

STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Vern Sanford



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Austin — Texans may be a lot closer than they think to paying city sales taxes. But, in any event, they will have the final say at the local level.

A bill to permit authorization of a one-per-cent sales and use tax by cities, where voters approve, received a Senate Committee endorsement.

It didn't find such a warm welcome in a House Committee.

Floor consideration is likely in both houses within a short time, say legislative leaders.

Texas AFL-CIO headed the opposition in committee hearings, while Texas Municipal League paraded mayor after mayor to testify that the property tax—standby revenue source of municipalities—is overworked. Texas State Association of fire-fighters and Texas Municipal Police Association spokesmen, pushing for better fire-police pay and benefits, supported the mayors.

Here is what will happen if this bill is passed:

City councils can call elections on whether the levy is to be authorized—or wait to be petitioned for an election.

If local voters say "no," there will be no local sales tax for at least two years in that community.

If they approve, an extra one per cent will be added to the two per cent state sales tax on covered items (but not automobiles) in the city. State comptroller will collect total three per cent tax, turning a third over to the city hall.

If citizens get to feeling overtaxed they can get up a petition and call another election to throw out local sales taxation.

MONEY BILLS PASS, FAIL

Gov. John Connally's emergency appropriations request, which included \$5,500,000 for the state's exhibit at San An-

onio's HemisFair '68, won final passage and was signed into law after weathering a Senate filibuster.

A few days later, the House refused 116 to 29 to suspend its rules to permit consideration of the Senate's \$15,000,000 interim pay raise bill for state employees. However, House Speaker, Ben Barnes, promised to encourage an interim raise after the general budget is approved.

INDUSTRIAL BONDS

Texas is losing ground in the industrial-expansion race among the states. So say Rep. Bill Clayton of Springlake and Sen. Charles Wilson of Lufkin. And to get into the ball game, the state needs a new program for statewide industrial financing.

Thus the two have introduced bills in their respective chambers calling for a Constitutional Amendment to authorize a municipal revenue bond program, wherein cities can issue bonds to build facilities for luring new industry. Bonds would be retired by lease revenue paid to the cities.

"Texas is in a favorable competitive position in regard to raw materials, transportation, labor, industrial location factors which are considered by industry as vital to industrial development, except an industrial financing program," Clayton said, in urging passage of his bill.

WATER BILLS

Public notice by publication of new or amended rulings of the Texas Water Rights Commission would be eliminated by a bill introduced in the House by Rep. Menon J. Murray of Harlingen. Bill also would dissolve the three water divisions in the state.

Another bill by Murray would cut from four to two the number of publications required on an application for appropriation of water.

DRIVERS BILLS

Modernization of Texas' license plates and driver's licenses would be accomplished by a pair of bills introduced in the House by Reps. Milton Schiller of Cameron and Dick Cory of Victoria.

Cory's bill would provide for a color photograph on the license of the driver's license. Persons under 21 years of age would be issued different-colored license. Proof of birth, date and fingerprints would be required on the applications.

A bill by Schiller calls for reflectorized license plates. Motorists would pay the added 30 cents cost per plate.

COMMUNITY CENTERS

Three bills have been introduced in the House of Representatives to establish community mental health-retardation centers and implement the recommendations of the Department of MHMR.

Speaker Barnes sent to the House Committee on Constitutional Amendments the resolution to change the Constitution in order to create the centers. Bill to permit the state to help finance them add a bill to aid in setting them up were sent to the Committee on MHMR.

GUADALUPE PARK BILL MOVES ON

Senate approved 30-1 bill to insure creation of \$13,500,000 Guadalupe Mountains National Park in Culberson and Hudspeth Counties.

House Parks and Wildlife Committee had already cleared the bill for House floor debate. Sen. Joe Christie of El Paso and Rep. Gene Hendryx of Alpine are sponsors.

Measure conveys to the federal government all mineral rights in the 71,000-acre area including Guadalupe Peak. Amendments would provide for reclaiming minerals if the area is dropped as a national park and the sharing of royalties if the federal government develops the natural resources.

BLUE LAW PROPOSED

A new twist to the old Sunday "blue laws" is proposed in a bill by Rep. Billy Williamson of Tyler. It would levy an occupation tax on persons selling or renting personal property on Sunday.

Actually, the tax would be so rough as to prohibit Sunday sales. It would be at the rate of 10 per cent of the receipts from the sale or rental, with some deductions provided. Anyone violating the measure would be fined not less than \$25 nor more than \$500, for each violation.

BANK CHECK EXPANDED

Texas Banking Department announced plans to expand routine examination procedures to include direct verification forms to bank customers whose accounts are selected on a random sampling basis. Customers would be asked to verify deposit or loan balance indicated.

OIL ALLOWABLE

State Railroad Commission cut the oil allowable to 35.7 per cent of potential for March.

Cut was almost a full percentage point from the 36.5 per cent in February and nearly two per cent below the 37.5 per cent factor for January.

Producers can draw 3,147,541 barrels of oil a day next month or 45,692 barrels daily below this month.

A reduction from February to March is usual practice. March allowable this year is higher than the 33.2 per cent of March, 1966.

AG RULES

Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin has held that chiropractic services are not included in the medical assistance act of 1967.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded that Texas Liquor Control Board can issue a liquor-transport permit to an airline holding a Civil Aeronautics Board certificate of public convenience and necessity.

Bosque County commissioners have authority to determine whether county officers (other than law enforcement officers) are to be paid on a fee or a salary basis.

Savings and Loan Associations do not qualify as county depositories.

The Chancery of the Galveston-Houston Roman Catholic Church Diocese is exempt from property tax.

COURTS SPEAK

A district court ruling that the constitutional amendment to require annual voter registration is invalid because the issue was not spelled out clearly on the November election ballot will be argued on March 15. Third Court of Civil Appeals will hear the State's arguments.

In a Lampasas County case, the Third Court held a free rider (guest) in an auto must show gross negligence on the part of the driver before suit for injury damages can be maintained.

SHORT SNORTS

Texas' seventh water bond sale totaling \$15,000,000 is slated March 1. Interest on \$85,000,000 in bonds issued by Texas Water Development Board to date averages 3.18 per cent.

