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THURSDAY, MAY 15, 1969

If there is an X in this box it is notice your subscription has expired and an mvitation to renew.

JEST SOME THOUGHTS

We, and theb petter half staggered into Walt's Cafe Monday morning to inhale a couple of cups of java. After one look at us, Vera ton; Invocation, Victor Gerald, Le eTudor remarked, "Woll, looks pastor, Church of Christ; Solo, like it's going to be Monday all Mrs Sandra McNabb; Message, J. day."

Man, was she right. Monday even lasted over into Tuesday this week.

We've found that even with Daylight Savings Time there aren't enough hours in a day.

Seems like we continually fight deadlines, but if we didn't have them, we probably would never accomplish anything.

Remember - never, but nevergripe about what blessed moisture we receive in this area. Just because you've planted and been to get into to plant, is no reason to Thursday, May 22nd. complain.

gtt that cotton planted pretty soon, the slogan this year will be "Wear Mrs. Roy Carpenter. More Mud" instead of "Wear more Cotton."

Even the frogs quit croaking. Because they've all drownded.

We looked at our dog the other night and said "Here, puddle." He waded over.

Now our grandson is something else. When it thunders, his eyes get big, he shapes his mouth into WHITE CHEVROLET. HEATER, says, "Whatzat?" If the storms don't go away, that is liable to be the extent of his education.

These storms always hit on Tuesday night, and the electrical display is so great, we can't operate our machinery.

You may have to read the paper in hand-writing this week.

We see it on the wall.

But the rains are so numerous it has about washed that handwriting off the wall.

the Plainsman window and let SPC Aggie Club. the people paddle their canoes by and read it.

Like another little topic pasted up in our window this week. Our Mother got a little miffed at us cause we didn't get her for sale ad | in the paper last week. So, when DATE we came to work late Thursday afternoon, we found taped to our window -

For Sale - 1969 red and white Chevrolet. Radio, heater, Air Con- May 27 ditioner. Good running condition. Call 562-3852 or 562-3661.

Couldn't decide if she was trying to put us out of business, go into competition with us, or tell us June 13 something.

Anyway, her method got results, 'cause there's her ad.

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CHEERLEADERS SELECTED

July 1 This past Monday afternoon try-July 4 outs were held for cheerleaders July 8 for Junior High next year. Judges were cheerleaders from South July 11 Plains College in Levelland. Those selected were Debbi Arant, Sheree Morgan, Dana Cole, Kayla Odom, July 18 Kellie Lewis, Head Cheerleader, and Lisa Reeves, alternate. ____000_

Baccalaureate Services More Rain Empty Real Band To Be Sunday Night

The Baccalaureate Service for Reporter, Charlsa Shannon the Ropes seniors will be held at 8:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium Sunday, May 18, 1969. Following is the program:

Meditation Music, Mrs. Nell Dalton; Processional, Mrs. eell Dal-T. Bolding; Announcements, O. V. Fuller; Benediction, David Powers, pastor, Church of the Nazarene; Recessional, Mrs. Nell Dalton; Ushers, Cookie Jordan, Martha Smith, Lynn Searsy and Ricky Braden.

Seniors of 1969 are: Joe Schwartz, President Vice-President, Eddie Thetford Secretary, Erline Kinnison

Russell Arp Charles Blair David Bradshaw Harlan Cain Sylvia Cardona

Charles Darby Lee Guerra Kyle Lewis Ted Lowrie Mary McNabb Lynette Price

Marcia Ream Georgana Snider Carolyn White Daryl Young

Honor students are Charlsa Shannon, valedictorian, and Carolyn White, salutatorian.

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Junior High School Commencement 22nd

Ropes Junior High eighth grade tine Snyder, daughter of Mr. and washed out, or your field is too wet class will be held at 8:00 p.m. Mrs. Curtis Snider. From grade Three boys were promoted re-

grade 7A Jerry Drake, son of Mr. next week's paper.

