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WEATHER

PAMPA AND VICINITY—Partly cloudy and colder Thursday. Windy and dusty this afternoon, with westerly winds at 35-45 mph this afternoon but slowly decreasing tonight. Low tonight near 32; high tomorrow near 50.

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HUGH BURDETTE
... Ward 2



CLYDE CARRUTH
... Ward 4

Burdette, Carruth Elected In City Voting Here Yesterday

In the only contest in Tuesday's municipal election, Clyde Carruth, a former city commissioner, won over Earl D. Hilton, contractor, by almost 6 to 1 in

Tornado Slams Church; Damage Estimates High

PANHANDLE (Sp) — A tornado hit Panhandle yesterday at 5:35 p.m. causing estimated damage in the thousands of dollars in the east part of town, but no injuries were reported.

Several twisters were reported in the area, but St. Theresa's Catholic Church in Panhandle was hit before 6 p.m. as the 54 residents of the adjoining St. Ann's Rest Home were eating dinner.

Sister Mary of the Church reported that it hit "as quickly as lightning." Before they knew it hit, it was all over, she added. The twister damaged the church, the home and parish hall extensively with the east wall of the church torn loose from the rest of the building.

The church was reportedly jarred on its foundation because doors in the building would not open and close properly.

Damage was also done to the roofs and air conditioning units of the rest home and church and numerous windows were shattered. The nearby Catholic Children's Home received only minor damage.

Firemen inspecting the damage said the tornado stripped tar and gravel roofing material off some of the buildings, tore some masonry from the front of the rest home and damaged some trellises at the children's home.

Two tornadoes near Newland west of Memphis blew down telephone and power lines and reportedly damaged a house and barn. Sheriff's and Civil Defense units were assessing the damage late Tuesday, but no injuries were reported.

A tornado or high winds also blew down several barns at Ashola, near Clarendon. Another reportedly touched the ground at Wolfroth south of Lubbock, but no damage was reported.

\$4,397.68 Is Collected In Cancer Drive

Pampa residents contributed \$4,397.68 to the American Cancer Society, Texas Division, during the house-to-house canvas last night.

In praising Mrs. Jim Terry, city house-to-house chairman and her more than six hundred volunteer workers, Gray County Cancer Crusade chairman Don R. Lane said that the total was the most money ever raised in this phase of the campaign.

"Despite windy and wet weather these ladies really covered their assigned blocks. They are to be congratulated," Lane said. McLean's house-to-house survey is slated for tomorrow evening. The McLean Volunteer Fire Department, under the direction of Boyd Meador, will handle the canvas in that city.

North Vietnam Ready To Talk 'Unconditional' Halt In Bombing

White House Begins Studying Hanoi Offer

By MERRIMAN SMITH
UPI White House Reporter

WASHINGTON (UPI) — North Vietnam announced today it was willing to discuss with the United States "the unconditional cessation of bombing and all other acts of war" in Vietnam. The White House immediately began studying the offer.

Hanoi Radio, in a response to President Johnson's Sunday night bid that "peace talks begin promptly," said in a broadcast:

"The North Vietnamese government declares its readiness to send its representatives to make contact with U.S. representatives to decide with the U.S. side the unconditional cessation of bombing and all other war acts against our government so talks could begin."

The White House said the broadcast was taken under immediate study. State Department officials said all of the ramifications of the North Vietnam proposal were being considered.

Diplomatic sources noted, however, that Hanoi did not appear to have budged from its condition that all bombing and acts of war must stop before serious peace talks could begin. They noted the usual militant tone of the broadcast prior to the offer to talk.

"It is clear that the U.S. government has not correctly and fully responded to the just demand of the North Vietnamese government, of U.S. progressive opinion, and world opinion," the broadcast said.

"However, on its part, the North Vietnamese government declares its readiness to send its representatives to make contact with U.S. representatives to decide with the U.S. side the unconditional cessation of bombing and all other war acts against (North Vietnam) so talks could begin."

