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VARIETY

By NEAL ESTES

ROBERT L. (BOB) MADISON expired Wednesday morning in an Amarillo hospital of injuries received in a car crash near Tulla, Texas on Sunday. At the time of his death, BOB was employed by the Texas Highway Department, Midland. For about a year young MADISON was employed by this newspaper. While in our service as an employe and as a friend, BOB worked at his job diligently and was highly cooperative. He was genial, always in a good humor and perfectly willing to do anything asked of him in line of his duty. We regretted to see BOB resign to go to Midland and now that he has been taken from the ranks of men we are going to think many times of the experiences we had with BOB MADISON. He was only 17 years of age at the time of his death.

MIKE WALLACE says the administration is sending key men in government into slum areas and tenement districts to pick up information. It appears BILL MOYERS, GEN. KATZENBACK, and other bigwigs in the JOHNSON camp have taken up slumming. Some of these days, perhaps, after LBJ leaves the capitol, one of his associates will write a book called "I spied all the way for LBJ."

We have been reminded in advance that mail will not be delivered as quickly if it does not carry the zip code. This simply means postal patrons had better get used to this edict by start practising right now to put the key code numbers on outgoing mail. Like it or not, if you don't want to telephone your loved ones or go visit them, you must put on the zip numbers behind the mailing address when you write.

Stanton found a nice rain pattering on the roof early Wednesday morning. In a weather story, written earlier, in this issue, we complained about Martin County being left out of the moisture picture. We are happy to have this damp weather for a few hours and then we'll want the sunshine back again.

PRESIDENT JOHNSON is planning a series of "non-political" trips around the country. He is due in Denver, Colorado and Tulsa, Oklahoma this week end. The politicians had better know again a lesson they should have learned well — the nation is in no mood for politics. This country is bogged down in war, high prices, economic unsteadiness, inflation, and the people don't want to hear a big batch of ballyhoo.

Fields Rites Conducted In City Wednesday

Charles Henry Field, 69, died Monday in a hospital here. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Belvue Church of Christ under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home. Ernest White officiated.

Fields was born in Mt. Vernon, Ill.

Survivors include four sisters, Mrs. Cloe Brooks of Stanton, Mrs. Grace Cunningham, Mrs. John Chuculate of Stillwell, Okla., and Mrs. John E. Johnson of Slome Spring, Ark., and six brothers, Frank Fields, Ike Fields, Lee Fields, Gleason Fields, Jess Brown of Bethany, Okla., and Ervin Brown of Jefferson City, Mo.

Sheriff Saunders Shoots Man Sunday

Publisher's Progress Is Excellent

The Associated Press reported a bulletin from Chilliwack, B. C. today that Carl Estes, brother of general manager Neal Estes of The Stanton Reporter, was doing just fine and recovering after an emergency operation in Canada.

The AP story said: "Carl L. Estes, prominent Texas newspaper publisher and close personal friend of President Lyndon Johnson, is making excellent progress following an operation in Chilliwack Hospital, his physicians reported."

"The publisher underwent an emergency surgery for removal of an intestinal adhesion."

"The operation followed telephone consultations between Canadian physicians and the newspaper executive's doctors at Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota and Longview, Texas."

"Colonel and Mrs. Estes have been in British Columbia approximately three weeks. They were on vacation in the Canadian province when the emergency attack struck the Texas."

Chief U. S. Federal Judge Joe E. Estes, Dallas, another brother of the local editor and his wife have returned from Canada where they were summoned at the time of the attack to the Texas publisher.

Editor's Mail

BROWNFIELD PRINTING COMPANY
Brownfield, Texas

Dear Editor: The sixth annual reunion of the Terry County Pioneers Association will be held in Brownfield, Texas on Saturday, August 27, 1966.

If you feel the item enclosed has news value in your area, and you have space available, we will appreciate your running this announcement as a news story in the issue just preceding the above date.

Any publicity you feel you can give us concerning this will sincerely be appreciated. Yours very truly,
Ralph Bynum,
Publicity Chairman.

Mr. Neal Estes
Stanton Reporter
Stanton, Texas.

Dear Editor: You probably know that the Midland - Odessa Symphony and Choral season is coming up. To ensure that you'll receive a steady flow of good information, a publicity committee has been set up for newspapers, with the increase of interest in what is fast becoming one of the most talked about symphony groups in the nation, I'm sure that you will welcome as much material as possible. All the material will be prepared and distributed by professionals in the various media so you should be able to use it immediately without too much rework.

Dr. Lara Hoggard, nationally known conductor of the Midland - Odessa Symphony and Choral, will begin holding auditions for vacancies in both groups on Tuesday, August 23, 1966. In addition to filling vacancies caused by "Transfers" of personnel from the area, it is also hoped to increase the overall size of (Continued on classified ad page)



ATTRACTIVE DELEGATES — Brenda Dyson and Sherry Vest are shown above standing before a placard advertising the Texas Youth Conference recently held in Austin. Sherry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Vest and Brenda, granddaughter of Mrs. Vera Osman, were picked as the 1966 Martin County delegates to the fourth annual conference. The conference was originally started at the Attorney General's Conference but produced the new Texas Youth Conference. Purpose of the annual meeting is to have as many young people as possible assemble in Austin to study means of keeping down juvenile delinquency and to receive briefings that will enable the returning delegates to work toward this end in their respective communities. Both Sherry and Brenda are also cheerleaders at Stanton High School this year.

Buddy Shanks Home From Gospel Tour

Buddy Shanks "dream trip of a lifetime" became a reality, when he left New York on June 27, for a five and one-half weeks Gospel Advocate Bible Lands Tour, which included: Jerusalem, Mt. Sinai, Bethlehem, Seven Churches of Asia, Antioch, Damascus, Dead Sea, Sea of Galilee, London, Rome, Athens, Cairo, and Istanbul.

Buddy flew 13 different flights and had some very interesting experiences, making places which once were just mere names, become real.

He saw two sites of the ancient seven wonders of the world. The Pyramids in Egypt and the Temple of Diana in Turkey. The Pyramids were viewed from the back of a camel, which he also rode one and one-half hours to the top of Mt. Sinai, along with spending three days in the wilderness at St. Catherine's Monastery, which is the oldest in the world. One night was spent in a cave at the Rock City of Peter, where the buildings and temples were carved out of the face of the cliffs. He visited the traditional sites in Jerusalem, such as the tomb of Christ, and his birthplace. Isreal, where the famous Dead Sea Scrolls are kept, Sea of Galilee, where the Jordan flows out, and the traditional sight where Christ was baptised. Other interesting places were: Istanbul, the city which sets on two continents, the famous Bosphorus, which (Continued on classified ad page)

Connally Oil Company Says Number One Lewis A Payer

By JAMES C. WATSON

Connally Oil Co. Inc. has finished No. 1 Lewis as a pumping producer in the Spraberry Trend Area, six miles west of Stanton in Martin County. It is two miles west and north of the closest producing wells.

On the 24-hour potential, it pumped 93 barrels of 38.9-gravity oil from perforations extending from 7,135 to 8,832 feet. Gas-oil ratio was gauged at 550-1 and the perforated interval was fractured with 120,000 gallons. Connally drilled the project to total depth

of 8,950 feet and set 4 1/2-inch casing one foot off bottom at 8,949 feet.

The operation is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 15, block 37, T-1-S, T-2-P survey.

Connally plans No. 1 Flanagan and others as an 8,900-foot venture to test the Spraberry, six miles west of Stanton in Martin.

It is 1,990 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 22, block 37, T-1-S, T-2-P survey, two miles west (Continued on classified ad page)

Madison Family In Accident In Tulla On Sunday

Dick Madison, father of Robert Leslie (Bob) Madison, received a telephone call from Amarillo Wednesday morning stating that the 17-year-old Stanton native had expired as a result of injuries received in a Sunday morning accident. Gilbreath Funeral Home, this city, will announce funeral arrangements. Funeral services will be held at the First Baptist Church Thursday afternoon at 3:00 p.m.

G. I. Madison, Sr., grandfather of Robert L. (Bob) Madison, told The Stanton Reporter Tuesday morning that young Madison, his wife, Ann, and Mrs. Madison's daughter, Beverly, had been injured in a car crash in Tulla, Texas near Amarillo.

Information received in Stanton was to the effect that the Madison family was traveling in the rain when the mishap occurred. Details of the accident were not made available to the press. It was understood here that the crash took place in or near Tulla and the Madison family was occupants of a small type car at the time.

Reports telephoned back to relatives in Stanton from Dick Madison, father of the injured man, indicated that all three occupants of the car were seriously injured. Dick Madison advised local relatives that his son's condition was extremely critical. He was reported to have suffered multiple injuries and was said to be unconscious following the accident.

The Bob Madisons formerly resided in Stanton. They have recently been living in Midland, where he has been employed by the Texas Highway Department.

Wednesday Temperature Breaks Record

Stanton saw a new temperature record shattered here at 4 a.m. Wednesday morning.

The mercury dropped to 56 degrees and according to official weather bureau authorities in this area, it was a new record for August.

Back in 1940 and again in 1961, the temperature in August dropped to 60 degrees and this record stood up well until Wednesday, August 24.

Local Youth Charged In BS Slaying

A 17-year-old Stanton youth has been charged with murder in the early Sunday morning shooting death of a Northside Big Spring tavern operator.

Howard County officers advised The Stanton Reporter that Clarence W. Williams, 30, was shot several times about 1:15 a.m. Sunday outside a tavern located at 506 NW 3rd Street in Big Spring.

Police said they heard about 10 shots fired, drove to the scene in the 500 block of Northwest Third and were led by witnesses to a man they said did the shooting. The man then allegedly struck officer Jim Wells, who knifed him (Continued on classified ad page)

Bryan Boyd Speaks On Athletic Program

Stanton Lions Club met Tuesday noon at Motel Belvue Restaurant, Lion John Wood, presiding.

Allen Fisher, accompanied by Lion Sweetheart Pauline Wood at the piano, led the group singing.

Bryan Boyd, Stanton High School football coach, was introduced by Lion Allen Fisher. Boyd revealed to the group the athletic program for the coming school year. In his talk, Boyd stressed that the essence of team work was based on respect and discipline, which tends to correct the worldly desire of our youths, fortify their hearts with vigor and virtuous principles, enlighten their minds with useful knowledge and furnish them with enjoyment within themselves, thereby providing a more fruitful and happy life than all the accomplishments the goods of fortune may make possible.

Harry J. Palmer, District Governor of 2A-1, will be guest of the Stanton Lions Club next Tuesday noon.

Cold Front Moves In On Martin County

Hotcakes, grits and sausage weather moved in on Martin County this week causing the temperature to drop down to around 64 degrees.

The cold spell is supposed to last until sometime Friday.

Several West Texas areas received generous amounts of rain but Stanton experienced only a few drops through Tuesday and Wednesday. However, it could rain anytime before the weather changes.

On August 11 the mercury dropped to 60 degrees in Stanton causing a new record to be posted here.

Midland reportedly received a nice rain early Tuesday morning. The green strip down the first page of The Reporter - Telegram advised Martin Countians who subscribe to the popular daily that the Headquarters City had received good moisture.

Stantonites Dad Dies In Sweetwaier

Funeral services were held Thursday, August 11, at 3 p.m. from Spill Memorial Chapel in Winters for William Leslie Burns, 82, father of Jess Burns of Stanton.

The father of the Stanton resident expired in Sweetwaier.

Rev. Edward Otwell, pastor of the Winters and Wingate Methodist Churches, and the Rev. Roy Crawford, retired Methodist pastor of Winters, officiated at the final rites. Burial was in the Winters Cemetery.

Mr. Burns became ill several weeks before his death and was a patient in Winters Memorial Hospital for a time. He was transferred to the Merrill Rest Home and was removed to the Pecan Grove Nursing Home in Sweetwaier a week before his death. At the time of his demise he was 82 years, seven months and 27 days of age.

William Leslie Burns was (Continued on classified ad page)

Dan Uses Gun First Time In Line Of Duty

Sheriff Dan Saunders used his pistol in the line of duty Sunday morning in south Stanton for the first time in his 13 1/2 year period of trusteeship in the highest law enforcement office Martin County people can bestow.

The sheriff shot Frank (Pete) Rodriguez, 34, following an attempt to settle a family squabble and after the victim launched an assault on the officer, according to a statement given the news media and witnesses to the affray leading up to the fatal shooting.

Rodriguez was taken from the scene by ambulance to the local hospital and was removed to Midland where he died in a hospital there around noon. The shooting took place about 8:35 a.m. Sunday morning.

Before assuming the duties of the sheriff's office in Martin County by election, Dan Saunders served as a member of the Texas Department of Public Safety as a patrolman. He worked with the state's top law enforcement agency when highway officers rode motorcycles.

Dan Saunders was honored by the Texas Sidewalk Cattlemen's Association with headquarters in Madisonville, Texas, when he was recognized as the youngest sheriff in the Lone Star state.

Sheriff Saunders never wears a gun. He stuck one in his belt the past Sunday morning when persons calling him to the scene to investigate a disturbance warned him that "trouble is waiting for you inside."

Statements given to County Attorney Roy Pickett spell out the complete story of the Sunday shooting.

The Stanton Reporter obtained copies of the major statements and we are printing them here just as signed. The first statement is that of Sheriff Saunders. The second statement is one made by the wife of the dead man, Caroline Rodriguez. The other statements are from Marie Villia and Jose Villia, sister and brother-in-law of Mrs. Caroline Rodriguez, and other witnesses.

City officer Jake Bruton made the investigation at the scene of the incident at the invitation of Sheriff Saunders and his statement concludes the record.

Statement Of Dan Saunders

My name is Dan Saunders, and I have served as sheriff of Martin County, Texas, since the first day of January 1953. On Sunday morning, August 21, 1966, Mrs. Paula Sotelo called me from her house (I asked her if she was at home) and told me there was a man trying to hurt a woman at Joe Villa, Jr. house. This was about 8:30 a.m. and I was still in bed at the time I got the call because I had worked the night before until 5:00 a.m. I went out to my car and tried to call the city police unit on my radio to get him to make the call. I couldn't get Chief Bruton on the radio, so I went back in the house. Before I got dressed the phone rang again telling me there was trouble at Joe Villa, Jr. house. When I started on the call I radioed for the city unit again a couple of time but received no answer.