Commencement exercises for the and Mrs. J. T. Drake and Chris- BOY SCOUT TROOP 563 7B, Earl Halford, son of Mr. and cently in Troop 563. Jimmy Kim-Valedictorian for the class is Roy Mrs. C. E. Halford, and Irene berlin was advanced from Second Don Dodson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Class Scout to First Class Scout We tell you, if the farmers don't George Dodson. Salutatorian is B. J. Thomas. Pianist will be and Charles and Cha David Carpenter, son of Mr. and Debbi Arant, daughter of Mr. and vanced from Tenderfoot to Second Mrs. Richard Arant.

Ushers will be the honor stud- A list of graduating students, ents of the seventh grades. From and the program, will appear in

RETURNS TO HOME

Buren Fewell was returned to Ray's Hospitality Home Monday after spending five days in West Texas Hospital for observation and tests for possible surgery, at a later date.

000 FOR SALE - 1959 RED AND OR CALL 562-3852 or 562-3661.

____000____ the Texas Junior College Agricul- sic. ture Association "Outstanding Stustate TJCAA convention in Weath- chaperones will be admitted. erford May 2 and 3.

mitt won the State Sweetheart a- no one will be permitted to enter ward and the South Plains College or leave between 1 a.m. and 5 a.m. Aggie Club won the coveted "Out- without permission from the cha- dents and their sponsor, Noyce standing Chapter" award.

slin of Jayton, state reporter; and rooms, no later than May 10, 1969. Thought for awhile we might Ronnie Price of Ropesville was For more information, persons are High School one-act play who are just have to tape the news up on elected a voting delegate for the requested to call Red Carpet Ser- in Austin attending the state one-

May 20

May 23

May 30

June 3

June 10

June 17

June 20

June 24

June 27

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ASTROWORLD'S GRAD PARTY

Wednesday, May 28, 1969, promis es to be a very memorable night for hundreds of Houston area graduating seniors. It will be the ture. night of Astroworld's Grad Nite party, from 11 p.m. to 5 the next morning.

ASTROWORLD will be open exan "o" catches his breath, and AIR CONDITIONER, And RADIO. clusively to graduating senior INQUIRE AT PLAENMAN OFFICE groups who have purchased the spe cial \$6.00 ticket which will give them free run of the complete As-Carl Jones, South Plains College troworld operation, plus a special sophomore from Whitharral, won souvenir program and special mu-

> The park will be closed to the dent" award for the year at the public, as only the seniors and their honoring students from Meadow was undoubtedly the first in the

perons, who will be on duty.

South Plains College students Grad Nite order forms, which itol. named to office for the coming have been sent to all schools, must year were: Alton McGinty of be filled out and returned with pay Plains, parliamentarian; Paul Goe- ment, for all tickets and hotel to have in the gallery of the Sen- Department. Native flora along vice, 748-4500.

LITTLE LEAGUE SCHEDULE 1969 ROPES LITTLE LEAGUE PARK Team Listed First is the Home Team

First Game 6:00 P.M.

Second Game First Game Dodgers vs. Red Sox Yankees vs. Cubs Cubs vs. Red Sox Yankees vs. Dodgers NO GAMES SCHEDULED — GRADUATION

Cubs vs. Dodgers Red Sox vs. Dodgers Dodgers vs. Yaukees Yankees vs. Red Sox Yankees vs. Cubs

Cubs vs. Red Sox

SECOND HALF Cubs vs. Dodgers

Cubs vs. Yankees Dodgers vs. Yankees Red Sox vs. Yankees Yankees vs. Cubs

Red Sox vs. Dodgers Red Sox vs. Cubs Dodgers vs. Cubs Dodgers vs. Red Sox

Yaukees vs. Red Sox

Cubs vs. Yankees

Red Sox vs. Cubs

Dodgers vs. Cubs

Dodgers vs. Red Sox

Yankees vs. Dodgers

NO GAMES SCHEDULTD - INDEPENDENCE DAY Cubs vs. Red Sox Cubs vs. Dodgers

Red Sox vs. Dodgers

Dodgers vs. Yankees

Yankees vs. Dodgers Yankees vs. Red Sox Cubs vs. Yankees Red Sox vs. Cubs

Teams Not Ready To Take The Field at Game Time will Forfeit Games Are Spronsored by the ROPES LION'S CLUB

The area was treated to more of the usual Tuesday night, when rains, high winds and hail visited the South Plans.