President Johnson, in a nationwide address Sunday night, ordered a limitation in bombing of most of North Vietnam and asked "that talks begin promptly, that they be serious talks on the substance of peace."

"We are prepared to move immediately toward peace through negotiations," Johnson declared.

He named ambassador-at-large Averell Harriman as his personal representative for such talks and said Llewellyn Thompson, the U.S. ambassador to Russia, who is in Washington, would be "available to join Ambassador Harriman at Geneva or any other suitable place just as soon as Hanoi agrees to a conference."

The Hanoi broadcast appeared to be framed to permit

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McCarthy Eyes Showdown Now With Kennedy

By RAYMOND LAHR
MILWAUKEE, Wis. (UPI)—

Sen. Eugene J. McCarthy beat the phantom candidacy of President Johnson in the Wisconsin Democratic primary Tuesday and headed today towards showdowns with Sen. Robert Kennedy which could make or break his hopes for the presidency.

Former Vice President Richard M. Nixon, as expected was a runaway victor with 80 per cent of the vote in the Republican primary. In second place was Gov. Ronald Reagan of California, an inactive candidate whose name appeared on a presidential primary ballot for the first time.

Nixon won all of the state's 30 delegate votes for the Republican National Convention.

With 3,154 of the 3,290 precincts counted in the Democratic primary—96 per cent of the total—McCarthy had 395,946 votes or 57 per cent. Republicans had 244,118, equivalent to 35 per cent. Republicans in 3,113 precincts gave Nixon 375,400 or 80 per cent of the total as against 49,200 votes—11 per cent—for Reagan.

All Out Campaign
McCarthy emphatically indicated he plans to go all the way.

"We have demonstrated in Wisconsin the ability to win the election in November. I think we can go on to certain victory."

The peace candidate from Minnesota won 49 of Wisconsin's 59 delegate votes for the Democratic convention and Johnson won eight—all of them from two Milwaukee congressional districts. Wisconsin's two Democratic National Committee members also have a vote apiece at the convention and are not bound by the primary results.

McCarthy's victory was subject to mixed interpretations because it came two days after Johnson upset the political juggernaut by announcing he would neither seek nor accept renomination.

With write-in votes, Kennedy polled about 5 per cent of the Democratic total. Kennedy had given McCarthy an unexpected endorsement in Wisconsin when the New York senator became a declared candidate for the nomination four days after McCarthy's 42 per cent showing in the New Hampshire primary but too late to get on the Wisconsin ballot.

After it became apparent that McCarthy had won Wisconsin, he accompanied his 20-year-old daughter, Ellen, in a freight elevator from his 19th floor suite to the ballroom of the Sheraton Schroeder Hotel headquarters. There he was almost mobbed by young campaign workers who shrieked and cheered with joy.

"Wisconsin proved New Hampshire was not just an accident," he shouted to crowds of about 1,700. "We have shown the power of the students' student power. This is a night to be happy."

School Absentee Balloting Sets All-Time Record

An all-time record in absentee voting in Pampa school board elections was set yesterday when the deadline fell and 146 absentee votes had been cast in next Saturday's school election.

The figure was nearly four times greater than last year's 39 absentee votes when there were four candidates on the slate with two to be elected. The total vote last year was 1,353.