Named by Connally to the State Board of Vocational Nurse Examiners were Dr. Ray L. Sheppard of Burnet, Mrs. Katherine McKinney of Nacogdoches, Mrs. Martha Queen of Weatherford, Mrs. Bernice Harris of Galveston and Miss Petra Riojas of Harlingen.

Senators approved a bill granting free college tuition to Texas Vietnam veterans.

Col. Homer Garrison Jr., director of the Department of Public Safety, announced that Major W. J. Elliott, commander of the DPS Central Texas division headquartered in Waco, will retire February 28.

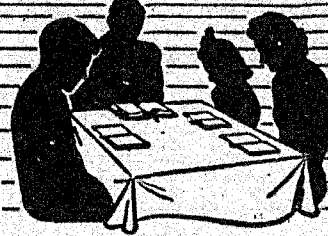
Senate Jurisprudence Committee has favorably reported a bill by Sen. Don Kennard of Fort Worth which would prohibit discrimination in state and local government.

DRIVER ATTITUDE IS IMPORTANT

The proper attitude behind the wheel can mean the difference between life and death, says "Texans for Traffic Safety." Driver education in school can help create proper attitudes, yet less than half of Texas' eligible teenagers take the course.

Today's MEDITATION

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Devotional Guide



The Upper Room

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Read Ephesians 2:13-22

Let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith. (Hebrews 10:22)

The Temple that Herod began building in Jerusalem about 20 B.C. was destroyed by the Romans in A.D. 70. It was one of the most beautiful ever known to man. But "keep out" signs were in plain view at the entrance to the second court within the Temple building. Beyond the gate into the second courtyard foreigners could not pass on penalty of death.

All Jews, including women, could enter the second court. In the next courtyard, called the "Court of Israel," Jewish men were permitted to go. In the innermost court priests only could enter.

Thus every court in the approach to the altar meant privileges were denied to more and more by reason of birth.

But ever since God poured out His love through Jesus Christ, all of us have the assurance that God welcomes us in love and offers His redeeming grace. Therefore, "let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith."

PRAYER:

Lord, since Thou hast set no barrier between Thee and us, help us, Thy children, to set no barrier of self-will, pride, or indifference between ourselves and others. In the Savior's name we offer our prayer, Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

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Sore Throat

Does your throat hurt? If so, you may console yourself with the knowledge that you have plenty of company. Sore throat is one of the more common physical discomforts that plague most of us from time to time.

Sore throat is nature's warning system that something in your body is out of order.

Often a sore throat accompanies a common cold and the soreness passes in a few days. But, says Today's Health, the family magazine of the American Medical Association, sore throat also can be the symptom of any of a wide range of diseases, from diphtheria to leukemia, that require your physician's skill, not your guessing, to diagnose.

Sometimes tonsils and adenoids are involved in causing a sore throat, and when these organs repeatedly cause trouble they frequently are removed. Tonsil-adenoid removals account for half of all surgery performed on children. Today's Health reports. Sometimes the removal helps prevent sore throat, sometimes it doesn't.

Allergies can cause sore throats. Cold, dry winter air

can trigger it. So can extreme thirst, excessive smoking or mouth breathing. Anything that dries out the throat and cuts off secretions that normally wash dust away.

Virus infections or many types also are a cause of sore throat, and everyone who has had "flu," knows that this particular virus disease often causes the throat to hurt.

"Strep throat" is a serious infection that occasionally leads to rheumatic fever and possible heart damage. It can be knocked out with penicillin, if it is diagnosed in time.

The crucial diagnostic test in sore throats is the swab test through which the germs causing the trouble can be identified.

There is little or nothing you can do to cure a sore throat at home. There are medications which bring temporary easing of the discomfort but the cure must be launched by your physician.

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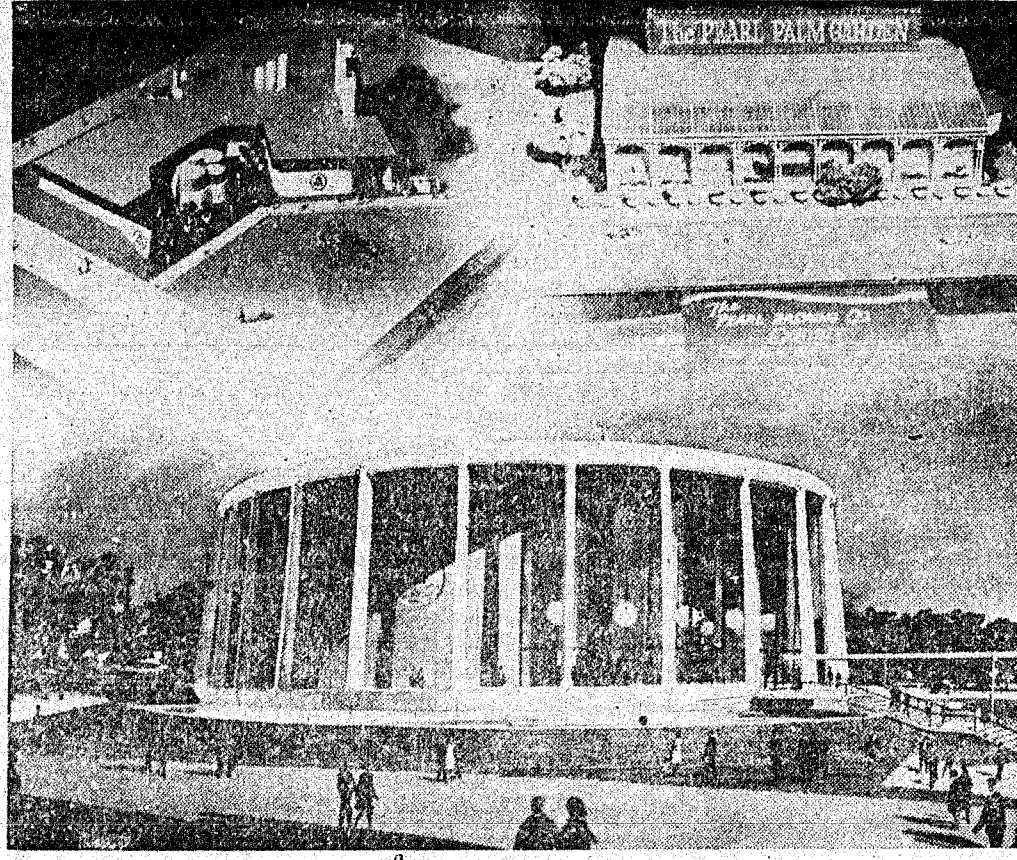
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VA QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS . . .

Q—Are Veterans whose only service was after January 31, 1955, eligible for admission to a Veteran's Administration Hospital?
 A—Yes, on the same basis as veterans with war-time service.
 Q—A person who has no veteran status, but is in the service now, is he able to take training under the new G. I. Bill?
 A—Yes. Any person on active duty in the Armed Forces of the United States who has served on active duty for at least two years and continues on active duty is eligible to apply for educational benefits under the new G. I. Bill.
 Q—Under the new G. I. Bill, can training on-the-job be approved?
 A—No. Apprentice, or other on-the-job, or institutional on-farm training, may not be approved.
 Q—If I go to school under the new G. I. Bill, will I have to pay the money back?
 A—No.
 Q—My husband died this past month. I have received his pension check. Must I return it, and if so, will it be reissued to me?
 A—You must return the check. If you are eligible for widows pension your first check will be issued at your husband's rate of payment.
 If his rate was greater than yours. Thereafter, the check will be widows pension rates.
 Q—When will I receive my first payment for educational assistance?
 A—After completion of the first month of schooling, upon receipt of an attendance certification, the first check will be released. This means you will receive it about the 20th of the following month.
 Q—I understand Congress passed a law allowing veterans to apply for special insurance known as "J" insurance. Is this true?
 A—Yes, but the date for application for this type of insurance expired on May 2, 1966.
 Q—Under the new VA school law, can a correspondence course be followed?
 A—Yes if the school and course are approved.
 Q—I have lost my discharge. Can I obtain another through the VA?
 A—No, but any VA Office can give you the application to submit to the proper agency.
 Q—May a disabled veteran, if eligible, carry a \$10,000 policy with both the VA and Servicemen's Group Life Insurance?
 A—Yes.

Wardens Busy Tending Traps

Game wardens are tending live traps and banding adult mourning doves in the statewide attempt to help solve the riddle of mourning dove movement.
 Where do they winter in Texas? Do they all go south? If so, how far south?
 Game wardens assisting with the vital research program may help find the answers between hunting and fishing seasons.



Plans for some of the brilliant pavilions at the Texas World's Fair in San Antonio in 1968 are going from drawing boards to contractors. Three of those scheduled for construction starts in the near future are the United State Confluence Theater (lower), the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company (exhibiting with American Telephone and Telegraph and Western Electric) at the upper left, and the Pearl Brewing Company pavilion at the upper right. Bell's exhibit will trace the history of communications, while Pearl will capture the Gay 90's atmosphere in its entertainment and decor.

AS IT LOOKS FROM HERE

Omar Burlington, M. C. 17th District, Texas.
 Washington, D.C. — Coincidental with last week's discussion of chemical and biological warfare, more than 5,000 scientists have now petitioned President Johnson for an end to the use of crop killers and anti-personnel gases in Vietnam. They asked that a review be made of United States policy for the future use of any chemicals in warfare.

There is no evidence that any biological materials have been used in Vietnam, and no gases except the ordinary tear gas used in riot control here in our own country. It is used in Vietnam to ferret out the Viet Cong hiding in caves and tunnels, instead of risking the lives of those who otherwise would have to go in after them. Certainly it is more merciful than sealing tunnels by explosions.

Chemicals have been used in the defoliation of jungle growth, but certainly there is no evidence that crops have intentionally been destroyed by this method.

Be this as it may, the concern of the scientists is understandable. They are aware of the terrible potential of germ warfare, should it become a full instrument of war. Some of these scientists are those who have helped develop such possibilities.

The thing which may save the world from biological warfare is the same that may save it from nuclear war. It is the certainty that retaliation would be swift and effective against the nation who first initiated its use. No country could be certain of immunity from attack; none could seal its borders against airborne germs.

As mentioned in this space last week, the United States is usually ventilated from the winds out of the Pacific. At times of the year, air masses come down from the Polar regions; at others they come out of the Caribbean and the Gulf of Mexico. At certain periods it would be possible to launch crop destroying chemicals from Cuba, which would carry them into great grain producing areas of the Midwest.

Winds out of western and central Europe blow into Russia and cold Siberian winds roll down across much of China.

Weather experts have a vast array of scientific knowledge which tells them of the when, where and how much, about prevailing wind currents of the world. The rest is no great problem. The scientists petitioning

the president conceded that the question of whether in some cases riot control gases might be more humane than bombing or shooting is a difficult one. They point out, however, the further difficulty in drawing the line between that which should be permitted and that which should be prohibited as munitions of war.

The scientists ask that American policy subscribe to the strictest observance of the Geneva Protocol of 1925. This instrument is the nearest thing to the outlawing of chemical warfare. They further petition that the United States re-establish and categorically declare its intention to refrain from initiating the use of chemical and biological weapons. They seem to conclude that there is no identifying line to determine that which may be permissible under some circumstances and that which should be completely outlawed. In other words, they would put chemical and germ warfare in the same category as the use of nuclear weapons.

The United States has capability of using nuclear artillery as a tactical weapon in the field. We must assume that other nuclear powers, and particularly the Russians have the same capability. The question is, who is to decide whether it can be a little or a lot. A little could escalate into a lot. The same, of course can be true with chemicals and germ warfare. It is not a big power weapon. Almost any country can develop, and many have done so, germ-carrying munitions to suit its needs. Ours is produced chiefly at Pine Bluff, Arkansas Arsenal which employs about 1400 people. Research on the subject is done by 600 scientists at Fort Detrick, Maryland, some 50 miles from Washington. Definitely we are prepared.

