



Miss Parish Returns From Japan

Becky Parish recently enjoyed a four week tour of Japan under the Texas Youth Exchange Program sponsored by Lions International. While in Japan Becky had the opportunity to see the held in Osaka. Also while in Osaka she toured the National Color Television Company.

Other ventures found her viewing the process of culturing pearls at the pearl factory located on Pearl Island.

Becky toured many beautiful shrines and temples in Japan. She especially enjoyed those located in Kyoto, which was the capital of Japan before Tokyo.

Becky has related the events and impressions of her journey from beginning to end to the News-Sun in the following letter.

In December, my dad came in and asked me one day if I wanted to go to Japan on the Lions Club Youth Exchange program, and naturally I said "yes." On March 3, they called me at Baylor and said I had been accepted. But it was still a dream to me. Even as I went to our first briefing in Dallas, it was a dream. I spent one week in Hawaii with 46 other young people and four sponsors. We had the time of our lives, and the thought of going on to Japan never entered our minds. There our plane landed in Tokyo. It was drizzly, as it was during most of our stay. We walked into the airport and found ourselves confronted with hundreds of short, dark haired, dark eyed people. Our group ranged from 6'2" to 5'1" and even our shortest could look down on most of the Japanese!

We were taken by bus to the New Japan Hotel where we spent our first night. This is where we first had to use yen instead of dollars and cents. One yen equals 1/100 of a cent, so we really felt rich!

We took a train the next morning for our respective cities. Mine was Osaka, a town of 3

million and the site of next year's World's Fair. Twenty eight of us went to Osaka. When we reached Osaka Station, approximately 200 Japanese were waiting to greet us. They had banners, signs, and flowers for us, and they were running around like wild Indians, taking pictures from every angle. If we thought this was a one time greeting, we were wrong. Every place we went, there were Japanese Lions members there to greet us and give us gifts. They certainly made us feel welcome.

My Japanese father and sister met me at the station. My sister, Kaoree Hamada, was 19, but she looked much younger. We found that all Japanese look young, and they always guessed our age to be 23 or 24. The first thing I asked my family was, "Where can I get my luggage?" The first thing my family said to me was, "No English." I began to really look forward to one mouth of no communication.

My family lived right in downtown Osaka. My father owned a building supply company. His warehouse was on the first floor, his offices were on the second floor, his house was on the third floor, and he had dorms for his employees on the fourth floor. His house was western style except for two rooms. His bedroom was Japanese style and they had a room where they worshipped their budda each morning that was Japanese style.

When night time came, they asked me if I wanted to take a bath. Since they couldn't speak much English, they couldn't tell me how to use their bath. They gave me a pan with water and motioned for me to wash. There I was suppose to get in the tub of very hot water and soak. I did the best I could, but when I came out, they thought I hadn't bathed yet, and pushed me in the bathroom for another try. Japan is very crowded. Their



BECKY PARISH is shown with her Japanese mother, Mrs. Kunikazu Hamada, and her 19 year old sister, Kaori Hamada, not pictured is Kunikazu, her 21 year old Japanese brother.



BECKY TOURED THE OSAKA CASTLE which has been restored to a public museum. It is surrounded by moats and fence contains the largest stones in the world.

The Japanese food was my biggest worry. My first night, we had sukiyaki. This consisted of bamboo, egg plant, soy beans, sea weed, beef, and chicken, all of which were dipped in raw egg. I ate every thing but the raw egg. I also had several chances to try raw fish. It tasted good if I didn't think about it being raw. One of their favorites is eel, which I enjoyed very much because it tasted a little like barbecue. I also learned to like rice because it covered up the taste of

any other foods I might have to try.

My sister's University was closed because of violence. She said part of the problem was the administration and part of it was the U. S. involvement in Vietnam. This is why we decided this exchange program is the greatest thing the Lions International has. These Japanese didn't even know what communism was, or why we were in Vietnam. They were just against war. Through this exchange program, we were able to talk to them and explain our purpose to them. We all felt that we did a little good in promoting world peace in that we made these Japanese understand our American policy a little better. We may have only talked to 50, but that's 50 more friends for the United States. We all decided on our flight home, that we would encourage our home town Lions to promote this project whole heartedly. I feel it is the greatest experience in my life. I hope that next year someone else will get to go and world peace can grow a little more.



JAPANESE FESTIVALS compare with carnivals or fairs in America. They are held in small crowded places where lots of pushing and shoving take place.

CARDS OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks to all the lovely friends in the area for your prayers, your kind words of sympathy, flowers, cards, and telephone calls during the death of our dear loved one. May God bless each of you in his own special way.

Mrs. Sophia Holt-Marmaduke, Arkansas
Mrs. Janis Chaney, Olton
Mrs. Ross Middleton, Earth

Party Line...

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Cole, Regina and Mrs. Francis Davis took Lesia back to Denver City, Sunday and returned Rod and Gary Davis home. They had been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bills.

Stork Shower Honors Mrs. Hawthorne

Mrs. Jerry Hawthorne was honored with a baby shower Friday, July 25 in the home of Mrs. Ed Haley.

A corsage made of a baby rattle and other baby items was presented to Mrs. Hawthorne upon her arrival. Many lovely gifts were received.

Approximately 50 guests were served cookies and punch from a table overlaid with an off-white linen cloth. The center piece featured a stork with a tiny baby held in the bill. The chosen color of yellow was used in table decorations and to accent the Korean Brass serving appointments.

Hostesses were Mrs. C. C. Goodwin, Mrs. Donald Street, Mrs. Marvin Sanders, Mrs. Vic Coker, Mrs. J. J. Coker, Mrs. Lynn Glasscock, Mrs. Pody Welch, Mrs. Dallas Lynch, Mrs. Paul Wood, Mrs. Pat McCord, Mrs. Gladys Parish, Mrs. J. J. Davis, Mrs. Bill Anderson, Miss Georgia Bahlman, Mrs. Ed Haley and Mrs. A. J. Phillips of Muleshoe.

Notice

Miss Peggy Ott will be paid bridal courtesies on Saturday, August 2 from 4:00-5:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. C. G. Maples, 709 Cleveland, Dimmitt, Texas.

Party Line

Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bills were his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Bills of Summyside.

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By Norlan Dudley

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Real Estate Sold on Contract	132,887	General Reserves & Surplus	808,225
FHLB Stock	80,600		
Cash & Govt. Obligations	1,928,863		
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Gentlemen:
After five years of intense involvement I agree with the Bureau of Reclamation and the Texas Water Development Board that the Mississippi River is the most promising source of supplemental water for Texas within the time limits that are imposed. The High Plains will experience a real impact of water shortage by 1985; the Rio Grande Valley by 1980. There is little chance of timely relief unless we start now.

We tend to be misled by a hanging map. The altitude of Amarillo is 3676 feet, Lubbock is 3241 feet. The elevation of the Missouri River at St. Louis approximates 500 feet and at Kansas City, 750 feet. Compared to the total lift the difference between the Missouri and Mississippi is small. The Missouri was one of the earliest possible sources studied. An optimistic estimate of the additional water available from the Missouri was 6 to 7 million acre feet and it serves the needs of all or parts of eight states. These states have plans of their own that embrace full utilization of that river. The discharge of the lower Mississippi in Louisiana is approximately 400 million acre feet per year. Texas needs 12 to 13 million acre feet per year to provide for projected municipal and industrial growth and sustain agriculture uses through 2020. Water and quality studies show that the water delivered to the High Plains under the Texas Water Plan would contain not more than 245 mg/l of total dissolved solids on an annual average basis which is less than the dissolved solids in our well water.

A small group of ecologists oppose the Texas Water Plan. This same group would decry the loss to Lake Meredith of natural habitat for wildlife along twenty-five miles of the Canadian River while I look to the game, fish and recreation serving over 1,000,000 visitors a year. Having grown up in this area during the drought and dust storm years of the thirties, it is an easy conclusion for me that we can invest as much for water as for highways. The agricultural potential of the High Plains and Texas justify the Texas Water Plan. Contracts for the sale of water will repay the state investment.

The people of Texas have the opportunity and I trust the foresight to pursue in this ambitious program by approving Amendment No. 2 on the August 5 ballot. Never before in the history of our state have so many prominent Texans united as they have in support of this constitutional amendment. The plan has the support of Governor Preston Smith, former Governors Allan Shivers, Price Daniel and John Connally, 95 per cent of the Texas Legislature and countless civic, business, industrial and labor leaders.

Sincerely yours,

K. B. Watson, President
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County F B President Encourages Vote For Amendments 2 & 4

Future irrigation needs for agriculture and drinking water for rural areas are involved in two of the nine proposed constitu-

tional amendments to be voted on in the special election August 5, according to Elroy Wisian of Springlake, president of the Lamb County Farm Bureau.

Proposed Amendment No. 2 (H, J, R, 9) on the ballot would grant the powers and flexibility of operation to the Texas Water Development Board necessary to develop sufficient water resources for present and future economic development of the state. The proposed amendment contains those constitutional changes necessary to implement the Texas Water Plan. Proposed Amendment No. 4 (S, J, R, 6) on the ballot would exempt non-profit water supply corporations from ad valorem taxation. This would give the many rural water systems that have been set up in recent years the same tax status as municipal government water systems.

The Texas Farm Bureau supported both of these proposals in the recent regular 61st session of the Legislature, Mr. Wisian said. In regard to Amendment No. 2, the Farm Bureau policy on the matter states that any water plan for Texas must be "equitable" to all sections of the state, Mr. Wisian explained.

"Therefore, I am urging all voters of Lamb County to go to the polls on August 5 and cast their ballots for both Amendment No. 2 and Amendment No. 4," Mr. Wisian said.

Owners of home pools should be sure to have safety equipment on hand. Floatation gear or a simple hook to pull in a drowning person are inexpensive extras and just may prove to be your best investment of the summer.

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SCOUTS RECEIVE 2nd CLASS BADGES. This happy group of Scouts were presented 2nd class badges during the Scout Water Show Monday night. Jerry Hawthorne made the presentation.



Grady Davis Leaves San Quentin Job

Grady Davis, serving as teacher-vice principal of San Quentin's Bayview Adult Schools, has recently resigned his position. After 12 years of service inside the walls, the popular, administrator teacher is taking a position with nearby Oakland Elementary School.

Davis began his work with San Quentin in 1957 as an assistant chaplain. Before that time he was a student at the Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary in Mill Valley.

In 1961 he became a full-time teacher in Marin County, as most San Quentin teachers are. In 1966 Davis became vice principal.

He is best known for his musical classes that have included as many as 90 students and never less than 40. He has directed both Catholic and Jewish choirs as well as Protestant and has taught music theory.

Davis stated, "Professional people should not stay in one place too long." He continued, "If they stay they become stagnant and ineffective-no matter what their job."

"I suppose the thing I like about teaching is being able to provide meaningful learning experience for the student," he said. "It's a good feeling for both of us."

During his 12 years stay Davis has made many friends from his numerous contacts with inmates

Spanish VBS Held Recently

The annual Spanish Vacation Bible school was conducted at the Spanish Mission, July 14-18.

Conducting the five day classes were Mrs. Louise Galloway, Kathy Clayton, Pruda Sanders, Kathleen Cole and Domicia and Monica Rodriguez.

The average attendance of the five day school was 15. The total enrollment was 25.

Ladies from the First Baptist Church and Spanish Mission contributed to the VBS by providing refreshments of cookies and punch each day.

who have great respect for him. The worst part of the change is leaving his students, some of whom he has been with eight years.

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Hello World



Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson of Portales, New Mexico are the proud parents of a son, born July 29 at 4:50 a.m. in the Roosevelt General Hospital of Portales.