When I arrived in front of the Joe Villa, Jr. home I saw several small Mexican boys running from in front of his house and pointing back toward his house. When I stopped in front Mrs. Villia came out and said her brother-in-law was in the house drunk trying to whip his wife and wouldn't leave. She said watch

Statement Of Caroline Rodriguez

My name is Caroline Rodriguez. I am 34 years of age. I was born and reared in Austin, Texas. I went to the fifth grade in school and can read and write the English language. I am the wife of Pete Rodriguez, the man who was shot by Sheriff Dan Saunders this morning. Pete and I have one child, a boy about five years of age. Pete and I (Continued on classified ad page)

Miss Epley Is Honored At Luncheon

A bridemaid's luncheon was held in the home of Mrs. O. B. Bryan Tuesday, August 16, to honor the attendants of Miss Joanna Epley, bride-elect of William McMahan of Washington, D. C.

Sharing co-hostess duties with Mrs. Bryan were Mrs. Ed Robnett and Mrs. Bill Hicks. A hostess gift of pottery was presented.

Decorations featured the bride's chosen colors of pink and white. The serving table was centered with a pink floral arrangement between silver candle sticks with pink candles.

Guests included Misses Nancy Robnett, Sherry Vest, Kay Bryan, Lesa, Bess Angel, Mrs. Butch Cain, Mrs. Tommy Newman, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. John McIntyre, Jr., Mrs. J. C. Epley, mother of the bride, Miss Margaret Cook of Garden City, and Mrs. Bill Lane of Amarillo, and the honoree.

Wedding vows for the couple were read Tuesday night at 8:00 p.m. in the First Baptist Church, Stanton.

Honors Slated For Midland Lodge Group

Acacia Lodge 1414, which is located in Midland, will be honored during a workshop to be held at 7:30 Thursday evening, September 1, in Midland Lodge 623, 1600 West Wall Avenue, Midland.

Acacia Lodge will receive an Honor Roll Award, which is given by The Grand Lodge of Texas in recognition of outstanding attendance at the spring series of Masonic Workshop programs.

The awards will be presented by M. George Lane of Odessa, who is chairman of an 11-county Masonic Workshop Area. He will also conduct the workshop meeting. Lane said that Garden City Lodge 971 and Midland Lodge 623 are also especially invited to attend.

Nearly 200 such meetings are held twice a year for officers and members of over 970 Masonic Lodges in Texas. The Masonic Fraternity is the state's largest fraternal group, with nearly 250,000 members.

Albert Johnson Returns From Seminar In Waco

Albert Johnson, representative of the American-Amicable Life Insurance Company in this area, has returned from a Business Insurance Seminar which was held in the executive offices at Waco, Texas, August 15, 19, 1966.

The Business Insurance Seminar was designed especially to aid those in attendance in the sale and servicing of business life insurance. Special attention was given to Sole Proprietor, Partnership, Corporation and Keyman Insurance. Topics such as Salary Savings, Deferred Compensation, Split Dollar Insurance, Pensions, Profit Sharing, and Business uses of Health Insurance were covered.

The seminar was directed by Doyle L. Calton, C. L. U., Educational Director of the American - Amicable Life Insurance Company. He was assisted by H. A. Hughes, field supervisor, and G. Boyd Chaffin, C. L. U., district manager of the Waco district.

Mr. Johnson is a recent graduate of the Life Underwriter Training Council Course in Business and Estate Planning, LUTC II. He is member of the Odessa Underwriters Association. He resides with his wife, Dutchie, at 1100 N. St. Joseph in this city.

Atchison, Kan., Globe: "... if every country now living under communism were to disappear from the face of the earth, the real threat — the idea of utopian prosperity under state capitalism — would still remain. Until the fraudulent, unworkable theory of Marxian economics is thoroughly discredited... there will be no permanent protection from the seductive appeal of something - for - nothing. ... Karl Marx was right about one thing: every functioning economy needs a dictator. But Marx picked the wrong one: government. Free enterprise operates under the right one: the free customer who, by merely refusing to buy, by taking his patronage elsewhere, can discipline a n y business, large or small, which does not offer what he wants at the right price. This is the proper and democratic place to put power: in the hands of everybody. It... needs no supervision except government enforcement of an official code.



Some three weeks or more ago Donald A. Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., reported USDA plans were in the mill to "freeze" about 85,000 acres of the 1967 Texas cotton allotment and about 15,000 to 200,000 acres of the national allotment.

Involved are acres not planted in 1966 as a result of the required productivity adjustments on allotments transferred by sale or lease from an area of low productivity to areas with high yield histories. Johnson reported that USDA was planning to "freeze" these acres at the state level, depriving producers of the opportunity to plant them.

Now the report has been confirmed. But Johnson still maintains the procedure is outside the law in that it will reduce the national minimum allotment below the minimum 16 million acres set by Congress in 1958.

Under Secretary of Agriculture John A. Schnitzer, replying to a question from Congressman George Mahon, has said in a letter that instructions to implement handling of such acreage are now being printed.

Mahon asked: "Will the sale of cotton acreage from low yield to high yield acres hurt our state and affect the state and national allotments?"

In short, Schnitzer replied that the state's allotment would be the same as if no acres had been transferred and that no one would be adversely affected by transfers. But in the same paragraph he said that the acreage apportioned to counties and to producers from the state allotment would exclude acreage not planted in 1966 because of sale and lease transfers. The state gets the acres, but is not allowed to plant them.

PCG is not willing to drop the matter, and reproduced below is the text of a letter to Mr. Mahon from Johnson, through which Johnson hopes to get additional consideration for his views.

"Reference is made to your recent letter from Under Secretary John Schnitzer concerning the effect of relative productivity adjustments under allotment transfer provisions of future State allotments.

"We are in agreement with and fully appreciative of the fact that... the State of Texas will not receive a reduced share of the national acreage allotment for 1967 or any subsequent year because of productivity adjustments."

"But, as we understand them, two other statements later in the same paragraph are difficult to reconcile.

1. "However, the allotment attributable to the history acreage reduced as a result of the adjustments will be frozen at the State level, that is, it will not be distributed to counties or farms." And,

2. "The freezing of allotments in connection with sales, leases and transfers by owners does not adversely affect any person involved in the transactions — either in the first year of the transfers or any subsequent year."

"Texas' share of the 16.2 million acre national allotment in 1967 has been set at 6,841,084 acres. But if something like 85,000 acres of this is to be frozen at the State level and not passed down as acres available to counties for planting, does this not have the effect of reducing the State's cotton allotment by almost 1 1/4 per cent? And will not each producer, including those involved in sales and leases, suffer his proportionate share of the lost acres?"

"If our thinking is correct it would appear that the combined total of such frozen acres for all the cotton producing states would reduce the acres available for planting in 1967 and future years below the 16 million acre legal minimum set by Congress in 1958.

"Also, we would like to know what effect the acres 'regarded as planted to maintain the allotment and history acreage' will have on the State's projected yield. Dividing total State production by an acreage higher than that actually planted would tend to reduce the acreage per acre yield for the State, which in turn would depress projected yield. And under the present program projected yield is synonymous with dollars and cents to our producers.

"These are matters we feel need further clarification from the Department. And if our views prove correct, we would urge that the acres under discussion be made available to producers for planting, giving them the full benefit of the 16 acre legal minimum allotment and eliminating any detriment to projected yield computations."

One of the most frequently and fervently discussed subjects in Texas lately has been the Texas Water Plan and the future water requirements of Texas which prompted its conception.

In this area, Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., has its Water Committee. Texas Tech has the West Texas Water Institute. There's a "2020" Water Committee with representatives from business, industry, agriculture and finance. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has its Water Resources Committee.

And all of these are seriously concerned with the future of the area as it relates to water for municipal, industrial and irrigation uses.

Over 97.2 per cent of the world's water is in the oceans or inland seas and is unfit for use without costly refinement. Another 2.1 per cent is frozen in glaciers and icecaps, leaving only 0.7 per cent in rivers, fresh water lakes and underground deposits.

That 0.7 per cent still might be sufficient to answer all fresh water demands if it were all above the earth's surface. But, say the experts, two of the most unchanging things about the world's supply of usable water are its unequal distribution and the fact that 97 per cent of it is underground.

The report does say that there is no indication of an over all shortage of water in the U. S. for the balance of this century. But there is danger of regional water shortages, particularly in the northeastern states.

The U. S. and the world has the same problem Texas has — unequal distribution.

Hospital Notes

Physicians Hospital And Clinic

Patients admitted Aug. 15 Through Aug. 21:

Mrs. Neida Hazlewood, Esley Scurlark, Mike Keller, Mrs. Dora Gonzales, E. S. Harris, Mrs. Susie Houston, Mrs. Car-

Cost Of Traffic Accidents

The total dollar cost of the nation's traffic accidents in 1964 was nearly \$10 billion. This is equivalent to a bill of \$51.26 for very man, woman and child in the country.

rie Polk, Antonio Montez, Moezelle Rechey, and Walter Hargrave, Odessa; Mrs. Averill Badgett, Mrs. Ollie Bell, Mrs. Josephine Ramos and baby, Mrs. Dorothy Locke and baby, Midland, and Johnny Louder.

Don't Take A Chance: Take Polio Vaccine

Have you kept up your immunity against polio? The Texas Medical Association cautions: Don't take a chance on polio—take polio vaccine. Many have been lulled into a false sense of security in controlling this paralyzing disease because of the overwhelming success of Salk and Sabin vaccine. These vaccines, however, have not eradicated the viruses which cause polio. Rather, like all vaccines, they trigger the body's defenses to build up antibodies which can combat the viruses if they should gain entry into the body.

Texas has reported 40 cases of paralytic polio thus far this year. None of the cases reported had been completely immunized. All are infants and pre-schoolers.

All persons who have not been properly immunized against polio are still vulnerable to attack. This includes the majority of pre-school children, who have not received full protection.

Three viruses which cause polio have been identified. The newest vaccine is in an oral form and of the "trivalent" type. That is, it protects against all three types of polio. It is given in two doses, at least eight weeks apart, either as a liquid or absorbed on bread, cake or on a cube of sugar.

The vaccine may be given to infants at a very early age. All expectant mothers should be vaccinated, as they are particularly susceptible to polio. Although polio is primarily a childhood disease, it also can strike adults. Even persons who have had polio from one type of virus remain susceptible to additional attacks from the other two viruses.

Massive polio immunization programs conducted by coun-

ty medical societies several years ago immunized the majority of Texas residents. Many persons, however, took only the first dose, and do not have full protection from the dread disease. It is especially important that pre-school children receive the oral polio vaccine.

County medical societies in affected areas, primarily in South Texas, are taking the lead in stepped up immunization programs. The vaccine may, of course, be administered on an individual basis in a physicians office.

4-H Club News

Twenty-three Martin County boys and girls entered their records in the District 6, 4-H contest. Each made an outstanding showing in their accomplishments. Junior blue ribbon winners: Don Roper, Leslie Butler, Curtis Howard, Terelyn Hazlewood, Carolyn Holway, Jan Roper, and Suzanne Brown.

Red ribbon winners were: Patricia Haislip, Cindy Avery, Vickie Graves, Deborah Hazlewood, Lois Howard, Willie Wells, Pattie White, Bill Huff, and Dennis Jones.

In the senior division, first place winners were: Cindy Pickett, leadership; Doris Howard, home improvement; Donnie Jones, achievement; Gary Reid, citizenship; David Howard, field crops, and Gayland Pitman, tractor. First place winners will participate in the state contest.

Cathy Hazlewood won fourth in clothing, and Rita Jones won fourth in achievement.

Trade at home and save!

Flower Grove School Calendar 1966-67

August 25	Teachers Meeting — 9:00 A. M.
August 26	Student Registration — 9-11 O'clock
August 29	Classes Start — 8:30 A. M.
September 5	Labor Day Holiday
October 7	End of First Six Weeks — 29 Days
November 18	End of Second Six Weeks — 30 Days
November 24-25	Thanksgiving Holidays (Classes dismiss at 2 o'clock the 24th)
December 23 — January 1	Christmas Holidays (Classes dismiss at 2 o'clock the 23rd)
January 2	Classes Start
January 13	End of Semester — 33 Days
February 24	End of Fourth Six Weeks — 30 Days
March 3	Teachers Meeting Holiday
March 24-27	Easter Holidays (Classes dismiss at 2 o'clock the 23rd)
April 7	End of Fifth Six Weeks — 27 Days
May 19	End of School — 30 Days
May 18	Grade School Graduation
May 19	High School Graduation
Semester	87 Days

Dove Boom Seen For Far West

Bountiful rainfall has converted the traditionally sandy desert area surrounding El Paso into one of the best mourning dove and quail feeding areas in West Texas, according to District Chief Edgar Sturdivant of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

The El Paso sandhills are 30 miles in width and extend 50 miles down the Rio Grande to the small community of Esperanza.

Croton, pigweed, sunflower and two varieties of heavy

seed producing milkweeds blanket the entire 1,500 square mile area providing an abundance of rich natural food for game birds said Sturdivant.

Mourning doves that normally make a quick flight across the El Paso sandhills enroute to southern wintering areas are expected to concentrate in the El Paso area because of high food availability during the September 1 - October 31 season. El Paso area sportsmen look forward to the best harvest since 1958.

Sturdivant reported that white-winged dove hunting should be better than normal in the sandhill area as far south as Indian Hot Springs south of Esperanza. The white-winged season is September 3-4-5-9-10 and 11.