An inch to an inch and a haif, The local band from the Ropes American Farmer Applicants. The

for Wednesday night.

ANIMALS TO BE VACCINATED MAY 16

5:00 to 7:00 p.m. to vaccinate your the local band are: Sammy Belew, were present. animals. You are urged to bring West Bradshaw, Sammy Joe Harris your pets in to insure safety against Archie Jordan, Floyd Morrow, rabies for the summer season. ----000-----

CEMETERY CLEANUP

Association met Thursday night, applicant from Area I. April 24.

It was decided to have a Cemetery Cleanup Day Memorial Day, Friday, May 30. Everyone is asked to bring their

implements and come out early to help get the cemetery in shape. -000-

Class Scout. Several merit badges have been earned in the past two or three weeks.

Troop 563 goes to summer camp at Camp Pos ton July 20, 1969. They will be there for five or six nights. This will give the boys the experience of living in tents for this period of time and living with na-

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WEEKEND GUESTS

her sister, Mrs. Earl Davis of Can-ing and practical experience in Odessa.

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Sen. H. J. Blanchard of Lubbock introduced a Senate Resolution High School who were in Austin No one will be admitted without participating in the state Inter-Paula (Poppy) Byrnes of Dim- a ticket purchased in advance and scholastic League one-act play

Sen. Blanchard hosted the stu-Burleson, during a tour of the cap- cilities maintained by all the State

The Senate Resolution stated:

ate, the cast and crew of Meadow act play contest accompanied by their sponsor, Noyce Burleson,

statesmen of tomorrow, who, with the acceptance of democracy's heritage, must carry on the responsibilities of self-government; and

"Whereas, It is highly cominendable that these young people are demonstrating by their visit in the Senate, an interest in the processes of their State government; now therefore, be it

these students a cordial welcome; ties. and that a copy of this Resolution, bearing the official seal of the Senate, be sent to them in approciation of their visit."

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Yankees vs. Red Sox NEWS OF AREA MEN IN SERVICE

San Antonio - Staff Sergeant Herbert W. Kingery, son of Mr. anl Mrs. Floyd J. Kingery, Monroe, Iowa, has arrived for duty at Kelly AFB, Texas.

Sergeant Kingery, an administrtive specialist, is assigned to a unit of the U.S. Air Force Secuirty Service. He previously served in Vietnam.

His wife, Lila, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman I. Solsbery of Route 1, Meadow, Texas. ---000---

Wins 1st In Area Sat.

Boys Ranch was third.

The Empty Reals will represent | ments are rather rigid. It was announced this week that Area I at the State Convention that | Russell Arp attended the conven-Danny Young.

Harold Joe Schwartz was judged The Ropesville Cemetery Board as the third best Lone Star Farmer Bradshaw was number six in the

Sponsor, Mrs. Genelle Carpenter and amounts up to two inches were Chapter of Future Farmers of Am- opening for American Farmers in reported in all surrounding areas. erica, known as the "Empty Reals" 1969 from Area I is five. Terry The rain was reported to be were chosen as the Number 1 ta- will receive the degree this year heavier between here and Level- lent performers at the Area I FFA only if some other Area does not Convention last Saturday at Palo meet its quota. However, Area I More of the same was forecast Duro High School in Amarillo. The often gains one or two extra degree two brothers from Follett FFA when other areas fail. This degree were second and the band from is given to only one boy out of one thousand members, so the require-

> Dr. Byrd of Lubbock will be in will be held in Fort Worth on July | tion as a voting delegate. Terry Ropes a tthe City Hall May 16 from 16, 17 and 18, 1969. Members of Bradshaw and Johnny Martin also

The Convention was climaxed George Salinas, Larry Shannon and by an hour long TV show live and in color from KGNC in Amarillo. The Empty Real band played three numbers during the TV portion of Terry the meeting.

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Beautify Roadways

Austin - The Texas Highway Bean Visitor Center in Langtry. and miles of State-maintained high to beautify, preserve and enhance ways in Texas.

In a special order, the Commission noted that Texas has conducted ing policies, the order pledged the extensive programs for the preser- Commission "to continually encourvation and enhancement of natural age and stimulate activities for the beauty along its highway corridors preservation, enhancement and defor more than four decades.