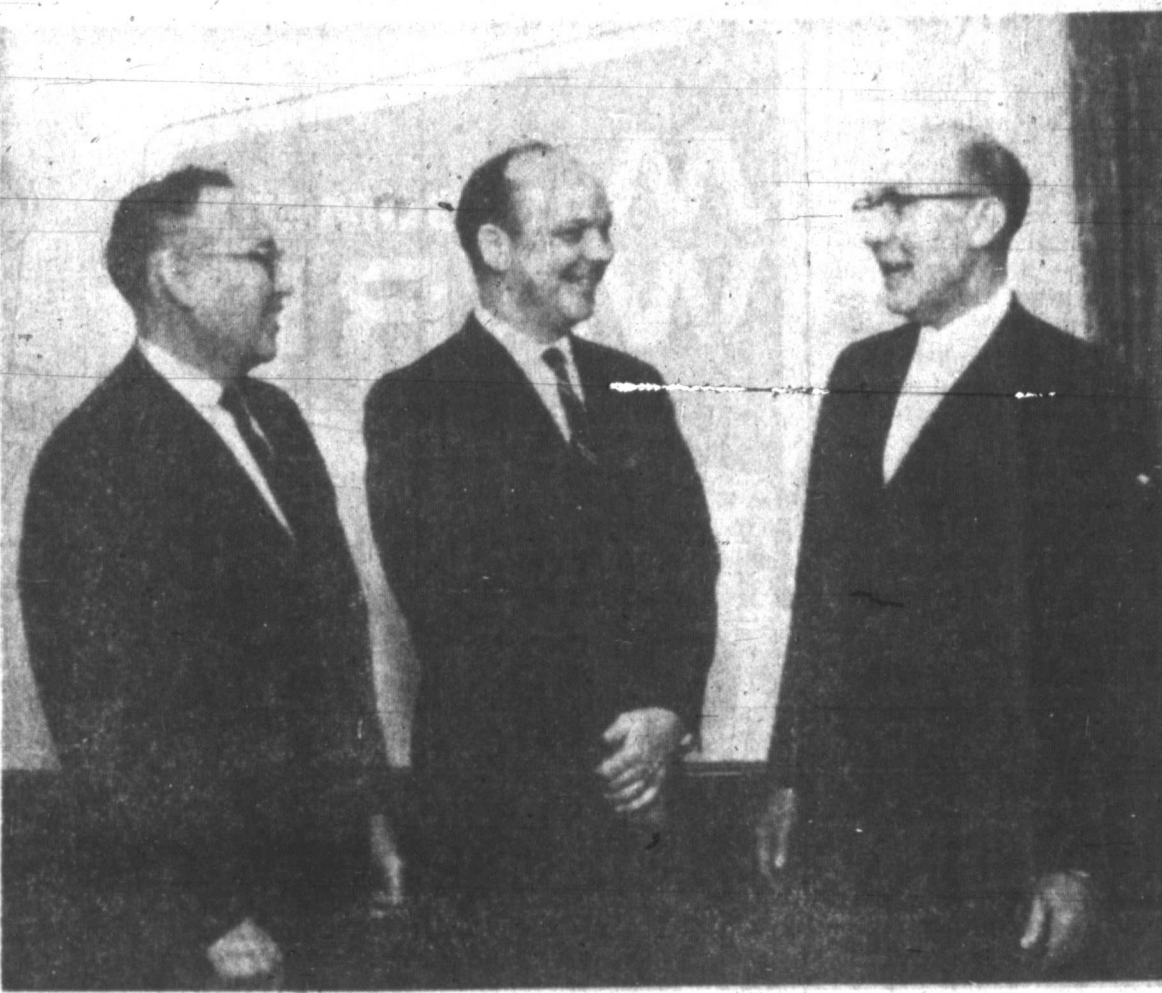
There was speculation today that the record-breaking absentee vote indicated a heavy turnout of voters in Saturday's upcoming balloting — probably another record-breaker.

The unusual interest is believed to have been stirred by the unusually large number of candidates in the race and because of outstanding controversial issues in which the current school board has been involved.

There are 12 candidates from which two choices will be made Saturday.

They are—Tom Dunham, Joe Y. Rogers, Bill McDonald, Bill Watson, Joe Pafford, Jesse

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DISTRICT 17 RETAIL FURNITURE ASSN. — Among the approximately 50 persons who attended the District 17 Retail Furniture Association meeting last night at the Pampa Country Club were, left to right, William G. Davis of Dallas, staff executive vice president; Arvin McGee of Amarillo, district director; and Jack P. Foster of 1228 Williston St., state president of the organization. (See Story, Page 3.)

US Launches Offensive To Lift Communist Siege Of Khe Sanh

By JACK WALSH
SAIGON (UPI)—Elements of

three divisions of U.S. Marines, air cavalrymen and South Vietnamese troops have launched a major offensive to lift the 74-day-old Communist siege of Khe Sanh, a U.S. spokesman announced today.