Announcement

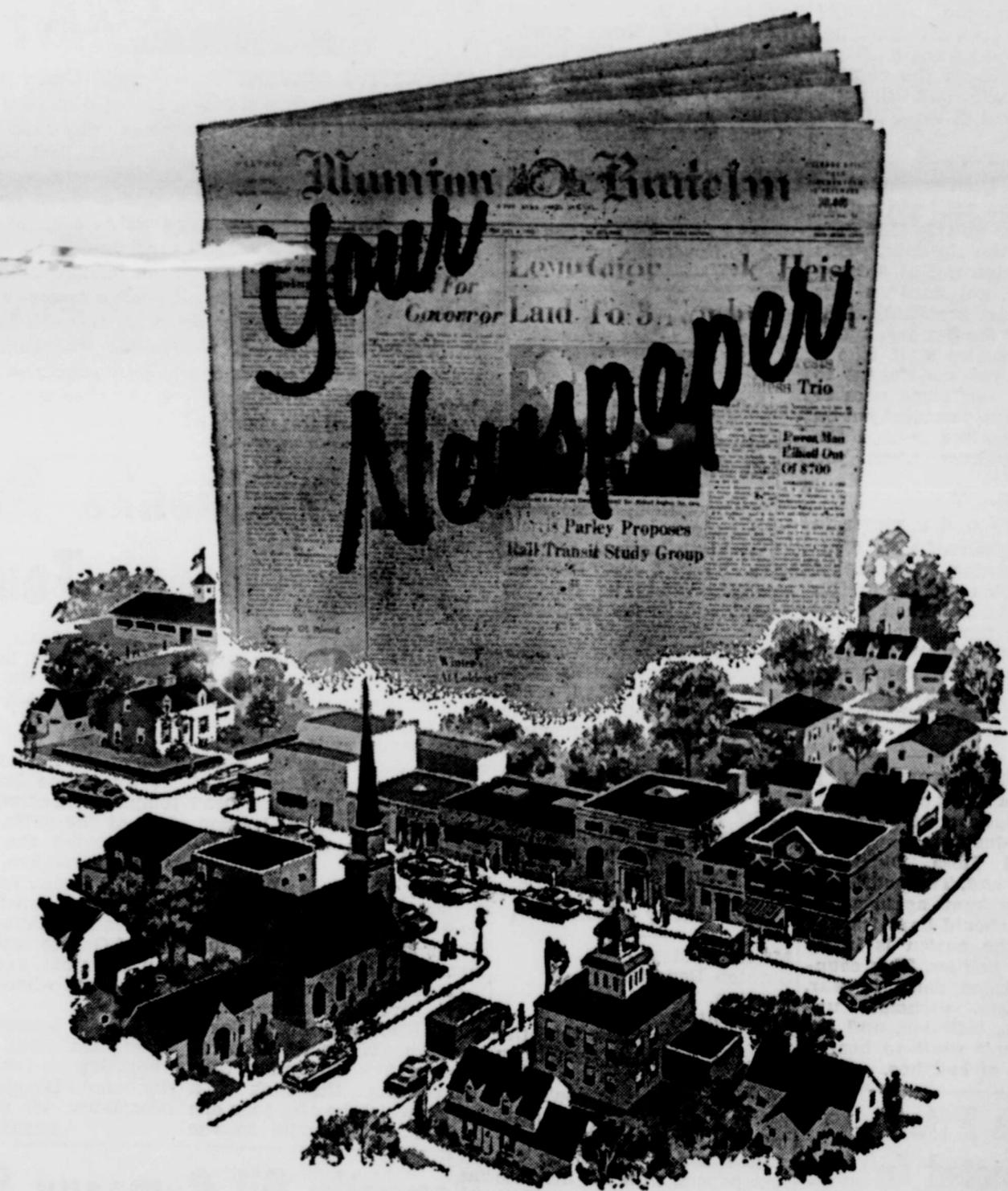
The Festival Committee of the Stanton Music Club, T. F. M. C. composed of Mmes. R. O. Anderson, Jess Burns, Jess Miles, James Jones, Carl Leonard, Roy Pickett, Homer Schwalbe, Edmond Tom, and Arthur Wilson, have completed plans for the musical play "The Womanless Wedding," to be presented August 27, at 8 p.m. in the High School auditorium.

The music club presents a play each year to conform to district, state, and national music club activities.

The cast of characters in the play to be held Saturday night are—

- Miss Tiny Chance—Bride—Stanley Wheeler.
- Mr. Bearit'all — Bridegroom — Sammy Houston.
- Mr. G. G. Gladly Giver'er Chance — Father Of Bride—O. B. Byran.
- Mrs. G. G. (Glady Giver'er Chance — Mother Of Bride—George Costlow.
- Mr. Filthy Rich — Uncle Of The Bride — Bill Terry.
- Mrs. Filthy Rich—Aunt Of The Bride—Tom Ed Angel.
- Mr. Century—Grandfather Of The Bride—Bill Decker.
- Mrs. Century—Grandmother Of The Bride—Cliff Hazlewood, Jr.
- Miss Gabby Guest—Guest—Bob Deavenport.
- Mrs. Knowall—A Neighbor — Terrell Pinkston.
- Miss Forever Mourning—Jilted Sweetheart Of Groom—Paige Eiland.
- Aunt Africa—Colored Nurse—John Roueche.
- Goo Goo Chance—Baby Sister Of Bride—Guy Brown.
- Mr. Karet Withcare — Ringbearer — Jimmy Stallings.
- Mr. Room Around — Trainbearer To Bride — Tim Bristow.
- Mr. Moral Support—Best Man—Floyd Smith.
- Miss Do Ra Crooner—Soloist—Dr. Allen Fisher.
- Rev. Tie The Knot—Minister—F. O. Rhodes.
- Bridesmaids, Groomsmen and Twins—James Biggs, R. O. Anderson, Elma Nichols, Jess Angel, Bryan Boyd, Doyle Edmiston, T. O. Snell, Glen Gates, and Dock Bristow.
- Flower Girl—Bill Decker.
- Candle Lighter — Dickie Hazlewood, and Nolan Simpson.

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Stanton Independent School District Calendar 1966-1967

August 30	New Teachers Meeting
August 31	All Teachers Meeting
September 1	Registration—Senior and Junior Classes
September 2	Registration—Sophomore and Freshman Classes, Grades 1-8
September 6	Classes Begin
October 14	End First Six Weeks—29 Days
November 23	End Second Six Weeks—28 Days
November 24-25	Thanksgiving Holidays
November 28	Classes Resume
December 22	Dismiss 2:30 p.m. Christmas Holidays
January 2	Classes Resume
January 20	End Third Six Weeks
End First Semester	34 Days
End Semester	91 Days
January 23	Begin Second Semester
March 23	Dismiss 2:30 p.m. Easter Holidays
March 2	District IV Meeting for Teachers
March 10	End Fourth Six Weeks—29 Days
March 10	Holiday for Students—TSTA
March 28	Classes Resume
April 21	End Fifth Six Weeks—33 Days
May 21	Baccalaureate Service
May 26	Last Day Classes End Second Semester—25 Days
Semester	87 Days
Year	178 Days
May 26	Eighth Grade Graduation
May 27	High School Graduation

Holidays Allowed	Teacher Work Days That Are Not Teaching Days:
Sept. 5	1
Nov. 24 - 25	2
Dec. 23 - Jan. 2	10
Mar. 23 - Mar. 28	2
	15

Tom Ed Angels Entertain With Swimming Party

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ed Angel entertained their Sunday School classes, Primary I, II, and III, with a swimming party Friday afternoon. After the swim, the group had a picnic supper.

Those present were: Cindy and Joel Terry, Mendy and Tommy Halslip, Ray, Randy, and Russell Conner, Ralph Newman, Jr., Jimmy Britton, Susan Stallings, Morgan Cox, L. J. Land, and Ricky Gil-

Lots Of Burglaries

Noting that a burglary occurs every 46 seconds in the United States, many of these could be avoided if homeowners would lock their windows and doors and take few other simple precautions.

Other guests were: Kyle Terry, Robert and Jonana Cox, Lesa Bess and Rryan Angel, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Terry, Mrs. Bob Cox, Bob Bryan, Mrs. Bob Halslip, Mrs. Ralph Newman, Ronnie Gilbreath, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Raeger, Mrs. Ellis Britton and Julie, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Conner, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ed Angel.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION NO. 525

URBAN RENEWAL AGENCY) CONDEMNATION OF THE CITY OF STANTON) PROCEEDINGS BEFORE) SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS VS.) APPOINTED BY JUDGE OF) MARTIN COUNTY, TEXAS) COUNTY COURT

JOHN C. FRASER

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: JOHN C. FRASER, if Living, and if Deceased, his Heirs and Unknown Heirs

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear at the hearing before the Special Commissioners appointed by the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, to assess the damages occasioned by the condemnation of the herein-after described property, and to appear and answer in said Proceedings at the office of the County Judge in the Martin County Courthouse in the City of Stanton, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance hereof, that is to say, 10:00 o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 26th day of September, 1966, and answer the petition of the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton, Plaintiff, in the suit styled "Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton vs. John C. Fraser," wherein the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton in Plaintiff, and John C. Fraser, whose place of residence is unknown, is Defendant, which Petition was filed with the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, on the 10th day of August, 1966; and the nature of which suit is as follows:

The suit is a Proceeding in Eminent Domain in which the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton is condemning, at the request of its Board of Commissioners, for rehabilitation purposes, which are public purposes, the following described tract of land situated in Martin County, Texas, to-wit:

Lot 6, Block 61, Original Town of Stanton, Texas, according to a map or plat thereof originally recorded in Vol. 1, pages 258-259, Deed Records of Martin County, Texas.

You are notified that said hearing has been set for the 30th day of September, 1966, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the County Courtroom in the Martin County Courthouse in Stanton, Texas, and to appear at same and present such evidence as you may wish. You are further notified to appear and answer said petition on or before September 26, 1966, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. If you desire to appear and answer before said dates of September 26, 1966, do so at the office of the County Judge of Martin County, Texas, located at the Court-house in Stanton, Texas.

The interest of said John C. Fraser, whose place of residence is unknown, and his heirs and legal representatives, if any, is that the either owns or claims an interest in said property, subject to unpaid accrued taxes and other liens.

If this Citation is not served with ninety (90) days after its issuance it shall be returned forthwith.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS at Stanton, Martin County, Texas, this 10th day of August, 1966.

M. L. GIBSON
KATHLEEN LEWIS
R. W. HAILSLIP
Special Commissioners
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TIPS FOR OUTDOORSMEN

by Vern Sanford

DE-SKUNKING THE CAR—Ever hit a skunk and have the odor stay on for days?

Next time this happens, dissolve a cupful of dried mustard in a bucket of water. Use a mop to slosh down wheels, underbody, anywhere the scent might be. Repeat if necessary.

DENTS IN GUN STOCK—Here's a fast way to get a dent out of your prized gun stock.

Wet a bag and lay it over the dent. Steam will swell wood fibers, dent will swell right away.

CLEAR THE AIR WITH ORANGES—If you've got a smelly oil or kerosene heater in your camp, here's a way to clear the air.

Take two or three oranges and put them on top of a heater. Citrus oil in the air will combine with the unburned oil particles, which cause the odor, and clean the air.

CATCHING CRICKETS MADE EASY—At a place where crickets are congregated, sprinkle the ground with water.

Chirpers don't like wet feet. They will climb anything to escape it. When this happens, you can easily pick them off walls, tree trunks, bushes, etc.

HANDY BENCH REST—An old axle jack makes a good adjustable bench rest to use when sighting in your rifle.

USE FOR OLD REFRIGERATOR—To make an ice chest you can leave at your fishing or hunting camp, just get a dis-

Baptist Church News

Mrs. Eula Eubanks was hostess to the Women's Missionary Union (Mary Stamps Circle) Monday, August 22.

Four chapters from a mission study book titled, "Great is the Company," by Violet Wood, was taught by Mrs. Paul Jones.

The call to prayer for our missionaries on home and foreign fields, who had birthdays on that day, was read by Mrs. J. R. Sale. Mrs. Eubanks led in prayer.

Reports from some of the missionaries state that they are more successful on that day.

A devotion and prayer on friendship, was given by Mrs. B. F. White. "A man that hath friends must show himself friendly." Proverbs 18:20.

Reports of the month was given during the business session.

Refreshments of home made ice cream and cookies were served to: Mrs. H. R. Caffey,

Bridal Shower Honors Miss Jackie Leonard

The Martin County Library was the scene of a bridal shower held in the honor of Jackie Lauren Leonard, bride-elect of Bruce Carter, both of Midland, Monday, August 22, from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m.

The bride's chosen colors of orange and white were used in the floral arrangement and appointments at the serving table.

Gail Leonard, sister of the honoree, register the numerous guests.

Hostesses were: Mrs. Dan Saunders, Mrs. Wallace Kelly, Mrs. Glenn L. Brown, Mrs. Homer Schwalbe, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. George Dawson, Mrs. B. F. White, and Mrs. Edmund Tom.

Mrs. Guy Eiland, Mrs. Paul K. Jones, Mrs. Roy Martin, Mrs. J. R. Sale, Mrs. B. F. White, Mrs. W. H. Yater, and the hostess.

USAF SENTRY DOGS SET FOR STATE FAIR MILITARY SHOW



LOOK MA, NO CAVITIES!—but one of these dogs can open up a big hole in any crowd. A team of trained sentry dogs will demonstrate their military usage and capability as part of the giant Military Tattoo Friday evening, October 14, in the Cotton Bowl at the State Fair of Texas. Overall dates of the 1966 "Exposition of Young America" in Dallas will be October 8 through 23.

LEPROSY FOUND RISING IN TEXAS

Dr. J. E. Peavy, state health commissioner, said Friday that a 6-year study of leprosy in Texas shows it is much more prevalent in the state than previously thought and is increasing.

Peavy said a program will begin Oct. 1 to control and eventually eradicate the com-

municable disease. It will be financed by a \$267,734 U. S. Public Health grant.

Peavy said cases are scattered throughout the state but the greatest case load is concentrated in counties close to the Gulf and the Rio Grande Valley.

Gibson Column

By RED GIBSON

If ever put on the spot and asked to describe my luck, I would probably say it is good. Maybe even outstanding. Although I have never tested this belief by rolling dice for a living, I feel sure that I'm getting my quota of luck.

Perhaps that is why I assumed I had a lucky break one day when I found the box of hand-washers. That find, and a few other like it, may have caused me more grief than I can handle.

This box was just lying in the street. It didn't look much different from boxes you see in the street every day, so I drove on by. But for some reason I decided to go back for another look. Sure enough, the box had something in it.