Don't Drown House Plants

Probably more home plant failures are caused by improper watering techniques than any other factor, according to Everett Janne, landscape horticulturist with Texas A&M University. This is especially true during the winter months when plant growth is very slow because of the low light intensities. We frequently get impatient and apply additional water and fertilizer to make the plant grow large and healthy, says Janne. Actually, during periods of low light intensity the plant is producing very little food and as a consequence cannot grow rapidly.

The worst thing to do is to overwater during periods of slow growth. Plant roots must have air as well as water. If the soil is saturated with water, little or no oxygen can reach the roots. This results in loss of the small feeder roots and eventually death to the plant.

Never water plants by rule of thumb, says Janne. Once the soil is thoroughly moistened, water them only when they need it. In watering houseplants, supply sufficient water so that it runs through the potting soil into the saucer below. Always discard the excess water from the saucer. This prevents the accumulation of soluble salts in the potting soil.

With a little experience, you can determine the moisture content of the soil from its color and feel. Plants in a cold room need less water than those in a warm dry atmosphere. Flowering plants and those with much foliage require more water than do those without blooms or with very little foliage.

If your house plants are not growing properly, it is probably due to low light intensity rather than the lack of water or fertilizer.

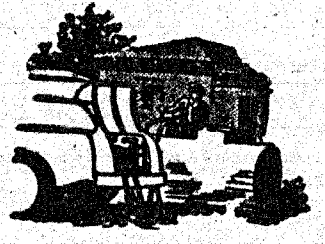
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Social Activities

Regular Meeting Of Baptist WMU Held on Monday

The regular weekly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church was held at 2:30 p.m. Monday, February 20. Topic for study was "Community Missions." Mrs. Elton McDonald, chairman, was in charge of the program. Following the meeting several visits were made. Present for the meeting were: Misses Bill Brewer, Nick Buse, Jess Howard, Nora Goen, W. W. Bartlett, Jno. Brown, J. C. Mathews, Elton McDonald, William Brown, Jim Dunn, M. R. Pollock and Miss Mary McCorkle.

Wm. Rutherfords Honored On 25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. William Rutherford were honored on their 25th wedding anniversary Friday evening, Feb. 17, by their three sons, Rev. and Mrs. Don Rutherford of Brownwood, Joe and Larry Rutherford of the home. The sons presented their parents with a set of silverware. A dinner was also enjoyed at the Westerner in Coleman. Other guests were Miss Rhonda Martin of Mozelle and Miss Patty Stewart of Santa Anna. William Rutherford and Miss Winnie Tucker were married February 16, 1942 in the home of Rev. E. H. Wylie.

Self Culture Club To Meet Friday Afternoon

The Self Culture Club will meet Friday, Feb. 24, at 3:00 p.m. in the Club Room of the City Library Building. A program on South America will be presented by Mrs. Ford Barnes and Mrs. Norval Wylie. Members and visitors are invited to attend.

Mrs. Featherston Honored At Birthday Party

Mrs. W. A. Featherston of Santa Anna was honored with a birthday party Thursday, February 16 in the annex of the First Christian Church. Mrs. Featherston was 96 years of age on Sunday, February 19. "Ye are the salt of the earth" was the topic of a devotion given by Mrs. Charles Bengel. Mrs. Norval Wylie gave a short history of all the famous people having birthdays in February. Gifts were presented Mrs. Featherston in a decorated birthday box, and "Happy Birthday" was sung. Mrs. Featherston is very active at 96. She just returned recently from visiting her grandson in San Antonio. Refreshments of coffee and birthday cake were served to the honoree. Mrs. Bengel, Mrs. Wylie, Mrs. L. O. Garrett, Mrs. C. W. Stephenson, Mrs. Geo. Richardson, Mrs. W. C. Sharp, Mrs. D. H. Moore, Mrs. C. D. Bruce, Mrs. Addie West and Mr. and Mrs. Nesbit Rice of Brooksmith.

Eastern Star Regular Meeting Held Monday

The regular stated meeting of the Santa Anna Chapter No. 247, Order of Eastern Star was held in the Masonic Hall Monday evening, February 20. Mrs. Myrtle Burden, Worthy Matron, presided with the assistance of H. A. Burden, Worthy Patron. After the business meeting, Hal Burnett, Past Grand Patron, Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of Eastern Star, spoke on "Symbols and the Origin of Public Schools in America." H. A. Burden announced that the week of March 6-14 would be observed as Public Schools Week, and urged everyone to visit the schools during that time. Mrs. Rose Bass invited the group to a covered dish dinner in their home March 6 at 6:30 p.m., honoring the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. After the chapter closed, the group assembled in the Fellowship Hall for a social hour. Mrs. Carmen Donham, Mrs. Verna West and Mrs. Nora Goen served heart-shaped cherry pies with whipped cream, coffee and tea to the 13 members and four visitors present. Visitors were Hal and Rachel Burnett of the Alpine Chapter No. 132, and Mr. and Mrs. Lornie Simmons of Kirbyville. Arrangements of red carnations were used for decorations. For Tire Service, See Sve.

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Trickham News

Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver were Sunday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Bruce Hornell and Lori at Covington. Mr. and Mrs. Doyno McIver and Brad of Mansfield were also visiting there for the day. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haynes and Julia of El Paso and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lineberry of Midland visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes. Other recent visitors have been Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dockery of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Stearns and Mrs. Hilburn Henderson. Mr. and Mrs. Tommy McIlvain and Keren, Mr. and Mrs. Grady James and boys Mike and Steve and Mr. and Mrs. Claborn James and children all of Fort Worth and Stanley James of Ranger spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene James. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Stacy in Abilene. Bobby Wayne Ransberger of Seattle, Washington and Mr. Tom Rushing of Santa Anna visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. York and boys. Mr. and Mrs. Robt Stearns were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wells and children in Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. Damron Miller and children of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mock and Jennie of Post spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mitchell. Mr. and Mrs. Lefty Adkins and baby Todd of Midland spent the weekend with her aunt and uncle, Mrs. Minnie Wilson and Mr. Grey Laughlin. Mrs. Mable Sheffield of Brooksmith and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Roy Laughlin of Brownwood were Sunday visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke visited Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Looney. Thursday Mrs. Boenicke helped entertain Mrs. Eddie Featherston on her 96th birthday at the First Christian Church in Santa Anna. There were 14 present for the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Boenicke visited in Brownwood Saturday with Miss Pauline Boenicke and Miss Pearl Ford, then came back by Bangs where they visited a while with Mrs. Ellie Sheffield and Mrs. Lillie Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy visited Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stearns.