While a strong force of Leathernecks knifed into the Khe Sanh garrison itself in Operation Pegasus, U.S. 1st Air Cavalrymen carried out helicopter assaults against North Vietnamese positions in a drive from the east.

UPI correspondent Nat Gibson reported from the front that "upwards of 10,000" American troops were involved in the operation in addition to the 6,000 or more Marines and Vietnamese in Khe Sanh. He said the number could grow and the battle might develop into one of the climactic struggles of the war.

Khe Sanh is in the northwest corner of South Vietnam and controls half a dozen invasion routes from North Vietnam. The Communist siege began Jan. 21 with a mighty bombardment of troops hemmed in on a plateau in the

midst of jungle-covered mountain peaks.

Little Opposition
First reports said the operation had met only light Communist opposition and had taken very light casualties. But high ranking officers in the

midst of battle said heavier fighting was expected in the days ahead should the North Vietnamese try to make a

The operation was launched Monday by B52 superfortresses (See U.S., Page 3)

Governors Set Meeting To Evaluate 'Political Events'

DES MOINES, Iowa (UPI) — The nation's Democratic governors today were preparing to meet to explore ways of making their voices heard when a presidential nominee is chosen.

Gov. Harold Hughes of Iowa, chairman of the National Democratic Governors Conference, Tuesday sent out invitations to the 23 Democratic state chief executives to attend an April 15 meeting designed to evaluate the effect of "recent political events" in the Democratic party.

An aide to Hughes said the meeting was set up and the telegraphed invitations sent out

at the request of "a number of Democratic governors."

The aide said telephone calls from governors began some 24 hours after President Johnson announced his decision not to seek another term and continued Tuesday, all expressing a desire for a meeting "for the discussion of recent political events."

The meeting, a luncheon at the Mayfair Hotel in St. Louis, Mo., is not expected to last longer than that Monday afternoon, the aide said.

He said the conference has "no scheduled program and no agenda."

Vice President Is Center Of Political Storm, But ...

Hubert Is 'Model Of Calm Deliberation'

By WILLIAM THEIS

WASHINGTON (UPI)—For a man who is the center of 1968's latest political storm, Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey is outwardly a model of calm deliberation.

If the 56-year-old Minnesotan decides to go after the Democratic presidential nomination, it will be no impetuous action. Humphrey has been seasoned by political heartbreak in other years, in other storms.

Few of his friends expect him to make a late start in a field already occupied by Senator Robert F. Kennedy and Eugene J. McCarthy unless he has significant evidence of party backing.

Some of that support has already surfaced, more is likely.

But it still might not be enough. Humphrey would probably have to make his fight without much open political assistance from President Johnson.

Should he become an active candidate to "stop Bobby" if the poll results from the big vote-rich industrial states deny him support?

Should he offer pro-Johnson

Democrats from the South an "escape" from George C. Wallace?

The coming days must provide the answers. For the vice president would be starting behind, and in desperate need of time and assistance.

Since Johnson has let the Democrat party machinery go unattended for himself, it has become creaky for anyone representing his administration.

Should he offer pro-Johnson

state conventions and "favorite son" primary candidates.

He would have to count on loyalties and his long record of party service, and he would have to work on his own image, gently disengaging himself where possible from association with the "tired" look that many young voters apply to the Johnson administration.

Not many candidates could match Humphrey for energy, zest and balance. He proved that during his whirlwind January goodwill trip to Africa, when he visited nine countries in 11 days.

He showed his composure during last weekend's Mexico City visit, when the news of Bobby Kennedy had just exploded

from Washington. Sen. Wayne L. Morse, D-Ore., a critic of the President's Vietnam policy who was with Humphrey, said the vice president did a superb job of carrying out his mission despite his sadness over Johnson's decision.

Long before his party's disunity over Vietnam impelled the President to decide against a second term, Humphrey had pictured himself as being at peace with ambition and determined to judge most issues by: "Does it satisfy my conscience?"

Humphrey can look back at his political and legislative record with satisfaction.