Jodie Douglas weighed 6 lbs. and was 18 1/2 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Travis Jaquess of Earth, Maternal great grandmothers are Mrs. L. W. Jaquess and Mrs. Margie White, both of Littlefield.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Everett Patterson, Mc and Mrs. John Kisinger of Graham and Mrs. Nancy Patterson of Muleshoe are paternal great

grandparents. John is a senior student at Eastern New Mexico State University. Mrs. Patterson is the former Alice Jaquess and is employed by the University.

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Sunnyside News...

By Tenny Bowden.

Ronald Blanton and Susan Lea Johnson were married last Saturday evening in a double ring ceremony in the Day Memorial United Methodist Church in San Angelo. Lloyd Blanton was his son's Best Man, Randy Blanton and Gary Cowley were ushers, Terry Blanton was one of the candlelighters. Tammy Cowley was one of the flower girls. Mrs. Gary Cowley helped out with the reception which was held in Fellowship Hall following the ceremony. After a honeymoon trip in New Mexico, they will make their home in the community. He will farm with his father, Mrs. Blanton plans to enter WTSU in the fall to finish her college education.

Correction: Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradley and boys attended the Bradley reunion at Lake Al-

tus last Thursday through Sunday instead of the Dixon reunion at Mackenzie Park in Lubbock as reported last week. Lee and Mr. and Mrs. David Blair and Bruce of Dallas met them there. Mrs. Harold Bradley and children of West Fork, Arkansas, came home with Mrs. Weldon Bradley Saturday and stayed through Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Odus Hastings and family of Dimmitt visited with them Saturday afternoon. Weldon took his parents back to Tucumcari and came home last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Scott and boys of Farwell visited with them Monday afternoon.

Correction: Steve Morgan went to Tres Ritas with the Springlake-Earth Boy Scout Troop 614 instead of to near Amarillo as reported last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Odom of Dalhart visited last Sunday in the Heritage Home in Plainview with his grandmother, and with Leslie Louder on their way back to Dimmitt to visit relatives there.

Randy and Cheryl spent most of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sadler and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler. Tresa went home with Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler for the week last Sunday to let Mrs. James Powell recuperate from her colon trouble.

Monday night the Pee Wee's final baseball game of the season was lost to Olton 9-8. Following the game the boys and their parents had a wienner roast and homemade ice cream at the Springlake park.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis King of Amarillo brought Mrs. Irving King home Thursday. Bill and Mrs. Sweeney of Amarillo spent Saturday night and Sunday with her.

Mrs. Thomas Parson reviewed the book, "The Message of the Scrolls" Thursday afternoon at the church to the WMS missionary round table group. Mrs. Cliff Brown is the group leader. Taylor Turner of Willis Point arrived Monday and stayed through Sunday with his brother, Rev. and Mrs. Mack Turner.

Patricia Hill of Levelland spent this week with her cousin, Debbie Wilson, and the rest of the Herchel Wilson family.

The WMS mission prayer group met Wednesday night with Mrs. Milburn Haydon presiding in the absence of the group leader, Mrs. Garner Bell. Clarence Baggett of Here-



LOCAL SPRINGLAKE RESIDENTS enjoyed visits during the community fish fry.

Four County Youths Attend Citizenship Seminar At Baylor

ford visited with W. E. Louder and Mrs. Ezell Sadler who was with him in Plains Memorial Hospital Friday evening. Mr. Louder apparently suffered another stroke or hemorrhage Wednesday about noon.

About a half inch of rain was received Friday evening with about .10 Sunday afternoon.

John Moore attended a funeral in Weatherford this week.

Mrs. Edna Williams and her grandsons and a friend, Cecil Adams of Cisco arrived at noon Saturday and stayed until Sunday afternoon. She is the sister of Mrs. W. E. Louder and spent Saturday afternoon and night with her. Mr. Adams and the children spent this time with Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler and Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler and Melody of Lubbock who spent the weekend. All of these were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler Sunday. They also kept Randy, Tresa, and Cheryl Powell of Dimmitt, Carrie, Stacey, and Laura Saturday night while their parents, and grandparents except the Powells attended the production "Texas". Mrs. Pearl Sadler of Dimmitt also went with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harrison of Dimmitt visited Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler.

Mrs. Pearl Sadler of Dimmitt, J. B. Hensley of Hale Center, and Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler and girls had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler.

Mrs. William Rodgers and children of Vici, Oklahoma, arrived Saturday to visit until next Wednesday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Parson and family spent Saturday night with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Elliott and family left Saturday for Arkansas for a vacation and visit with his sister. Her sister from California visited with them Friday afternoon. His brother and family visited last week with them.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Morris, San Antonio--Airman Glenn G. Broadstreet, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jones of Sudan, Junior Wislan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Wislan of Springlake.

The Lamb County Farm Bureau is sponsoring the local students at the four-day training school. Some 390 students from 140 counties across the state will be attending the session.

Four outstanding, nationally-known lecturers will address the Waco training school, according to Elroy Wislan of Springlake, president of the Lamb County Farm Bureau.

They are Dr. C. L. Ganus, president of Harding College, Searcy, Ark.; Dr. C. L. Kay, assistant president of Lubbock Christian College; John Noble, Muncy, Pa.; author of "I Was a Slave in Russia"; and W. Cleon Skousen, Salt Lake City, author, lawyer, educator and former FBI agent.

In addition, a young former narcotics addict and ex-convict from Dallas will relate the tragic story of his life as an addict and criminal. At the conclusion of the seminar on Aug. 1, 18-year-old Miss Mary Rando of Friona will give her rendition of "I Am the Nation," a patriotic recitation that helped her win the Freedom Foundation's George Washington Honor Medal.

Purpose of the seminar is to give the student a better understanding of the American system and way of life. Emphasis will be placed on the economic, moral and social aspects of the American society. Instruction will consist of lectures, films, and panel discussions.

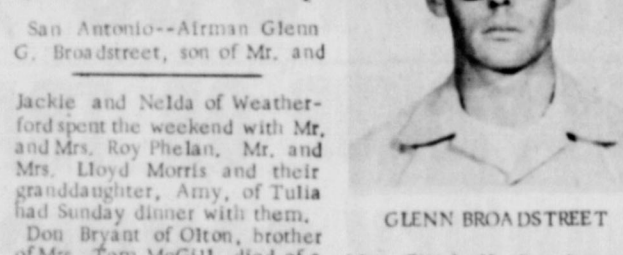
Jackie and Nelda of Weatherford spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Morris and their granddaughter, Arny, of Talia had Sunday dinner with them. Don Bryant of Olton, brother of Mrs. Tom McGill, died of a heart attack at 1:00 a. m. Saturday morning. Services are pending.

A bridal shower will be given Thursday afternoon August 7, at 3:30 honoring Mrs. Ronald Blanton. It will be at the fellowship hall of the Sunnyside Church and will be a miscellaneous shower.

The shower for Peggy Ott will be in Dimmitt August 2nd. Selections are at Parson in Dimmitt and Hollands Gift Shop in Plainview.

75 attended Sunday School with 35 in Training Union Sunday.

Our Boys In Service



GLENN BROADSTREET

Mrs. Elijah H. Broadstreet of Dimmitt, has received his first U. S. Air Force duty assignment completing basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas.

The airman has been assigned to a unit of the Strategic Air Command at Castle AFB, California for training and duty in vehicle maintenance.

Airman Broadstreet, a graduate of Norte Del Rio High School in Sacramento, California attended Spartan School of Aeronautics in Tulsa, Oklahoma. His wife is the former Deborah Lumpkin.

