintenance of an established conserving base will not be required as a condition of eligibility to receive price support or program payments. Counties shall discontinue all conserving base work and adjustments for 1974 with the exception that conserving use requirements will remain in effect for CCP or CAP agreements which are not terminated.

Producers with existing CAP and CCP agreements which continue through 1974 and subsequent years will, at their option, have the opportunity to terminate such agreements.

## Sheriff Returns Two Men Here For Court Action

Hansford County Sheriff J. B. Cooke went to Springfield, Mo. last week and returned Charles Hollicross here. He was wanted for theft of an automobile from Excel Chevrolet-Olds. The car was recovered and returned to Excel.

The man is in custody under a \$2500 bond awaiting action of the grand jury.

Also on July 20, the sheriff apprehended Carl Baldwin in Martin, S. D. who has been under indictment for 2 years for forgery. Baldwin has made bond and is awaiting court action.

## Services Held For Roy Sansing

Funeral Services were held Monday at 2:30 P. M. in the United Methodist Church in Higgins for Roy Sansing, 74, Higgins lawyer and civic leader who died Saturday after a long illness.

Burial was in Higgins Cemetery under the direction of Stickley Funeral Home in Canadian.

A native of Athens, Texas, Mr. Sansing came to Higgins in 1938. His career of civic service reached a high point in 1947, when he led a rebuilding and relief campaign after a tornado caused heavy damage in Higgins.

Survivors include his wife Clara, two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Hurter of Northfield, Ill.; Mrs. Nell Steele of Dallas; a son, Mack of Higgins; two brothers, T. D. of Spearman, Charles of Wharton; a sister, Mrs. Laura Duham, and eight grandchildren.

Dear Mayor Hackley:

As you know, your city will be well represented in the 39th annual Texas High School All-Star football game on Thursday, August 2, in Texas Stadium.

We feel certain that your entire city is proud to have your All-Star chosen for this annual schoolboy gridiron classic. He is checked on the enclosed roster.

Dallas Mayor Wes Wise has just predicted a 28-13 victory for the North.

Houston Mayor Louis Welch, however, has forecast a decisive victory for the South.

Undoubtedly, local pride and loyalty to their respective cities has influenced the predictions of both mayors.

We invite you to accept their challenges, and to join in their friendly, North-South Texas rivalry by submitting your All-Star football game forecast and comments to this office. Your views will be duly dispatched to the wire service and newspaper-radio-TV sports editors, state-wide.

We will gladly accept your comments and All-Star game prediction -- by telegram, telephone and mail.

Your participation will provide another important boost for public interest in Texas high school football.

Many thanks.

Kindest regards,  
Hal Copeland

THIS IS MAYOR HACKLEY'S REPLY TO THE LETTER

From Spearman-----

Northern most city represented in Texas High-School All-Star football game.

The challenge is on. A large Panhandle grain feed beef roast against a bucket of shrimp.

The North by "9" ----

"Mayor Welch! put up or shut up."

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We have a new name for our paper; the Wheeze Mess News! This is the actual name of a paper in Yellowstone Park, we are told!



A PORTION OF THE LOOT TAKEN from Shamrock Oil & Gas Corporation July 30 is shown here. Chief of Police Leland Wood said that this was only part of the items taken. The case has been cleared and the items recovered.

## Burglars Busy Here Last Weekend

Both the Hansford County Sheriff's Dept. and the City of Spearman Police Dept. have been busy this week investigating burglaries that took place over the weekend here.

On June 29, Mrs. Jane Meek of 515 S. Barkley reported to the Spearman Police Dept. that her car had been stolen. She heard a car start and realizing that it sounded like hers, investigated and found it gone from her driveway. The car is a 1969 Chevrolet 2 door Impala, light green with dark green vinyl top, license tags BVH-15. At present time the car had not been located.

Early Monday morning while Spearman's electricity was off, Davis Oil Co. was burglarized. Cash in the amount of \$130.00 was taken. Two juveniles have

been apprehended and the case has been cleared by the Hansford County Sheriff's Dept.

United Mud Service reported vandalism of their property on the north side of the railroad tracks. The vandals had entered the building and kicked door and destroyed an unlocked door between the office and warehouse. This is under investigation of the Spearman Police

and Sheriff's office.

A burglary of the Diamond Shamrock office on N. Bernice was also reported by Henry Corneilus Monday. The office had been entered, and various articles had been removed from desks, cabinets throughout.

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## Parker, Lefebvre talk to youths about drugs

By WAYNE LOCKWOOD  
Copley News Service

LOS ANGELES — Maurice Wesley Parker IV, as the name implies, is very much a member of the Establishment.

James Kenneth Lefebvre, now 28, is rapidly approaching an age when he may no longer be trusted by the "groovy" set.

But these two representatives of the straight world have somehow constructed what could be an important bridge across the generation gap.

Over it, they transport information about a very different kind of traffic — drugs.

Almost by accident, the two Dodgers began chatting with a few youngsters last winter and wound up rapping with what seemed like half the juvenile population of Los Angeles.

"In the end," Parker remembers, "we appeared at 25 schools — high school and junior high — and talked to about 20,000 kids."

They appeared as Wes Parker and Jim Lefebvre, representing no one but themselves and their concern. They hope they made the concern felt.

But it helped their cause that they are well-known athletes in a town where the Dodgers have a great following among the young. Parker is the premier fielding first baseman in the

National League and Lefebvre was rookie of the year in 1965.

"We figured that we could cover maybe 20 schools over the winter," says Lefebvre. "We got calls from 50 on the first day and 150 before we were through."

What did the straight-arrow athletes, who by their own admission had never come within sniffing distance of a marijuana joint, know about the dangers of it?

At first not enough.

"We made a lot of mistakes," Lefebvre acknowledges. "We couldn't answer a lot of questions. But we found out. We learned."

They learned by taking a special cram course at the University of Southern California School of Pharmacy. And they learned by experience.

"The big thing is to have the facts," says Lefebvre. "Kids get conned enough as it is."

"And we wanted to get through to kids who haven't started taking drugs. You read so much about the ones who are."

"We just wanted to say to the others, 'Hey, we care about you, too. We think it's great that you have enough sense to stay away from drugs. You're right.'"

Most of Lefebvre's questions come from the "how can you knock it if you haven't tried it" school of thought.

"I tell them I don't have to jump off a building to know that

it will kill me," Jim says. "I don't have to swim to the bottom of the ocean to know that it's deep."

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Mr. and Mrs. Billy N. DeArmond of Spearman are the parents of a daughter born July 25 in Hansford Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs., 10 oz., and has been named Shanna Lee. Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Myrtle DeArmond of Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry T. Swink of Gruver are the parents of a boy born July 26 in Hansford Hospital. He weighed 7 lbs., 1/2 oz., and was named Phillip Dean.

## Results of Test Proves Negative

City of Spearman and inform citizens of Spearman rabid skunks have been in Spearman. A rabid was found seven miles from town but the skunk in Spearman got a negative result on the two tests.

advisable for each dog owner in Spearman to have their pet vaccinated.

ordinance requires all owners to keep their pets on a chain at all times. This is to protect the animal, also. The city hopes that the citizens of Spearman will cooperate in this matter since this is the best season.

## Brother Of Mrs. Prater Buried Tues.

Services were held Tuesday, July 21 in a Stickley Funeral Home Chapel in Canadian for Elmer Roy Moyer, 83, of Canadian. Mr. Moyer died Saturday evening in Highland General Hospital in Pampa. He was a brother of Mrs. L. H. Prater of Spearman.

The Rev. Troy Nolan of First Baptist Church officiated with burial in the Canadian Cemetery.

Mr. Moyer, born in McKinney, was a retired farmer. He was a resident of Hemphill County for about 45 years.