The order noted that the Texas ong the highway facilities under its Highway Department was one of control." the first highway agencies in the nation to employ professional staff members to advise and stimulate a house, flyovers, displays and exbeautification program.

Now, the Highway Department Guests over the weekend in the has personnel in every part of the home of Mrs. Minnie Fewell were State with years of academic train von, and her son, Clyde Fewell of such programs. They are reinforced by research and expert advice afforded by research conducted by the State's principal universities.

> The Texas Highway Department Armed Services. nation to construct roadside parks, tic display of 12 different armed the order noted. Now, according forces aircraft. It is believed to a survey made by the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads, Texas has about one of every sever such fahighway departments in the nation.

Wildflowers also have been a spc-"Whereas, We are honored today cial concern of the Texas Highway the more than 840 thousand acres of right of way have been preserved, and in many cases planted, by the Department. "Flowers of Texas," depicting in full color 56 favor-"Whereas, These students of to- ite Texas flowers, is proving popuday are the citizens, leaders and lar with Texans and visitors alike.

The order notes that plantings and lanscaping serve practical as well as esthetic functions. Roadbreaks from driving, combating gar P-82. fatigue and enhancing safety.

Plantings also subtly call atten- HOME HIGH LIGHTS tion to potential hazards along the roadside. Carpets of wildflowers retard erosion and protect the pub-

after careless motorists in Texas is now \$1.9 million annually. The Department provides hundreds of and informational program to ining from roadside litter.

In all, the order reviews the many efforts of the Department to enhance the driving environmentfrom policies safegarding against The Farm Bureau Queen's Concilities to the maintenance of a dis- itorium. play of desert plants at the Roy

Commission today reaffirmed its The Commission took notice of concern with maintaining a safe the cooperation between the Depart and pleasant roadside environment ment and many other groups and for those who travel the 69 thous- agencies on all levels in programs natural surroundings.

In addition to reaftirming standvelopment of the environment al-

--- 000-REESE AFB, Tex. - An open hibits will highlight Reese Air Force Bases' 20th observance of Armed Forces Day, Saturday, May 17.

The open house, scheduled from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. is expected to draw some 10,00 persons from the South Plains area to visit the base for the annual event honoring the men and women of the country's

Top attraction this year is a stathat this is the largest contingent of different aircraft ever assembled at an Armed Forces Day observance at Reese AFB.

The day will be used to officially break ground for the base's new hospital facility, an approximate \$2,000,000 project to be constructed north of the present location.

Of special interest to visitors

will be flyovers of training aircraft used at the base including the supersonic Northrop T-38 Talon and the Cessna T-37 Tweetie Bird. Other events planned include parasail demonstrations, an air rescue demonstration, small arms fire power demonstrations and a side parks provide sites for short number of indoor displays in Han-

From: Jewel Robinson,

County Home Demonstration Agent Last week, Wednesday, Thurs-"RESOLVED, That we extend to lic's investment in highway facili- day and Friday, Dr. Graham Hard, Clothing Specialist with the Texas Also mentioned is the Highway Agricultural Extension Service, Department's continuing campaign Jean Smith, Assistant County against litter. Cost of picking up Home Demonstration Agent, and I conducted a workshop for leaders who want to help other adults and youth. Mrs. Baldovino was one of those leaders. She is from Anlitter receptacles along Texas high- ton and last summer Mrs. Baldoways and conducts an educational vino commented at that time "Our race uses more tomatoes form the public of the losses in tax than nearly anybody and it is good dollars and economic waste result- for us to know how to can them. She has helped her married daughters and others in Anton with their canning. She is now ready to help them with their sewing

> pollution resulting from construct test will be held Thursday night at tion and operation of highway fa- 8:30 in South Plains College aud-

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562-3051.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

J. E. ROBERTS, JR., Deceased

filing a written answer to the petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of G. H. DALTON, Route 2, Box 178, issuance of this Citation, the same time at Ennis, Texas fishing and being Monday the 23rd day of June, A. D., 1969, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable 99th District Court of Lubbock County, at the Court House in Lubbock, Texas.