TV SCHEDULE

KCBD-TV CHANNEL 11 LUBBOCK, TEXAS		C Denotes Color	
THURSDAY July 31			
7:00-Early Report-C	8:00-Super Six-C	8:30-Cool McCool-C	9:00-Flintstones-C
7:05-Farm Report-C	8:30-Cool McCool-C	9:00-Flintstones-C	9:30-Banana Splits-C
7:25-Today's Weather-C	9:00-It Takes Two C	9:25-News-C	9:30-Concentration-C
7:30-Today-C	9:30-Concentration-C	10:00-Personality-C	10:30-Hollywood Squares-C
8:25-Morning Report-C	10:00-Personality-C	11:00-Jeopardy-C	11:30-Eye Guess-C
8:30-Today-C	10:30-Hollywood Squares-C	11:55-News-C	12:00-Mid-Day Report-C
9:00-It Takes Two C	11:00-Jeopardy-C	12:15-Community Closeup-C	12:30-Your Putting Me On
9:25-News-C	11:30-Eye Guess-C	1:00-Days of Our Lives-C	1:30-The Doctors-C
9:30-Concentration-C	12:00-Mid-Day Report-C	2:00-Another World-C	2:30-You Don't Say-C
10:00-Personality-C	12:15-Community Closeup-C	3:00-Match Game-C	3:25-Afternoon News-C
10:30-Hollywood Squares-C	12:30-Your Putting Me On	4:00-Hazel-C	4:30-Bewitched
11:00-Jeopardy-C	1:00-Days of Our Lives-C	5:00-Branded	5:30-Huntley-Brinkley-C
11:30-Eye Guess-C	1:30-The Doctors-C	6:00-Evening Report-C	6:30-Daniel Boone-C
12:00-Mid-Day Report-C	2:00-Another World-C	7:30-Ironside-C	8:30-Dragnet-C
12:15-Community Closeup-C	2:30-You Don't Say-C	9:00-Dean Martin	10:00-Final Report-C
12:30-Your Putting Me On	3:00-Match Game-C	10:30-Tonight Show-C	12:00-New Mexico Report-C
1:00-Days of Our Lives-C	3:25-Afternoon News-C	12:15-Sign Off	
1:30-The Doctors-C	3:30-Let's Make a Deal		
2:00-Another World-C	4:00-Hazel-C		
2:30-You Don't Say-C	4:30-Bewitched		
3:00-Match Game-C	5:00-Branded		
3:25-Afternoon News-C	5:30-Huntley-Brinkley-C		
4:00-Hazel-C	6:00-Evening Report-C		
4:30-Bewitched	6:30-Daniel Boone-C		
5:00-Branded	7:30-Ironside-C		
5:30-Huntley-Brinkley-C	8:30-Dragnet-C		
6:00-Evening Report-C	9:00-Dean Martin		
6:30-Daniel Boone-C	10:00-Final Report-C		
7:30-Ironside-C	10:30-Tonight Show-C		
8:30-Dragnet-C	12:00-New Mexico Report-C		
9:00-Dean Martin	12:15-Sign Off		
10:00-Final Report-C			
10:30-Tonight Show-C			
12:00-New Mexico Report-C			
12:15-Sign Off			
FRIDAY August 1			
Same as Thursday 7:00-6:00			
6:30-High Chaparral-C	7:00-Name of the Game-C	7:30-The Saint-C	10:00-Final Report-C
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7:30-The Saint-C	10:00-Final Report-C	10:30-Tonight Show-C	12:00-New Mexico Report-C
10:00-Final Report-C	10:30-Tonight Show-C	12:00-New Mexico Report-C	12:15-Sign Off
10:30-Tonight Show-C	12:00-New Mexico Report-C	12:15-Sign Off	
12:00-New Mexico Report-C	12:15-Sign Off		
12:15-Sign Off			
SATURDAY August 2			
6:45-Fury at Showdown, John Derek, Nick Adams	8:00-Super Six-C	8:30-Cool McCool-C	9:00-Flintstones-C
7:00-Early Report-C	8:00-Super Six-C	8:30-Cool McCool-C	9:00-Flintstones-C
7:05-Farm Report-C	8:30-Cool McCool-C	9:00-Flintstones-C	9:30-Banana Splits-C
7:25-Today's Weather-C	9:00-Flintstones-C	9:30-Banana Splits-C	10:30-Underdog-C
7:30-Today-C	9:30-Banana Splits-C	10:30-Underdog-C	11:00-Storybook Squares-C
8:25-Morning Report-C	10:30-Underdog-C	11:00-Storybook Squares-C	11:30-Untamed World-C
8:30-Today-C	11:00-Storybook Squares-C	11:30-Untamed World-C	12:00-Huckleberry Finn-C
9:00-It Takes Two C	11:30-Untamed World-C	12:00-Huckleberry Finn-C	12:30-New Mexico Outdoors-C
9:25-News-C	12:00-Huckleberry Finn-C	12:30-New Mexico Outdoors-C	1:00-Major League Baseball-Time and Game TBA-C
9:30-Concentration-C	12:30-New Mexico Outdoors-C	1:00-Major League Baseball-Time and Game TBA-C	4:00-Dick Powell
10:00-Personality-C	1:00-Major League Baseball-Time and Game TBA-C	4:00-Dick Powell	5:00-Branded-C
10:30-Hollywood Squares-C	4:00-Dick Powell	5:00-Branded-C	5:30-Huntley-Brinkley-C
11:00-Jeopardy-C	5:00-Branded-C	5:30-Huntley-Brinkley-C	6:00-Evening Report-C
11:30-Eye Guess-C	5:30-Huntley-Brinkley-C	6:00-Evening Report-C	6:30-Daniel Boone-C
12:00-Mid-Day Report-C	6:00-Evening Report-C	6:30-Daniel Boone-C	7:30-Ironside-C
12:15-Community Closeup-C	6:30-Daniel Boone-C	7:30-Ironside-C	8:30-Dragnet-C
12:30-Your Putting Me On	7:30-Ironside-C	8:30-Dragnet-C	9:00-Dean Martin
1:00-Days of Our Lives-C	8:30-Dragnet-C	9:00-Dean Martin	10:00-Final Report-C
1:30-The Doctors-C	9:00-Dean Martin	10:00-Final Report-C	10:30-Tonight Show-C
2:00-Another World-C	10:00-Final Report-C	10:30-Tonight Show-C	12:00-New Mexico Report-C
2:30-You Don't Say-C	10:30-Tonight Show-C	12:00-New Mexico Report-C	12:15-Sign Off
3:00-Match Game-C	12:00-New Mexico Report-C	12:15-Sign Off	
3:25-Afternoon News-C	12:15-Sign Off		
3:30-Let's Make a Deal			
4:00-Hazel-C			
4:30-Bewitched			
5:00-Branded			
5:30-Huntley-Brinkley-C			
6:00-Evening Report-C			
6:30-Daniel Boone-C			
7:30-Ironside-C			
8:30-Dragnet-C			
9:00-Dean Martin			
10:00-Final Report-C			
10:30-Tonight Show-C			
12:00-New Mexico Report-C			
12:15-Sign Off			
SUNDAY August 3			
8:00-Faith for Today-C	9:00-Inight	10:00-Ask Your Minister-C	10:45-First Baptist Church
8:30-Glory Road-C	9:30-The Answer	10:00-Ask Your Minister-C	12:00-Meet the Press-C
9:00-Inight	10:00-Ask Your Minister-C	12:00-Meet the Press-C	12:30-Frontiers of Faith-C
9:30-The Answer	10:45-First Baptist Church	12:00-Meet the Press-C	1:00-Abbott and Costello-Meet Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde
10:00-Ask Your Minister-C	12:00-Meet the Press-C	12:30-Frontiers of Faith-C	2:20-Andy, Norman Alden
10:45-First Baptist Church	1:00-Abbott and Costello-Meet Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde	2:20-Andy, Norman Alden	3:45-The Girl in Black Stockings, Lex Barker, Anne Bancroft
12:00-Meet the Press-C	2:20-Andy, Norman Alden	3:45-The Girl in Black Stockings, Lex Barker, Anne Bancroft	5:00-Vogue Style Show-C
12:30-Frontiers of Faith-C	3:45-The Girl in Black Stockings, Lex Barker, Anne Bancroft	5:00-Vogue Style Show-C	
1:00-Abbott and Costello-Meet Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde	5:00-Vogue Style Show-C		
2:20-Andy, Norman Alden			
3:45-The Girl in Black Stockings, Lex Barker, Anne Bancroft			
5:00-Vogue Style Show-C			
WEDNESDAY August 6			
(Same as Thursday 7-6)			
6:30-Star Trek-C	7:30-Julia-C	8:00-Movie-A Child is Waiting, Burt Lancaster, Judy Garland	10:00-Final Report-C
7:30-Julia-C	8:00-Movie-A Child is Waiting, Burt Lancaster, Judy Garland	10:00-Final Report-C	10:30-Tonight Show-C
8:00-Movie-A Child is Waiting, Burt Lancaster, Judy Garland	10:00-Final Report-C	10:30-Tonight Show-C	12:00-New Mexico Report-C
10:00-Final Report-C	10:30-Tonight Show-C	12:00-New Mexico Report-C	12:15-Sign Off
10:30-Tonight Show-C	12:00-New Mexico Report-C	12:15-Sign Off	
12:00-New Mexico Report-C	12:15-Sign Off		
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THURSDAY July 31	
5:58-Sign On	6:00-Black Heritage
6:00-Black Heritage	6:30-In Farm Action-C
6:30-In Farm Action-C	7:00-Morning News-C
7:00-Morning News-C	8:00-Captain Kangaroo-C
8:00-Captain Kangaroo-C	9:00-Beverly Hillsbillies
9:00-Beverly Hillsbillies	10:00-Andy Griffith
10:00-Andy Griffith	11:00-Dick Van Dyke
11:00-Dick Van Dyke	11:30-Search for Tomorrow
11:30-Search for Tomorrow	12:00-National News-C
12:00-National News-C	12:05-Local News-C
12:05-Local News-C	12:12-Farm & Ranch News-C
12:12-Farm & Ranch News-C	12:22-South Plains Today-C
12:22-South Plains Today-C	12:30-As the World Turns-C
12:30-As the World Turns-C	1:00-Love is a Many Splendored Thing-C
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1:30-Guiding Light-C	2:00-Secret Storm-C
2:00-Secret Storm-C	2:30-Eve of Night-C
2:30-Eve of Night-C	3:00-The Linkletter Show-C
3:00-The Linkletter Show-C	4:00-General Hospital
4:00-General Hospital	4:30-One Life To Live
4:30-One Life To Live	5:00-Newlywed Game-C
5:00-Newlywed Game-C	5:30-Evening News-C
5:30-Evening News-C	6:00-Local News-C
6:00-Local News-C	6:10-Weather
6:10-Weather	6:20-Sports Report-C
6:20-Sports Report-C	6:30-Guns of Will Sonnett
6:30-Guns of Will Sonnett	7:00-The Prisoner-C
7:00-The Prisoner-C	8:00-John Davidson Show
8:00-John Davidson Show	9:00-Judd for the Defense
9:00-Judd for the Defense	10:00-News & Weather-C
10:00-News & Weather-C	10:30-Land of the Giants
10:30-Land of the Giants	11:30-All Star Theatre
11:30-All Star Theatre	12:00-Sign Off
12:00-Sign Off	
FRIDAY August 1	
(Same as Thursday 5:58-6:00)	
6:30-This is Tom Jones-C	7:30-Gomer-C
7:30-Gomer-C	8:00-New York Jets-College All Stars Preview Show-C
8:00-New York Jets-College All Stars Preview Show-C	
SATURDAY August 2	
5:58-Sign On	6:00-Black Heritage
6:00-Black Heritage	6:30-George of the Jungle
6:30-George of the Jungle	7:00-Go Go Gophers-C
7:00-Go Go Gophers-C	7:30-Bugs Bunny/Roadrunner Hour
7:30-Bugs Bunny/Roadrunner Hour	8:30-Wacky Races-C
8:30-Wacky Races-C	9:00-Archie Show-C
9:00-Archie Show-C	9:50-Batman/Superman Hour
9:50-Batman/Superman Hour	10:30-Herculoids-C
10:30-Herculoids-C	11:00-Shazzan-C
11:00-Shazzan-C	11:30-American Bandstand
11:30-American Bandstand	12:00-Happening '69-C
12:00-Happening '69-C	1:00-Discovery
1:00-Discovery	1:30-Wheels to Adventure
1:30-Wheels to Adventure	2:00-Wrestling
2:00-Wrestling	3:00-Summer Focus-Welfare-C
3:00-Summer Focus-Welfare-C	4:00-Westchester Classic-C
4:00-Westchester Classic-C	5:30-CBS News-C
5:30-CBS News-C	6:00-The King Family
6:00-The King Family	6:30-Jackie Gleason-C
6:30-Jackie Gleason-C	7:30-Lawrence Welk-C
7:30-Lawrence Welk-C	8:30-Petticoat Junction-C
8:30-Petticoat Junction-C	9:00-Here Come the Brides
9:00-Here Come the Brides	10:00-News & Weather-C
10:00-News & Weather-C	10:30-Movie-The Nutty Professor-C
10:30-Movie-The Nutty Professor-C	12:30-Sign Off
12:30-Sign Off	
SUNDAY August 3	
6:58-Sign On	7:00-Oral Roberts Show-C
7:00-Oral Roberts Show-C	7:30-Casper Cartoons
7:30-Casper Cartoons	8:00-Tom & Jerry
8:00-Tom & Jerry	8:30-Aquamaniac-C
8:30-Aquamaniac-C	9:00-Linus The LionHearted-C
9:00-Linus The LionHearted-C	9:30-Spanish Program-C
9:30-Spanish Program-C	10:30-The Living Word-C
10:30-The Living Word-C	10:45-Broadway Church of Christ
10:45-Broadway Church of Christ	11:45-TV Theatre
11:45-TV Theatre	12:00-Face the Nation-C
12:00-Face the Nation-C	12:30-Quest for Adventure
12:30-Quest for Adventure	1:00-Movie-The Deep Six
1:00-Movie-The Deep Six	2:30-AAU Track & Field Championship - C
2:30-AAU Track & Field Championship - C	
MONDAY August 4	
(Same as Thursday 5:58-6)	
6:30-Gunsmoke-C	7:30-Here's Lucy-C
7:30-Here's Lucy-C	8:00-Mayberry R. F. D.
8:00-Mayberry R. F. D.	8:30-Family Affair-C
8:30-Family Affair-C	9:00-Johnny Cash Show
9:00-Johnny Cash Show	10:00-News & Weather-C
10:00-News & Weather-C	10:30-Outcasts-C
10:30-Outcasts-C	11:30

Texas Water Plan

Dear Editor--
I have read many articles about the Texas Water Plan and have studied the effects of the Plan on the future of Texas. The thing that concerns me most is letters to the editors which express non-truths about the Texas Water Plan. Of course, I realize there are those who would like to turn our state back to the birds, animals and barren lands, but I think most Texans are more concerned about human needs. The Bible teaches that God created all things and his highest creation was man. To man he gave the charge to "be fruitful and replenish the earth, and subdue it." I hope we do not forget these commands and principles when we try to provide for man's needs.