Bobby Kennedy had just

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 Mrs. Evon Richardson, 106 W. 26th St.
 Mrs. Cordie McBride, 603 E. Foster.
 Mrs. Marlene Fox, Borger.
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 Baby Boy Cross, White Deer.
 Miss Billie Sue Wright, 225 Henry.
 Mrs. Verne Harris, Pampa.
 Mrs. Mary Hatfield, Lefors.
 William Bowen, 106 E. 27th.
 Mrs. Emma Dell Jones, 527 Elm.
 Mrs. Ida Werth, White Deer.
 Mrs. Lou Roberts, 2301 Christine.
 Mrs. Eva Gay Carter, 1424 Wiliston.
 Mrs. Mary LaRue, 1140 S. Faulkner.

Judge Speaker
For Kiwanians

Municipal Court Judge John W. Warner was the speaker for the Top O' Texas Kiwanis Club Tuesday night at the organization's meeting in Furrs' Cafeteria.

Warner spoke on the growing local problem of teenage drinking and what is being done about the problem. He also included comments concerning the Teenage Jury and probation terms for teenagers.

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THE REALIST

Average Marijuana Smoker Can't Fully Appreciate Risk He's Taking

By KENNETH R. CLARK
 EDINBURG, Tex. (UPI)—The average marijuana-smoker is like a man swimming in a pool full of sharks. He really can't fully appreciate the risk until one of them bites off his leg. After that, if he lives, he never forgets—but he never walks without a limp again, either.

According to Edinburg attorney Ralph Alexander, state and federal drug laws have teeth which cut as deep as any shark's—but he said this week, most of the "flipped out" youngsters he talks to don't want to believe that.

Alexander, who has defended violators in court and studied every aspect of the law which controls the traffic in narcotics, said he is convinced ignorance of the law—or at least of its consequence—is a big factor in the rising use of marijuana and LSD by the nation's young people.

Accordingly, he speaks to youth groups—such as the recent drug-panel at Pan American College—wherever he can find youths who will listen to him.

"They're dumbfounded when I tell them the potential penalty for possession of a single marijuana cigaret is life," he said. "They tend to regard any sort of a narcotics violation as they would unlawful purchase of alcohol—something they'll just get their hands slapped for if they're caught."

Alexander uses the term "life" in connection with a conviction, because violation of the drug laws is a felony, and a convicted felon can no more rid himself of the mark than Cain could.

"I tell these kids to be a fel-

Pampa Jaycees Elect Directors

Seven men were elected to the board of directors of the Pampa Junior Chamber of Commerce Tuesday at the club's noon meeting in the basement of the First Methodist Church.

Elected to two-year terms were Bud McVickers, Don Tinney, Don Litchfield, Nick Smily, Jim Osborne and John Rosenberg.

Gary Myers was named to a one-year term as director.

McVickers and Tinney announced for club president at the meeting and Smily put his hat in the ring for interclub director.

Other candidates are expected to "throw their hats into the ring" during this week as the club will have its election of officers next Tuesday.

Wall Street Chatter

NEW YORK (UPI)—Winslow, Cobu & Stetson, Inc. says the "break away gap" experienced Monday following President Johnson's announcements of a bombing pause in Vietnam and a decision not to run again closely parallels the bullishness that set in after the assassination of President Kennedy. The firm thinks the upward swing could last "quite a while."

E.F. Hutton & Co., Inc. observes that "the technical background of the market has been steadily improving, and now the news background, which appeared so bleak and imposing, has suddenly taken a dramatic turn for the better." The stage is set, the firm feels, for a stronger stock market "as we move into the second quarter of the year."

Local Firm Gets Construction Job

WASHINGTON—The Bureau of Mines has awarded a \$15,865 contract to Carlson and Craddock Construction Co. of Pampa for the building of an addition to the natural gas gathering system in the Cliffside gas field, it was announced Tuesday.

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Communist World Scorns President's Bombing Pause In North Vietnam

By WALTER LOGAN
United Press International
From Peking to Moscow, the Communist world today scorned President Johnson's limited bombing pause in North Vietnam as a step toward peace.