Humble Predicts Continued Growth For Oil Industry

Petroleum will continue to be a growing industry which will make ever larger contributions to our national energy needs, for many decades to come, Dr. Charles F. Jones, president of Humble Oil and Refining Company, told the Houston Philosophical Society here Thursday night. "Our industry is going to be around for a long time because petroleum supplies are abundant and are being converted into useful products that millions of people want and can afford to buy," Dr. Jones said. "We will have lively competition for energy markets, there is no doubt about that, but we are going to keep ourselves in a competitive position that will enable us to take on all comers." "We now consume petroleum products at the rate of about 12 million barrels a day in the United States. By 1985 it is estimated that we will be consuming about 20 million barrels a day." He noted that oil and gas as energy sources will continue to have plenty of competition for markets in the years ahead. He predicted that each source will participate in the overall growth with nuclear energy having perhaps 5 per cent of the total by 1985 and electricity having a much bigger share of the home-heating market. Coal, he said, lost ground to oil and gas in earlier years, but is now making a comeback and is "a tough competitor again."

Mrs. Lois Henderson of San Angelo spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Roy West.

Vets Urged To Change Insurance To Permanent Type

If you are one of the 2.4 million World War II veterans receiving dividends this year on your GI term insurance, the Veterans Administration suggests you consider a change to one of the seven type of permanent type level premium insurance. Jack Coker, manager of the Regional VA office in Waco, said that at present the average premium for a World War II veteran on \$10,000 worth of insurance is \$9.00 monthly, but in 20 years it will jump to \$39.70 a month. "In retirement years, it becomes prohibitive for most veterans to pay premiums on term insurance," VA manager added, "and unfortunately many of them have to let it lapse when they need it most." Conversion from term insurance to a permanent plan has been a slow and continuing process since World War II, Coker said. Yet, the conversion number is only a token of what needs to be done. Information on conversion of term to permanent type insurance can be obtained at any VA office the VA manager pointed out.

Whon News

We did not receive a million dollar rain Sunday. But thankful for the four-tenths we did receive. Felt good and we are needing much more rain for which we are waiting for. Lynda Rutherford of Abilene spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford. Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley visited with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Brown and children in Brownwood last Tuesday. Mr. James Avants and son Jimmy of Santa Anna spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants. Linda Lee Abernathy of San Angelo was home with her parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Abernathy and Ricky over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Switzer and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Townsend and children in Abilene Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Haar and children of Fort Worth spent the weekend on the Gill Ranch. Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and children, Rocky and Dena, of Coleman, Lynda Rutherford of Abilene and Mr. Sammy Shields were Sunday guests with the Tom Rutherfords. Hilary and Rocky were also here Saturday assisting with farm work. Mrs. Thomas Switzer visited with Mrs. Darwin Lovelady in Rockwood Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Patterson and boys of Santa Anna visited with Mrs. Patterson's uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper of Rockwood and Mrs. Alton Davis of Snyder visited in the Tom Rutherford home Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Loyd of Brady were supper guests of Mrs. Loyd's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Switzer and children Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley visited with Mr. Stanley's aunt, Mrs. Hulda Harkey and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Deeds of Placid, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Switzer of Santa Anna visited with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants Monday night. "A misprint in last week's news stating Mr. Bert Carter had eye surgery, it should have read Bert had leg surgery. We are sorry to report Mrs. Homer Schulte fell at her home one night last week and broke her leg above the ankle. Jewell will be out of the school room for several weeks. Her condition was reported good but she was having quite a bit of pain. Mrs. Lee Abernathy visited with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Lambert Abernathy of Millersview, who is a patient in the Coleman Hospital, Monday afternoon.

Coke Stevenson To Be Honored In Junction Mar. 19

Former Governor Coke Stevenson will be honored at the dedication of an Official Texas Historical marker on March 19 at Junction, Texas. The announcement was made today by Charles Woodburn, president of the Texas State Historical Survey Committee. Ceremonies will be at 2:00 p.m. on the Courthouse Square. The marker is the third to be erected in the Modern Texas Statesmen series initiated by the Texas State Historical Survey Committee. Markers previously erected honor former Gov. William P. Hobby and former Gov. Allen Shivers. The marker will commemorate Stevenson's long years in public service.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Goodwin, Jay and John of Snyder, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goodwin.

Lunchroom Menu

- Monday February 27**
Fried chicken with gravy, buttered rice, mixed vegetables, sliced tomatoes, fresh peas, rolls, butter and milk.
- Tuesday**
Bean casserole, greens (turnips or spinach), cabbage slaw, chocolate cake, corn bread, butter and milk.
- Wednesday**
Steak and gravy, creamed potatoes, buttered corn, Jello salad, pear crisp, rolls, butter and milk.
- Thursday**
Frankfurter casserole, pinto beans, slaw, fruit cobbler.
- Friday**
Hamburgers with all the trimmings, cup cakes, milk.

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NEWS FROM

RANGER PARK INN . . .

The governing board of Santa Anna Hospital and Ranger Park Inn will meet February 20 and will be served lunch at the Inn.

Mrs. Edd Jones and Mrs. Vera Shields were visiting friends at Inn Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. S. E. Jones visited the Inn on Sunday and spent some time with Mrs. B. F. McIntire who was celebrating her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Schlegel of Shamrock visited during the week with Mrs. Clara Kryder.

Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Broyles were at Inn visiting last week.

Mrs. R. J. Wilson of Abilene was a visitor at the Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Yarbrough visited a number of residents at the Inn including Mrs. Lillie Archer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gibson of Dallas visited on week end with Miss Dessa Rushing and employees at Inn.

Mrs. Lois Henderson of San Angelo visited Mrs. Alma Cannon.

Rev. Billy Mat McIntire, student at Baptist Seminary conducted the church services on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 19. Rev. McIntire is pastor at Shields.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin of Valera were at Inn Sunday afternoon visiting friends.