The Texas Water Plan is big and will be costly, but the benefits Texans and their economy will receive from implementation of the Plan will be much, much more than the cost. Our cities and industries will continue to grow if provided ample water supplies and our agriculture land will be able to feed and clothe the increased population of the future. The actual financing of the plan will be at the expense of the users of the water. Constitutional Amendment No. 2 on the ballot August 5 would authorize an additional \$3.5 billion in bonds to the Water Development Board Fund. This fund has already helped more than 60 cities in Texas by lending them money at interest to provide water facilities for their people. The \$3.5 billion will be a continuation of this program with additional loans being made to political subdivisions for meeting their water needs for municipal and industrial use in the years ahead. However, it will be coordinated and incorporated in a state-wide plan. The plan also considers fresh water inflows for the bays and estuaries to provide an ecological balance in those areas. The enhancement to fish and wildlife will be tremendous as well as refreshing and scenic to the tourist along with all the recreational benefits. Water for agriculture is provided in the plan, but this water will be furnished in cooperation with the Bureau of Reclamation and the Corps of Engineers. Before projects can be approved by Congress, the Bureau studies must show that benefits will exceed cost and the government will be paid back by water fees under user contracts.

The \$3.5 billion bond program would be for a period of 40-50 years as need arises. The bonds could not be placed on the market until approved in increments by a 2/3 majority vote of the legislature. This, in effect, assures flexibility in the Texas Water Plan by assuring that the needs of the people are being taken into consideration each time the legislature is asked to approve an increment of bonds for issue. The program financing is similar to the Veterans Land Program and the Texas Opportunity School Loan Program which will not cost the State of Texas because they are loans at interest that are being paid back by veterans and young Texans who borrowed money to finish their college education. Planning and providing for future water supplies will cost approximately 1/4 that spent on highways and about 1/8 that spent on education per year. Without water supplies there would be no need for highways, schools, cities, industry, churches, etc. Water is one element essential to all. The greatness of Texas and Texans will depend on how we plan and provide for the future. In Proverbs it says that "where there is no vision, the people perish." Texans have vision and will prove it August 5 by approving Amendment No. 2. If we as a people can split the atom, put a man on the moon, and transplant a human heart, we can-we must-and we will provide for our future water supplies.

Sincerely yours,
Bill Clayton, State Representative
Author of H. J. R. No. 9

Teenage Summer Jobs In Large Cities Most Critical

Summer job problems of youth are most critical in the large cities, where knowledge of job opportunities is frequently limited. In the 20 largest metropolitan areas, approximately 2.6 million 16-19 year-olds will be in the labor force, the same as last summer.

If all teenage jobseekers are to find work, the number of jobs available will have to be 400,000 greater than were available last summer.

Many teenagers will have held jobs during the winter and spring and, therefore, will not be looking for work initially in the summer months. An estimated 1.6 million 16-19 year-olds were employed in these 20 metropolitan areas in the spring of 1969 (March-May average), virtually the same number as a year earlier.

About 40% of these jobs are full time, presumably carrying on into the summer. The other 60% are part-time jobs held by students who probably will want full-time work during school vacation or as they begin their working careers upon graduation from high school.

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Haberer With Mobilization Unit

Arthur Ray Haberer, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kelley of Earth is presently stationed at Ft. Lewis, Washington, where he is attached to a mobilization unit. Haberer, a 1966 graduate of Littlefield High School, entered military service and received basic training at Ft. Bliss, Texas, prior to the assignment at Ft. Lewis. He attended Springlake-Earth schools six years before entering the Littlefield school. His daughter, Misty Lea, resides at Mineral Wells, Texas. His address is Pvt. Arthur R. Haberer, U. S. 54423355, HQ Co. USA TC Inf., Ft. Lewis, Washington, 98433.



PVT. ARTHUR R. HABERER

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gover visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fulbright in Frederick, Oklahoma last week. Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lemons of Clarendon visited the A. W. Gover family Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Kilmer of Lubbock were the weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Adrian.

Weekend visitors in the Wayne Rutherford home were Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Fuller, Cortez Colo. Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Louder and boys, Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cooper, Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ussery are planning to leave toward the end of the week for a vacation to Ruidoso. The Usserys make their home in Ruidoso much of the time now.

TOPS Gain 12 3/4 Pounds

Seventeen Happy Losers TOPS Club members weren't so happy when the scales registered a 12 3/4 lbs. gain and a loss of only 7 1/2 pounds, at the Thursday evening meeting. Alma Ott, Queen for the Week with a 2 1/2 pounds loss, gave hints on how she successfully loses weight. Elaine Bie presented the program in which she discussed the story of a TOPS Member who successfully lost 109 pounds, who weighed 230 pounds as a new member and reduced to a weight of 121 pounds. The group was dismissed with the Serenity Prayer. Several members travelled to Muleshoe after the adjournment where they counted calories as they dined together.

Four Local Women Attend Mission School

Four local women, Mrs. F. E. Burgess, Mrs. Johnnie Williams, Mrs. Ine Beavers and Mrs. Ray Axtell were among more than 200 church women who gathered at McMurry College in Abilene the week of July 28-August 1 for the twentieth annual School of Christian Mission of the Northwest Texas Conference, United Methodist Church. The school is sponsored each year by the Women's Society of Christian Service and the Wesleyan Service Guild of the conference. For several years now it has been held on the McMurry campus. The school attracted Methodist women from a wide area of West Texas, including the South Plains and Panhandle areas. This year's school featured three studies: "Reconciliation in a Broken World," "Toward Understanding China and the Chinese People," and "Being Christian in a New Day." Study leaders included Mrs. C. B. McGowan of Baton Rouge, La., Miss Maryruth Nickels of

Sharla Haberer to Serve As Music Camp Officer

Sharla Haberer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Haberer of Earth is among the twenty-one youngsters from 15 public schools in West Texas to be selected to serve as student officers in the capacity of captain, for Texas Tech's Youth Music Camp in 1970. Captains, assistant captains and quartermasters will receive full scholarships to next summer's camp, and social directors and student directors will receive tuition scholarships. The officers, named by the faculty of the 1969 camp, which closed Friday, July 25 include: Captains--Cynthia Deiment, Lovelland; Karen Hobbs, Wilson; Becky James, Big Spring; Dan Hanson, Lamesa; A. W. Lehman, Lubbock Coronado; Bill Martin, Snyder; Mike Sanford, Lubbock Monterey; and Sharla Haberer, Springlake-Earth. Assistant Captains--Jim Campbell, Lubbock Monterey; John Davis, Jayton; Kent Kirkpatrick, Post Ann Morris, Lamesa; Joel Armstrong, Lubbock Coronado. Quartermasters--Bob Burke, Midland; Bruce Hall, Littlefield; Jimmy Killion, Lubbock Monterey; Rusty Smith, Ballinger. Social Directors--Judy Clanan, Plainview; Kenny Whitehead, Monahans.



SHARLA HABERER

Editors of Camp Student Newspaper--Kent Fish, Big Spring; Jeanne Winton, Lubbock Coronado. Some 511 young musicians were enrolled in this year's two-week intensive training session held under direction of Tech Band Director Dean Killion. The Springlake-Earth senior is active in National Honor Society, F. H. A. and band. She was the recipient of the John Phillip Sousa award last year.

men who go to pot develop not-bellies? Dr. George Cahill, Jr. of Harvard Medical School says it's because of the peculiar nature of a man's abdominal fat cells which react more to the hormone, insulin, than ordinary fat cells. When full-thickness skin grafts have been made from a young man's abdomen to his arm, Dr. Cahill points out, a "marked protuberance" will develop year later on the arm as well as at the waist. However, since muscle-stretching and overweight are the other vital ingredients for a pot-belly, loss of a trim waist is by no means inevitable, Dr. Cahill notes.

Middleage Men Gain Weight

Dallas, Mrs. C. K. Burns of Crawford, Texas, Mrs. Oscar W. Low of Denver, Dr. Allen Lamar Cooper of SMU, Mrs. Robert C. May of Seagoville, Texas, and Mrs. Cecil Matthews of Canyon. Mrs. Matthews is also conference president of the WSCS. She served as program coordinator for the school. Mrs. Roy LeMond of Post was dean, and Mrs. C. B. McIton of Floydada was assistant dean.

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BLACKIE HOLLINGSWORTH, and JIMMY BANKS (with back to camera) served as able cooks for the Community fish fry at the Springlake Park last Thursday evening.

Community Social Not So Old

Do you remember when the community got together for those old fashioned ice cream socials, Sunday dinners on the ground or even a barn or house raising?

This question should never be asked. Community gatherings should not be a happening of long ago left only as memories of events that once happened. Instead, events such as these should continue so that our children can share those same memories and not just listen to Mom and Dad reminisce.

Community gatherings such as the Thursday evening fish fry in Springlake should be held occasionally so there would be no need of "renewing old acquaintances," but rather a "hello neighbor how've you been."

While Blackie Hollingsworth, Percy Parson and Jimmy Banks were busy cooking fish and nosh puppies, ladies of the Springlake community were busy uncovering large bowls of salad, vegetables and deserts, atop an old flat bed trailer covered with a variety of cloths.

The hum of noise in the background could have been the football game of the boys, the girl talk of clothing, back to school activities, or the latest "fling", or possibly tiny tots meeting each other for the first time and trying to communicate.

Men stood in small circles and discussed crops, politics and the usual shop talk while other women discussed their children, homes and visited with friends from Earth and Olton, some of whom they had not seen in 15 years or so.

The 200 or more attending the old fashion fish fry in the nice little Springlake park, which is rarely used, would like to say a special THANKS to Blackie Hollingsworth, B. V. Padon and Jerry and Sam Barden, Springlake fishermen who donated the fish and Richard Green for the potatoes for reviving such a wonderful old custom.

The short, fuzzy fibers that cling to the cotton seed are called "linters."

Craig Barton High Point Individual in District Horse Show

Big Spring. The top 20 4-H horsemen in Extension District 2 qualified here (July 24) to compete in the State 4-H Horse Show slated for August 14-16 in Sweetwater.

High point individual in the district show which attracted 122 youngsters from throughout the South Plains was Craig Barton, Lamb County 4-H'er from Earth. Craig, 17, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Barton. He exhibited the grand champion gelding, the second year in a row, and captured top honors in the showmanship contest. Craig came in second in the western pleasure event.

Sheri Johnson of Floyd County was among the top horsemen as she showed the reserve champion gelding and won first place in the Barrel Racing event.

Other top winners included Vickie Lee Johnson, Scurry County, who showed the grand champion mare and Melvena Stewart, Garza County, who exhibited the reserve champion mare.

Other performance class winners were David Wilson, Hale County, western pleasure; Billy

Hyman, Terry County, reining; and Clarice Tumlison, Gaines County, pole bending.

Other 4-H'ers who qualified for the state show on the basis of points earned were the following: Deborah Whitehead, Mickie Dewbre and Sherite Fluit, all of Cochran County; Ginger Henderson, Denise Johnson, Jill Wheeler and Gregg Taylor, all of Floyd; Eldon McClung, Swisher; Dale Eicke and Michelle Cummings, Terry; Roy Dale Wood, Briscoe; Lisa Marie Voss, Scurry; and Pam Trimble, Lubbock.

Judges for the show were Jimmy Taylor, Big Spring banker, and Bill Reager, Martin County agricultural agent.

Top winners, by classes, were as follows:

Registered mares, 5 years and over: 1. Vickie Lee Johnson; 2. Steve Fowler, Lubbock; 3. Penny Brazel, Lubbock.

Registered mares, under 5 years: 1. Mary Anderson, Borden; 2. Mona Henderson, Floyd; 3. Darrell Taylor, Borden.

Grand mares, under 14 hands 3 inches: 1. Melvena Stewart;

2. Debby Dennis, Borden; 3. Pam Trimble.

Grade mares, 14 hands 3 inches and over: 1. Jill Wheeler; 2. Eldon McClung; 3. Ginger Henderson.