It turned out that the box, which had fallen from a delivery truck, no doubt, contained 144 packages. Each package contained 10 more packages, and each of those contained one little "towellette." These are the paper washcloths that stay wet until opened. They're great for travelers and fried-chicken eaters.

It has been three summers since I stopped for the box. It will probably be three months before all 1,440 cloths are used up, even with two children who like to travel and like to eat fried chicken, preferably at the same time.

So where's the hard luck story?

We'll get to that. First I want to mention the time I found a dollar bill on the bank floor. I think this was one of the reasons I turned around to investigate that big box.

I must have been about 13 years old, since I didn't do much banking business before then. I was standing in line and looked down. There it was, a big green one. The man in front of me wasn't sure whether he had dropped it, but he was willing to split it with me. Then his conscience got the best of him and he remembered that he didn't carry loose dollar bills.

So now, when I go into the bank I glance around to see if there is any unclaimed currency on the floor.

Let's go back to that box of towellettes. Most people would welcome a six-year supply of hand-washers. But because of the discovery, I can't take a simple drive in the country any more. I can't pass a box without wondering whether it is full of some treasure. Oh, with a diligent application of will power I have managed to break the habit of turning around or even slowing down for every box and sack.

But I wonder about them all. That's the curse of the fortunate.

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Careless Clothes

What to wear? Choosing your costume for a particular occasion is not just a matter of fashion but also a matter of law. Should you be injured, careless clothing may jeopardize your right to collect damages by pinning a "negligent" label upon you.

Consider this case: A young woman, going for a walk on a wintry night, knew that the sidewalks were slick with ice. Yet she chose to wear very high heels. Sure enough, she skidded, fell, and suffered assorted injuries.

But when she sued the city for damages, the jury decided she herself was guilty of negligence in her choice of footwear.

On the other hand, a woman who stumbled on a hotel stairway was held not negligent. The heels she was wearing were only moderately high—and the process of walking down steps did not demand any special precautions.

Even choosing an unwise color, if not negligence all by itself, may at least tip the scales in that direction. Was a hunter accidentally shot by a companion? It may count against the victim, legally, that he was wearing a grey hat exactly the color of a grey squirrel.

Was a motorist, changing a flat tire on a dark highway, struck by a passing car? It may be held against him that he was wearing a hard-to-see black jacket instead of an easy-to-see white shirt.

In addition to choosing your clothing with care, you are expected also to wear it with care. For example:

A woman passenger, emerging from a friend's car, shut the door on her own sleeve. Unaware of her predicament, the driver started forward, hurling the woman to the pavement. But a court later found no fault with the driver. The woman herself was negligent, said the court, for letting her sleeve get caught.

In another case, a man with foot troubles sued a shoe dealer for selling him shoes that were too tight. But the court turned thumbs down on his claim. The judge commented: "He is the best judge of whether the shoes fitted or pinched. If the customer persists in wearing the shoes and allowing the pinching, he has himself to blame and none other."

A public service feature of the American Bar Association and the State Bar of Texas. Written by Will Bernard.

Representatives of the World Council of Churches and the World Christian Temperance Federation met in Bossey, Switzerland, and foresaw joint action to combat alcoholism, which they called "one of the grave social problems of our time."

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Cotton Yield Looking Good

Widespread rains boosted cotton prospects over large areas of North Texas last week, the U. S. Department of Agriculture says.

The department said in its weekly crop-weather report that High Plains cotton prospects were greatly enhanced and "in North Texas, additional moisture was received to insure normal fruit development."

The department said sorghum and other crops benefited from rain and planting moisture was provided for some early seeded wheat.

The report said mid-August rains slowed combining of sorghum grain in North Texas and delayed Coastal Bend cotton and rice harvesting.

Cotton ginnings passed the 100,000-bale mark in South Texas. Statewide, cotton harvest is at 5 per cent, compared with 14 per cent last year.

Sorghum harvest reached 36 per cent, compared with 38 per cent a year ago.

Potato harvest on the High Plains is nearly complete. Onion harvest is near completion in most areas. Land preparation and planting of pep-

Farm Bureau To Hold District Queen Contest

The County Farm Bureau of District IV, will hold the district queens contest, talent find, and discussion meet in Big Spring, Saturday night, August 27, at the Howard County Junior College auditorium. Martin County will not be represented in these functions this year, much to the regret of the organization.

All persons interested, are urged to attend, as this will be a fine evening of free entertainment for all. You will have a chance to see what your bureau is doing toward giving our young people a chance to participate in Farm Bureau work.

You will see what the leaders of tomorrow are capable of doing. Owen Kelly, president of Martin County Farm Bureau, urges our county to be well represented in attendance for the fine evening of entertainment.

pers and cabbage continued in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, and "the citrus crop continues to look good," the report said.

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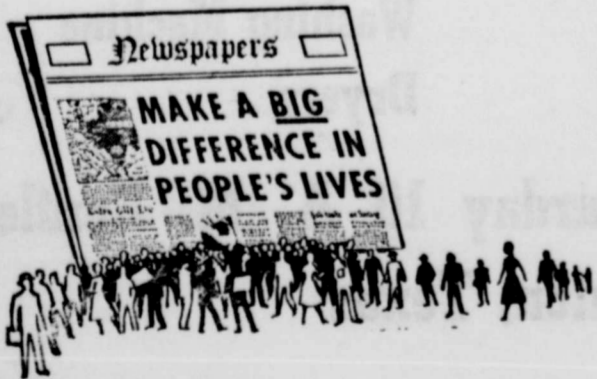
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The Exchange Desk

THE MITCHELL COUNTY NEWS: "The first casualty of the Viet Nam war for Mitchell County was that of Pfc. Robert O. (Tiger) Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Davis of Colorado City. Davis had been in Vietnam since early this year and was with the 101st Airborne Division."

THE McCAMEY NEWS: "The second annual Youth Horse Show will be held here, Sept. 3, beginning at 9:00 a.m. The show is sponsored by The Upton County Sheriff Posse."

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS: "Foard County will have 81,391 acres eligible for wheat production for the 1967 crop with the newly announced 15 per cent allotment increase. The county Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service received its official notice of the new boost Monday, and is now preparing the mailing of new allotment figures to producers."

THE EDEN ECHO: "L. N. Kirkpatrick who was recently named to the 1965-1966 All American Team of Department Commanders, the highest honor that a state commander can achieve in the Veterans of Foreign Wars, will be honored through the National Convention of the organization in New York City, beginning Sunday and ending Aug. 26. Kirkpatrick, better known in Eden as 'Kirk', has finished his term as state commander with the highest honor possible."

THE FORT STOCKTON PIONEER: "Hearings are being held this week in three cities in the Rio Grande watershed on the proposed master plan for water development now being formulated by the Texas Water Development Board."

THE HOUSTON COUNTY COURIER: "Indications are that the Little Elkhart reservoir dam will be completed in time for presentation to Houston Countians as a Christmas present, says Jack Lloyd, engineer in charge of the project."

THE MUNDAY TIMES: "This week Munday has achieved a long-awaited goal which is considered one of the most progressive steps towards its future by the forming of an Industrial Foundation. W. O. Smith, Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce Industrial Committee, announced the purchase of 10.3 acres of land on East Highway 277."

DENVER CITY PRESS: "The South Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 4 was a reality today following a four-months delay pending legal rulings on a formal election which created the district. Denver City is excluded from the new water conservation district. Plains and rural Yookum County areas are included in the district."

STAMFORD AMERICAN: "A Town Hall meeting sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, will be held at 7:30 p.m., Aug. 30, in the council room at the City Hall. Jerry Hopkins, chamber manager, said purpose of the meeting will be to get ideas to make Stamford more attractive to visitors, tourists and residents in the next two years."

THE BIG LAKE WILDCAT: "Texas State Teachers Association meeting in San Antonio last week-end resolved to press for national average salaries in the state of Texas. The present state average is about \$600 below, according to reports heard by Howard Becknell, TSTA local unit president who attended."

Former Hood County Sheriff Says Jesse James Died There

(Editor's Note: Mr. J. W. Allen, resident of Stanton, formerly of Hood County, brought in a very interesting article from the Hood County News-Tablet this week. It concerns the final resting place of the late legendary character and was written by a former sheriff of Hood County. We are passing along the letter of Sheriff Oran C. Baker because it represents another view in the famous outlaw's life.)

Oran C. Baker, former sheriff of Hood County, feels sure that the man who died here (in Hood County) in 1951 was the real Jesse James. Mr. Baker gives his reasons in the following report.

"I would like to tell you about one of our early day citizens Jesse Woodson James.

He was born in Scott County, Kentucky April 17, 1844 and grew to young manhood in Missouri.

He became famous by the use of his guns. He used a pistol in each hand, shooting both at the same time. He fought in the Civil War with the South, enlisting at the age of 17.

The records show that soon after the Civil War Jesse Woodson James came to Hood County, Texas in the early 1870's. He was a contractor for the railroad and helped put up the dump for the Frisco from Ft. Worth to Brownwood, Texas.

The headquarters camp was at Granbury, located near what is known as the Sam Rash home place, near the dump and spring on Lambert Branch. This site was chosen because there was plenty of water for men and teams. No. 2 slips and teams were used in building the dump. Jesse Woodson James was known on this job as J. W. Gates. He was 5 foot, 8 1/2 inches tall and his standard weight was 212 pounds.

I am happy to say that I was born and reared in Hood County, registered for military service June 5, 1917 for World War I. I was third in the draft from Hood County and was placed with the MP's attached to the U. S. Detective Dept., attached to the 18th (Cactus) Division. In World War Two again I served throughout the war. I volunteered for service for my country, was accepted. Served through the Army Air Force Headquarters Training command, with the same rank and same type of work I was in in World War I.

I was elected Sheriff, Tax Assessor - Collector for Hood County in 1950. It was while I

was in office, on or about August 6, 1951 that I was contacted by the grandson of Jesse Woodson James, Jesse James III, alias Lee Howk. He came to the sheriff's office and told me that he had brought his grandfather, Jesse Woodson James, back to Hood County to live the rest of his days.

"He wants to talk to you, the Sheriff," Mr. Howk said. My answer was that I would be at the Sam Rash place in a few minutes. I arrived there and helped unload the old man from the Estes ambulance in which he had been brought from Ft. Worth. The old gentleman was very tired and I did not talk to him much that evening.

However, I visited him every day as long as he lived, about nine days. He became interested in talking to me. On the third day I visited him he called his grandson, Lee Howk, to his bedside and said, "I want you to get my spurs, my hand cuffs and my favorite necktie and give them to this sheriff. He is a good man."

In our visits I asked Jesse why he wanted to come to Hood County to spend the rest of his days. He said during his early days in Hood County he made lots of friends, that he had a girl friend whom he thought more of than any girl he had ever known. "She died and was buried in Hood County and my desire is to die and be buried here," Jesse said. Her father worked for Jesse on the railroad.

In my early days I became a lover of history. I loved to read about Jesse James and his Rough Riders. In talking to him about some of his men who rode with him such as Frank James, Cole Younger, Harry Tracy and Bob Ford. He always smiled when he spoke of these men.

On August 15, 1951 I was called to the Estes Funeral Home at the request of the family to hold a post mortem examination which I did. Jesse, lying flat on his back, measured 5 foot, 8 1/2 inches, big broad, square shoulders. I counted what I considered to be bullet wounds. I counted 32 from his forehead to his knees. These scars resembled the eyes on an Irish potato. I would say there was a scar from a rope burn around his neck. Both his feet had been badly burned. The end of his index finger was missing. There was a tattoo on the inner side of his forearm "Tex Ys."

He was buried in the Granbury Cemetery, Estes Funeral Home in charge. Three relatives whose names I do not know, Doyle Parkinson, Noel Foreman and myself acted as pall bearers.

From what I have learned about Jesse James from childhood and from my examination of the body at the funeral home, I would say that I firmly believe this man to be the one and only Jesse Woodson James, 107 years old."

Oran C. Baker

West Tex Mule Deer Show Gain

Pre-season deer population estimates west of the Pecos indicate a possible net gain of approximately 9,000 head over 1965, according to Tom Halley, Trans-Pecos project leader for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Halley emphasized that deer population figures released in August before complete census efforts are finished are preliminary estimates. However, the department observed Halley's ten years of close association with Trans-Pecos deer herds gives considerable credence to his early projections.

Timely rainfall in many Trans-Pecos counties is credited with bringing about the increase in deer numbers normally total 200,000 head in the nine county Regulatory Area.

Population estimates by county are as follows: Brewster, 54,000; Culberson, 23,000; El Paso, 2,000; Jeff Davis, 25,000; Hudspeith, 22,000; Pecos, 20,000; Presidio, 34,000; Reeves, 6,000, and Terrell, 15,000.

Brewster and Reeves Counties showed the highest percentage increase with an eight percent gain while the tri-county area of El Paso, Hudspeith and Culberson showed a 2/3 percent decrease in total population.

The 1966 Trans-Pecos deer season extends from the last Saturday of November for 16 consecutive days.

Use the classified ads!

Baptist Church News

The Junior II Sunday school department of the First Baptist Church had a swimming party, Thursday evening, August 18, at the Permian Baptist Encampment north of Stanton. This party was in honor of those boys and girls who will be promoted to the Intermediate I department the last Sunday of September. While the girls swam the boys played ping pong and shuffleboard and vice versa. At the close of the swimming periods all enjoyed ice cold watermelon.

The honor graduates present were Jana Hall, Connie Butcher, Robbie Glenn, Bobbie Glenn, Jo Lankford, Karen Cain, Sherry Hankins, Debbie Graves, Dianne Kelly, Irma Mashburn, Anita McIntyre, John Shippee, Dannie Donathan, Willie Wells, and Theodore Wells. Other Juniors attending were Larry Lawson, Bob Jones, Betty Anderson, Cindy Wheeler, Lquita Maker, Rosalyn Louder, and Deborah Doyle.

Officers and teachers present were Mrs. Ernest Hock, Gene Clements, Mrs. Floyd Sorley, Clyde Parnell, Ernest Reynolds, Mrs. J. R. Sale, Mrs. W. H. Yater, and Mrs. H. R. Caffey.

Guests were H. R. Caffey, Ernest Hock, Mrs. Ernest Reynolds and Vicki, Mrs. Clyde Parnell and Malla, Mrs. Gene Clements and Beverly, Marty McArthur, Carlene Walker, Mary Sue Mashburn, and Rev. Rankin, the camp manager.