The Fidelis Class of First Baptist Church gave a de-

visional program Wednesday afternoon. Those attending were Mrs. Jim Dunn, Mrs. Jess Howard, Mrs. Edd Shreder, Mrs. W. B. Allison, Mrs. Jewell Hosh, R. N. Miss Mary McCorkle, pianist Mrs. Carl Autrey, Mrs. Elton McDonald, Mrs. Lester McCulough, Mrs. Richard Smith and Mrs. Edd Jones.

The residents enjoyed the Valentine Party on Tuesday afternoon, an overflowing decorated Valentine box was the center of interest. All residents received a number of Valentine greetings, gifts, etc. Cookies and punch were served at the close of the party.

D. H. Moore, the Pete Moore and Mrs. Edd Hartman of Santa Anna visited their mother, Mrs. Sam Moore during the week.

The O. B. Yanceys of Brownwood visited Sunday with her father, James Baird. A. O. Deakins of Abilene visited Mrs. Zimmer Griffin.

Mrs. Mabel Burrage visited her mother, Mrs. Lula Harvey.

B. F. Mitchell of Valera visited his mother, Mrs. Eula Mitchell.

Rev. and Mrs. Don Rutherford conducted the devotion on Sunday morning, Feb. 19. Margarette Horner and Leanna Pollock assisted by singing and playing the piano for the group singing.

Thursday night, Earl Ray, assistant administrator of the Inn showed the residents films "Alaska Safari" and "Work of Dentist from Linda Loma Missionaries in Mexico."

Miss Lois Mulvey was a visitor of Miss Purley Denton. A film will be shown Monday evening by Earl Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Curry vi-

sited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Simmons on Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Lane will celebrate her birthday on February 27.

Lat E. Mountain of Knox City was a visitor on Sunday.

Mrs. Anne McIntire celebrated her birthday on Sunday. She was presented two birthday cakes, one furnished by the home and one by a daughter-in-law. Four of her children Mrs. Alice Baird and Mrs. John McIntire, Mrs. Letha Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Betty McIntire and 5 grandchildren were on hand to help her enjoy her birthday. Friends who called on Mrs. McIntire during the afternoon, were Mrs. Ida Jones and the O. B. Yanceys. Leanna Pollock, Clea and Leta Pollock came to sing for the residents on Thursday night. The residents are looking forward to their return this Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Penny of Crane and friends of Odessa, the Walter Lee Hodges visited with Mrs. Sam Moore; their mother and aunt.

The Hodges are from Eunice, New Mexico and were in Santa Anna to help Mrs. McIntire celebrate her birthday.

Miss Ruth Ann Walker was at Inn visiting Sunday afternoon.

J. W. Quinn and daughter Veta Pearl visited friends at Inn on weekend.

Mrs. Kate Holmes visited on Sunday with Mrs. Hannah Hill and Mrs. Lillie Archer. Mrs. May Allen Blue visited on Monday with Mrs. Alma Cannon and Mrs. Archer and others.

Mrs. Lucy Price was a visitor of Mrs. Lillie Archer.

On Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Dale Smith and Miss E. Lee Harper visited a number of residents.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Wooster and son visited at the Inn on Friday night.

Mrs. Dora Chapman visited her sister-in-law Mrs. Sam Moore.

Mrs. J. J. Gregg visited with friends.

Mrs. Singleton of Lampasas, Mrs. Jimmie Watson were visitors of Mrs. McIntire, their mother and grandmother.

Mrs. Sam Moore and Miss Minnie Lane attended church Sunday morning at Southside Church of Christ.

Federal Tax Questions And Answers

This column of questions and answers on Federal tax matters is provided by the local office of the U. S. Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.

Q—Do you add the 6 per cent tax surcharge mentioned by the President in his State of the Union address to what I owe on this year's return?

A—No, the surcharge must be approved by Congress before it becomes law.

Q—I started work on my '66 tax return and find the new method of withholding rates have left me greatly overpaid. It there anything I can do to reduce my withholdings?

A—Yes. When the graduated withholding rates were adopted by Congress last year, provision was made to allow additional withholding allowances to taxpayers with large itemized deductions. These allowances take into account the size of the taxpayer's income and deductions as well as income and deductions expected for 1967.

Procedures for claiming these allowances are outlined on Schedule A (Form W-4) available at local IRS offices. This schedule and a corrected W-4 must be filed with the taxpayer's employer who will make the necessary withholding adjustments. These allowances cannot be claimed until you file your 1966 return.

Q—I just turned 65. Will my boss stop withholding Social Security taxes from my pay if I go on working?

A—The law requires the employer to withhold Social Security taxes on the first \$5,600 in wages paid each employee during the year. The age of the employee does not change this requirement.

Q—I support my daughter who was recently divorced. Can I claim her baby as a dependent?

A—You probably can if you provide more than half the baby's support. Check the dependency requirements as listed on page 4 of the 1040 instruction booklet.

Q—There is one deduction I forgot to claim when I filed my 1965 return. Can I include it when I file this year?

A—No, you cannot. An amended return or claim Form 843 must be filed for 1965 to claim the deduction.

Q—Too much was withheld for Social Security tax as I held several jobs last year. Can I get this refunded or credited to any income tax I might owe.

A—Yes, you can. A special line has been added to Form 1040 where you can list excess Social Security tax withheld.

This is Line 19 on Page 1 of the 1040. If you had two or more employers, use it to list amounts in excess of \$277.20 withheld for Social Security taxes.

Q—I moved and didn't get my 1040 tax package. What should I do?

A—Copies of form and instructions are available at any local IRS office as well as at IRS branches and post offices.

Q—How should I make out

my check for the balance of tax I owe?

A—Checks should be made out to the Internal Revenue Service. Never send cash through the mails. Use a check or money order.

Q—Do you need to have records of your medical bills, contributions and other items when you take the minimum standard deduction?

A—No, you don't. The minimum standard deduction, makes it unnecessary for taxpayers to itemize or substantiate deductions.

Q—How can you tell a "fly-by-night" tax return specialist from one who is reliable and honest?