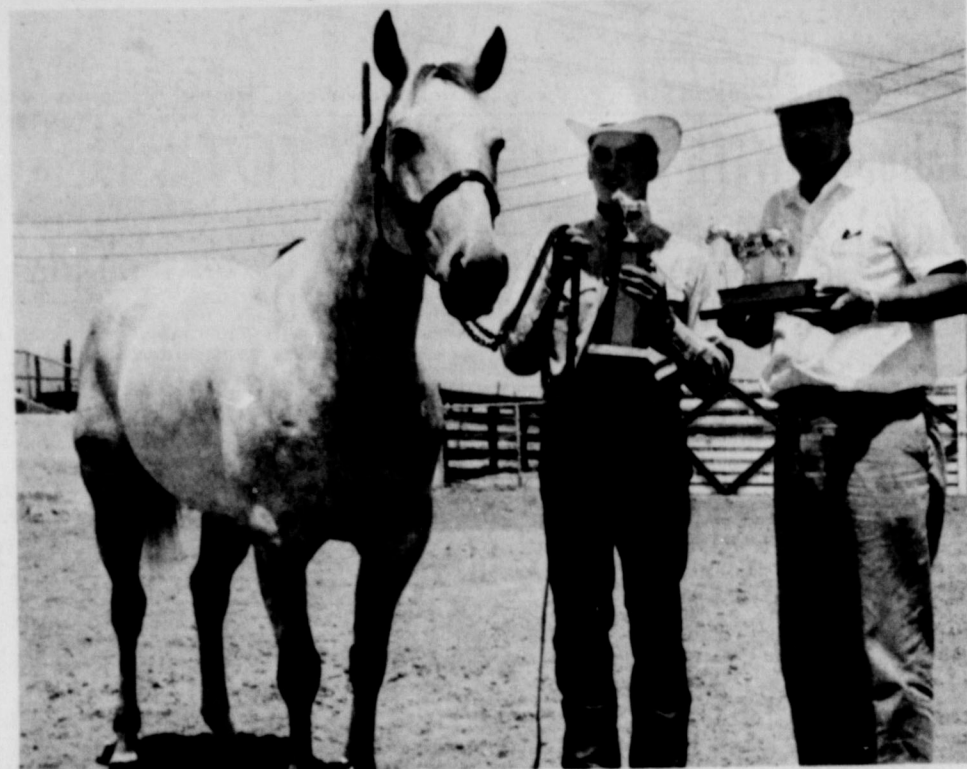
Registered geldings, under 5 years: 1. Toby Tucker, Bailey; 2. Gregg Taylor; 3. Danny Wheeler, Floyd.

Grade geldings, 14 hands 3 inches and over: 1. Sheri Johnson; 2. Susie Pope, Lubbock; 3. Tony Winn, Yoakum.

Showmanship: 1. Craig Barton; 2. Deborah Whitehead; 3. Ginger Henderson. Western Pleasure: 1. David Wilson; 2. Craig Barton; 3. Gregg Taylor.

Reining: 1. Billy Hyman; 2. Dale Eicke; 3. David Wilson. Pole bending: 1. Clarice Tumlison; 2. Deborah Whitehead; 3. Sherita Fluit.

Barrel racing: 1. Sheri Johnson; 2. Denise Johnson; 3. Lisa Marie Voss.



CRAIG BARTON, HIGH POINT EXHIBITOR in the District 4-H horse show is shown receiving trophies from Billy C. Gunter, District 2 Agriculture Agent. Craig has owned and trained Blue Fob for two years.

PLANS UNDER WAY FOR COUNTY PIONEER REUNION

Members of the Lamb County Pioneer Association met Tuesday, July 22 to begin making plans for the forth coming annual Pioneer Reunion to be held in late August.

At the first planning meeting Mrs. Bonnie Haberer was appointed to appear on television for publicity for the reunion.

Mrs. Haberer was also appointed chairman of the hospitality committee.

The next planning meeting will be August 12 at 8:00 p.m. in the Flame Room at the Pioneer Natural Gas Company in Littlefield. All committee members are urged to attend this important meeting.

George Laing To Receive Masters Degree From E. N. M. U.

George Laing of Houston, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Laing of Earth was listed among the names of 273 candidates for undergraduate and graduate degrees at Eastern New Mexico University that make up summer graduation list announced today by Miss Ruth Wheeler, registrar.

Degrees ranging from associate arts of education specialists are to be conferred on the students at combined baccalaureate and commencement exercises beginning at 8 p. m. Friday (Aug. 1) in the Physical Education Complex on campus.

Added to the total number of students receiving degrees at the spring graduation services May 29, the summer figure boosts the number of graduates in 1969 to a record breaking 788. In 1968, 694 degrees were awarded to Eastern students in what had been a record for the University.

Included in the list of 273 candidates are the names of 11 students who are to graduate with honors.

George Laing will be receiving his master's degree in mathematics during the August graduation exercises. He taught mathematics in Eastern New Mexico University while working on his masters in 1967. This past year



GEORGE LAING

he taught in the University of Houston while working on his Ph.D. there.

After graduating from Springlake High School, George Laing continued his education at the University of Houston, where he received his bachelor's degree. He then returned to this area where he farmed for several years.

Mr. Laing once again returned to his studies to work on his master's degree at Eastern New Mexico University in Portales. Prior to that time he served for four years in the United States Air Force. He will return to Houston this fall to continue his teaching duties in the University there, and will do further work on his doctoral degree.

SCHOOL NURSE ATTENDS HEALTH CONFERENCE

Mrs. Dorothy Wood, nurse for the Springlake-Earth School's attended the School Health Conference July 22-23 in San Antonio.

The two day conference was conducted on the campus of Trinity University by members of the American Medical Association, state health officials, nutritionists and educators from colleges and universities from across the country.

Lectures, panel discussions and open participation were conducted in order that school medical employees could develop guidelines that would enable them to evaluate school health programs and reestablish optimum programs.

Joyce Oliver, Littlefield school nurse accompanied Mrs. Wood to San Antonio by plane. They left Monday evening and returned Wednesday.

Museum Association To Seek Charter

At a special called meeting Thursday in the County Courtroom, the Lamb County Museum Association became an official organization.

County Judge G. T. Sides presided at the meeting until Mancil Hall was elected as the organization's first president.

Doc Holt of Olton will serve as vice president. Charles Duval was elected to serve as secretary and treasurer of the group is Roy McQuatters of Spade.

President Mancil Hall presented the proposed by-laws to the 16 persons present for the meeting. After the reading, a committee was appointed to revise the laws in selected places. Truitt Sides of Littlefield, Don Joiner of Fieldton and Ann Rutledge of Littlefield will serve on the revision committee.

As soon as the museum by-laws are revised and adopted, the association will make application to the state for a charter.

Memberships to the Museum Association will be sold as soon as membership cards are printed and delivered to area membership chairmen. Memberships will be divided into five categories—student, \$1.00; adult, \$3; family, \$10; contributing, \$20; and patron, \$50.

Mrs. Marshall Kelley was appointed membership chairman for the Earth area. Other chairmen appointed were Mrs. A. H. Schivally, Fieldton-Hart Camp; Ray Smith, Spade; Louis Hair, Olton; Mrs. Bonnie Haberer, Pleasant Valley; Mrs. Lester La Grange, Amberst; Mrs. W. V. Terry, Sudan; and Mrs. E. D. Goertz, Luins, Chapel.

At present members are seeking a suitable location in Littlefield. The building must be easily accessible to the public and tourists, fire proof, and large with plenty of wall space.

Charter memberships are being sought by the association. Interested persons are asked to contact area chairmen after the membership drive begins.

The association will meet September 4 at 7:30 p. m. in the County Courtroom to adopt by-laws and begin making the dream of the museum come true.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Perkins and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Tolle Schubert in Adrian, Sunday. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lomax of Amarillo. Lomax is presently conducting services at the Adrian Church of Christ.

Former Resident Aids In Recovery of Apollo 11

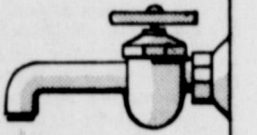
Chief Petty Officers Stanley Robnett former resident of Earth was on helicopter #66 and assisted in the rescue of the Astronauts after the splash-down Thursday.

His twin sons from California were visiting their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Robnett in Ruidoso Sunday and watched eagerly to see their daddy. Unfortunately Stanley was left inside the helicopter to keep his foot on the brake when it was rolled onto the carrier Hornet. Stanley was born in Earth and attended school at Springlake. Robnett has served with the U. S. Navy for the past 13 years.

PROTESTANTS PROTEST

LONDON — More militant protestants are protesting again — this time because the profile of Queen Elizabeth II, who is titular head of the Church of England, appears with a drawing of Liverpool's new Roman Catholic Cathedral on a stamp to be issued in May. The stamp, value 1s.6d (21 cents) is part of a new series on architecture. Four other cathedrals chosen are Anglican (Durham, York Minster, St. Paul's and Canterbury) and one Presbyterian (St. Giles', Edinburgh).

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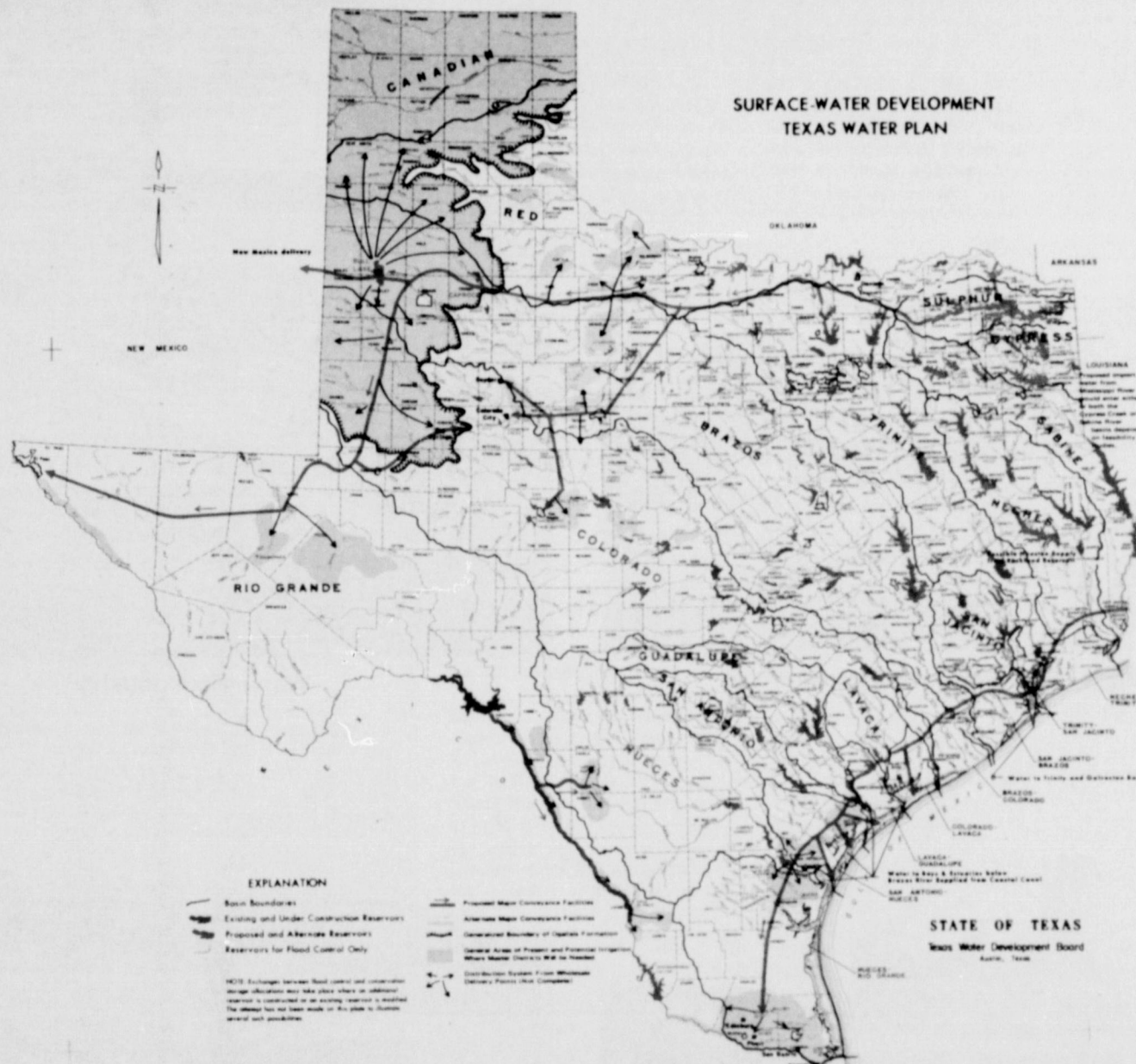
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Texas Water News



Texas' Future Hinges on Water Amendment Ballot August 5

Texas voters will ballot Aug. 5 on a constitutional amendment that would provide the State of Texas the capability to authorize the issuing of \$3.5 billion in water development fund bonds for Texas' share of the \$9 billion Texas Water Plan.