Garrison, N. D., Independent: "This is the 'enlightened society'... a transient methodically kills eight student nurses in Chicago while closer to home an apparently deranged young father assaults a young cerebral palsy victim. Even though we're supposedly an intelligent people, crime is rampant. And probably because of a shift in moral values, gone are the inhibitions that made each of us more responsible a generation ago. Today individual 'freedom' reigns supreme... Defiance of law and order is condoned, even encouraged by high government officials in this country as means of correcting social wrongs."

Read the classified ads!

Connally To Speak At Texas A&M U.

Texas Governor John Connally is slated to speak at the Texas Agricultural Extension Service State Conference.

The state conference will be held the week of August 29 through September 2, according to Extension Director John Hutchison. He said the conference will be the largest Extension State Conference ever held here.

Over 1,000 county agricultural agents, home demonstration agents and extension specialists, Hutchison said, will attend the event. It's to be held on the Texas A&M University campus at College Station.

A highlight of the week-long conference will be presentation of the Knapp-Porter Awards. This award, according to Hutchison, is made only when an outstanding nominee is eligible to receive it.

The award is given to persons who have made outstanding contributions to Texas agriculture and family living by supporting informal education programs for adults and youth.

The last to receive the Knapp - Porter award were Congressman Olin E. Teague and Congressman George H. Mahon in 1964.

Selma, Ala., Times-Journal: "If you had an old buster of a day on the job, it might soothe things if you compared our system with the way the Russians handle employment. Propagandists claim there's no unemployment, of course, and also boast that for the past 10 years workers have had the freedom of quitting by giving two-weeks' notice. Under the surface, these claims prove not quite true... A jobless worker can be arrested as a 'parasite' and be exiled to remote areas such as Siberia for two to five years if he holds no job, lives on unearned income or engages in a forbidden business. Feel better?"

Read The Stanton Reporter for all the county and hometown news!

CITATION BY PUBLICATION NO. 527

URBAN RENEWAL AGENCY) CONDEMNATION OF THE CITY OF STANTON) PROCEEDINGS BEFORE) SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS VS.) APPOINTED BY JUDGE OF) MARTIN COUNTY, TEXAS) COUNTY COURT

MATTIE N. HUBBILL THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: MATTIE N. HUBBILL, if Living, and if Deceased, her Unknown Heirs

YOU are hereby commanded to appear at the hearing before the Special Commissioners appointed by the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, to assess the damages occasioned by the condemnation of the hereinafter described property, and to appear and answer in said Proceeding at the office of the County Judge in the Martin County Courthouse in the City of Stanton, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance hereof, that is to say, 10:00 o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 26th day of September, 1966, and answer the petition of the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton, Plaintiff, in the suit styled "Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton vs. Mattie N. Hubbill", wherein the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton is Plaintiff, and Mattie N. Hubbill, whose place of residence is unknown, if Defendant, which Petition was filed with the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, on the 10th day of August, 1966; and the nature of which suit is as follows:

The suit is a Proceeding in Eminent Domain in which the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton is condemning, at the request of its Board of Commissioners, for rehabilitation purpose, which are public purposes, the following described tract of land situated in Martin County, Texas, to-wit:

Lot 5, Block 72, Town of Stanton, Texas, according to map originally recorded in Vol 1, pages 258-259 Deed Records of Martin County, Texas.

You are notified that said hearing has been set for the 30th day of September, 1966, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the County Courtroom in the Martin County Courthouse in Stanton, Texas, and to appear at same and present such evidence as you may wish. You are further notified to appear and answer said petition on or before September 26, 1966, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. If you desire to appear and answer before said date of September 26, 1966, do so at the office of the County Judge of Martin County, Texas, located at the Courthouse in Stanton, Texas.

The interest of said Mattie N. Hubbill, whose place of residence is unknown, and her heirs and legal representative, if any, is that she either owns or claims an interest in said property, subject to unpaid accrued taxes and other liens.

If this Citation is not served within ninety (90) days after its issuance it shall be returned forthwith.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS at Stanton, Martin County, Texas, this 10th day of August, 1966.

M. L. GIBSON
KATHLEEN LEWIS
R. W. HAINSLIP
Special Commissioners
34-4

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Thanks to an alert safety patrol, school-bound youngsters are protected from harm as they cross busy streets. At home, proper study light is good protection against eyestrain and fatigue. For best light from a table lamp, use at least 150-watt illumination in a lamp that's tall enough to spread light evenly over the work area. It should be properly shaded to shield the light source from the eyes. A diffusing bowl is recommended to soften the light and prevent glare. Check your children's study light now. Better sight can mean better grades.

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Bentley's of Stanton Furniture - Appliances

Urban Renewal Purchased Our Building And We Will Sell All Stock At Public Auction Saturday, August 27th.

SALE STARTS 10:00 A. M.

New And Used

Refrigerators	TV's
Ranges	Pictures
Living Room	Lamps
Bed Room	Rugs
Dinettes	Washing Machine
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Sale Conducted By

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BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Twenty Years Ago

The Merriek community, northeast Stanton, is credited with bringing to Stanton the first bale of cotton of the 1946 crop. The bale was raised by Alfredo Reyna, on the farm of E. Ramsey located in the Sulphur Draw area, a sub-irrigated tract. It weighed 516 pounds and was purchased for 35 cents per pound. The premium contributed by Stanton merchants amounted to \$92.50.

Benny Kelly and W. D. Chandler will represent the Martin County 4-H Club at the Texas 4-H Roundup to be held at Texas A&C College on August 28, 29, 30. The Stanton Lions Club will pay their expenses while at A&C.

Wedding vows were exchanged Thursday morning of last week by Sue Henson and Clement Standefer. Soft music was played by Lois Standefer. Rev. I. W. Briggs, pastor of the Stanton Methodist Church, read the ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Standefer. The bride was dressed in a cream wool crepe suit and blue blouse and gray accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Latimer were in Breckenridge Monday to visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Poe Woodard are vacationing at various points in Louisiana.

Verla Anderson is employed in the county home demonstration office as stenographer. She took the place of Flora Dee Wilson.

Plans have been made for Mrs. Claude Davis of the Taran Home Demonstration Club and Mrs. W. T. Wells of the

Valley View Home Demonstration Club, to attend the state meeting of Texas Home Demonstration Association in Amarillo.

Mrs. Emogene Ledbetter, home demonstration agent, attended a District Six meeting for county agents and home demonstration agents last week in Big Spring. Current problems of gardening, including planting and harvesting, selection of seeds for fall gardens and control of insect and household pests were discussed.

John Redfern, Jr. of Midland, spoke to the Lions International convention held recently in Philadelphia, Pa., at a meeting of the Lions Club Monday night. Vice President Jess Burns, was in charge of the meeting.

A meeting for all boys interested in playing football this fall will be held Friday at the school house, Coach T. E. Green, has announced.

Mrs. E. E. Alford and daughter, Carolyn Ann, of Palestine, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Thomason and family, and her sister, Mildred Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Kelly of Ft. Stockton, visited his parents, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kelly, and then went to Tuscoloa, Ala., to visit Mrs. Kelly's parents. Ima Kelly accompanied them to Milsap, where she is to visit an aunt.

Most insurance companies grant liability and collision insurance for young drivers



Department of Public Safety estimates that 51 persons will die in traffic accidents on Texas highways during the upcoming three-day Labor Day weekend.

"The current traffic trend indicates that Texas is headed for its third straight record high in terms of fatal accidents," says Col. Homer Garrison Jr., DPS director. "At the present time, we are approximately 15 per cent ahead of the same time in 1965, and we are still faced with the four months of the year which generally produce the most deaths."

Garrison points out that: "More people are killed in Texas each year-in-traffic than are killed in all the United States by murder, and the deaths are just as senseless, as needless and as tragic, but not nearly as well publicized."

He analyzed the reasons citizens have failed to take positive action in traffic safety: "Psychologists say that one reason . . . is a lack of personal identification with the problem. It might behoove each driver in our state to stop and consider that he has less than a 50-50 chance to go through his driving career without being involved in a traffic mishap."

In an attempt to cut back on the number of accidents

who have successfully completed recognized driver education courses in schools.

and deaths during the Labor Day weekend, the DPS will conduct its "Operation Motorcade." Approximately 150 uniformed officers from other DPS services will be on the road to supplement the highway patrol. To call public attention to the problem, each traffic death will be tabulated and the totals will be announced three times daily in Austin.

Texas Highway Department, Texas Safety Association, Texas Council of Safety Supervisors and Texas Motor Transportation are joining forces to help the DPS.

Election System Upheld — Seventh Court of Civil Appeals at Amarillo upheld the Texas "closed primary" election system, holding that members of one party cannot vote in the primary of another.

Court reversed the district court ruling that would have permitted to stand 71 votes of Republicans in the second Democratic primary for a Pampa judge.

State Democratic executive committee had filed a brief urging the court to uphold the closed primary system.

Ag Opinions — State higher education student loan funds not immediately needed to meet loan applications can be invested in direct obligations of U. S. agencies which are not unconditionally guaranteed by the government, Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr

has held. Investment is within discretion of Coordinating Board, Texas College and University system.

In other opinions, Carr has concluded that:

* A Texas Ranger can execute a writ of commitment for contempt in child custody cases on direction of judge of court of record.

* Money erroneously deposited in State Treasury cannot be withdrawn except in pursuance of specific appropriations made by law.

* A peace officer must accept cash bond tendered by a defendant in lieu of signature of sureties if he is authorized to take a bail bond.

* Harrison County may not legally reimburse county jail prisoners for money and other property belonging to them which was taken from custody of the sheriff by escaping prisoners.

Future Parks — State Parks and Wildlife Commission next month will officially review proposals to purchase more than 100,000 acres of land by the year 2000.

Preference reportedly would be shown to parks connected with water recreation, those near big city areas, and sites of statewide significance, including historic sites.

Gov. John Connally has given his strong backing to a massive parks-acquisition program. At one time, he indicated he was thinking in terms of recommending a \$25-\$50,000,000 expenditure.

Plan evolving undoubtedly will be the largest in history—to provide more room to romp for recreation-minded Texans.

College Bonds — Texas colleges slowly are selling their building bonds authorized by the constitutional amendment raising the ad valorem tax to 10 cents - per - \$100 - valuation. But there's still \$18,710,000 worth to go. Issue started at \$33,420,000.

Fish, Game Licenses Are Ready

At the same old price, and the earliest ever!

The hired hands at the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department contributed that much to sportsmen's kickoff success for the new fiscal year September 1. And it's all a part of the painless routine of financing the state's unmatched game management program.

In other words, replacements for the old hunting and fishing license that are invalid after August 31, have been distributed to approximately 2,500 dealers in all 254 counties well in advance of the deadline.

A spokesman for the department pointed out that persons hunting or fishing beginning September 1 should have the new licenses.

But until that time the law requires all participating in either sport to have a license on their person.

The department observed that recent year efforts to expedite distribution of the licenses in advance of the new fiscal year have worked out so well that an even earlier shipment schedule was adopted this year.

A spokesman credited the news media, particularly the growing number of regular outdoor writers, for contributing to the accommodation of license buyers by publicizing details. Cooperation of the hundreds of dealers naturally has been a major factor.

Individual fishing licenses cost \$2.15 for both residents and non-residents. Resident hunting licenses at \$3.15.

Non resident hunting licenses cost \$25.00.

There is a five-day non-resident license for hunting migratory game birds, costing \$5.00. This, of course, applies to the white-winged dove hunt, September 3-5 and September 9-11, that attracts many out of staters.

Basically, persons 17 years of age and under 65 need the regular Texas resident licenses.

At end of the regular bid-taking, Texas Tech and the University of Houston sold their \$7,000,000 worth. Then, as a result of an exclusive option given a New York syndicate, four more schools — Texas Southern, Texas Woman's, Lamar State and Pan American — sold their bonds, a total of \$7,710,000.

College officials now are going out on their own to sell the remaining \$18,710,000 worth of bonds. It's hoped that local backers will buy them, so the colleges can proceed with construction to meet the mounting demands of college enrollments. Problem is that interest is held to 4 per cent, which is below present market.

Short Snorts — Governor Connally approved applications for \$893,881 in grants under Federal and Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 for pilot programs relating to supplementary learning centers for talented elementary and secondary pupils.

A three-year U. S. Public Health Service grant of \$267,734 has been presented to the Texas Department of Health for the control of leprosy — which is on the increase in the state.

Governor Connally announced more than \$2,000,000 in Neighborhood Youth Corps grant for San Saba, Cherokee, Harris, Limestone, Taylor and Eastland Counties; Burk Burnett and San Angelo; Southwest Texas State College and West Texas State University.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department has announced that Garner State Park is back in operation, despite record high water from the Frio River that damaged a few shelters.

Governor Connally appointed John L. Paxton of Fort Worth as chairman of the state United Nations Day, to be observed on October 24.

Texas Highway Department has produced full-color travel folders advertising the state in German and French languages, in addition to the English and Spanish versions, to be distributed at U. S. Travel Service offices, international travel agents, and steamship-air lines.

Hurricane Deaths — Hurricanes have taken more than 5,500 lives in the United States in the past 50 years. The worst year was 1928, when 1,836 persons died in hurricanes.

1966 Football Schedule Flower Grove High School Dragons

September 9 — Dawson	Home	8:00
September 16 — Open	Open	
September 23 — Klondike	Home	8:00
September 30 — Wellman	Home	8:00
October 7 — Loop	There	8:00
October 15 — Three Way	There	8:00
October 21 — *Gail	Home	7:30
October 28 — Open	Open	
November 4 — *Sterling City	There	7:30
November 11 — *Garden City	There	7:30
November 18 — *Sands	Home	7:30

*—Denotes Conference Games.

Colors: Black, Red, and White.

Cheerleaders: Carol Pribyla, Diane Massengale, Patsy Oaks, and Cindy Dykes.

Majorettes: Mary Pribyla, Joy Oaks, and Sharon Miller. Coaches: Max Fly and Kirby White.