Other survivors include four sons; two daughters, two brothers and two sisters, 14 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

## YOU NAME IT!

Just returned from a trip down-state over the weekend. I have never seen so much rain; it started raining on us at 4 P. M., Saturday, and was still raining at 3 P. M., Sunday. We were in Wise County, and they needed the rain, so I brought them a dandy. But, I assured them that we needed one in Hansford County, so I better get home. So, I brought the good people of Spearman 2.16 inches of rain Monday night, and 1.40 in Gruver. There was some hail 10 miles North of Gruver, according to Merle Delano in Gruver.

I haven't been able to get down and check on the race track progress at Old Hansford, cause it has been so wet. But, as soon as it gets a little drier, we will get pictures of the new barn, surely the biggest one in the state of Texas.

And, speaking of barns, the new Ag. barn for Spearman will be built on the Rodco grounds, facing South. This will be great, and the architects are drawing up a picture for all of our papers of the new building.

I had quite a surprise over the week-end, as I got to meet my cousin from Houston, for the first time. He is James Hulme, and that was mother's name (Hulme). His boy and three girls were all on hand at the reunion over the week-end, and I found out after I got home that his son, Jim, and Bill McClellan, will both graduate this Friday night at Texas A. and M., and both will be known as Doctors; DVM's that is. I am real proud of these two fine boys. I tried to call R. L. and Barbara before they left for the graduation ceremonies at A. and M. this Friday night, but missed them. Dr. McClellan is going to practice at Canadian, Texas.

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## Accounts Course Set for August

ing effectively with public is just one of the many parts of credit management to be covered in a special three-week course, beginning Tuesday, August 14th. Business professional office employees of Hansford County will have the opportunity to meet in the course which meets three evenings from 7:00-10:00 p. m. at the High Cafeteria in Spearman.

ponsored by the Distributive Education Program of the Extension Division, The University of Texas at Austin, the course is sponsored locally by the First State Bank of Spearman, Interstate Savings Loan Association and the State Bureau of Hansford County, Inc. It is designed to help business, medical, dental, hospital office employees deal with customers or clients in account control in a direct manner. Many copies of printed material will be given each participant.

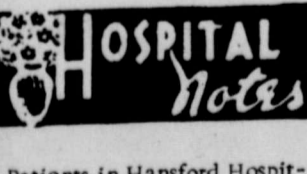
William J. Strickler, specialist from The University of Texas at Austin, will conduct the course. His own successful career covers three different areas of business over a 30-year period. Strickler's humorous down-to-earth approach teaching explains his pop-

ularity in a number of states as well as Canada.

Basic material to be covered in the course includes the legal aspects of Truth-in-Lending, Texas Consumer Credit Code, Texas Hot Credit Law, and the Fair Credit Reporting Act.

Fees for all attending are complimentary of the Sponsors and includes materials. For further information call the credit bureau at 659-3311 or 659-2715.

Enroll all your personnel now!!!!!!!



Patients in Hansford Hospital are Minnie Nicholson, Joe Evans, Emma Bruce, Robert Meek, Don Windsorfer, Lola Melton, Leonard Jameson, Elbert Shipp, Ollie Harbour, Lucille Hagerman, Stella Thomas, and Winnie Carol Urban.

Dismissed were Donnie Mitchell, Darrel Hext, Cynthia DeArmond and daughter, Darrel Brown, Patricia Bratton, Norma Swink and son, Violet Hornshy, Sabrina Dow, W. E. Boxford transferred, Kent Harrison, Danny Wilson, Colleen Jeffries, Ora Sanders and Carolyn Babitzke.



### Honors Rosenbaum

Vicki Rosenbaum, daughter of Randy Collard and Mrs. Thelma Collard, had a bridal shower in the ballroom of the First Methodist Church. The bride wore a white gown with a white sash and a white veil. The bridegroom wore a white suit and a white tie. The bride and groom were accompanied by their parents and other relatives. The bride and groom were married in the ballroom of the First Methodist Church. The bride wore a white gown with a white sash and a white veil. The bridegroom wore a white suit and a white tie. The bride and groom were accompanied by their parents and other relatives. The bride and groom were married in the ballroom of the First Methodist Church.

and Mrs. Glen Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Doug McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Yarborough, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Starr, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Gilliland, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Box, Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Youngblood and her mother, Mrs. Lloyd, Mrs. Judy Speck and Mr. and Mrs. Preston Graham.

Hostesses for Miss Rosenbaum were Mesdames: Jack McWhirter, Harry Shedeck, John Trindle, Glen Mackie, R. C. Craig, Jr., Herb Howe, R. L. McClellan, Harold Crooks, Dick Hudson, Ellyz Vandenberg, Charles Brillhart and Susan.

### Sunday School Class Has Social

The Young Married Class of the First Baptist Church held an ice cream social Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Graham. Home made ice cream, cake, cookies, iced tea and volley ball were enjoyed by all who attended. Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. Darryl Ammons, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lawrence, Mr.

### Kings Are Honored With Farewell Party

Bud and Leona King who will soon be moving to Flagstaff, Arizona, were given a going away party by the Fidelity Sunday School Class at the First Baptist Church Sunday night following the evening worship service. Everett Vandenberg gave a short speech and presented the Kings with a going-away gift. The serving table was laid with a pink cloth, accented by a floral arrangement of pink sweet peas, and set with crystal appointments. Pink punch and a variety of cookies were served to church members attending.

### Church League Play Continues

The First Baptist Church teams and the Church of Christ teams met Monday July 30 at the Little League Park. The Baptist women's team scored a victory over the Church of Christ team with a score of 11 to 4. The Church of Christ men's team scored a victory over the Baptist men.

The Christian Church and First Methodist teams met tonight, Thursday, August 2. The women play at 7:00 followed by the men's team at 8:30. Everyone is encouraged to come out and support the teams.

### Rebekah Lodge Has Meeting

The Spearman Rebekah Lodge met Thursday, July 26 in the I. O. O. F. Hall in regular session and in form with Rose Cummings, Noble Grand and Ruth Caro, Vice Grand presiding. Plans were finalized for swimming and ice cream social that was held Friday, July 27 at 8:00 at the Swimming Pool Park.

### Rebekah's Host Swim Party

The Rebekah Lodge hosted a swim party and social Friday, July 27 at the Swimming Pool and Swimming Pool Park for the Rebekahs and their families and the Odd Fellows and their families. Time was spent visiting and swimming. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cummings and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kenney and children, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Slater and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weaver and children, Mr. and Mrs. Delon Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Clack, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kingsley, Mrs.

### Services Held For Mrs. Max Clawson

Memorial services were conducted Monday at 10 A. M. at the Trinity Lutheran Church of Guyton for Mrs. Doris Clawson of Gruver, who died Thursday night at the Guyton Memorial Hospital following a week's illness. Officiating was the pastor, Rev. Martin A. Baumann. Burial was in the Gruver Cemetery under the direction of the Henson Funeral Home of Guyton.

Casket bearers were Melvin Stelzer, Cecil Ralston, Ralph Grounds, Joel Stavlo, Fred Kleffman and Vance Collier. Mrs. Clawson was an active member of her church and community. Survivors include her husband, Max, two daughters, Debra Kay and Tina Karlyne, and one son, Chad, all of the home; her parents, Mr.

### Arts & Craft Guild Met in Hoskins Home

The Arts and Crafts met Friday, July 27 with Mrs. Fred Hoskins as hostess. Members present were Mesdames: Bruce Sheets, W. L. Russell, C. A. Gibner, P. A. Lyon, Sr., Fred Hoskins and guest, Mrs. A. F. Loftin. Mrs. Bruce Sheets will be hostess Friday, August 3.