Their decision on this first Tuesday in August will chart the course Texas will follow into the next century—a course leading to unprecedented economic growth and prosperity for the entire state, or a path leading to decline and stagnation caused by the lack of adequate water for the state's villages, towns and cities, its industries, and for its irrigated agriculture.

The Amendment—Number 2 on the ballot—authorizes an

increase in the Water Development Fund of \$3.5 billion; removal of the 4 per cent interest rate limitation on the Fund's bonds and authorizes the rate to be set by legislative enactment; expands use of the Fund for the development of water resources for the State, both within and without the limits of the state; removes the Dec. 31, 1982 cutoff date for use of the bond funds to assist political subdivisions of the state to develop their water resources; empowers the Water Development Board to contract with federal agencies, other states, foreign countries—such as Canada—and others for the development of water resources and the bonds would not be used for gifts or grants. They would

be repaid—with interest—by the users of water. The Texas Water Plan is based on the concept that all reimbursable costs of water developments would be repaid by those who use the water.

Planners from the Texas Water Development Board estimate that Texas, after a full development of its water resources, will have a shortage of 12 to 13 million acre feet annually by 2020. An acre foot is 325,581 gallons.

To overcome this anticipated shortage, the Texas Water Plan proposes the importation of some 13 million acre feet of surplus water each year from the lower Mississippi River to meet an estimated requirement of 32 million acre feet for growing

cities, industries, and agriculture.

The immense Texas Water Plan proposes the construction of 67 dams and reservoirs—with 33.6 million acre feet of conservation storage and 16.1 acre feet of flood control—at an estimated cost (in 1967 dollars) of \$2.4 billion. Remaining costs would amount to some \$6.5 billion.

The Texas Water Plan sketches a massive network of transstate transmission canals spanning north Texas and the Gulf Coast, connecting pipelines, pumping stations, and power plants—possibly nuclear powered.

The 500-mile concrete-lined northern canal would begin in the upper Sulphur River basin

of east Texas and extend westward past Lubbock in the High Plains, turn south and west to the Trans Pecos where a pipeline would connect with the canal for movement of municipal and industrial water to El Paso. The Trans-Texas division would carry about 10 million acre feet of water a year for northern and western Texas.

In addition to serving the Northeast Texas basins, the cities of Dallas, Fort Worth, Lubbock, San Angelo, Abilene, Odessa, Midland, and other communities, the division, with its offshoot pipelines, would provide irrigation water for north central Texas, the High Plains, and the Trans Pecos

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THE TEXAS WATER PLAN

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Water For Cities and Towns



Water For Industry



Water For Agriculture



Water For Recreation

"THANK YOU!"

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Amendment No. 2

Someone has said—facetiously, yet seriously—“there are 11 million reasons to vote for Constitutional Amendment No. 2 on Aug. 5—the People of Texas.

The Amendment, approved overwhelmingly by the 61st Legislature, broadens the powers of the Texas Water Development Board and the purposes of the Water Development Fund; eliminates the interest limitations (4 per cent) on Texas Water Development Bonds; raises the authorized amount of Texas Water Development Bonds by \$3.5 billion; extends the maturity schedule on Texas Water Development Bonds from 40 to 50 years; eliminates the Dec. 31, 1982 cutoff date for financial assistance by the Board to political subdivisions for the development and improvement of their water supply systems; and empowers the Board to contract with the federal agencies, other states, foreign governments—such as Canada—and others for the development of water resources and facilities.

Voters of Texas will have their say on the proposed amendment to the Constitution on Aug. 5.

Basically, the proposed Amendment would provide the State of Texas with the capability to finance its share of the cost of the Texas Water Plan, estimated to be (in 1967 dollars) \$9 billion. The balance of the costs initially financed by the federal government.

An important aspect of the Texas Water Plan, however, is that the entire projects' cost will ultimately be paid by water users. So the real question is not “Who will pay?” but, rather, “Who will advance the money?”

In this respect the State is performing the function of a banker supplying funds for interim financing. All costs to the State, both principal and interest, will be recovered—although the recovery will be spread over a long period of time.

Before any of the \$3.5 billion in bonds could be issued—they will be issued over a period of 40 to 50 years—two-thirds of the Legislature must give approval. The bond funds will not be used for gifts or grants. Funds provided for the development of water resources must—and will—be repaid the State with interest.

Of the State's estimated \$3.5 billion share of financing, \$2.3 billion is earmarked for development of municipal and industrial water supplies; \$65 million is earmarked for the cost of storage acquisition in reservoirs not a part of the Texas Water System; \$600 million is set aside for future loan programs of the Texas Water Development Board; and \$500 million for contingencies.

Approval of the Amendment on Aug. 5 will give the State the flexibility needed in the full development of the State's water resources for the benefit of the people of Texas.

Water Plans Will Meet State's Needs

Texas is entering a new era in the development of its water resources, an era unequalled in the state's long history.

To meet the water requirements of booming, dynamic Texas and its projected growth of 30.5 million people in the year 2020, the Texas Water Development Board has prepared a \$9 billion master plan for the development of Texas water resources.

Highlighted by far-sighted proposals to transport surplus waters from the Mississippi River and moisture-rich east Texas by giant canals to parched west and south Texas and parts of New Mexico, the Plan represents more than a decade

of intensive study and an expenditure of about \$10 million. Estimated state share of overall project costs (in terms of 1967 dollars) is \$3.5 billion. Federal and local funds would pay for the rest.

The Plan provides for the construction of 67 dams and reservoirs and alternates, huge transmission canals and pipelines, pumping stations, and power facilities for the movement of vast quantities of water annually to water-deficient area—about half of Texas—to meet the needs of towns and cities, industries, and agriculture. Other beneficial water requirements will also be met by the Plan.

Three divisions—the Trans-Texas, Coastal, and Eastern—form a dramatic part of the Texas Water Plan.

The Trans-Texas Division will supply municipal, industrial and agricultural requirements in the Northeast Texas basins, the Dallas-Fort Worth area, the North Central sector, the South Plains, Trans Pecos, El Paso, and eastern New Mexico.

A total of 10.3 million acre feet a year will move through the huge system from an Interstate System and from Northeast Texas across the top of Texas holding reservoirs on the Caprock near Lubbock for distribution to the Plains, Trans Pecos, El Paso and Eastern New Mexico. New Mexico will receive 1.5 million acre feet of out-of-state water while 7.5 million acre feet will be allocated to agriculture along the route served by the Canal. Municipal and industrial users will receive 950,000 acre feet of water to satisfy their requirements.

The Coastal Division will supply some 4.5 million acre feet annual water for municipal and industrial uses, for irrigation, the bays and estuaries and for wildlife refuges from the Sabine River to the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

Estimated water requirements west and south of the Brazos River, plus inflows into Galveston Bay but excluding Houston and San Antonio requirements, are 1.8 million acre feet for irrigation, 2.5 million additional acre feet for bays and estuaries, 433,000 acre feet for municipal and industrial supplies, and 60,000 acre feet for fish and wildlife.

Water supplies for Houston can be met by several alternatives, including combinations of supply from the Brazos, Trinity, San Jacinto, and Neches river basins, ground water, and water from the Coastal Canal.

Cuero, Cibolo, and Goliad reservoirs, with Cannon reservoir and a pipeline system, part of the Coastal Division, can, through systems operation, supply San Antonio with 220,000 acre feet of water annually to supplement available ground water from the Edwards Aquifer.

The Winter Garden area, southwest of San Antonio, can be served by conveyance of releases out of Amistad Reservoir on the Rio Grande. Water supplied from Amistad to irrigators in these areas will be replaced in the Lower Valley by deliveries through the Coastal Canal.

The Eastern Division of the System includes facilities which will be required to move water imported from out-of-state sources to the Trans-Texas and Coastal divisions.

Subject to the results of feasibility studies, the Board proposes that design and construction begin in the following sequence:

(1) Storage facilities in South-

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AN EDITORIAL: — ARLINGTON CITIZEN Texas Water Plan a “Must”

TEXANS ON AUGUST 5 will determine the course our state will take into the next century. One course, begun nearly two decades ago and ready for action now, will provide adequate water resources to keep Texas moving ahead with vision and determination. The other leads to stagnation and decline because of an inadequate water supply.

WHAT IS AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO?

Amendment No. 2 authorizes the Texas Water Development Board to issue \$3.5 billion in bonds to finance Texas' share of the cost of the Texas Water Plan. This money is not to be used to provide gifts or grants, but will provide temporary financing which will be repaid by water users. The Amendment also removes the 4 per cent ceiling on Water Development Bonds.

WHAT IS THE TEXAS WATER PLAN?

The objective of the Texas Water Plan is to provide adequate water to maintain the growth and prosperity of Texas into the next century when it is estimated that we will have a population of 30.5 million people. The Plan provides for the full development of our water resources and the importation of surplus water from the lower Mississippi River for distribution to areas with declining water resources.

WHO IS TO PAY FOR THE PLAN?

Cost of the \$9 billion Texas Water Plan — Texas' share is estimated at \$3.5 billion — will be shared by local, state and federal governments, with those who ultimately use the water paying much of the costs of the Plan.

WHY DOES TEXAS NEED A WATER RESOURCE PLAN?

By the end of this century — in just 31 years — Texas will not have enough water to supply its growing cities, its expanding industry, and its irrigated agriculture. To assure an adequate water supply, the state has prepared a plan for the full development, management and use of its water resources — and an imported water supply — to serve Texas to the year 2020 and to assure all Texans water to meet their needs.

WILL THE PLAN PROVIDE ADEQUATE WATER FOR TEXAS?

Yes. With our current major reservoirs (157), the proposed full development of our water resources (67 dams and reservoirs) and an imported supply of water, Texas can meet its water demands to the year 2020.

WHO WILL BENEFIT FROM THE PLAN?

The people of Texas will benefit from the Texas Water Plan. The Plan provides for meeting all essential and beneficial water requirements throughout the state. The Plan will provide water for domestic and municipal uses, for industry, for agriculture, for recreation, for our bays and estuaries, and for other beneficial purposes. The Texas Water Plan will provide Water for Texas!

Look At It With 2020 Vision

By BILL McCLANAHAN
Dallas News Staff Cartoonist





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Governor, 3 Former Governors Head Blue-Ribbon Panel for Amendment 2

The men who talk Texas, live Texas and epitomize the sterling qualities of Texas leadership are manning the ramparts on behalf of Constitutional Amendment No. 2.