> Said plaintiff's First Amended Original petition was filed on the 9th day of May, 1969.

> The file number of said suit being

The names of the parties in said suit are: Municipal Investment Corpora-

tion as Plaintiff, and The Unknown Heirs and Legal Representatives of J. E. ROBERTS, SR., Decersed, Leonard Salinas, Jr. is among et al as Defendant.

stantially as follows, to wit: This is a suit for foreclosure of a paving lien on the following de- held at 8:30 p.m. May 30th in the Russell, and her mother, Mrs. Hatscribed property:

Lot Twenty-One (21), Block Six-FOR SPECIAL DEAL ON FUNKS teen (16), Carter Addition to the IN BROWNFIELD SUNDAY City of Sundown, Hockley County,

If this Citation i snot served within boys of Brownfield were Mr. and Issued this the 8th day of May A.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Lubbock Women are earning from \$50 to Texas, this the 8th day of May A

J. R. Dever, District Clerk 99th District Court Lubbock County, Texas By Nancy Woodward Deputy

42 PARTY

The 42 Club met Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Whitener. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Rucker, Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. GENTRY FORD - MERCURY Jim McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Edwards and the hosts.

ROSSERS RETURN FROM TRIP RECENTLY

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Rosser have community.

The Rosser's also spent some Dimmitt. . visiting Mrs. Rosser's brother and VISIT PARENTS SUNDAY family.

MRS. GILES DALTON HAS SURGERY

Mrs. Giles Dalton of Whitney underwent major surgery at Gaston l Hospital in Dallas recently. is reported doing fine and will for medical care. probably return home Thursday or Friday. She is in Gaston Hospital, 3505 Gaston Ave., Dallas, Tex. ----000----

LEONARD SALINAS, Jr. TO GRADUATE

the graduating class from the Tex- VISIT IN LEVELLAND The nature of said suit being sub-, as State School for the Blind at Austin.

school auditorium.

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Guests for Mother's Day in the VISIT HERE SATURDAY home of Mrs. Lillian Gryder and Ropes; and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dor- Thomas and family. sett and family of Brownfield.

SUNDAY GUESTS IN D. FERGUSON HOME

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. ROPESVILLE, PHONE Representatives of J. E. ROBERTS, returned from a trip to the lakes and Mrs. Duane Ferguson and fa-5-22p SR, Deceased, and the Unknown around Kingsland and Marble Falls. mily were her parents, Mr. and Mrs Heirs and Legal Representatives of A nice visit with Edd and Gladys L. E. Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Russell at Buchanan Lake; Giles Wilson, Lonnie, Debbic and Daneen GREETING: and Elizabeth Dalton at Lake Whit- of Dimmitt; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wil-You are commanded to appear by ney, and the John Hewletts at Pos- son, Mke and Rodney of Brownsum Kingdom. An enjoyable visit field; Mrs. Lillian Hill, Mary Lee, plaintiff's First Amended Original was spent with each, and they all Patricia, Eddie and Gwen of Levelsend their regards to the Ropes land; and Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Nutt, Steve, Gary and Pam, from

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Terry were in Littlefield where they visited with their parents.

---000-VISITS DOCTOR MONDAY

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walling were in Lubbock Monday where he went

-000-IN ROPES SATURDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Garth Gotcher of Lubbock were in Ropes Saturday night visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gotcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Abb Russell were in Levelland Sunday night where Commencement Exercises will be they visited his mother, Mrs. Reba tie Pointer, and in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bennett. -000-

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Whitwield of 90 days after the date of its issu- Mrs. Emory Hobbs and Mr. and Lubbock visited here Saturday evening the shall be returned unserved. Mrs. Merlin Hobbs and family of ning with her mother, Mrs. Troy ance, it shall be returned unserved. Mrs. Merlin Hobbs and family of Morris, and Mr. and Mrs. B. J.

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Mrs. M. F. Landwer of Lubbock visited here Sunday with her mother, Mrs. H. W. Black.