### CHURCH LEAGUE SCHEDULE SET

The Church of Christ and First Christian Church play Tuesday, August 7 with the women's game starting at 7:00 and the men's game starting at 8:30. The First Baptist Church and the First Methodist team will play Thursday, August 9.

### Summer Coolers

Summer heat closing in on you? "Serve foods that offer cool contrast to the weather," suggests Frances Reasonover, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. "Success largely depends on planning ahead--using foods that help 'beat the heat.'"

"Cool, summer meals start with an on-hand supply of canned or convenience foods from each of the four basic food groups. Include canned tuna, deviled ham and other canned meats which don't require cooking. Also, homemakers can prepare foods ahead--using food that help 'beat the heat.'"

For instance, leftover meats become delicious sandwiches. Or, turn hard-cooked eggs from breakfast into deviled eggs for another meal. "Another technique involves preparing large quantities of foods which last several days. For example, refrigerate a gallon of sweet-sour bean salad and use as needed."

For a unique summer treat, serve a colorful fruit salad in a watermelon rind. "Brimming with watermelon and cantaloupe balls, pineapple chunks, strawberries or other fresh fruits, it's nutrition-packed with vitamins A and C. "Serve fruit salad--along with an assortment of sandwiches and tall glasses of iced tea--on the terrace in late afternoon."

To cut ice cream calories and cost, the specialist advised using nonfat dry milk--rich in calcium for teeth and bones. "For extra flavor--and a boost in vitamin C--add fresh fruit such as peaches, strawberries or cantaloupe to the ice cream. "Or try a slush sherbet using three cans grapefruit soft drink, two cups crushed pineapple and one can sweetened condensed milk. "Freeze it in the refrigerator."

### Annual SS Benefits To Rise \$58,000

To what extent will residents of Hansford County benefit as a result of the boost in social security payments recently voted by Congress? Under the new schedule, how much will retirement checks average in the local area? Based upon figures released by the Social Security Administration, detailing the number of local recipients and the amounts going to them at the beginning of the year, their annual benefits will rise by approximately \$58,000 when the new rates go into effect.

Under the bill, across-the-board increases of 5.9 percent are provided for retired or disabled workers and their dependents who are getting social security checks. In general, the average benefits for a retired worker and his wife will rise from the present \$3,324 a year to \$3,516.

A single worker who is now receiving \$1,932 will get \$2,040. For those who are now getting the minimum of \$1,014 a year, the new amount will be \$1,072. In addition, checks going to the aged, the blind and the disabled will be increased by \$120 a year for individuals and \$180 for couples, on average. Those in other categories will benefit proportionately.

All in all, an additional \$3.2 billion or so will be distributed to some 30 million Americans in the next fiscal year. In Hansford County, according to the latest annual report of the Social Security Administration, payments to local beneficiaries have been at the average yearly rate of \$1,670 per recipient. This will rise to \$1,760 a year when the new schedule goes into effect next July.

For the local community as a whole, payments will then total close to \$1,102,000 annually, as compared with approximately \$1,044,000 a year at the present scale. Payroll taxes will also be raised to help pay for the increased benefits. Starting next January, social security taxes will be levied on wages up to \$12,600. The cutoff point currently is \$10,800. The change will bring the maximum tax next year to \$737 instead of the going maximum of \$632.

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**Paper Napkins** 4 PKGS. OF 200 **\$1.00**

**FONDA 9 INCH WHITE Paper Plates** PKG. OF 100 **53¢**

**HEAVY DUTY Squire Foil** 2 3-FT. ROLLS **88¢**

**LIQUID Squire Bleach** HALF GALLON **28¢**

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**CAMELOT COFFEE** 78¢ 1-LB. CAN

**PURE VEGETABLE SNOWDRIFT SHORTENING** 78¢ 3-LB. CAN

LIMIT 1 WITH \$5 OR MORE PURCHASE

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**Golden Corn** 6 16-OZ. CANS **\$1**

**Garden Spinach** 6 16-OZ. CANS **\$1**

**Lindy Peas** 5 16-OZ. CANS **\$1**

**Apple Jellies** 3 18-OZ. JARS **\$1**

**MOTT'S Cherry Pie Filling** 3 19-OZ. CANS **\$1**

**Green Beans** 6 16-OZ. CANS **\$1**

**Tomato Soup** 9 10 1/2-OZ. CANS **\$1**

**Whole Tomatoes** 5 16-OZ. CANS **\$1.00**

**CAMELOT HAMBURGER SLICED**

**Dill Pickles** 32-OZ. JAR **42¢**

**MEADOWDALE Salad Dressing** 32-OZ. JAR **38¢**

**MEADOWDALE Tomato Catsup** 2 24-OZ. BTL. **83¢**

**CAMELOT COLA OR Root Beer** 84-OZ. JUG **38¢**

**THRIFT-T DAIRY FOODS**

**KRAFT'S QUARTERED PARKAY** 3 1-LB. CTN. **94¢**

**MEADOWDALE ALL FLAVORS ICE CREAM** HALF GAL. **59¢**

**THRIFT-T FROZEN FOODS**

**MEADOWDALE FROZEN Orange Juice** 6 6-OZ. CANS **\$1**

**Banquet Dinners** 11-OZ. PKG. **39¢**

**MEADOWDALE Blackeye Peas** 6 16-OZ. CANS **\$1.00**

**CAMELOT Pineapple Juice** 48-OZ. CAN **38¢**

**GOLDEN GRAIN Dinners** 6 7 1/2-OZ. BOXES **\$1.00**

**CAMELOT SMOOTH OR CRUNCHY Peanut Butter** 18-OZ. JAR **62¢**

**CAMELOT WHOLE OR SLICED White Potatoes** 6 16-OZ. CANS **\$1.00**

**THRIFT-T HEALTH & BEAUTY**

**STYLE, REG. 88¢ Hair Spray** 13-OZ. CAN **48¢**

**REG. \$1.85 DEODORANT Soft & Dry** 8-OZ. CAN **\$1.08**

**REG. \$2.29 JOHNSON & JOHNSON Baby Shampoo** 16-OZ. BTL. **\$1.48**

**MEADOWDALE Garden Spinach** 6 16-OZ. CANS **\$1**

**GREEN GIANT Lindy Peas** 5 16-OZ. CANS **\$1**

**GARDEN CLUB, 4 Varieties Apple Jellies** 3 18-OZ. JARS **\$1**

**CAMELOT MILD LONGHORN CHEESE** 16-OZ. PKG. **58¢**

**REGULAR OR BUTTERMILK Mel-O-Crust Biscuits** 8-OZ. CANS **11¢**

**CAMELOT SLICED American Cheese** 12-OZ. PKG. **68¢**

**IDEAL SMALL OR LARGE CURD Cottage Cheese** 4-OZ. CTN. **59¢**

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### Panhandle Is Turkey Country

Talk about wildlife in the Texas Panhandle and the conversation usually turns to pheasant, prairie chickens and mule deer.

Seldom is heard a word about the Rio Grande turkey. And yet, since 1950, some 12,598 gobblers and hens have been harvested in the counties comprising the Texas Panhandle.

Peak years of turkey harvest in the area were 1965, 1966 and 1967.

Thanksgiving tables were filled with some 3,000 turkeys killed by hunters in the Panhandle.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department biologists and game wardens predict that the 1973-74 season will be a good one.

Sightings have already been made of hens with broods of young.



### At Shidler, Okla.

"The 13th Annual Homecoming at Shidler, Oklahoma, has been set for October 5th and 6th. When plans are complete, program announcements will be mailed to all those names on the mailing list. The Alumni Association requests that all names and addresses of former students and teachers of the Shidler area schools be sent to the Secretary of the Alumni Association, to be added to this list."