Beta Sigma Phi Activities

The Xi Epsilon Delta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, met Thursday night, August 18, for their summer planning session, at the home of Mrs. Zella Graves, for a salad supper, white elephant sale, and business meeting.

Those present were: Mrs. Bertha Schwaibe, Helen Thraikill, Dallas Thompson, Lois Poyrell, Alyne Kelly, and Zella Graves.

Mu Lambda chapter of Beta Sigma Phi enjoyed a family social and ice cream supper Friday, August 19, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nowlin, along with games of 42.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Orv, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Anderson, Betty Karen, and David; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sorley and Tom, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Parnell and Malia, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Pinkston, Danny and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Terry, Cindy, Joe, and Kyle, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nowlin.

Mrs. Fay Rhodes and her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Smith, and their daughter, China, have just returned from a 10 day tour of Old Mexico, including Mexico City.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rhodes of Wooster, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Dusty Rhodes and daughter of Monahans, visited their mother, Mrs. Fay Rhodes, over the week-end.

August Worst Month

In recent years, more motor vehicle deaths have occurred in August than in any other month. In 1964, 4,810 persons died in car accidents during August, almost 4 per cent more than in October, which had the next highest toll.

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The Launching Pad

By NEAL ESTES

YOUR correspondent was the first man to see and talk with SHERIFF DAN SAUNDERS Sunday morning after he defended his life in line of duty by shooting a Mexican male after an altercation in south Stanton. We had just returned from the hospital where PETE RODRIGUEZ, the wounded man, was receiving first aid treatment before being rushed to Midland for surgery. SHERIFF SAUNDERS was pulling up in the courthouse driveway with a second man who allegedly accompanied the slain RODRIGUEZ to Stanton and was said to be seated in a maroon car in front of the residence SHERIFF SAUNDERS entered in an effort to calm down a family dispute. After the prisoner, identified later as SANTOS LOPEZ, was locked in a security cell, DAN turned to me and asked if I had been to the hospital and I replied that I had been there. He asked: "How is he NEAL?" I told the sheriff it was my layman's opinion that the gunshot victim was not "going to make it." Deep sorrow etched his face as he said, "I am sorry, awfully sorry. After 16 years, this—my, my, how I regret this." SHERIFF SAUNDERS was referring to his first time to have to use a gun in his long tenure as a Texas officer. DAN never wears a gun. He has always been a soft-spoken, easy operating, highly persuasive person. It is the unbiased opinion of your writer that DAN SAUNDERS drew his gun only when he felt his own life was going to be taken if he did not act.

THE latest GALLUP POLL was released the past week and for what the poll is worth, it reported BOBBY KENNEDY now leading LYNDON JOHNSON in popularity with Democratic leaders. I wouldn't know about that, but I have heard that LBJ attaches a lot of faith to poll. BROTHER GALLUP said that last November, the poll reported that SEN. KENNEDY posed a threat for HUBERT HUMPHREY for renomination as vice-president in 1968. Now, GALLUP reports that KENNEDY poses a threat to the President himself. It could be that LBJ might not even consider accepting the nomination for another full 4-year term. This is speculative thinking only and our reason for forecasting the possibility of LBJ's not running is because he will have served some five and one-half years by the time his elective term is up and because if the war in Viet Nam is not over, he realizes as a practical man, that his chances would be dim indeed. When you add the fact that the one minority group he has attempted to help the most appears now to be rejecting him in favor of SEN. KENNEDY and that the cost of living is currently the highest in the history of this nation, he would have only the 'Great Society' plank to stand on, and one-half of that plank seems to have knots in it at this writing.

CANADIAN union leaders announced Monday from Montreal that the country's major railroads will be struck at noon Friday, idling 120,000 workers demanding higher wages. It appears that the American strike pattern is extending over into the territory of our Canadian neighbors. Or, do you reckon LYNDON'S visit there the past Sunday had anything to do with it?

THE county is due to get football minded again. Attractive cheerleaders were downtown Monday afternoon wearing shorts and selling ads on the game programs to be distributed. Maybe our ad business would increase if we had more attractive sales people. Since we have a one person ad staff we would like to take this method of reminding our merchants that DOLLAR DAY will be observed in the city on September 6. That's Tuesday following Monday, Labor Day. Ad copy needs to be in for the next issue to be printed on September 1, just as soon as possible.

I always look forward to getting copies of the advance TV schedules. Sometimes they are real interesting. It appears that KMID has a kind of animal and clown deal in store for we viewers this coming Saturday. At 8:00 Atom the Ant comes on. Secret Squirrel follows at 9 a.m. Underdog breaks out at 9:30 a.m. and Hop Cat hits the screen at 10 a.m. Fury, (a horse) comes next and then Bozo the Clown, then following a baseball game we get to see Flipper at 6:30 p.m. We Meet the Mayor at 10:15 (that's my indignation time—I'm always up). Big Time Wrestling follows at 10:30 p.m. and on this Saturday night we will all be privileged to watch (Bride of Frankenstein.) Ladies and gentlemen, boys and girls, that ought to do it up brown. I would like to suggest that I find rolaids most essential on Saturday nights.

A lot of time the ESTES family reminds me of the KENNEDY clan up in Massachusetts. They have a big family and we had one. Of course, let me hasten to add that my people could never touch the wealth of the KENNEDYS but we can either match or top them in brotherly love and in the genuine merriment of living and adoring each other. For a great number of years now, our family has maintained summer homes in Mineola, Texas and in Galveston. The beach house in Galveston has served well, but I always preferred to spend vacation hours in the friendly pines of East Texas. There is nothing to me quiet like roaming the red clay hills in daytime and going to sleep at night to the sound of the soft winds blowing and making a lullaby through the tall pines. Perhaps that is why they are sometimes called the "Whispering Pines." Half of our immediate family is gone now, but three boys and our sister, all living miles apart, find that common bond of brotherhood taught to us by our late parents, lights like a brilliant star when one of us need the others. It's a good, satisfying feeling. I know I'll have it with me when I join the loved ones who have gone on to cut the trail to the great beyond.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hall have returned from a trip to the Davis Mountains.

Mrs. F. O. Rhodes and her brother, J. R. Blocker, attended a family reunion held in Hill County the past Sunday.

Size Of Fuses
Never use a bigger fuse than the electrical system in your home calls for. The proper size provides a safety valve that breaks the circuit before an overload can start a fire.

Miss Joanna Hough Epley Wed To William C. McMahan



Mrs. William McMahan

Miss Joanna Hough Epley and William Coy McMahan were united in marriage Tuesday, August 16, at 6:00 p.m. in the First Baptist Church, Stanton. The Reverend Trust G. Craft of Lubbock performed the ceremony. Reverend Craft is an uncle of the bridegroom.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Epley of Stanton, and Mr. and Mrs. Coy McMahan of Levelland, are the parents of the bridegroom.

For the double-ring ceremony the altar was decorated with branched candelabra and palm trees flanked by baskets of pink gladioli. The couple knelt on a gold antique prie Dieu. The mother's pews were marked with white satin bows.

Mrs. James Jones served as organist, and accompanied Miss Kay Bryan as she sang "Whither Thou Goest," "One Hand One Heart," and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a full length gown of white Brussels lace over delustered satin. The bodice had a sweetheart neckline and long tapered sleeves ending in points at the wrist. The scalloped lace over the skirt fell away from the front at the waist, exposing a flat panel of the satin. The semi-bustle fell from a point at the waist. The only jewelry worn was a hand tooled gold bracelet, which belonged to the bride's grandmother, and a single strand of pearls, a gift from the groom. The shoulder length veil fell from a tiara of lace outlined with seed pearls. Her crescent-shaped bouquet was of white Frenched carnations and stephanotis, and a white cattaieya orchid.

Mrs. Bill H. Lane of Amarillo, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Miss Margaret Jo Cook of Garden City, was bridesmaid, and Mrs. John McIntyre of Stanton, was bridesmatron.

The bridal attendants were identically attired in formal dresses of candied pink slipper satin styled with scooped-neck, sleeveless bodices, banded empire waists with flat front bows, and rolled trains that fell from the bands. Their head pieces were double bows of matching satin with bubble veils of illusion. The female attendants carried pink net snowballs with arch of pom pom mums and carnations, with hot pink ribbon streamers.

Best man was Gaylord Latham of Panhandle. Grooms-men were: Glenn Joe Riley of Kennedale, and Jimmy Epley, brother of the bride.

Ushers were Bill H. Lane, of Amarillo; Robert Viaille, Levelland, and Charles Key of Dallas.

Lesla Bess Angel was flower girl, and Jerry Don McIntyre was ring bearer. Candles were lighted by Nancy Robnett and Sherry Vest.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, at 411 W. Second Street. The bride's table was adorned with a pink appliqued net cloth over white satin. Silver candelabra flanked an arrangement of pink gladioli and carnations. The bride's cake, a three-tiered affair, was decorated with white and pink roses and was topped with an ornament of wedding bells. Silver and crystal appointments were used.

The groom's table was covered with a brown linen cloth, covered with ecru lace. A fudge cake and coffee were served from silver and crystal appointments.

Mrs. Tommy Newman presided at the register. Others in the house party were: Mrs. P. M. Bristow, Mrs. R. C. Vest, Mrs. D. O. Ory, Mrs. Butch Cain, Misses Sherry Vest, Susan Vest, Kay Bryan, Nancy Robnett, Gaye McIntyre, Anita McIntyre, Mrs. Dan Saunders, and Kathleen Jennings, of Muleshoe.

After a trip to the east coast, the couple will be at home at 210 Park Terrace, Vienna, Virginia. For traveling, the bride wore a suit of champagne silk, turquoise and beige accessories, and the orchid from her bridal bouquet, completed her attire.

The bride is a graduate of Stanton High School and Howard County Junior College attended Texas Technological College, and will be a senior student at George Mason College in Fairfax, Virginia.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Levelland High School, South Plains College, and Texas Technological College, where he received bachelor and master of science degrees in electrical engineering. While attending Tech, he was a member of Eta Kappa Nu.

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if he's slim, regular or bushy



Farah's proportioned tailoring gives a comfortable fit to all boys. Gold Strikes are sturdily constructed of Farah's own rugged, nylon-reinforced denim, vat dyed and Sanforized®, exclusive VULCA-NEE for longest wear.

Now available in colors — Blue, Char-Black, Olive
Sizes: 2 to 12 Regulars & Slims \$2.98
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DEAVENPORT'S

Beta Sigma Phi Activities

Members of Rho Xi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi enjoyed a watermelon feast July 28, at the city park. The party was held for the husbands and children.

There was one guest couple present, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blackell and daughter, Toni. Other members present were Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Sorrels, Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Harrison and Phillip, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Angel, Lisa and Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Cain, Mrs. Rufus Tom and Reagan, and Mrs. Corky Blocker and Koy.

A surprise "come as you are" breakfast was held by Rho Xi chapter in the home of Mona Elmore, August 21, at 6:00 a.m.

Breakfast consisting of coffee cake, hot cider and coffee were served to the following guests: Mrs. Bill Terry, Mrs. Billy Reager, and Mrs. Tom Blackwell. These members were present Mrs. Fiji Brandt, Mrs. Tom Angel, Mrs. Nolan Sorrels, Mrs. Rufus Tom, Mrs. Johnny Jones, Mrs. Butch Cain, Mrs. Rayford Harrison, Mrs. Jimmy Conner, Mrs. Stanley Bergstrom, Mrs. Bryan Boyd, and Mrs. Chuck Elmore.

Stolen Cars Recovered

Although more than 90 per cent of all automobile stolen in the United States are recovered, about 30 per cent of the recovered cars have been damaged or stripped of parts — many to the extent that they represent total losses.

Deaths In Home Accidents

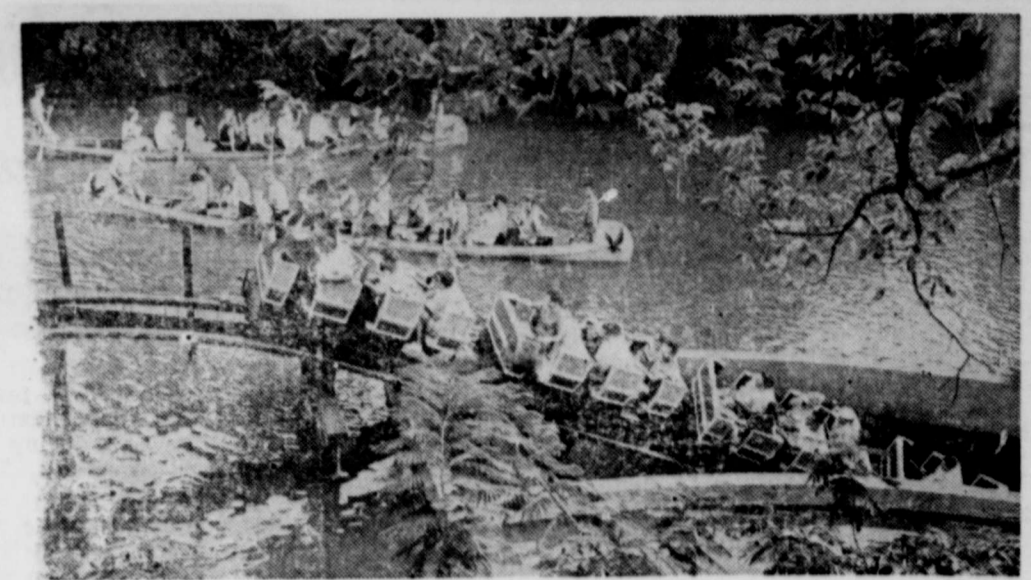
Deaths in home accidents in the United States dropped 2 per cent, from 29,000 in 1963 to 28,500 in 1964. More than two out of five such fatalities resulted from falls.

Tau Beta Pi, and I. E. E. E., honorary engineering fraternities. He is employed by the Defense Department, Washington, D. C.

The bride's mother wore a dress of cerise crepe, with matching accessories, and she wore a corsage of a feathered cattaieya orchid. The mother of the groom wore a powder blue outfit with matching accessories and feathered cattaieya orchid.

Out of town guests attended from Amarillo, Lubbock, Shamrock, Olton, Levelland, Dallas, Kennedale, Garden City, Spur, Big Spring, Muleshoe, Booker, Phoenix, Arizona, and Greeley, Colorado.