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KENNETH HALL TO GRADUATE

son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hall in commencement ceremonies May appearance, conveniently located,

Kenneth, a 1957 graduate of the Ropes High School, majored in religion and minored in English and will receive a bachelor of arts degree. At Wayland he has served as president of the Ministerial Alliance and as chairman of the steering committee for Northwest missions. He plans to enter the ministery.

director Southern Association of carrier as he approaches or on the Colleges and Schools, will deliver door where boxes are grouped. the commencement address in Rural mailboxes must be located ceremonies beginning at 10 a.m. in on the right-hand side of the road Harral Memorial Auditorium.

Dr. J. P. Allen, pastor of the Broadway Baptist Church, Fort Worth, will deliver the baccalaureate challenge. A reception for the graduates will be held at 7 p.m. May 23 in the home of Dr. Roy G. McClung, Wayland president, and Mrs. McClung.

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SOIL STEWARDSHIP WEEK

ROPESVILLE CHURCH of the NAZARENE

Have You Noticed The Appearance Of Your Rural Mailbox Lately?

The Post Office Dopartment has: designated the week of May 19 -"Mailbox Improvement Week". The purpose of Mailbox. Improvement Week is to call at-Plainview - Kenneth Wayne Hall tention to the need for providing of mail receptacles which are design-Ropesville, is among 140 Wayland ed to protect the mail from the College seniors who will participate weather, and which are neat in and safe to use. Neat, attractive mailboxes will make a significant contribution to the appearance of your home and countryside.

The general requirements for rural mailboxes are as follows:

Mailboxes of approved tradition or contemporary design are required.

Where box numbers are assigned, the Name of the Owner and Box Number "MUST" be shown on Dr. Felix C. Robb, Atlanta, Ga., the side of the box visible to the

in the direction traveled by the carrier wherever it would be dangerous to serve on the left or where it would be a violation of State or local traffic laws or regulations.

Boxes and supports should be kept painted and free from rust.

The ooxes should be securely fastened to the support, and the support should be steady.

Height of box: The bottom portion of the box should be the same height as the bottom of the window opening of a passenger car.

Please check your box by above requirements, and make the needed repairs before route inspection

Your cooperation will be appreciated by the Post Office Depart-

CARD OF THANKS

My sincere thanks to all for the many lovely and useful gifts received at my shower Saturday . A special thanks to Mrs. Schwartz and the other hostesses.

Erline Kinnison -000-

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BIRTHDAY CLUB HOORS MRS. D. M. TIPPS

The "55" Birthday Club of Ropesin the home of Mrs. S. E. Whitener to honor Mrs. D. M. Tipps on her birthday.

STATE OF TEXAS:

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (SJR31)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE lature. No Regular Session LEGISLATURE OF THE shall be of longer duration

Section 1. That Section 24, Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to stitutional amendment shall be

read as follows:
"Section 24. The Lieutenant qualified electors of this state

Governor and the Speaker of at an election to be held on

the House of Representatives shall each receive from the Public Treasury an annual salary in an amount to be fixed by the Legislature, not to exceed one-half the annual salary viding that the Lieutenant of the Covernment of the

of the Governor. Each other member of the Legislature the House of Representatives shall receive from the Public shall receive a salary fixed by

Treasury an annual salary to be fixed by the Legislature, not to exceed the annual salernor; providing that the Legislature one-half the salary of the Governor; providing that the Legislature one-half the salary of the Gov-

ary paid to a district judge from state funds. Members of the Legislature shall also receive a per diem of not exceeding Twelve Dollars (\$12) per day during each Regular and Special Session of the Legis-

oposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

way make any substantive

void by reason of its anticipa-

submitted to a vote of the

NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (HJR3)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE understood that the repeal of these sections shall not in any way make any substantive

Section 1. That Sections 42, 46, and 48 of Article III, Sections 3a and 7 of Article VII, Section 12 of Article VIII, Section 2 of Article VIII, Section 2 of Article VIII, Section 3 amendment shall be

tion 3 of Article IX, Sections submitted to a vote of the

tion 3 of Article IX, Sections 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9 of Article X, Section 10 of Article XI, Sections 3, 4, 5, and 7 of Article XII, Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article XIII, Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article XIII, Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 of Article XIV, Sections 3, 4, 7, 13, 29, 32, 34, 35, 36, 38, 42, 45, 46, 54, 55, 57, 58, and 60 of Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, be repealed, it being specifically stitution."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMEN

NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR4)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE enact any enabling laws in LEGISLATURE OF THE anticipation of this amendment, no such law shall be

State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be

"Section 51-d. The Legislature shall have the power, by general law, to provide for the payment of assistance by the State of Texas to the surviving spouse and minor children of officers, employees, and agents, including members of organized volunteer fire departments and members of organized police reserve or auxil-

ganized police reserve or auxiliary units with authority to make an arrest, of the state or of any city, county, district, or other political subdivision who, because of the hazardous nature of their duties, suffer death in the course of the periods. Legislature to provide for payment of assistance to surviving spouses and minor children of governmental officers, employees, and agents, including members of organized volunteer fire departments and certain organized police redeath in the course of the periods.

death in the course of the per- serve units, who have hazardformance of those official ous duties and are killed in the duties. Should the Legislature performance of those duties."

"Section 51-d. The Legisla- qualified electors of this state

Section 1. That Section 51-d, void by reason Article III, Constitution of the

to read as follows:

Members enjoyed a breakfast of Returning to the Whitener home,

than one hundred and forty

ham, bacon, hot biscuits, jellies, they enjoyed coffee and birthday juice; and all the trimmings. They cake. Those attending were Mmes. then went on an Iris tour to the K. P. Shannon, Claude Brown, C. homes of Mrs. D. M. Tipps, Mrs. A. K. Teaff, E. J. Abney, E. . Exum, ville mNet Monday morning at 7:00 M. Armsíron, Mrs. Frank Sylvester J. N. Willis, A. M. Armstrong, Mrs. C. K. Teaff and Mrs. L. S. Buck Craig, the honoree and the hostess.

A very enjoyable time was reported by all.

-000-TOPS CLUB NEWS

The Ropes Kalorie Killers met Hurlwood on birth of a daughter Monday night, May 12, in the teacher's lounge at the Junior High School. Minutes were read and approved for the last meeting.

Committees were appointed for the Tops Birthday party to be held The couple has one other child, a on June 16. The National Conven- son, Lonnie. tion was discussed. The Tops Club | Maternal grandparents are Mr. will have a bake sale June 7.

were Leader Lillian Willis, Wanda ents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert May-Allen, Mayme Rasberry, Evelyn field of Route 1, Ropes. Jephcott, LaQuita Moore, Mabel Hobbs, Inez Price, Geraldine La Bombardi, Iva Ree Young, and two visitors, Linda Blair and Kathy Melcher.

us any Monday night at 7:30. Reporter.

-000-SUNDAY GUESTS IN WILLIS HOME

Guests Sunday in the home of of Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Willis were Mrs. Ada Bevers, Mrs. Ids Forest and VISIT HERE FROM Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Bevers, all of LUBBOCK SUNDAY Bakersfield, California; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ayers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill willis and boys, and Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Flowers and Phillip Kimberlin and family. boys, all of Ropesville;

Steve, Wes, Tim and Michelle VISITS HERE SUNDAY Gage of Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bevers and family of Sudan; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Feazelle from Lubbock: Mrs. Mary Nell Dalton and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bevers, Patty and Ricky, of Ropesville.

---000---WEEKEND GUESTS IN SHELBY EVANS HOME

Guests over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Evans were Mrs. Marlo Davis and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Yeager and children of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McGahee and children of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Evans and and Mrs. Leslie Watson, and Mrs. family of Ropes; grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Ed Evans of Houston; and Mrs. Troy Morris of Ropes.

___000____ GO FISHING

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace White from Brownwood recently enjoyed a fishing trip to Rockport, in South Texas.

They enjoyed fishing most all night, and had plenty of fish to eat. __000____

NEW CAR

enjoying a new 1969 Chevrolet. ____000____

ON SICK LIST

Rev. John Drawhorn has been on the sick list this week.

____000____ VISIT MOTHER OVER WEEKEND

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Odom spent the weekend in Portales, New Mexico visiting her mother, Mrs. C. P. Gossett, and other relatives.