### Social Security

Some Hansford County ranchers are faced with a loss of grass production with an ever increasing infestation of plains prickly pear. The prickly pear is extremely drought tolerant and will survive when other range plants die during prolonged periods of dry weather. The prickly pear has little if any nutritional value and uses valuable space and water on range-land sites where grass should be growing. This results ultimately



Bob Crawford, District Conservationist of the Soil Conservation Service and Johnny Venneman, Hansford County rancher check some of the prickly pear which was sprayed to determine per cent kill. Thus far, spray trials have been conducted on the Johnny Venneman ranch, Emil Knutson ranch and Willard McCloy ranch.

### SCS Conducting Tests On Prickly Pear

in a higher cost of beef to the consumer due to less efficient gain on stocker calves. Prickly pear can be controlled in several ways. The pear

can be grubbed out of the ground, piled and burned; it can also be basally treated with 2, 3, 4-T and diesel oil. Currently these are the only two acceptable methods of control. A good method to prevent prickly pear infestation is proper grass management. Prickly pear tends to invade range-land after the better grasses are so severely grazed that they begin to die out. Proper grazing use will actually allow grasses to "shade out" prickly pear, thus reducing its detrimental effect.

The Soil Conservation Service and the Hansford Soil and Water Conservation District

in cooperation with area farmers and ranchers is currently conducting a series of aerial spray trials on prickly pear. Trials were sprayed in 1971 and 1972. These trials were sprayed with 2, 4, 5 TR(Silvex), 2, 4ST and Tordon 225. These tests are currently being evaluated as to effect of treatment and per cent kill of prickly pear. Additional acreages of approximately 5-10 acres and having a heavy infestation of prickly pear are again needed this year for spray trials. Interested persons or anyone having an area to donate for spraying trials should contact the Soil Conservation Service in Spearman.

### ARBC Recognizes U.S. Associations

The American Revolution Bicentennial Commission (ARBC) in its July meeting awarded Official Recognition to the Bicentennial program of the Ninety-Nines, a unique world-wide association of women pilots founded in 1929 with Amelia Earhart as its first president.

The Ninety-Nines, Inc., is a private, non-profit organization dedicated to the Spirit of International Friendship through flying, with chapters in all fifty States and 30 foreign countries on every continent and a membership of 4,300 licensed women pilots. The Ninety-Nines derives its name from the number of charter members who formed it in 1929.

Today, its members occupy vital spots in the Space Program, own and build aircraft, manage airports, ferry medical supplies and many belong to organizations such as the Civil Air Patrol and Civil Defense. They also assist with national youth education, giving instruction and acting as consultants to the Wing Scouts (Senior Girl Scouts and Guide Aviation Program), the National Intercollegiate Flying Association and the National Aerospace Educational Council.

Ecology, beautification, and recognition of the role of women in aviation will be the primary Bicentennial activities of the Ninety-Nines.

Within these broad categories they have selected five major projects oriented to the five points of the red, white and blue Bicentennial double star.

On July 24th of this year, they will officially launch their Bicentennial program with their second Flyaway from Atchison, Kansas, the birthplace of Amelia Earhart, to the 50 State Capitols and several foreign countries. In Atchison, they will also dedicate an International Forest of Friendship with seedlings from the 50 States, the territories and foreign countries as the first of the five project. This effort will mark the beginning of an extensive cleanup and beautification program focused initially on airports and their adjacent areas in conjunction with the Johnny Horizon "Clean-up America" drive, the third project.

The Ninety-Nines international members will generate interest in their home countries to "See the USA" and participate in Bicentennial activities in accordance with President Nixon's "Invitation to the World," as the fourth project.

By 1976, the Ninety Nines also plan at their fifth project to establish a permanent international air museum to house memorabilia associated with the continuing contributions of women to aviation. The personal commitment and dedication of the Ninety-Nines is indicated by the theme chosen for their Bicentennial program: "In the Spirit of '76-Let It Begin With Me."

In his strong remarks advocating recognition of the Ninety-Nines, Chairman George Lang of the ARBC's Festival USA Committee said, "The Ninety-Nines provide one of the most exciting ways to spread the Bicentennial across the nation and around the world. We as a nation have played a vital role in aviation and the Ninety-Nines exemplify this continuing spirit of adventure and vision."

The American Revolution Bicentennial Commission is the national organization designated by the Congress and the President to plan, encourage and coordinate the observance of the country's 200th Anniversary.

### notes from Faith Lutheran Church

While there has been a slowing down of some activities at Faith during the summer, our Sunday schedule remains the same. We have Morning Worship 9:30 with Sunday School following at 10:30. We invite you to share with us during this special time of the week.

Pastor and congregation have been in charge of worship at Pioneer Manor during the month of July. A good number of our members have shared in this special program at the Manor.

Holy Communion will be celebrated at the worship on August 5.

One of the cardinal teachings of the Lutheran Church is in the Trinity of God.

There is One God that we worship. God cannot be divided. Yet in the revelation of God to us in His Holy Word, there are three separate and distinct persons which is God. The Father, the Son, & the Holy Spirit. Of each Scripture declares, the person is God. In the same breath, the Word declares that God is not divided but is One. This indeed confounds and baffles the mind of man. Where the mind of man is not able to see and to fully comprehend, the Word of God is accepted as true by Faith. We acknowledge as true that there are only One God, yet three persons: Father, Son & Holy Spirit.

Kitchen carpet needs to be vacuumed frequently. Figure on cleaning it about once a week per family member, says Patricia A. Bradshaw, housing and home furnishings specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Ham and girls, Mishell Shanda visited last week in Hugoton, Kansas with and Mrs. Dale Sutton and children, Linda, Stewart Sonja, former resident of Spearman.

Sonja returned home on the Grahams to visit here until Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne G. rett recently returned from a weeks visit at Rosebud, Texas where they visited the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Garner. His mother and his aunt, Miss Beatrice McKinley Taylor, Texas returned here with the Garretts for a visit here.

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Members of the Summer Recreation Track program competed in the West Texas A. A. U. Junior Olympic Track and Field Championships at Borger on July 14th. About 1300 entries from the West Texas A. A. U. Region competed. There were 46 entries from Spearman in five divisions.

Winners in the Bantam division were Sherry Greene who placed 1st in long jump and set a new West Texas A. A. U. record of 11 feet-6 inches. She was also 3rd in the 100 yd. dash, and was a member of the 2nd place 440 yd. relay team. Other team members were Ginny Morris, Shelly Friemel, and Mary Ann Martin.

Midget Division winners included Danny Dear who placed 4th in the 50 yd. dash and he was also a member of the 440 yd. relay team which placed 3rd. Other team members were Carey Bodey, Kyle Beedy and James Bull. Junior Division winners were Twane Friemel, who placed 3rd in long jump and he was a member of the 4th

place 440 yd. relay team. Other team members included: Joel Jackson, Scott Sherwood, and Mike Bodey.

Senior Division winner was Donnie Davis, who placed 2nd in long jump and represented West Texas A. A. U. at Waco on July 23rd.

Coach Friemel would like to express his appreciation to all who helped to make the Summer Recreation Track Program a big success.

### Golf Tournament Set At Clarendon

The second annual Partnership Tournament of the Clarendon Country Club will be held August 11th and 12th. The Club is located on the Greenbelt Lake.

Entry fee is \$30 per team, deadline is 6:00 P. M. Friday, August 10. For reservations you may call or write Jim Terry, Box 536, Clarendon, 79226 or call 806-874-2866.

Dere Vase:

Me and Mag has bin reedin about this hear inflayshun that has done wint and took over on ever thing enny body buys but we hav took note that inflayshun aint had no infection on the too back tars on our model T. Both of them tars is as flat as a couple of pancakes. We wuz wonderin if yew could send us over ample of castins and inner tubes sew we can drive over and pay yew fer them whin we git the muneys.