A—Here are a few things to look for:

1. Avoid the man who will "guarantee" you a refund.
2. Be on guard if he suggests that the refund be sent to his address.
3. Never sign a blank tax form.
4. Don't sign a form that has been prepared in pencil; the figures could be easily changed.
5. Ask the advisor to sign the return he has prepared. Remember that when you ask someone to help you prepare a return you are still legally responsible for every item on the return.

Q—How do you figure out how much to report as interest when you cash in U. S. savings bonds?

A—Report as interest the difference between what you paid for the bonds, the issue price, and what you received when you turned them in. Some cash basis taxpayers elect to report the interest earned each year on their bonds rather than all at once when they redeem the bonds. Either way of reporting this interest income is acceptable.

Q—Is it true that you do not have to provide over half a person's support to be able to claim him as a dependent? I've heard that if several people chipped in to support someone then it was up to the group doing the supporting to decide who should claim the dependency exemption. Is that right?

A—Under some circumstances that is correct. Cases like this usually arise when several members of a family contribute jointly to the support of another member. When the other tests for claiming a dependent are met, and when several people together have provided more than half the support of a person but no one person has contributed more than one half, they may agree to permit one of them to claim the exemption.

To do this, the person who takes the exemption must have contributed over 10 per cent of the support and the others who contributed over 10 per cent must sign a declaration that they will not claim the exemption for that year. These declarations

must be filed with the return of the one claiming the exemption.

Q—Are child support payments deductible?

A—Child support payments are not deductible to you nor are they taxable to your former wife. However, if you, rather than your former wife, provide more than one-half the child's support, then you may claim the \$600 dependency exemption on your return.

Q—I have several W-2 forms since I worked for several people last year. Should I attach all of them to my return or can I add them up and give you the totals?

A—You should attach the Copy B of all your W-2's to your return, although only the total need be entered on your Form 1040. Failure to do so will hold up the processing of your return and any refund that might be due you.

George Sand said, "When tempted yield at once, and save yourself the struggle."

Mount Elbert is the highest peak in the Rocky Mountains.

Hunt Query Sent 8,000 In Soeastex

The hunting tales and trophies are fast becoming "old hat" in Texas but the work of staff technicians is just beginning, reports the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

For example, a brief questionnaire is being readied for selected hunters in 12 East Texas counties, polling them on what happened while participating in the long wildlife harvest.

They are asked to report on deer, squirrels, doves, quail, ducks and geese.

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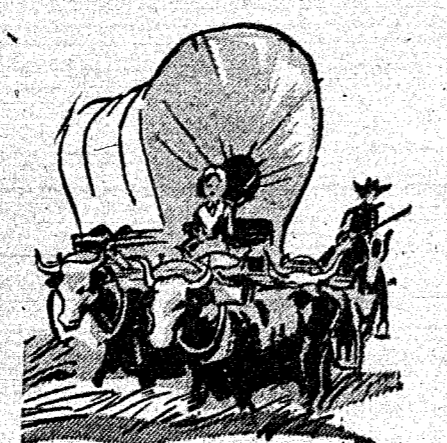
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The Future May See Communities And Marine Farms Under Oceans

NEW YORK — The seas around us may one day contain underwater communities with floating glass bubbles that house workers, luxury hotels for tourists, submarine-like trains, and farms where marine plants are cultivated and sea animals, such as whales are bred for market.

This watery world of tomorrow is described in the current issue of *Petroleum Today* in a feature entitled "Oceanography: A World of Promise."

One of the great ironies of history, the publication says, is that while oceans cover 70 per cent of the globe and have 80 per cent of the world's animal life, man has relatively little knowledge of the seas' mysterious and hostile depths. Vast and virtually untouched sources of food, drugs and minerals await him in and below the ocean. And the quest for them has just begun.

For example, man currently hauls 45 million tons of fish from the sea each year. Scientists, however, believe that this quantity could be increased fivefold without the overall supply being harmed.

Ocean plants and animals are also proving to be sources of exciting new discoveries. Chemicals that kill pain, inhibit the growth of tumors, fight viruses, and stimulate the heart have already been extracted from sea creatures, it is reported.

The "wealth of the waters" includes a treasure-trove of minerals. *Petroleum Today* says that there are millions of tons of silver, billions of tons of gold, valleys of diamonds, and huge deposits of phosphoric sulfur and other key ores.

Oil companies have been the leading industrial pioneers in oceanography both in terms of experience and expenditures, according to *Petroleum Today*. Their research

and development investments make up fully one-third of the total spent by all offshore industries. Though barely scratched, undersea petroleum is already providing 16 per cent of the Free World oil supply.

To encourage progress in exploring the ocean depths, the U.S. Congress last year enacted legislation that will open the way for increased government support of oceanographic research. Private industry, at the same time, will continue its traditional role of developing the seas' resources, according to the magazine.

Exactly what forms this progress will take are, of course, uncertain, but marine scientists have made some educated guesses. In addition to subsurface colonies, they envision mineral processing as well as mining taking place on the ocean floor. They foresee oil drilling operations going on inside self-contained, watertight rigs, while any petroleum that may be produced will be processed in adjacent refineries-under-glass.

Weekend Special Saves Money

"Food shoppers! Do you take advantage of advertised weekend food specials? If you can use them, they will definitely save you money."

For this weekend look for best beef values on chuck roasts and steaks, ground beef, stew meat and round steak, says Mrs. Gwendolyn Clayt, Extension consumer marketing specialist.

Pork values include picnics, end-cut loin roasts, shoulder roasts and steaks, and pork liver. Fryers remain the number one bargain in most retail meat departments and grade A large eggs offer the greatest quality and economy combination.

Fresh fruit and vegetable items available at moderate prices include oranges, red grapefruit, apples, lemons, avocados, sweet potatoes, lettuce, celery, dry yellow onions, tomatoes, cauliflower, and carrots. Cabbage supplies are less than usual at this season and prices are relatively high. Prices on red potatoes are up a bit, but are still a good choice.

Separation of Church and State Is Two Topics

"When one speaks of church and state and separations of church and state," said Dr. James E. Wood Jr., "he is talking about two different things." Wood is director of Baylor University's J. M. Dawson Studies in Church and State.