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CONGRATULATIONS TO -Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Ellis of born Monday, May 12 at 9:51 a.m. in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. She weighed 3 pounds, 141/2 ounces and has been named Lisa Michelle.

and Mrs. Aubrey Mayfield of Rop-Those present for this meeting es: and maternal great-grantpar-

_____ VISITORS MOTHER'S DAY IN REDMAN HOME

Mother's Day guesis in the home We want to invite visitors to join of Mrs. Tom Redman were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Redman Jr. and family of Ropes; Mr. and Mrs. James Redman and family o fWellman; Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Redman and family of Morton; and Ruben Lee Goad

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Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Wade of Lubbock visited here Sunday in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs.

Miss MaLou Paige of Welch was a gust Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Thomas and family. __000____

MRS. KIMBERLIN HAS GUESTS FOR MOTHTR'S DAY SUNDAY

Guests Sunday in the home of Mrs. Ada Kimberlin were Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Kimberlin and family and Mrs. Ella Halford and family of Ropes;

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Watson, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Kimberlin and Mr. and Mrs. Webster and family, all of Odessa; Mrs. Kathryn Jones, Mr. Jessie Brown and family, all from Lubbock.

GO TO WHITE RIVER

Flora Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilson and Berry and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin and family of Lubbock spent Sunday at White River. An aunt, Mrs. Bob King, returned with them to her home in Lubbock.

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HAVE SUNDAY VISITORS

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Whitener were Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Chitwood are and Mrs. Mcivin Gleen, Calvin and

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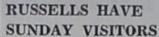
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VISIT IN HOBBS OVER WEEKEND

Mother's Day guests in the home, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Price were of Mr. and Mrs. Abb Russell were in Hobbs, New Mexico over the Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Summerfeld weekend visiting her brother, Mr.

Mr. Leverett suffered a heart attack recently, but is reported to be much improved.

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"Section 2. All occupation taxes shall be equal and uniform upon the same class; of subjects within the limits of the authority levying the tax; but the legislature may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes; all real and personal property owned by a nonprofit water supply corporation which is reasonably necessary for, and is used in no event more than one acre of land; places of burial not held for private or corporate profit; all buildings used exclusively and owned by persons or associations of persons for school purposes and the necessary furniture of all schools and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary for a dwelling place and in no event more than one acre of land; places of burial not held for private or corporate profit; all buildings used exclusively and owned by persons or associations of persons for school purposes and the necessary furniture of all schools and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary for a dwelling place and in no event more than one acre of land; places of burial not held for private or corporate profit; all buildings used exclusively and owned by persons or associations of persons for school purposes and the necessary furniture of all schools and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary for a dwelling place and in no event more than one acre of land; places of burial not held for private or corporate profit; all buildings used exclusively and owned by multi-decessory furniture of all schools and property and the form of the f corporation which is reasonably necessary for, and is used in, operation of the corporation in the acquisition, storage, transportation and sale of water as authorized as its sole legal purpose; actual places or (of) religious worship, also any property owned by a church or by a strictly religious society for the exclusive use as a dwelling place for the ministry of such church or religious society, and which yields no revenue whatever to

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SIX PACK BABY RUTH BARS CANDY	.19
2 LR. CAN CHOCOLATE MIX NESTLES QUIK 2 OZ. ASSORTED FLAVORS	.93
JELLO, 2 FOR	.19
PORK & BEANS, 2 FOR	.23
LUNCHEON MEAT	.53
CANNED POP, 3 FOR	.25
FIVE POUND BAG SHURFINE FLOUR	.43
FLOUR 200 COUNT SOTLIN DINNER NAPKINS	.25
QUART SALAD DRESSING MIRACLE WHIP	.53
48 OUNCES CRISCO OIL	.95
CRISCO SHORTENING	
POUND BOX SHURFRESH CRACKERS	19
DETERGENT	75
DISHWASHER SOAP	.69
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LIVER	.39
POUND PRESSED HAM	
LUNCHEON MEAT 8 OZ. Pillsbury Baking Powder	.45
BISCUITS, 2 FOR	.25
10 Oz. KRAFT HALF MOON	
CHEESE	.59
FRESH EAR	
CORN, 2 FOR	.19
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ORANGES	12
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