Me and the Old Red Rooster aim to go possum huntin rite soon and, with mete bein sew hard to cum by, I figger three or fore fat possums wood sell fer enef cash to pay fer them castins and inner tubes.

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# The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill  
Attorney General



Back in the days of the bank account holder could write on a brown paper sack of wood bark, it wasn't as hard to track of an account balance as it is today when Texas print personalized process checks with meters, and offer a my-of helpful services, one of the major pro-merchants encounter the proliferation of less checks which are in the main, it seems, meaning consumers simply find it hard to the mathematics of their accounts. Millions of on Texas banks are annually by people find this a convenient to keep a record of pay-ment everything from in-cess premiums, to mort-coupons, to sandwich-seas and drugstore pur-ally, everything works to the satisfaction of the account holder, the mer-and the bank deposit-ny times, however, do "bounce" --that is, get returned to the-ant with a bank expla-of "insufficient funds." the event, the merch-will notify the check-er by certified mail of-urn, with a request the insufficient check be-ved by a certain date. most cases, the giver check responds right, since a good credit re-sion of the most-priz-ests in today's society, the consumer does not-er the notice about a-nd check for up to \$50, ver, the merchant can-er with his certified

mail receipt--to the county attorney for collection and/or legal action on what is classified as a misdemeanor crime.

(As of August 27, 1973, when a new law takes effect, the county attorneys will have jurisdiction on worthless checks for up to \$200. The legal penalty for prosecution will be up to two years in county jail and/or a maximum fine of \$1,000.)

Realizing that the average "worthless check" writer suffered from poor bookkeeping ability, rather than any intention of perpetrating a fraud, most county attorneys proceed with care from that point.

They understand, also, that the merchant's interest is only in keeping his books straight, by securing payment on the checks.

In Travis County (Austin) where some 300,000 Texans live, County Attorney Ned Granger begins by writing a letter to the person of which the merchant complained. "Generally," Granger says, "it's a housewife's, or student's disease."

He says that his office received 16,802 complaints in 1972 regarding worthless checks totaling \$262,185, and through contacts with those complained of, \$130,929 was recovered for the merchants involved.

If the county attorney's letter is ignored, he asked the local sheriff to send the check writer a summons, asking him to appear in county court. If there is still no answer after 30 to 60 days, a warrant is issued for the person's arrest. And if he doesn't show up for the court hearing the defendant is cited for contempt of court, as well as for the worthless check charge.

Most cases are resolved be-

fore such drastic action could be required. When a case does come to trial, most defendants plead guilty and work out an arrangement through probation to repay the amount involved.

The citizens who get in this predicament are not the same as the so-called "hot check artists," county attorneys tell us. The people who purposefully write bad checks usually are itinerant and manage to be in the next county or state by the time their checks bounce. Another professional ploy is to counterfeit the checks, or forge them.

The "worthless check" charge most often involves an otherwise-honest citizen. Officials such as district and county attorneys, and the Attorney General, are dedicated to law enforcement. But they don't enjoy the business of having to take action against persons who try to be law-abiding in all other respects, any more than the merchants do.

It would be so much easier if all of the check-writing public would make scrupulous attempts to keep their checkbooks balanced, and if they do receive "insufficient check" notices which they consider to be mistakes, take actions to get the errors corrected immediately.

The process actually started in the general election last November, when voters approved Amendment Four, which authorized revision of the 97-year-old Constitution and provided a procedure for doing so.

The 1972 amendment was the first time since 1876 that Texas voters have agreed to look hard at the framework of their state's government. The last, and only other, call to a Constitutional Convention was overwhelmingly rejected by the voters in 1919.

The 1972 amendment provided for a Constitutional Revision Commission, which the 63rd Legislature promptly created.

The Commission has 37 members, selected by the governor, the lieutenant governor, the speaker of the House, the attorney general, the state Supreme Court Justice and the Chief Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals.

The commissioners who were nominated by the public, come from all areas of the state and represent a broad spectrum of occupations, interest and political persuasions.

Judge Robert W. Calvert, of Austin, former Chief Justice of the Texas Supreme Court, was named to head the Commission.

Mrs. Malcolm Milburn, of Austin, civic worker and former vice-chairman of the state Republican Party, was appointed vice-chairman.

Jim Ray, former executive director of the Texas Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations, is executive director.

The Commission has offices at 802 Brazos, Austin. The Commission was ord-

ered by the legislature to seek public opinion on the Constitution by holding six public hearings. One of the first official acts by the body was to expand the number of hearings to 19.

In May and June, the Commission travelled across the state, holding one-day hearings in every major geographic area. The hearings, which ended in Austin June 29, produced a wealth of testimony on the content of a revised Constitution.

The Commission is now deep into committee work. To facilitate the process, the Commission divided into seven standing committees, dealing with the Executive Branch, the Legislative Branch, the Judiciary, finance, education, local government and general provisions.

These committees, in keeping with a schedule recently approved by the Commission, will present preliminary recommendations to the Commission at a meeting July 27, 28, and 29 in August and September. (The Commission is forbidden from amending the Bill of Rights, the first 29 sections of the Constitution which guarantee such basic rights as free speech, free press and freedom of religion.)

The Commission's report to the legislature November 1 is by no means the final step. Amendment Four provides that the legislature will convene in January, in joint session, as a Constitutional Convention.

The Convention, by a vote of two-thirds of its members, may submit to the voters a new Constitution, which may contain alternative articles or sections, or it may submit a revision of the existing Constitution. The Convention may sch-

edule a special election or it may ask voters to approve the document in the November general election.

"At the same time, stress personal cleanliness of every family member.

"Also make sure dishes, cooking equipment, cabinets and other work surfaces are kept clean."

Unless foods are handled and prepared correctly along the way, homemakers are inviting trouble, the specialist emphasized.

"Store perishable items in the refrigerator and serve foods promptly after cooking.

"Preserve foods to be held for long periods--using proper methods and techniques."

Turning to foodborne illnesses, Miss Reasonover cited salmonellosis as one caused by bacterial infection. Although refrigeration inhibits growth of bacteria, it doesn't destroy them. But heating food to a temperature of 140 degrees F. kills these bacteria and prevents illness.

To prevent perfringens poi-

soning, cool cooked meats rapidly and store promptly in a refrigerator, the specialist continued.

"Staph poisoning, on the other hand, is caused by bacteria-producing toxin. Keeping hot foods above 140 degrees F. --and cold foods at or below 40 degrees F. --will prevent bacteria growth.

"Toxin produced by these bacteria can be destroyed by heating food in a pressure cooker at 240 degrees F. for 30 minutes, or by boiling it for several hours."

Another illness caused by bacteria toxin is botulism.

Processing low-acid foods in a steam pressure canner at 240 degrees F. as prescribed prevents botulism. The process kills spores which are extremely resistant to heat, she explained.

"Destroy toxin by boiling food for 10-20 minutes--depending on the food."

## Revision of Texas Constitution Is Well Underway

The once in a century effort to revise the Texas Constitution is well underway.

The Texas Constitutional Revision Commission, charged with studying the need for constitutional change, has entered the decision-making stage of its program.

The result will be a report to the legislature November 1. The legislature will meet as a Constitutional Convention in January, 1974, to act on that report. The revised document will be submitted to the people for their approval in an election.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE MORSE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT WILL MEET IN REGULAR SESSION ON MONDAY, AUGUST 13, 1973, AT 8:30 P. M. IN THE SCHOOL CAFETERIA.

THE BUDGET FOR THE 1973-74 SCHOOL YEAR WILL BE ADOPTED AT THIS MEETING.