They did not specifically say "nyet." But the tone was "no." The gesture Johnson hoped would bring a move for peace from Hanoi.

From Peking, a Japanese newsman quoted North Vietnamese in the Chinese Communist capital as having "reaffirmed the stand taken by the Hanoi government that peace negotiations could be started only after the United States unconditionally stopped bombing," they said.

President Johnson's announcement did not mean unconditional halt to such bombings.

Moscow radio broadcast that Johnson was "not sincere."

It said there is "little point in expecting results from the decisions taken by Washington."

Premier Alexei N. Kosygin of the Soviet Union, visiting Iran, said Tuesday night at a Tehran banquet that peace will come to Vietnam only when the United States stops fighting.

He said the time has come "when it should be clear to the aggressor that the only way out for him is to stop aggression against the Vietnamese people."

The hard tone of Kosygin's remarks reinforced belief that Moscow would ignore Johnson's urging for the Russians to join the push for peace. In London, Prime Minister Harold Wilson of Britain appeared waiting in vain for a favorable response from Moscow on his bid for Soviet cooperation in seeking peace talks.

Johnson, in his speech to Americans Sunday night, had urged Britain and Russia, co-chairmen of the Geneva agreement on Indochina, to seek peace talks.

50 Attend Furniture Dealer Meet

(See Photo, Page 1)
Approximately 50 persons attended the District 17 meeting of the Retail Furniture Dealers' Association last night at the Pampa Country Club.

Jack P. Foster of Pampa, state president of the organization, said representatives from throughout the Panhandle district attended.

Principal speakers were Robert Moy, from the home office of the John Hancock Insurance Co. in Dallas, and Harry Weisbrod of Dallas, a wage-and-hour consultant.

Moy spoke on the type of insurance program offered to the association and Weisbrod discussed wage-and-hour problems of personnel in the retail furniture business.

Also attending the meeting were William G. Davis, executive state vice president from Dallas, and District Director of District 7, Alvin McGee of Amarillo.

The Retail Furniture Association of Texas has 18 districts and a membership of slightly over 1,000.

Pampa Insurance Women Launch Service Project

The newly-organized Pampa Insurance Women's Association launched its first public project last night with a class in basic fire insurance rating.

Sponsored by the association and arranged by Mrs. Tex De Weese and Mrs. Mildred Lafferty, co-chairmen of the group's education committee, the class will be held from 7:30 to 9 p.m. each Tuesday in the Chamber of Commerce conference room, Hughes Bldg.

Kirk Duncan, Pampa insurance broker, was instructor at last night's opening class session. The weekly classes are free and open to persons engaged in the insurance business in Pampa and the surrounding area.

Mrs. Frank Heare is president of the association which was organized last September as an affiliate of the State and National Federation of Insurance Women.

Class instructors will be provided each week by the Pampa Insurance Agents Exchange.

Pampa CoC Sets Membership Meet

The April Membership Meeting of the Pampa Chamber of Commerce will be held Tuesday at 12 noon in the Starlight Room of the Coronado Inn.

The program will feature an address by R. D. Teece, executive vice president of the Harnischfeger Corporation of Milwaukee, Wis., who will discuss operations of his company with particular emphasis on their local activities.

There will be special entertainment and a door prize to be awarded at the end of the program.

The public is invited to attend the luncheon meeting, and reservations may be made until 10 a.m. Monday by calling the Chamber office, MO 4-3241.

Burglars Thwarted In Pampa Store

Burglars struck the Texas Furniture Store, 210 N. Cuyler St. Monday but were thwarted by an empty cash register. No merchandise was taken, Pampa police said.

The break-in occurred between 6 p.m. Monday and 7:50 a.m. yesterday, investigating officers said.

Entry was apparently made through a skylight in the roof, police said.

Auto Vandalized

H. R. Miller of 1033 Charles St. reported to police yesterday that someone had maliciously knocked several holes in the windshield of his automobile. Damage was estimated at \$115. Investigation is continuing.

