

**CADET SLOUCH** by Jim Earle



"Sure Gon'na Be Hard To Adjust To Military Life Again!"

**State Capital NEWS**  
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AUSTIN, Tex.—Tired of reading about the Texas Legislature?

Well—my friends—you're not alone. Seems like most everybody feels that way—including many members of the House and Senate.

Okay, then, for a little diversion let's look north and see what has been going on in our neighboring states.

Oklahoma's legislators also faced a financial crisis. How did they meet it? First they cut some needless expenses, eliminated waste and duplication. They they appropriated for 18 months instead of 24. But they did not increase any existing taxes. Fortunately for them, financially at least, Oklahoma voted in liquor and they now have some brand new tax income—or will very, very soon.

Oklahoma, it must be remembered, has a state income tax and an across-the-board two per cent sales tax—two things Texas doesn't have.

Putting the state in a better light, collection-wise, Oklahoma legislators swiped Uncle Sam's idea and added a state withholding tax. This is to assure more collections from their income tax.

Six months of continuous session has just been ended in the Sooner state. Although their financial problems are solved for the next eighteen months, after that a sizeable hike in taxes is expected.

Texas legislators have met almost continuously since January 13. They may even have to go into a fourth special session. But if they do, they will earn the wrath of the old folks whose pensions stop in mid-August unless a sizeable tax bill is enacted. There is no doubt about it in Texas, the people are disgusted. And the legislators are disturbed.

There is much talk that many of them will not be re-elected. Undoubtedly there are some who don't ever want to return to the legislative halls.

Many of the senators and representatives have tried hard to formulate a tax program that would care for the needs of the state. Their efforts have been stymied.

During the past six months there has been talk of a unicameral legislature, like Nebraska's. Also there has been talk of a special election to let the public decide on taxes—especially sales taxes. Some officials feel that the public, if it had its say today, would vote for a sales tax—and thus take the monkey off the backs of the legislators. But so far no one has had the courage to introduce such a measure.

Soundings by the press indicate that a sales tax might very well be acceptable to the people—that the people fully realize the dilemma—that they at least would go along with a reasonable sales tax, although they might be firmly opposed to an income tax.

**Social Whirl**

Tonight  
The Aggie Wives' Bridge Club meets tonight at 7:30 in the MSC. Faye Brack will be hostess.

The Spokane Falls, 70 feet high, is in the central business district of Spokane, Wash.

**WELL WORN WOOD**  
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**Swimmers Enter Houston Jr. Meet**

Coach Art Adamson's midget and junior divisions of the College Station Swimming Club participated in the Junior Olympics yesterday and today. The meet is being held at the Dad's Club in Houston.

Those participating in the midget division include Martha Lawrence, Dianne Bell, Virginia Patterson, David Brusse, Stephen Henry, Preston Smith, Gerry Lowe, Scott

Hervey, Dickie Hervey, Paul Fagan, Fran Corbusier, Kay Callahan, Billie Dozier and Kathy Myers.

The junior division includes Barbara Ewens, Suzanne Medlen, Sharon Covey, Trixie Doran, Kay Fisher, Cathy Cleland, Bruce Riggs, Peter Fagan, Cathy Castle, Jim Amyx, Tommy Kahan, Renn Lawrence and Bill Tindall.

Pam Hayes continued her superior swimming record July 25 as she set a new mark at the Texas Open AAU Swimming and Diving Championship Meet in Austin.

Miss Hayes set a new mark in the senior girls' 200 meter breaststroke with a time of 3:14.8. The previous record was set in 1957 at 3:53.3. She also finished fifth in the senior girls' 200 meter medley relay.

Other results of the meet were: Bill Ewens, second, intermediate boys' 100 meter breaststroke; Leslie Brusse, second, intermediate boys' 100 meter backstroke; Becky Kahan finished fifth, sixth, and seventh in three events; Joe Brusse took sixth in two events and seventh in another; Hitchcock took a sixth and eighth; John CoVan took eighth in the senior boys' 100 meter backstroke and the men's 1500 meter freestyle.

**CV SOFTBALL**

All students living in College View and now enrolled in summer school who are interested in intramural softball please contact John R. Commons, B-9-B College View or call VI 6-8628.

**FAVORABLE QUALITIES**

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