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### MOURNING DOVE - WHITE-WINGED DOVE Hunting Regulations 1973-74

#### OPEN SEASONS

MOURNING DOVES: North Zone—September 1 thru October 14, 1973, and January 5 thru January 20, 1974, except in the Trans-Pecos Regulatory District where the winter season is January 5 thru January 15, 1974.

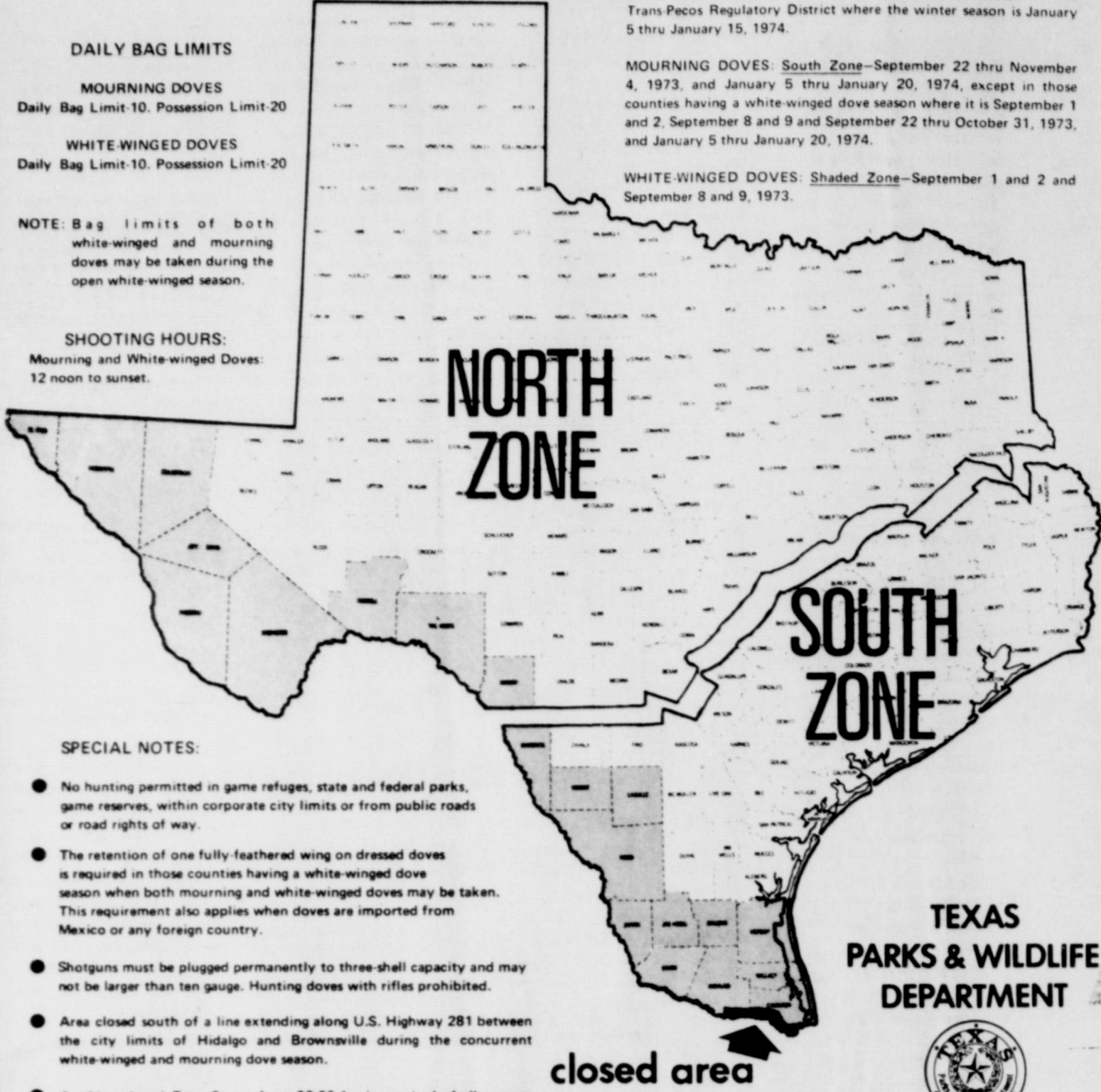
MOURNING DOVES: South Zone—September 22 thru November 4, 1973, and January 5 thru January 20, 1974, except in those counties having a white-winged dove season where it is September 1 and 2, September 8 and 9 and September 22 thru October 31, 1973, and January 5 thru January 20, 1974.

WHITE-WINGED DOVES: Shaded Zone—September 1 and 2 and September 8 and 9, 1973.

**DAILY BAG LIMITS**  
MOURNING DOVES  
Daily Bag Limit-10. Possession Limit-20  
WHITE-WINGED DOVES  
Daily Bag Limit-10. Possession Limit-20

**NOTE:** Bag limits of both white-winged and mourning doves may be taken during the open white-winged season.

**SHOOTING HOURS:**  
Mourning and White-winged Doves:  
12 noon to sunset.



#### SPECIAL NOTES:

- No hunting permitted in game refuges, state and federal parks, game reserves, within corporate city limits or from public roads or road rights of way.
- The retention of one fully-feathered wing on dressed doves is required in those counties having a white-winged dove season when both mourning and white-winged doves may be taken. This requirement also applies when doves are imported from Mexico or any foreign country.
- Shotguns must be plugged permanently to three-shell capacity and may not be larger than ten gauge. Hunting doves with rifles prohibited.
- Area closed south of a line extending along U.S. Highway 281 between the city limits of Hidalgo and Brownsville during the concurrent white-winged and mourning dove season.
- A white-winged Dove Stamp for a \$3.00 fee is required of all persons who hunt white-winged doves. This stamp is required in addition to the valid hunting license.

### HUNTING SEASONS, LOCALES, AND OTHER INFORMATION NOTED FOR STATE OF TEXAS

Something new has been added to public hunts on Texas Parks and Wildlife Department installations--hunting fees.

In a recent meeting, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission voted to charge hunters for the privilege of hunting on management areas to help defray the costs of running the hunts.

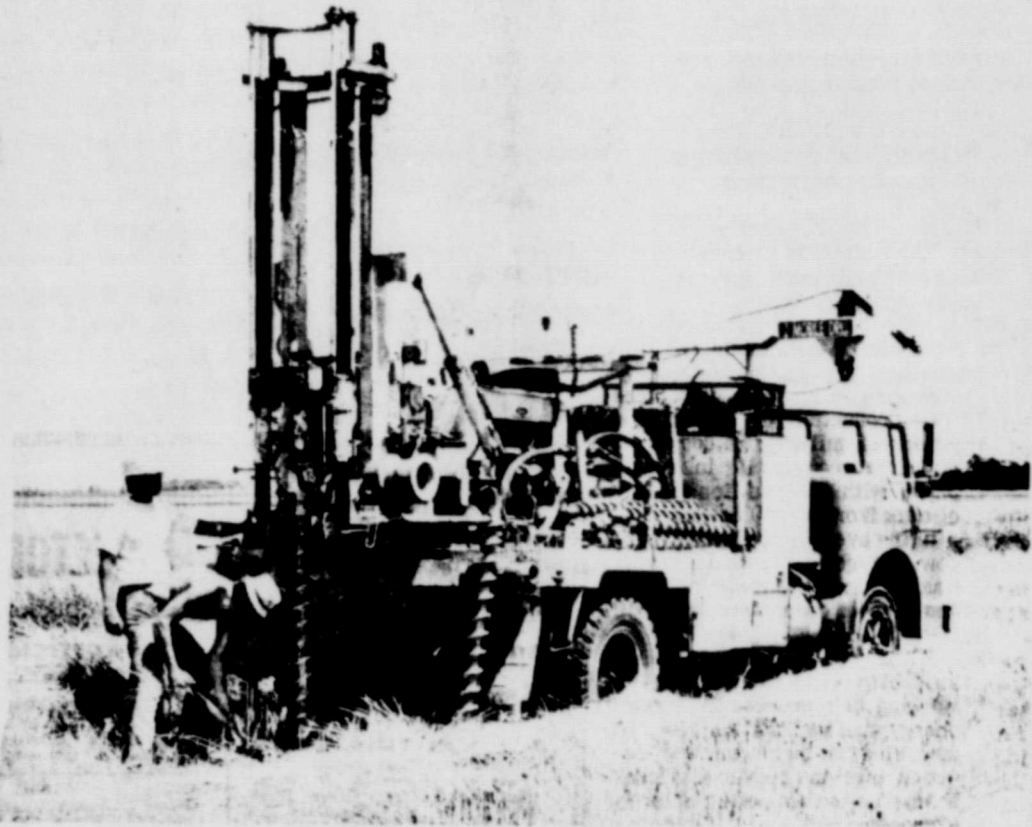
Public drawings will still be held to determine who will hunt for deer, javelina, turkey and quail on management areas. After the drawing lucky hunters will be notified and asked to send in their fees.