"Church and state," Wood said, "is the term used in the broadest sense to determine the relationship of organized religion on the one hand and the government of a nation or a society on the other."

"Separation," he added, "is a specific pattern in the study."

Separation is not the primary study of the J. M. Dawson studies, now in the tenth year of existence at the largest Baptist University in the world.

"We try to deal with all the problems of church and state," he said.

Castormeal Is Fed To Cattle

For what may be the first time, a researcher is feeding castormeal to heifers in the feedlot.

Paul Marion, superintendent of Texas A&M University's Rolling Plains Livestock Research Station, says he is trying to determine if castormeal can be safely fed as a source of protein to cattle. So far, his results indicate it can.

Castorbeans are increasing in Texas, particularly on the High Plains where they are being grown on retired cotton acreage.

Marion says he started the heifers on 4 of a pound of the castormeal a day and now is up to 3 pounds per head per day. The ration includes ground sorghum grain and silage. Since the castormeal contains (ugh!) castor oil, which has a laxative effect, the cattle must be started slowly, he says.

To date, the heifers have gained 2.1 pounds per head a day, but they are rather low quality heifers, so Marion says he didn't expect extra high gains.

Attend Church Regularly

Group Attends Legislative Breakfast

Thomas Wristen Jr., president of the Community Chamber of Commerce and John McDaniel were accompanied to Austin Tuesday morning of last week by Roy Joe Harvey, Lynn Wristen and Larry Rutherford.

The group attended the weekly Legislative Breakfast, hosted by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for Zone 10, of which Santa Anna is a part.

Lt. Governor Preston Smith addressed the group. He reviewed the proceeding of the Texas Legislature thus far.

Purpose of these weekly meetings is to encourage members of the WTCC to learn more about how their state legislature operates.

Librarians To Meet in Ft. Worth

More than 1,500 librarians from throughout the state will convene in Fort Worth March 16-18 for the fifty-fourth annual Texas Library Association conference.

The conference theme is "Communications: Is Anybody Listening?" and general sessions will feature addresses on related topics.

Dr. George Shapiro, professor of communication arts and sciences, University of Minnesota, and a communication consultant for several major corporations and departments of the United States Government will speak at the first general session Thursday afternoon on "Communication or Confusion?"

Mrs. Roy Horne is in Waco visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sanford.

Half Billion Cost Placed In '67 Crashes

Texas traffic accidents will cost at least \$500 million this year according to an estimate announced by "Texans for Traffic Safety" following a meeting of the Board of Trustees in Dallas.

Noting that 700 highway patrolmen have the job of patrolling 65,000 miles of highway, Robert F. Miller, president of the safety group, stated, "The lack of trained manpower to police our state's highways is showing up in our rapidly escalating traffic accident rate."

"Conservative estimates place the number of Texans to be injured in traffic accidents this year at 200,000. It is my firm conviction that if adequate trained manpower were available to enforce the traffic laws, this number could be reduced to a humane minimum. Nothing can take the place of enforcement."

"According to recognized authorities, a minimum of 2,500 patrolmen is needed to patrol the state's highways. There are 700 on the job today."

"Two hundred more jobs are authorized, but wages are so low that few qualified men can afford to take them. Mr. Miller stated, "Wages must be raised to realistic levels in order to attract and attain qualified men. The safety of all Texans is adversely affected by the lack of men to properly enforce the laws."

Julian Kelly and a friend of Dallas, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kelly Friday. The occasion was Mrs. Kelly's birthday.

Henry VIII had six wives.

Freight Rail Time Reduced

Santa Fe Railway has slashed 15 hours from its current northbound freight schedules between Houston and Chicago with inauguration of a new daily freight train, the Texas Expediter, John S. Reed, president, Chicago announced recently.

The new freight train will provide a one-day faster service for most shippers of piggyback traffic, perishables and other freight commodities over Santa Fe's direct route to Chicago. For example, departing Houston at 9 a.m. and Fort Worth at 7 p.m. Monday, the Texas Expediter will arrive Chicago at 12:45 a.m. Wednesday, providing delivery to Chicago industries and connections there that morning.

Santa Fe also has inaugurated a daily complementary southbound Texas Expediter, with a similar fast schedule.

33 Trainees Readied For Warden Term

COLLEGE STATION — Members of the largest semi-annual class of game warden trainees are ready to "hit the books" at Texas A&M University.

Thirty-three applicants for commissions will enroll for the month's course.

The Department personnel program calls for a 250-man warden staff by the end of the year. The force now totals 215.

The additional manpower, according to the Department, is required for additional responsibilities, including enforcement of the new boating safety code.

Aristides won the first Kentucky Derby in 1875.

FTA To Convene In San Antonio February 24 - 25

Some 5,000 high school students, future teachers of yet unborn generations of Texas children will convene in San Antonio February 24-25 for the 18th annual state convention of Texas Future Teachers of America.

The convention will draw delegates from every corner of the state. An attractive brunette from Amarillo, Miss Carol Connerly, TFTA president, will preside.

Convention activities will feature social events, workshops, business sessions and election of a new slate of state officers for 1967-68.

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CRISPRITE TRA-PAC	POUND	T-BONE	POUND
BACON	.55	STEAK	.89
BEEF	POUND	GOOCH'S	2 LB. BAG
CUTLETS	.59	SAUSAGE	.98
ARM	POUND	WILSON'S ALL MEAT	POUND
ROAST	.59	FRANKS	.55
ICE CREAM	Gandy's Assorted	$\frac{1}{2}$ gal.	.69
BAMA RED	18-OUNCE	BAMA	18-OUNCE
PLUM JELLY	.29	GRAPE JAM	.29
WAPCO			
NEW POTATOES	2 303 cans		.29
WHITE SWAN	300 SIZE CAN	RUSSET	10 POUNDS
HOMINY	.10	POTATOES	.39
DE LITE			
VANILLA WAFERS	14 OZ.		.25
SUNSHINE COCOATEENS CAKES	10 1/4 OUNCES — 39c	NABISCO CHOCOLATE FUDGE	1 POUND — 39c
		SUPREME, OLD FASHIONED BUTTER	FLAVORED COOKIES, 14 OZ. — 39c