This proposal is expected to reflect the combined influence of the state's finest on election day, August 5. Heading the massive effort to implement the 50-year water program are the four governors whose regimes marked inception of the vast Water Plan and the successive step to make it operational.

In order of service the Chief Executives are Governors Allan Shivers, Price Daniel, John B. Connally and the present Governor, Preston Smith.

Speaking of his predecessors, Governor Smith said,

"I know of none in Texas who have individually or collectively contributed more to the development and conservation of the state's vital water resources than these former governors. Each during his tenure provided the leadership and gave the time and energy to the development of our water resources. Texas has benefitted from their devotion, and future generations of Texas will be the beneficiaries of their vision and leadership."

"The availability of an adequate supply of water has always made the difference between prosperity and want—

between plenty and famine. For these reasons, water has played a major role in the Texas story—has been the essential element in placing a State known for wide open spaces in the position of sustaining the Nation's third largest population by 1985; a high rate of growth in business, industry and finance; and the Nation's third largest agricultural industry.

"Our State's growth projections in these areas nearly defy imagination, and yet experts tell us that these projections and future prosperity cannot be realized unless giant steps are taken now to assure Texas' future water resources.

"The Texas Water Plan was

developed to make maximum use of the available water in our State and to provide for additional out-of-state water as needed. This work has taken place during all of our administrations as Governor of Texas. The plan comes to its first real public test on August 5 when you, the voters of Texas, are being asked to approve Constitutional Amendment No. 2, which will authorize the Texas Water Development Board to sell up to \$3.5 billion in additional bonds over a forty year period, in amounts as needed, and as authorized by a two-third vote of the State Legislature—money that will eventually be repaid by water users.

"We urge you to vote for Constitutional Amendment No. 2 on August 5. It may be the most important vote this generation of Texas will cast."

Chairmen of the Governor's Committee of 500, comprising leaders from all parts of Texas are:

- Attorneys - Joe Kilgore, Austin
- Agri-Business - Harold Hinn, Dallas
- Cities - Steve Matthews, Austin
- Contractors - Jim Richards, Austin
- Coordination - Rep. Bill Clayton, Springlake
- County Officials - W. D. Henson, Dalhart

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Texas Can Rightfully Claim to be 'Land O' Lakes'

Move over, Wisconsin and Minnesota. Texas is hard after your claims to being the "Land O' Lakes."

Texas today has more square miles of inland water than any other state in the Union. And with the mammoth Texas

Water Plan now off the drawing boards and the state policy for the future development of the state's water resources, Texas—

particularly East and South-east Texas—could well become the nation's water wonderland.

The variety of recreation available in Texas is unsurpassed among the 50 states. Whether vacationists and recreationists want only a few hours of fun, a vacation of several weeks, or permanent retirement, they have an almost endless choice in Texas.

Texas today has 157 major reservoirs constructed or under construction. And these lakes offer abundant opportunities for recreation, be it fishing, water skiing, swimming or just plain loafing along their scenic shores. The Texas Water Plan proposes the construction of 67 major dams and reservoirs, or alternates, during the next 50 years or so to provide water needed by the people of Texas for their cities and towns, their industry, and for their agriculture. These reservoirs will also serve other useful and

beneficial purposes, including recreation.

And the 35 counties that most of East Texas stand to gain immeasurable benefits from the Texas Water Plan. The Plan proposes the construction of 28 dams and reservoirs in this historic and exciting section of Texas in addition to the other facilities needed to provide water for Texans.

The benefits to East Texans—today and in the future—are staggering. Not only does the Plan provide an assured water supply for East Texas villages, towns and cities and the industry that abounds throughout the region, it will provide a more viable economic base which will not be limited because of lack of water.

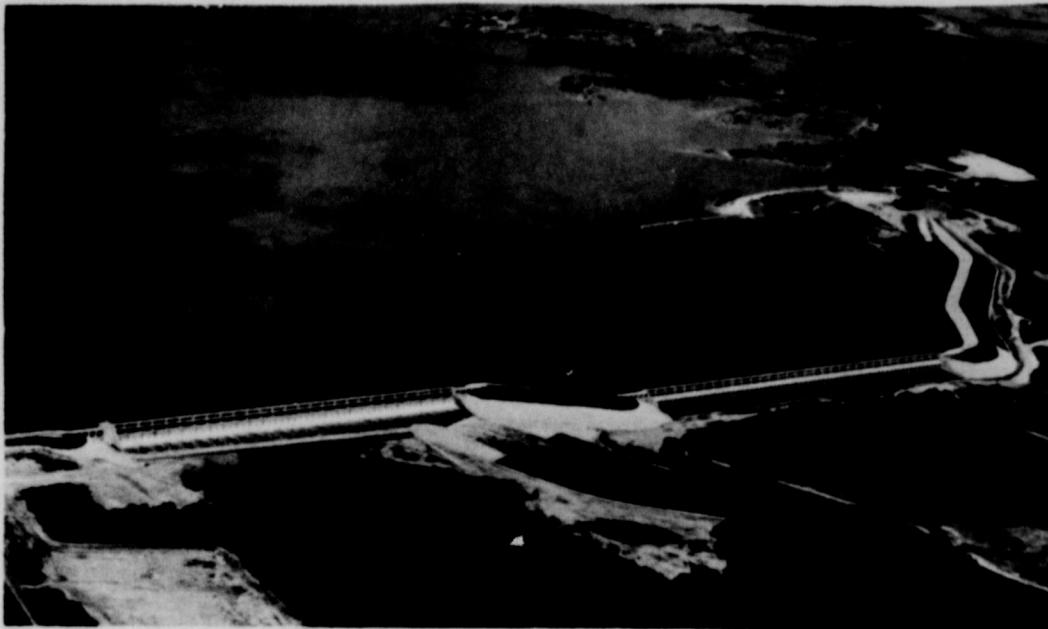
The Texas Water Plan is based on the premise that there will be no interference with vested rights under existing water permits. The basin of origin provisions of the Texas Water Development Act provides legal basis for protection of intrabasin rights. There is no comparable legal protection in federal law or policies nor in other Texas statutes that provide such protection.

Reasonable intrabasin needs for all beneficial purposes developing within the next ensuing 50-year period will have absolute priority of right over exportation for out-of-basin demands except on a temporary interim basis.

Not only will these reservoirs provide an assured water supply for the future, many other economic benefits will accrue to the region.

During construction of the 28 dams and reservoirs and other facilities proposed by the Texas Water Plan in the region, more than \$2.2 billion will be expended. This will contribute greatly to the economy of East Texas by providing jobs, demands for services, and sale of supplies by merchants and others in the region.

Recreation benefits to the region are expected to exceed \$180 million annually by 2020 after full development of the water resources in East Texas.



Water For Texans

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west Texas and the Coastal Canal from the Lower Rio Grande Valley, building eastward. The Plan calls for construction of the dams and cannal to begin in 1975, with delivery of interim supplies of water from these projects scheduled in 1980 into the Coastal Canal.

Construction of the Eastern and Trans-Texas divisions, with their reservoirs and transmission facilities, is scheduled to begin in 1977, with first delivery of water in 1985. It is anticipated that construction of the import system will begin in 1980, with delivery of water coming in 1988.

Water available as surplus from the Northeast Texas basins would move westward first, supplying the requirements of the Dallas-Fort Worth complex as needed, and other West Texas requirements.

As facilities from the Mississippi River are completed, additional water to West Texas, plus the 1.5 million acre feet annually for New Mexico, would be moved through the Trans-Texas Division facilities as rapidly as municipal demands increase and as irrigation distribution systems facilities are constructed to serve the land.

When the Coastal Canal is completed east to the Sabine River, Mississippi River water can be brought directly into the Coastal Division to supplement eastern basin water providing 2020 project requirements in the area supplied by the Coastal Division.

Projects proposed by the Plan include dams and reservoirs to meet local water requirements throughout the state and to provide flood control and other benefits to the area and to the state. Navigation, hurricane protection projects, upstream watershed-protection pro-

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grams, drainage of wetlands, natural salinity alleviation projects, and phreatophyte control projects are included in the Plan.

"No water resource development program on this scale or of this complexity has ever been attempted anywhere," commented Howard B. Boswell, executive director of the Texas Water Development Board.



A Restful Spot



Piney Wood Sentinels

Water Development Not New in Texas, Neither Is Financial Plan

Planning the wise use of water is not new in Texas. Neither is financing the development of the state's water resources although providing funds for water development projects is not as old as the development and wise use of the state's water resources.

Spaniards, in 1680, began the wise use of water resources of the land now called Texas when they began the first irrigation of crops near what is now El Paso. Indians in the area planned the use of their meager water resources long before the Conquistadores invaded the land and settled there. Planning, development, and use of Texas' waters has continued in some manner to the present.

Development of the State's water resources moved slowly during the '30s and '40s with most of the development being done by cities, river authorities, the Corps of Engineers and the Bureau of Reclamation.

The drought and floods through which Texas passed during 1956-57 gave impetus to planning the conservation and management of Texas' water resources.

The flood waters of the Spring of 1957 had barely receded when the Legislature passed the Water Development Act, establishing the Water Development Board. The people of Texas, recognizing their responsibilities and approved an

amendment to the Constitution which provided \$200 million to aid political subdivisions of the State to develop, conserve, and manage their water resources.

Since that time, cities and towns, river authorities, and water districts in all sections of Texas have received some \$100 million in loans and commitments for the development of their water supply resources. Projects are located from Northeast Texas to the Lower Rio Grande and from the Panhandle to Southeast Texas.

The Texas Water Development Fund and its purposes have had the overwhelming support of Texans. In 1962, the Constitution was again amended and the Water Development Board, in the name of the State of Texas, was authorized to acquire conservation storage space in reservoirs to be constructed on Texas streams. This provided for the optimum development of the limited number of dam and reservoir sites in the State.

Four years later—in 1966—Texans again approved an amendment to the Constitution, this time increasing the \$200 million Water Development Fund to \$400 million and expanding use of the Fund by the Board to construct any system of works necessary for the filtration, treatment, and transportation of water from storage to points of wholesale purchase

and distribution. This new authority assured the State's participation in the full development of its water resources for the benefit of all sections of Texas.

Late in 1957, the Legislature during a called session, passed the Planning Act of 1957, creating the water planning division within the then Board of Water Engineers. This function was transferred to the Water Development Board in 1965 by the Legislature when it charged the Board with the development of a Texas Water Plan for the entire State.

The Board in mid-1966 presented the preliminary Texas Water Plan. After 27 public hearings and a series of public meetings, the Board staff began revision of the Plan to meet objections voiced during the public hearings.

In December 1968, the Texas Water Development Board released the Texas Water Plan, as a flexible guide for the orderly development, conservation, and wise management of the State's water resources to meet the needs of Texas to the year 2020.

The total estimated cost of the Plan based on 1967 construction cost levels is \$9 billion. It is estimated that the State's share of financing will be some \$3.5 billion.

To provide the State's share of the cost, the 61st Legislature authorized an amendment to the Constitution which would authorize the Water Development Board, upon authorization by two-thirds of the membership of the House and the Senate, to issue \$3.5 billion in bonds. These bonds will be issued in increments over a 40 to 50 year period as the need arises and implementation of the Plan progresses.

Officials of the Texas Water Development Board and supporters of the Amendment, Governor Preston Smith's Committee of 500, which includes former Texas governor John Connally, Price Daniel, and Allan Shivers, and Lt. Governor Ben Barnes and Speaker of the House Gus Mutscher, points out that the proposal for the State to provide interim financial assistance to aid development to water supply projects is not a new program, but one that has been effectively used in Texas for a dozen years. It is an expansion of a program that has already been approved three times by the voters of Texas, they explain.