On management area dove, squirrel and waterfowl hunts not requiring drawings, fees will be paid at the gate when hunters come on a first-come, first-served basis. Fees will be: Deer--Two-day permits, \$20. One-day permit, \$10; Javelina--\$3; Turkey--\$5; Mourning Dove--\$1; Quail--\$1; Squirrel--\$1; Waterfowl--\$3.

No fees will be charged for hunting on the Pat Mayse Wildlife Management Area or that portion of the U. S. Army Corps of Engineer's property on Dam "B" Reservoir under license to the department, with the exception of deer hunts on the Pat Mayse area.

Department officials say the fees came about because costs of hunts conducted solely for recreational opportunity could not be absorbed in research funds.

If the hunts are part of a research program, the actual management of the hunt and the collection of data can be charged as part of the program.



JIM CRAWFORD, left, of Spearman and Steve Larson of St. Paul, Minn., of the Denver office of the U. S. Geological Survey were in charge of drilling operations ending a three year underground water study in Appleton, Minn. A total of 107 holes has been dug. The results from the well drilling and well samplings will now be fed into computers and will produce a valuable computer picture of the available underground water there.

### Glidern Soar Over The High Plains

Driving toward Perryton out of Spearman, last week we spotted a couple of glider trailers parked along the highway. A sign on the rear of each trailer noted that each was a part of the Iroquois Soaring Association.

By the time we returned to the office and secured a camera, the two trailers had moved out, however, we spotted one parked at the Corner Sixty Six Service station.

It was there we met Mrs. Pat Smith of Clinton, New York. Pat and her son Lee were riding in a pickup truck pulling the trailer.

Mrs. Smith explained that her husband, Tom, was one of the pilots involved in the fortieth United States National Soaring Contest in Liberal, Kansas at the Liberal Airport. The meet started July 29th and ends today.

Seventy pilots were involved in this Soaring Contest coming from all over the United States. Pat said her husband wasn't the top pilot but modestly admitted he was among the top twenty. She said Tom had been piloting Soaring crafts since he was fourteen years old.

At the moment of our encounter, the air men were flying a course from Liberal to Perryton to Dalhart and back to Liberal. The distance covered approximately 250 air miles.

After the meet, the planes are stowed away in their respective trailers and towed to their home bases.

Undoubtedly these pilots are very much devoted to the sport of Soaring because there is no prize money involved. They compete for trophies.

While the gliders were soaring some 5,000 to 7,000 feet some where over head, we asked Tom's young son, Lee, if he wanted to follow in his Dad's footsteps.

He said he hadn't decided yet and, after all, he still has another year to make the decision.

The Smiths expect to be back home in New York on August 7th.

# BAKER & TAYLOR DRILLING COMPANY

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IKE RICHESON



Ike Richeson is the Baker and Taylor employee of the week. Ike has been a truck driver for Baker and Taylor, for 17 years, and he does love his work. In fact, Ike says that he moved to Spearman 17 years ago, and that was when he started his work with Baker and Taylor. Ike's wife, Rosa, is well known in Spearman, as well as his son Eddie Paul, who still lives with the Richeson's in Spearman. Rosa's hobby is fishing. Ike's hobby is football and all of his boys have been outstanding football players for the Lynx here in Spearman. The Richeson's attend the Assembly of God Church in Spearman.

This newspaper joins in saluting this fine Baker and Taylor family, who have made their home in Spearman for 17 years.



### Universities Council on Water Resources Hold Meeting

LUBBOCK--West Texans concerned with water importation will have an opportunity to participate in the opening sessions of the 1973 annual meeting of the Universities Council on Water Resources, dealing with the implications of the National Water Commission Report. The report was issued in the spring, and two widely known experts, Ray K. Linsley and Allen V. Kneese (pronounced "ah"), will discuss it July 29-30, Monday, July 30, at the first general session of the council in Room 101 of the Texas Tech University Business Administration Building.

The July 29-August 1 meeting is expected to draw participants from all of the 50 states to Texas Tech. Most sessions will relate to water resources research projects at university campuses across the nation.

Registration for the conference will start at 8 a. m. in the Reading Room of the Business Administration Building. Registration cost is \$10.

The National Water Commission worked five years on its report, setting forth basic themes and 232 specific recommendations. The draft copy of the report was issued last November and hearings were held at several regional locations across the nation. The final report was issued last spring and the commission was dissolved in June.

Cost implications of the report are of special interest in all states, but particularly those west of the Mississippi River, according to Dr. M. Wells, director of

Texas Tech University's Water Resources Center and coordinator for the meeting on the Lubbock campus.

The report's major themes include:

- 1) Demands for water in the future are not predetermined but depend largely upon policy decisions that can be controlled by society.
- 2) Future water programs should shift emphasis from water development to preservation and enhancement of water quality;
- 3) Planning for water development must be linked to planning for water quality and coordinated with land use planning;
- 4) More efficient use of water in agriculture, industry and for domestic and municipal purposes is essential to reduce waste;
- 5) Sound economic principles must be adopted to encourage better use of water resources with consumer willingness to pay the most reliable economic indicator of proper water use--if it is coordinated with government regulation of environmental protection;
- 6) Updated laws and legal institutions are needed if future water policies are to be successfully implemented;
- 7) Development, management and protection of water resources should be controlled by the level of government that is closest to specific problems and capable of fairly representing all interests involved.

The first speaker on the implications of the report, Linsley, was the vice chairman of the National Water Commission until its dissolution. He is the author of scholarly articles and textbooks widely used on the college level. He has an international reputation in the field of hydrology and is a member of the Stanford

University faculty in civil engineering.

Kneese is perhaps even better known. He is an economist and director of Quality of the Environment Programs, Resources for the Future, a privately funded non-profit research organization.

He is highly regarded in his field of resources economics and his books are widely read throughout the world.

The second session of the council meeting will begin at 1:30 p. m., Monday and will include workshops on policy issues related to urbanization, water quality, agriculture, economics, and institutions.

Workshops on Tuesday (July 31) will explore opportunities and mechanics for regional cooperation and coordination of research.

Other speakers during the sessions will include Dr. Warren A. Hall, acting director of the U. S. Office of Water Resources Research, and Dr. Alan P. Carlin, director of the implementation Research Division, Office of Research and Monitoring of the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency.

A social highlight of the program will be a barbecue at the Ranch Headquarters at 6:30 p. m. Monday.