The parents of the groom hosted a rehearsal dinner at the Holiday Inn in Big Spring on Monday evening. The attendants were presented with gifts by the nuptial pair.



merging from an underwater tunnel at a speed of 38 feet per second, past startled passengers aboard the Caddo War Canoes, is Six Flags Over Texas' newest ride, the Run-A-Way Mine Train. Built at a cost of \$1,000,000, the exciting ride, which just opened, is situated in the Boom Town Section of the famed historical-theme park located midway between Dallas and Fort Worth.

NEW \$1,000,000 RIDE PREMIERES AT SIX FLAGS

Arlington, Texas: The most ambitious and expensive attraction ever built at Six Flags Over Texas, the Run-A-Way Mine Train, was unveiled at the famed historical theme park located midway between Dallas and Fort Worth.

Situated in the Boom Town Section of the 115-acre park, the ride, costing \$1,000,000, opened after more than a year of research, development and construction.

Covering about an acre of wooded grounds along the banks of Johnson Creek, which flows through Six Flags, "The Run-A-Way Mine Train" tracks extend in a twisting pattern for 2,484 ft. A capsule version of the trip begins when passengers are taken for an excursion through the "Great Southwest Mining Company's" property in ore cars. The cars are propelled through a series of lifts up to 35 feet

high by pulleys and gravity. The train, gathering speed, reacts as if it is out of control, reaching a maximum speed of 38 feet per second.

The train races across a bridge through open cuts, crossing over and under the tracks where the two narrow-gauge steam engines regularly travel. It passes through a hotel lobby, dives down a shaft into a 150-foot-long curving tunnel built underneath the water and emerges in the middle of the "Caddo River" domain of the Indian War Canoes. From there, the cars glide gently back to the depot.

Some interesting facts and figures are that a force of slightly under 2 G's is exerted as the train races through the curving 150-foot-long tunnel under the water; each train consists of five ore cars capable of carrying six passengers each or 30 passengers per train. Construction of

the ride involved 2,000 yards of poured concrete, 165,000 feet of reinforced steel, 35,000 feet of electrical wire and conduit, 350 telephone poles for supports and piling, 110,000 square feet of redwood, cedar and pine lumber. Some 443 electrical connections are contained in the console to operate the ride. The loading depot contains 30 tons of air conditioning for the comfort of passengers waiting to board the train. About 150 kw's (150,000 watts) of electrical power per hour are consumed by the ride (equivalent to the amount of power used in one hour by 30 three-bedroom homes).

Six Flags' operating schedule for the remainder of the 1966 season is that the Park will be open seven days a week through September 5; thereafter, until closing on November 27, the Park will be open on Saturdays and Sundays only.

Methodist Church News

The members of Circle I and II of the Women's Society of Christian Service, met recently in the home of Mrs. Grace Jones in a "Kidnap—Come As You Are" party.

A social hour was enjoyed, and some business was transacted. Twenty-nine ladies attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell McMeans have had in their home the past two weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herd and daughter, Linda, from Midland, Mrs. Margaret McGonagill, and Miss Rosa Lee Holder of Imperial, Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and family of Imperial, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McMeans of San Angelo, and Mr. McMeans aunt, Mrs. Ruth Laird, of Houston, and Corpus Christi. House guest of Debra McMeans, has been Miss Brenda

Barron of Imperial. Mrs. McMeans and children and guests spent several days at their home at Buchanan Dam, while Mr. McMeans made a college tour looking for prospective teachers. Owen Kelly, president, J. M. Payne and Cecil Gilmore, directors, attended a meeting for Farm Bureau leaders for District VI, held in Big Spring.



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URBAN RENEWAL AGENCY) CONDEMNATION
OF THE CITY OF STANTON) PROCEEDINGS BEFORE
VS.) SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS
) APPOINTED BY JUDGE OF
JACOB KNUDSON) MARTIN COUNTY, TEXAS
) COUNTY COURT

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Jacob Knudson, is Living, and if Deceased, his Heirs and Unknown Heirs

YOU are hereby commanded to appear at the hearing before the Special Commissioners appointed by the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, to assess the damages occasioned by the condemnation of the hereinafter described property, and to appear and answer in said Proceedings at the office of the County Judge in the Martin County Courthouse in the City of Stanton, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance hereof, that is to say, 10:00 o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 12th day of September, 1966, and answer the petition of the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton, Plaintiff, in the suit styled "Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton vs. Jacob Knudson," wherein the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton, is Plaintiff, and Jacob Knudson, whose place of residence is unknown, is Defendant, which Petition was filed with the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, on the 27th day of July, 1966; and the nature of which suit is as follows:

The suit is a Proceeding in Eminent Domain in which the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton is condemning, at the request of its Board of Commissioners, for rehabilitation purposes, which are public purposes, the following described tract of land situated in Martin County, Texas to-wit:

Lot 1 in Block 51, original town of Stanton, Texas, according to a map or plat thereof on record originally recorded in Vol. 1, page 258, Deed Records of Martin County, Texas.

You are notified that said hearing has been set for the 16th day of September, 1966, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at the County Courtroom in the Martin County Courthouse in Stanton, Texas, and to appear at same and present such evidence as you may wish. You are further notified to appear and answer said petition on or before September 12th, 1966, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. If you desire to appear and answer before said date of September 12th, 1966, do so at the office of the County Judge of Martin County, Texas, located at the Courthouse in Stanton, Texas.

The interest of said Jacob Knudson, whose place of residence is unknown, and his heirs and legal representatives, if any, is that he either owns or claims an interest in said property, subject to unpaid accrued taxes and other liens.

If this Citation is not served within ninety (90) days after its issuance it shall be returned forthwith.

M. L. GIBSON
KATHLEEN LEWIS
R. W. HAISLIP
Special Commissioners

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

NO. 520

THE STATE OF TEXAS
URBAN RENEWAL AGENCY) CONDEMNATION
OF THE CITY OF STANTON) PROCEEDINGS BEFORE
VS.) SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS
) APPOINTED BY JUDGE OF
J. H. RUSSELL AND/OR) MARTIN COUNTY TEXAS
B. F. MARTIN) COUNTY COURT

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS at Stanton, Martin County,

TO: J. H. Russell and/or B. F. Martin, if Living, and if Deceased, their Heirs and Unknown Heirs

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The suit is a Proceeding in Eminent Domain in which the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton is condemning, at the request of its Board of Commissioners, for the rehabilitation purposes, which are public purposes, the following described tract of land situated in Martin County, Texas, to-wit:

Lot 6 in Block 51, original townsite of Stanton, according to a map or plat thereof originally recorded in Vol. 1, Page 258, Deed Records of Martin County, Texas.

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Outdoors In Texas

Stock tanks and farm ponds are becoming more and more prominent on the Texas fishing scene. Nowadays you seldom find a pond, even if it's constructed for livestock watering purposes, that is not stocked with some sort of fish.

State and federal fish hatcheries provide fish to private landowners at no charge. All a person must do is apply for them.

When a pond goes sour and fishing gets poor, the landowner invariably wants a hatchery to add more fish. This is a fallacy. By putting tiny fingerlings in a pond where adult fish already are present, all that would be accomplished is feeding the big fish at considerable expense. Under normal conditions, less than one per cent of the fish spawned actually grow into catchable size.

Still, a pond does need restocking occasionally. This happens when undesirable fish such as bullhead catfish, shad, carp, suckers or small sunfish cause the fish population to become unbalanced.

Best approach then, says Wallace C. Klusmann, a wildlife conservation specialist at Texas A&M University, is to completely remove all the fish in the pond and start all over again.

This "cleaning out" of a pond can be accomplished by chemicals. Two of the most popular toxicants for eradicating fish are rotenone and toxaphene.

Rotenone is the easy and practical way to remove most fish from private ponds, Klusmann says, but seldom does it give a 100 per cent kill of bullhead catfish.

Usual recommendation for rotenone is five pounds of five per cent powder per acre-foot of water (an acre-foot is one surface acre of water one foot deep). Three pounds per acre-foot usually is sufficient in warm water (65 degrees or above), if thorough and even distribution can be made.

Klusmann says best results are obtained when the water is at its lowest yearly level during the summer months.

Klusmann recommends that rotenone powder be mixed with water until the mixture is about the density of milk.

Fouring the mixture behind an outboard motor gives good distribution.

In areas inaccessible by boat, the mixture can be sprayed on the water from the bank. Small areas also can be treated by "mud-balling"; that is, mixing the powder with enough water to form a paste and then tossing balls of mixture into the water.

Powdered rotenone can be purchased at most livestock supply stores since it is sold primarily as a grub control for cattle.

Fish killed with rotenone are edible if cleaned when fresh, Klusmann points out. Rotenone is not a poison in the true sense since it kills fish by suffocation.

Rotenone loses its toxicity in seven to 14 days and then the pond is ready to be restocked.

People, cattle, sheep, dogs, cats, frogs and most other vertebrate animals are not affected when swimming in or drinking water treated with rotenone. However, continued inhalation can cause irritation of the membranes of the nose and throat.

Klusmann warns that it is unlawful to use rotenone in any public body of water. It is to be used only in private ponds for management purposes.

Rotenone can be used in ponds for complete kills when the fish are not to be used for human consumption. Usually a more complete kill can be obtained with toxaphene than with rotenone. A 100 per cent kill of bullhead catfish is possible.

Recommended dosage is four ounces of 60 per cent toxaphene per acre-foot of water. This should be mixed with enough water to permit spraying or distribution by pouring behind an outboard.

Treated water is not toxic to livestock if recommended dosages are used. But care must be taken to avoid spilling the concentrated or diluted form on skin or clothing.

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NO. 521

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OF THE CITY OF STANTON) PROCEEDINGS BEFORE
VS.) SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS
) APPOINTED BY JUDGE OF
J. C. McLEAIRD) MARTIN COUNTY, TEXAS
) COUNTY COURT

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: J. C. McLeaird, if Living, and if Deceased, his Heirs and Unknown Heirs

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Ted Williams says...

SALUTE TO THE "LITTLE BIRDS" FROM BALTIMORE!

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FRANK ROBBI
CURT BEEBAY
BOOD POWELL
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7-26-66

Car-Animal Collisions

If a car is in a collision with an animal, such as a deer or horse, any financial loss is covered by comprehensive physical damage insurance, not by collision insurance.

Trade at home and save!

Mr. and Mrs. Tad Shockley and family from San Diego, Calif. and Mr. and Mrs. W. K. McKinder of Kansas, City, Missouri, have been here visiting with Mrs. Lottie Avery, and other relatives.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

NO. 526

URBAN RENEWAL AGENCY) CONDEMNATION
OF THE CITY OF STANTON) PROCEEDINGS BEFORE
VS.) SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS
) APPOINTED BY JUDGE OF
MRS. E. G. PORTER) MARTIN COUNTY, TEXAS
) COUNTY COURT

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: MRS. E. G. PORTER, is Living, and if Deceased, her Heirs and Unknown Heirs

YOU are hereby commanded to appear at the hearing before the Special Commissioners appointed by the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, to assess the damages occasioned by the condemnation of the hereinafter described property, and to appear and answer in said Proceedings at the office of the County Judge in the Martin County Courthouse in the City of Stanton, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance hereof, that is to say, 10:00 o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 26th day of September, 1966, and answer the petition of the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton, Plaintiff, in the suit styled "Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton vs. Mrs. E. G. Porter," wherein the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton is Plaintiff, and Mrs. E. G. Porter, whose place of residence is unknown, is Defendant, which Petition was filed with the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, on the 10th day of August, 1966; and the nature of which suit is as follows:

The suit is a Proceeding in Eminent Domain in which the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton is condemning, at the request of its Board of Commissioners, for rehabilitation purposes, which are public purposes, the following described tract of land situated in Martin County, Texas, to-wit:

Lots 7, 8 and 9, Block 61, Original Town of Stanton, Texas (formerly Marienfeld), according to a map or plat thereof originally recorded in Vol. 1, pages 258-259, Deed Records of Martin County, Texas.

You are notified that said hearing has been set for the 30th day of September, 1966, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at the County Courtroom in the Martin County Courthouse in Stanton, Texas, and to appear at same and present such evidence as you may wish. You are further notified to appear and answer said petition on or before September 26, 1966, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. If you desire to appear and answer before said date of September 26, 1966, do so at office of the County Judge of Martin County, Texas, located at the Courthouse in Stanton, Texas.

The interest of said Mrs. E. G. Porter, whose place of residence is unknown, and her heirs and legal representatives, if any, is that she either owns or claims an interest in said property, subject to unpaid accrued taxes and other liens.

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GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS at Stanton, Martin County, Texas, this 10th day of August, 1966.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

I'm making up my fall schedule for piano and voice lessons.

Call SK 6-3463 or come to 602 N. St. Peter if you wish your child to take music this fall.

Mrs. Ernest Hock

Antelopes Drop

The Trans-Pecos adult antelope population has dropped by 4 per cent from last year, the State Parks and Wildlife Department reports.

The department said, however, wildlife biologists say many adults may be scattered and camouflaged so that they could be missed by aerial surveys.

The 1966 adult population was placed at 4,423, compared with last year's 4,694.

The so-called "Fertile Circle" was a half-circle of land stretching from the Mediterranean on the west to the Gulf of Persia on the east.

Alaska, largest state in the United States, has the smallest population of Juneau is 7,200.

Philosopher Wants To Know Where The Bankers Are Who Have Trouble Saying No

(Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw seems a little excited this week, his letter reveals.)

Dear editor: I don't know any more about economics than the average economics professor faced with an overdraft at the bank, but a headline in a newspaper I found out here on this Martin County grass farm yesterday has left me further in the dark than ever. It read: "President Urges Bankers To Say No."

I stopped in my tracks and Patronized your local merchants and save!

sat down and read the entire article, and sure enough the President, having been told by his advisors that a danger signal was showing up in the increased demands for bank loans, which in turn was driving the interest rate higher and higher, was advising bankers to discourage borrowing.

This is the first time I ever heard of any bankers having trouble saying no and all I've got to say is, Where are they? How do you get in touch with them?

I've heard Washington accused of not putting out all news and here's an example. I want those bankers named, with their address and phone number.