The only difference in Amendment No. 2 and previous amendments is the amount of money and the broader purposes for which the funds can be used.

Heretofore, the Water Development Fund was designed and used to develop the water resources of the State in piecemeal fashion. It is now proposed to achieve full development of our water resources in orderly fashion for the benefit of the State's

Questions and Answers

Q. What is the Texas Water Plan

A. It is a flexible guide to the development, management and use of Texas' water resources and an imported supply to meet the State's water requirements to the year 2020.

Q. Who will benefit from the Plan

A. The people of Texas

Q. Will the Plan provide adequate water for Texas

A. Yes. Estimates indicate that Texas will need 32 million acre feet of water annually by 2020 for cities and towns, for industry, for agriculture, and for all other beneficial uses. The Plan provides for the full development of Texas' water resources and importation from the lower Mississippi River of 12 to 13 million acre feet of water each year to supplement the State's supplies.

Q. What is the cost of the Plan

A. About \$9 billion (in 1967 dollars)

Q. What is Texas' share of the costs

A. \$3.5 billion

Q. Who will pay the costs

A. Those who use the water

Q. Where will Texas get the money to finance its share of the Plan

A. From the sale of Water Development Fund bonds

Q. Will this be tax money

A. No. Although the investment in the construction of the Texas Water Plan will require support from the general revenue fund of the State for meeting bond obligations during the interim period between development of water supplies and development of local water user capacities. General revenue support will be particularly heavy during the 13 years (1978-1991) when it is estimated that an aggregate amount of \$630 million will be required to pay debt service. It must be remembered, however, that the general fund should receive income to repay these advances. Over the life of the Plan, about 50 years, the State will recover all of the expended funds.

Q. Will the bonds be issued at one time

A. No. The bonds will be issued, upon two-thirds approval of the Legislature, over a period of 40 to 50 years.

Q. Is this method of financing water development in Texas a new program

A. No. In 1957, the voters of Texas amended the constitution and established the Texas Water Development Board and the Water Development Fund and authorized \$200 million in Water Development Bonds. In 1966, the voters increased the fund to \$400 million. Since then, some \$100 million has been loaned or committed to political subdivisions of the state for the development of water supply facilities

Q. Is the Fund used to provide gifts or grants

A. No. The funds loaned must be repaid the State with interest.

dwindling water resources and to provide import water from outside of Texas.

The purpose of the Amendment is to provide the State with the financial capability that will be needed to place Texas in a strong position to discuss with the Congress and the federal agencies federal participation in the full development of Texas' water resources and place Texas in a position to have control of the development, management and use of its water resources.

Funds from the sale of bonds will be used to provide the interim financing necessary for payment of \$2.3 billion of construction costs of that part of the Texas Water Plan allocated for municipal and industrial water; \$600 million would be used for carrying on the present program of the Board which provides financial assistance to political subdivisions of the state for development of their water resources; \$65 million would be used by the Board for storage acquisition in reservoirs not associated with the Texas Water System; and \$500 million would be earmarked for contingencies.

The Amendment would also remove the present Dec. 31, 1982 cut-off date for the present program of financial assistance by the Board; it would empower the Board to contract with the federal agencies, other states, and foreign governments—such

as Canada—for the development of water resources and facilities.

Board officials emphasize that the bonds would not be issued at one time, only in increments as needed over a 40 to 50 year period for implementation of the Plan. The bonds and debt service would be repaid from proceeds of sale of water to users. The Water Plan is based on the concept that all reimbursable costs of water development would be repaid, with interest, by users.

Such financing would require support from the general revenue fund of the state for meeting bond obligations during the interim between development of water supplies and development of local user capabilities.

General revenue fund support will be needed most during the 1978-91 period when it is estimated that the general revenue fund will be called upon to advance an aggregate amount of \$630 million to pay debt service.

Beginning in 1992, however, the general fund should receive income to pay future principal and interest costs and start repayment of these advances.

The prestige of the State and its leaders has been placed behind the efforts to provide Texas with a plan—an effective plan—for meeting the State's water requirements into the next century. The decision is now up to the people of Texas.

2020 VISION

FORESIGHT is essential for progress. And a current advertisement of Philco effectively makes that point by saying, "For years, America's been shortsighted about its future water supply. We're helping to give California 2020 vision."

Texans today face the choice between nearsightedness and looking forward to future supplies of the essential element to support people, growing plants and industrial plants—water.

As the advertisement says, "Funny thing about water. There's so much of it around, people have wasted it, polluted it and frittered it away for years. And suddenly, there's water, water everywhere—except where it's needed."

California State Water Project is the subject of that advertisement, and reluctantly Texans must admit that in some ways the Far West has been more foresighted than we have.

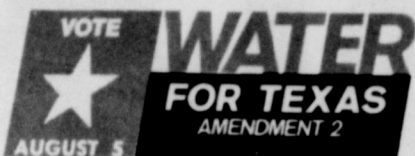
But our leaders have come up with a sound, forward-looking Texas Water Plan which is so important for all parts of the state that it has been endorsed by many Texas leaders.

Among those actively engaged in working for the plan to provide water needs in Texas at least until the year 2020 are Gov. Preston Smith, former Governors John Connally, Price Daniel and Allan Shivers, Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes and Speaker Gus Mutscher of the Texas House. There are many others all over the state who know our region and its needs.

Some conservationists who are concerned about ecological changes of environment have voiced opposition. A few have even intimated that Texas—especially West Texas—should not try to grow in population, agribusiness and industrialization. This, we suggest, is myopic.

The News agrees that wildlife, marine life and other assets should be preserved and is confident that the sound leadership involved in the Texas Water Plan will work toward that end without sacrificing the needs of people.

First essential step toward acquiring 2020 vision is approval of Amendment No. 2 on the ballot in the Aug. 5 election. Texans who will be vacationing then should arrange to vote absentee for Amendment 2; those who will be at home should be sure to go to the polls on Aug. 5. (Dallas News)



AN OPEN LETTER TO THE CITIZENS OF TEXAS

The availability of an adequate supply of water has always made the difference between prosperity and want--between plenty and famine. For these reasons, water has played a major role in the Texas story--has been the essential element in placing a State known for wide open spaces in the position of sustaining the Nation's third largest population by 1985; a high rate of growth in business, industry and finance; and the Nation's third largest agricultural industry.

Our State's growth projections in these areas nearly defy imagination, and yet experts tell us that these projections and future prosperity cannot be realized unless giant steps are taken now to assure Texas' future water resources.

The Texas Water Plan was developed to make maximum use of the available water in our State and to provide for additional out-of-state water as needed. This work has taken place during all of our administrations as Governor of Texas. The plan comes to its first real public test on August 5 when you, the voters of Texas, are being asked to approve Constitutional Amendment No. 2, which will authorize the Texas Water Development Board to sell up to \$3.5 billion in additional bonds over a forty year period, in amounts as needed, and as authorized by a two-thirds vote of the State Legislature--money that will eventually be repaid by water users.

We urge you to vote for Constitutional Amendment No. 2 on August 5. It may be the most important vote this generation of Texans will cast.

Sincerely,

Preston Smith *Allan Shivers* *Price Daniel* *John B. Connally*

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... Texas' Future

area.
The 418-mile Coastal Canal and the Coastal Division would carry about 4.8 million acre feet annually, plus the amount supplied to metropolitan Houston and San Antonio by subsystems.

Rio Grande waters from Amistad Dam at Del Rio would move to Maverick and Webb counties and to the vegetable-growing Winter Garden area around Carrizo Springs.

As needed 220,000 acre feet of supplemental surface water for San Antonio could be provided from reservoirs in the Guadalupe and San Antonio rivers basins. Houston could be provided with additional surface water from the Brazos, the San Jacinto, the Trinity and the Neches river basins.
The Coastal Canal would supply municipal and industrial water for the Corpus Christi-Kingsville area and irrigation water for the Coastal Bend.
The Coastal Division would also provide 2.5 million acre feet of additional fresh water

each year to the valuable bay and estuary system and to wildlife refuges, thus maintaining and enhancing their sports, commercial and aesthetic value to Texas and to the nation.
Timing of the developments proposed by the Texas Water Plan is an extremely critical factor, say Water Development Board planners. "Our best estimates indicate that by or before 1990 some of our metropolitan areas---Corpus

Christi, San Antonio, El Paso---will need supplemental water to meet their growing requirements," said Howard B. Boswell, executive director of the Board.

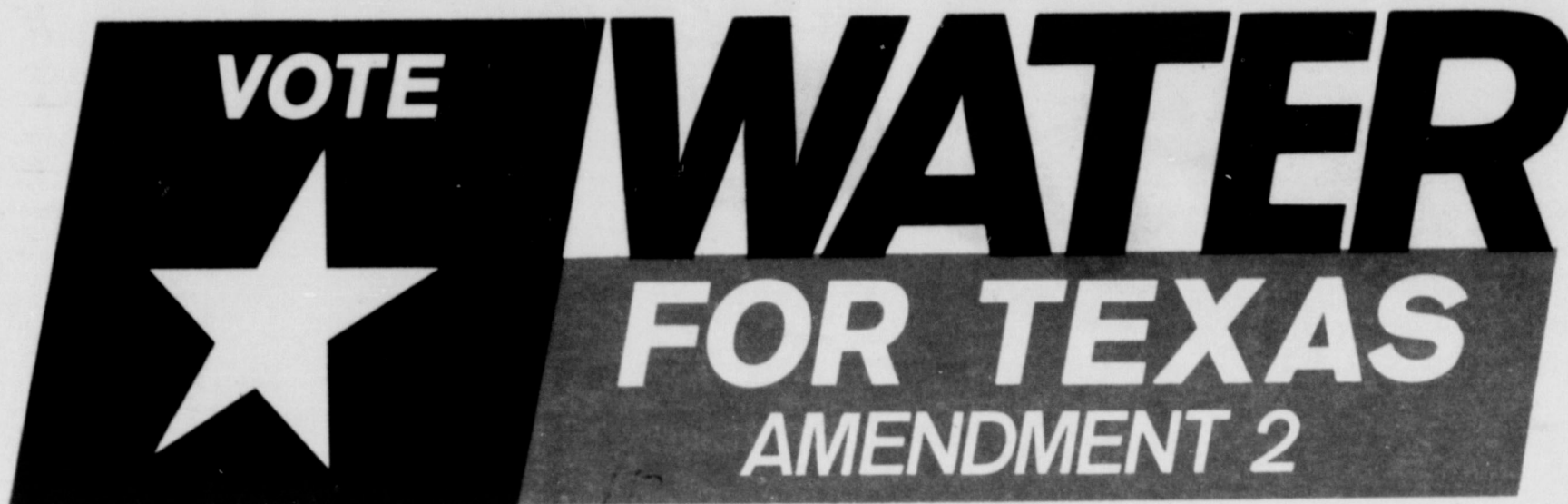
"By 1985 ground water supplying irrigation on the South Plains will have been depleted to the point that agriculture will be increasingly dependent on dry-land farming," Boswell added.

"If this occurs, the entire

state will suffer economic losses in investments, banking, insurance, transportation, markets for agricultural equipment and supplies, and the loss of population," he added.
Texans old enough to vote in the Aug. 5 election remember well the drought of the 1950's and what it's like to be without water. Water rationing was the rule in most Texas towns and cities. Lakes dried up. And farmers saw their land crack

from the dry heat and crops die. Pastures dried and died, and ranchers sold their herds.

Texas' water planners hope to ease the plight of Texans, should drought strike again, by the development, conservation and wise use and management of the state's water resources. Supporters of the Plan and Amendment No. 2 are hoping Texans recall the dry, dusty days of 1950-57 on Aug. 5.



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