### Teacher Remembers Life Time Goal

When Austin Durst of Junction, Texas, graduated from high school in 1907, the students were asked to write out their life goals and put them in a box. "Ten years later," she remembered, "they picked me to open the box. I had written, 'I want to be a successful

### Teen Runaways Are Cared For

What would you do if you got a phone call at dinner time from a teenage girl who explained, between sobs, that she had just been thrown out of her home? If you are like Peter Abeson of Westport, Conn., you'd drop everything, go to see her and take her into your home until a better arrangement could be worked out.

Mr. Abeson and his wife Victoria have personally cared for six runaways, and 17 other volunteer families have taken care of 44 additional troubled youngsters for one or two days.

Mr. Abeson rises at 4 A. M. to be at work in New York early so that he can return to his youth work by 3 P. M. Most distress calls, he said, seem to come at dinner-time, when families are tired and seem to be at their most discordant.

"I came from a formal background and emotion was not supposed to be shown too much," Mr. Abeson said, "but I think that kids even 17-, 18-, and 19-year olds sometimes need emotion to be shown."

The Abesons started Phone-a-Home in 1970 as a response to home situations that had grown intolerable. A local Minister provides counseling when needed. Many teenagers are referred to Phone-a-Home by Open Line, a "hot-line" run by volunteer youngsters in Westport. Local police have worked with the Abesons to set up a liaison with teenagers, and seven doctors have volunteered their services to treat runaways who become ill.

Caring means doing something. It takes sensitivity and a willingness to forget about personal convenience. If people know that you care, chances are your life will be less tranquil. But, by the grace of God, it can be a lot more meaningful.

### Mental Attitude Is Half The Battle

Oscar Leonard, 28, hasn't walked for 13 years. But, apparently, he doesn't know the meaning of the word "complain."

When Mr. Leonard was 15, the truck he was riding in near Moultrie, Georgia, overturned, pinning him underneath. His injuries meant permanent confinement to a wheelchair. But he completed high school with honors. Part-time work and a scholarship got him through Morehouse College. He now works as an accountant.

"You can't go around being mad at the world," sums up his philosophy. "The world didn't cause my problem. Life just has to be dealt with on the terms it presents and one must make the best of the situation."

For Oscar Leonard, making the best of it means bowling every Tuesday night and being a member of the board of trustees and superintendent of Sunday school at Beulah Baptist Church, Atlanta. His latest goal is to learn how to swim.

Mr. Leonard had a special reason for making the strenuous effort to become self-sufficient--the people and organizations that helped him:

"All those peoples' time and money would have been wasted," he said, "if I didn't make some sort of success, and I would be less than a man if I didn't shoulder up to my responsibility."

His advice to anyone faced with adversity: "Mental attitude is half the battle. Rather than give up on life, just change your techniques."

In a world when too many people throw in the towel on their aspirations, their job or their marriage, Oscar Leonard shines out as a beacon. God doesn't expect us to do the impossible. But he will help us to live up to the utmost of our abilities. And what we accomplish may push back the boundaries far beyond what we thought possible.

Mrs. Estella Morris and daughter, Linda from Amarillo visited last week in the home of her mother, Mrs. B. J. Garnett and the homes of her brothers, Stanley Garnett and Wesley Garnett, Sr.

Eadie Clemmons spent the night Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Green with their daughter, Sherry, who celebrated her tenth birthday by attending the show "TEXAS" Monday evening with her parents and her friend Eadie.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Flores and sons, Timmy and Tommy and her sister, Denise Torres recently returned from a weeks vacation. They camped out at Red River and Cimmaron, New Mexico and Royal Gorge and South Fork in Colorado. They also visited the ghost town at Summitville, Colo.

Brenda Dollins from Waco is visiting a couple of weeks in the home of her aunt, Cherry and Wesley Garnett, Jr. and her cousins Lee Ann and Sam.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Greever last week were their son Stephen of Oklahoma City and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Batson and Troy of Plano, Tex.

Mrs. Peyton Gibner and children, Strinson and Lea Ann recently returned from a ten day trip to Chicago, Ill. where they visited in the home of her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Clark and children.

Mrs. Harold Groves and daughters, Leslie, Melinda, and Kelly will be attending the Church of the Brethren camp at Camp Spring Lake at Cordell, Oklahoma Tuesday through Sunday this week. Mrs. Groves will be in charge of crafts while there.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Love Monday was their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hall and daughters, Sherry and April from Borger.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gressett last weekend was her brother, Gene Bounds from Stamford, Texas.

Mrs. Joyce Shockley of Amarillo visited with her mother, Mrs. Edd Wilbanks Sunday. They spent the day in the Jeff Hawkins home.

A family is a close personal blending of physical and mental togetherness--in privacy, intimacy, sharing, belonging and caring--with honesty, understanding, patience and forgiveness, says Jane Fleischer, specialist in family life education, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

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**Trash and Treasures Organized In Lubbock**

A group of women in Lubbock, Texas formed a craft co-operative known as Trash and Treasures, to allow individuals to display and sell their handcraft and art works at prices reasonable enough to stimulate sales.

The co-op's desire is to create a market for anyone who needs an outlet for merchandise they are capable of producing, thereby supplementing personal income. In some cases their income may be meager. Widows, retired people, people unable to work at regular jobs, but able to produce attractive useable items to sell. Other artists and hobbyists may need an outlet for their work with income being of secondary importance.

Original and tried and true creations of various form, style and use to appeal to many people are shown in this shop. Special orders are taken when the exact item desired is not available. Merchandise from other groups, such as New Life Ministries, will also be made available.

Trash and Treasures welcomes inquiries and suppliers. The supplier is any person who is capable of producing art, sewing, needlecraft, woodworking, jewelry, candles, lamps, refinished antiques; any craft items. Whatever your mind thinks of and your hands create, this is the merchandise of Trash and Treasures.

**Health Care Exec. Noted By THA**

Spencer Guimarin, Director of the Texas Hospital Association's Health Careers Program has been recognized by fellow health care executives for his outstanding contributions to his profession by being named the recipient of the Cynthia Warren Award.

Guimarin is the third recipient of the award which was named for Cynthia Warren, the first person who received the award. He was selected by a committee of health careers executives who reviewed nominations from across the United States.

The "Cindy Award", as it is commonly known, was presented to Guimarin at the Annual Seminar For Health Careers Executives held recently in Chicago.

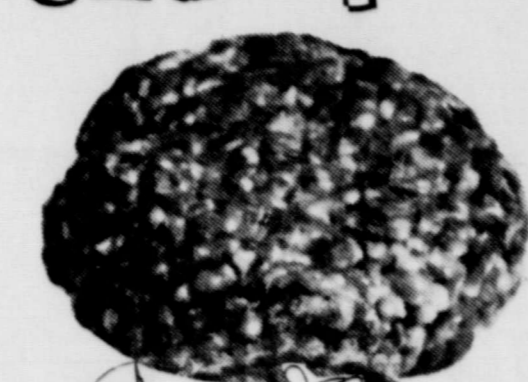
Guimarin's contributions to the Texas Hospital Association's Health Careers Program include promotion of health careers through mass media advertising such as billboards, radio, and television. Guimarin is known among his colleagues for his empathy with young people, his innovative approaches to problems and his generosity with other health careers programs and councils.

Accepting the award, Guimarin said that "Health Careers promotion must continue even though many education programs are filled with students." He continued by saying, "When national health insurance becomes a reality the shortage of health manpower will be even more critical than in the early years of Medicare and Medicaid." Guimarin cautioned all of the health careers executives that efforts must not be relaxed because the impetuous already gained will be lost if activities are "let down".

Mr. Guimarin has been the director of the Texas Hospital Association's Health Careers Program for nearly eight years. He is an educator who is best known for his ability to motivate people.

Guimarin and his wife and son live at 4209 Cliffwood Cove, Austin.

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