Actually, the whole thing has me confused. As I understand it, the country is more prosperous than it's ever been before, there are more people employed, the gross national product is soaring to new heights, the average income is the highest in history, and never before have so many people wanted to borrow so much money.

I intend to devote my time to figuring out the answer to all this, and believe maybe I could if the bill collectors would stop hounding me.

Meanwhile, if you find out where those bankers are who're having trouble saying no, let me know at once.

Yours faithfully, J. A.



Texas Wells Continue On 33 Per Cent Basis

Prorated oil wells in Texas will continue on 33 per cent of maximum permissible rate through September, the Railroad Commission announced this week.

This percentage brought an allowable of 3,073,044 barrels daily on Aug. 15 and an expected daily average production from Texas wells of 2,719,644 barrels daily this month. Continuation of these figures was ordered for September.

Chairman Ben Ramsey noted that while above-ground supplies of Texas crude have been reduced during the past month, they remain above year-ago levels.

Purchasers told the commission their inventories including products on Aug. 1 totaled 523,834,300 barrels, 14,954,800 above what they deemed desirable. Crude stocks totaling 187,348,600 barrels were 11,645,300 higher than the companies wanted.

Pan American Petroleum Corp. increased its nominations by 12,000 barrels daily for September, compared to August for a 300,000 daily total, and Texaco Inc. raised by 5,000 barrels to 160,000 daily.

Humble's nominations were trimmed 4,000 from August to 390,200 barrels daily. None of these companies recommended percentage schedules for September.

Nominations by companies recommending percentages were: 33 per cent — Sun 116,893 barrels daily, Mobile 256,600, Pure 48,775, Standard of Texas 41,600, and Sinclair 104,800.

32.5 — Gulf 214,800 and Cities Service 72,000. 32 — Atlantic 78,400 and Shell 175,000.

31 — Continental 36,000 and Phillips 119,788.

Several company spokesmen emphasized that the percentages suggested meant only what is needed from their connections, rather than being intended as a recommendation for every producer.

Inventories held by purchasers of Texas oil were higher than they wanted on Aug. 1, the commission reported.

Included were: Crude oil 187,348,600 barrels on hand, 11,745,300 above desirable.

Gasoline 150,441,900, low by 7,251,500. Kerosene 26,909,900, high by 1,497,100. Distillate 121,574,300, low by

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NO. 522

URBAN RENEWAL AGENCY) CONDEMNATION OF THE CITY OF STANTON) PROCEEDINGS BEFORE) SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS VS.) APPOINTED BY JUDGE OF) MARTIN COUNTY, TEXAS) COUNTY COURT

MRS. J. E. THOMPSON) THE STATE OF TEXAS) TO: Mrs. J. E. Thompson, if Living, and if Deceased, her Heirs and Unknown Heirs

YOU are hereby commanded to appear at the hearing before the Special Commissioners appointed by the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, to assess the damages occasioned by the condemnation of the hereinafter described property, and to appear and answer in said Proceedings at the office of the County Judge in the Martin County Courthouse in the City of Stanton, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance hereof, that is to say, 10:00 o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 12th day of September, 1966, and answer the petition of the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton, Plaintiff, in the suit styled "Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton vs. Mrs. J. E. Thompson," wherein the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton is Plaintiff, and Mrs. J. E. Thompson, whose place of residence is unknown, is Defendant, which Petition was filed with the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, on the 27th day of July, 1966; and the nature of which suit is as follows:

The suit is a Proceeding in Eminent Domain in which the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton is condemning, at the request of its Board of Commissioners, for rehabilitation purposes, which are public purposes, the following described tract of land situated in Martin County, Texas, to-wit: Lot 8 in Block 51, original town of Stanton, Texas, according to a map or plat thereof originally recorded in Vol. 1, page 258, Deed Records of Martin County, Texas.

You are notified that said hearing has been set for the 16th day of September, 1966, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at the County Courtroom in the Martin County Courthouse in Stanton, Texas, and to appear at same and present such evidence as you may wish. You are further notified to appear and answer said petition on or before September 12th, 1966, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. If your desire to appear and answer before said date of September 12th, 1966, do so at the office of the County Judge of Martin County, Texas, located at the Courthouse in Stanton, Texas.

The interest of said Mrs. J. E. Thompson, whose place of residence is unknown, and her heirs and legal representatives, if any, is that she either owns or claims an interest in said property, subject to unpaid accrued taxes and other liens.

If this Citation is not served within ninety (90) days after its issuance it shall be returned forthwith.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS at Stanton, Martin County, Texas, this 27th day of July, 1966.

M. L. GIBSON KATHLEEN LEWIS R. W. HAISLIP Special Commissioners

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PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN ON THE BALLOT

PHILOSOPHER'S CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966. HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1 proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas to establish the date on which newly elected Members of the Legislature shall qualify and take office.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article III, Section 3, of the Constitution of Texas, be and the same is hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Section 3. The Senators shall be chosen by the qualified electors for the term of four years, but a new Senate shall be chosen after every appointment, and the Senators elected after each appointment shall be divided by lot into two classes. The seats of the Senators of the first class shall be vacated at the expiration of the first two years, and those of the second class at the expiration of four years, so that one half of the Senators shall be chosen annually thereafter. Senators shall take office following their election on the day set by law for the convening of the Regular Session of the Legislature, and shall serve thereafter for the full term of years to which elected and until their successors have been elected and qualified."

Sec. 2. That Article III, Section 3, of the Constitution of Texas, be and the same is hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Section 4. The Members of the House of Representatives shall be chosen by the qualified electors for the term of two years. Representatives shall take office following their election on the day set by law for the convening of the Regular Session of the Legislature, and shall serve thereafter for the full term of years to which elected and until their successors have been elected and qualified."

Sec. 3. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1966, at which election all ballots previously printed thereon shall be printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment establishing the date on which newly elected Members of the Legislature shall qualify and take office."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment establishing the date on which newly elected Members of the Legislature shall qualify and take office."

If it appears from the returns of such election that a majority of the voters cast therein are for such Amendment, same shall become a part of the Constitution of Texas.

Sec. 4. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for such election and the Amendment published and the election shall be held as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Terry County Pioneers To Meet August 27

The sixth annual reunion of the Terry County Pioneers Association is scheduled to be held in Brownfield, Texas, on Saturday, August 27, 1966. The affair will be held at the American Legion Hall, located at 800 Seagraves Road, and registration will begin at 8:00 a.m.

Present members of the association, who now number about 500 as well as former residents and their children who have lived in Terry County for 40 years or more, are invited to attend and bring a picnic lunch. All persons who qualify for membership are especially urged to attend and register, as this organization affords an excellent opportunity to renew acquaintances, meet new friends, and reminisce about the "Pioneer Days in Terry County."

First European country to grant women the right to vote was Finland, in 1906.

Antarctica's glaciers often move at the unusually swift rate of 600 yards a year.

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THIRTEEN ON THE BALLOT

PHILOSOPHER'S CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966. HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 69 proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide for the consolidation of governmental functions within any county having one million, two hundred thousand (1,200,000) or more inhabitants by the consolidation of governmental functions within any county having one million, two hundred thousand (1,200,000) or more inhabitants.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new Section in Article III, to be known as Section 63, reading as follows:

"Section 63. (1) The Legislature may by statute provide for the consolidation of governmental functions of government of one or more political subdivisions comprising or located within any county in this State having one million, two hundred thousand (1,200,000) or more inhabitants. Any such statute shall require an election to be held within the political subdivisions affected thereby with approval by a majority of the voters in each of these political subdivisions, under such terms and conditions as the Legislature may require."

(2) The county government shall be published in the manner and for the length of time as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution authorizing the consolidation of governmental functions of government of one or more political subdivisions comprising or located within any county in this State having one million, two hundred thousand (1,200,000) or more inhabitants, the Legislature may by statute provide for the consolidation of governmental functions of government of one or more political subdivisions comprising or located within any county in this State having one million, two hundred thousand (1,200,000) or more inhabitants."

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution authorizing the consolidation of governmental functions of government of one or more political subdivisions comprising or located within any county in this State having one million, two hundred thousand (1,200,000) or more inhabitants, the Legislature may by statute provide for the consolidation of governmental functions of government of one or more political subdivisions comprising or located within any county in this State having one million, two hundred thousand (1,200,000) or more inhabitants."

If it appears from the returns of such election that a majority of the voters cast therein are for such Amendment, same shall become a part of the Constitution of Texas.

Sec. 4. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for such election and the Amendment published and the election shall be held as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Sec. 5. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for such election and the Amendment published and the election shall be held as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

100 Million Guns Owned By Americans

There are enough guns in the United States to arm half the population, a spokesman for the gun industry estimates.

Nobody knows how many guns there are in America—1,493,000.

Residual 37,559,600, high by 10,456,900. Totals 523,834,300, high by 14,954,800.

San Francisco Fire

The fire which followed the 1906 earthquake in San Francisco destroyed 28,000 buildings and did an estimated \$350 million in damage.

First Auto Policy The first liability policy to be written in America on an automobile was issued in 1890 to Gilbert J. Loomis of Westfield, N. J.

absolutely nobody. But if you try to come up with a figure it'd probably be more than 100 million," said Charles Dickey, director of the National Shooting Sports Foundation, Inc.

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PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN ON THE BALLOT

PHILOSOPHER'S CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966. HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 65 proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide for the consolidation of governmental functions within any county having one million, two hundred thousand (1,200,000) or more inhabitants.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new Section in Article VII of the Constitution of Texas to be known as Section 3-b, reading as follows:

"Section 3-b. No tax for the maintenance of public free schools voted in any independent school district and no tax for the maintenance of a junior college voted by a junior college district, nor any bonds voted in any such district, but unissued, shall be abrogated, cancelled, or invalidated by change of boundaries, and to assess, levy and collect ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in the district as changed, for the payment of principal of and interest on such bonds in the manner permitted by the laws under which such bonds were voted."

"Section 3-b. No tax for the maintenance of public free schools voted in any independent school district and no tax for the maintenance of a junior college voted by a junior college district, nor any bonds voted in any such district, but unissued, shall be abrogated, cancelled, or invalidated by change of boundaries, and to assess, levy and collect ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in the district as changed, for the payment of principal of and interest on such bonds in the manner permitted by the laws under which such bonds were voted."

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PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN ON THE BALLOT

PHILOSOPHER'S CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966. SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 33 proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, to authorize state participation in programs and projects to be conducted by private or federal sources and conducted by local level or other private, nonsectarian associations, groups, and nonprofit organizations for establishing and equipping facilities for assisting the blind, crippled, or otherwise physically or mentally handicapped, in becoming gainfully employed, in rehabilitating and restoring the handicapped, and in providing other services determined to be essential for the better care or treatment of the handicapped.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 6, Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 6. (a) No appropriation for private or individual purposes shall be made, unless authorized by this Constitution. A regular statement, under oath, and an account of the receipts and expenditures of all public moneys shall be published annually, in such manner as shall be prescribed by law."

"(b) State agencies charged with the responsibility of providing services to those who are blind, crippled, or otherwise physically or mentally handicapped, shall be authorized to accept money from private or federal sources, designated by the private or federal source as money to be used in establishing and equipping facilities for assisting those who are blind, crippled, or otherwise physically or mentally handicapped, in becoming gainfully employed, in rehabilitating and restoring the handicapped, and in providing other services determined to be essential for the better care or treatment of the handicapped."

"The money accepted under this subsection either in the state treasury or in other secure depositories. The money may not be expended for any purpose other than that for which it was given. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Constitution, the state agencies may expend money accepted under this subsection without the necessary appropriation, unless the Legislature, by law, requires that the money be expended only on appropriation."

"(b) State agencies charged with the responsibility of providing services to those who are blind, crippled, or otherwise physically or mentally handicapped, shall be authorized to accept money from private or federal sources, designated by the private or federal source as money to be used in establishing and equipping facilities for assisting those who are blind, crippled, or otherwise physically or mentally handicapped, in becoming gainfully employed, in rehabilitating and restoring the handicapped, and in providing other services determined to be essential for the better care or treatment of the handicapped."

"The money accepted under this subsection either in the state treasury or in other secure depositories. The money may not be expended for any purpose other than that for which it was given. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Constitution, the state agencies may expend money accepted under this subsection without the necessary appropriation, unless the Legislature, by law, requires that the money be expended only on appropriation."

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"The money accepted under this subsection either in the state treasury or in other secure depositories. The money may not be expended for any purpose other than that for which it was given. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Constitution, the state agencies may expend money accepted under this subsection without the necessary appropriation, unless the Legislature, by law, requires that the money be expended only on appropriation."

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subsequently sold and delivered, and any voted, but unissued, bonds of other school districts involved in such annexation or consolidation shall not thereafter be issued."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1966, at which election all ballots previously printed thereon shall be printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Amendment to Section 3-b of Article VII of the Constitution of Texas providing that taxes or bonds previously voted in any independent school district or in any junior college district shall not be abrogated, cancelled, or invalidated by any change in boundaries and authorizing the continuation of the levy of taxes after such change without further election."

"AGAINST the amendment to Section 3-b of Article VII of the Constitution of Texas providing that taxes or bonds previously voted in any independent school district or in any junior college district shall not be abrogated, cancelled, or invalidated by any change in boundaries and authorizing the continuation of the levy of taxes after such change without further election."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast were in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution and be effective on and after the date of its adoption.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for such election and the Amendment published and the election shall be held as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

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PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT

PHILOSOPHER'S CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966. SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 33 proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, to authorize state participation in programs and projects to be conducted by private or federal sources and conducted by local level or other private, nonsectarian associations, groups, and nonprofit organizations for establishing and equipping facilities for assisting the blind, crippled, or otherwise physically or mentally handicapped, in becoming gainfully employed, in rehabilitating and restoring the handicapped, and in providing other services determined to be essential for the better care or treatment of the handicapped.

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"The money accepted under this subsection either in the state treasury or in other secure depositories. The money may not be expended for any purpose other than that for which it was given. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Constitution, the state agencies may expend money accepted under this subsection without the necessary appropriation, unless the Legislature, by law, requires that the money be expended only on appropriation."

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