Cash Taken From Vending Machine

An undetermined amount of cash was taken from a vending machine at the Western Motel sometime during the past two days, according to a police report.

Fred J. Carothers, owner of the motel, reported the burglary yesterday. He said he first became suspicious when the vending machine did not function properly.

Police say the burglar or burglars apparently unlocked the coin-operated soft drink machine with a key or picked the lock and then locked it up again.

US Plane Down In Thailand Gulf

WASHINGTON (UPI)—A Navy patrol plane with 12 men aboard was shot down over the Gulf of Thailand Monday, it was learned today.

All 12 crew members are listed as missing. The plane was a P-3 V1 "Orion" loaded with electronic gear.

U.S. sources were unable to confirm a report that the plane was shot down by a Cambodian patrol boat. One source said he did not know whether the plane was shot down by fire from a vessel or from shore.

Mainly -- About People --

The News invites readers to phone in or mail items about the coming and going of themselves or friends for inclusion in this column.

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The Future Homemakers of America Chapter at Robert E. Lee Junior High School heard Pampa Municipal Judge John W. Warner speak on the subject of the effect of a criminal record on a teen-ager's record. Mrs. Geraldine Rampsy is chapter sponsor.

Robb Steps Off Jetliner Into The War

DA NANG, Vietnam (UPI)—Capt. Charles Robb, President Johnson's son-in-law, stepped off a jetliner today into the stifling heat of Vietnam for 13 months of duty with the Marines.

"I am very happy to be here," he told newsmen. "But I wish you'd leave me alone."

Robb, 28, is assigned to a unit of the 1st Marine Division in Vietnam's northern provinces.

He was in charge of a 165-man replacement detail for the flight to Da Nang from Okinawa.

Robb married Lynda Bird Johnson, the President's older daughter, last December.

Obituaries

MRS. FLOSSIE MAY SOUTHDARD
Mrs. Flossie May Southard, who resided at 420 N. Wynne, died in a local hospital at 11 a.m. today following a brief illness.

Mrs. Southard, 74, was born in Dallas County, Mo. She married Will Southard 58 years ago in Missouri. They moved from Missouri to Miami in 1945, where they lived until 1941, when they moved to California. The couple moved to Pampa in 1956.

She is a member of the First Christian Church of Miami.

Survivors include the husband; five sons, Elwin, Edwin and Dale of Pampa, Don of Des Moines, Ia. and Lawrence of Porterville, Calif.; four daughters, Mrs. George Briley of Gunnison, Colo., Mrs. John Harrison of Oklahoma City, Okla., Mrs. Ray Casey of Okonaha and Miss Bess Southard, Tulsa, Okla.; 19 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. John Lee (Anita) Bell, Mrs. Barbara Wilson and Eddie Rand Southard, all of Pampa, are grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Home.

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raining thousands of tons of bombs into the complex of Communist bunkers and zigzag trenches which had reached to the very edge of the Khe Sanh fort itself. Fighter-bombers made hundreds of assaults.

The official announcement gave few details but Gibson accompanied the 1st Air Cavalry troops on their helicopter assault into the jungled ridge east of Khe Sanh. He reported one of the first points captured was a shell-scarred peak overlooking Route 9 and honeycombed with North Vietnamese bunkers and trenches.

Artillery, air strikes and helicopter gunships had cleared the area and there was little opposition.

Originally there were an estimated 16,000 to 20,000 Communist troops ringed Khe Sanh with another 30,000 or so strung out along the Demilitarized Zone (DM) toward the east. A major North Vietnamese offensive had been predicted for months but it never materialized.

The start of the big assault to relieve Khe Sanh obviously explained President Johnson's limitation on his bombing pause of North Vietnam. The southern panhandle, still in bounds for U.S. bombers, is the main supply funnel for Communist troops along the DM.

Marine Lt. Gen. Robert Cushman, who is the top U.S. commander in the five northernmost provinces of Vietnam, has over-all responsibility for the offensive. He told UPI correspondent Robert C. Miller in Da Nang that the operation is moving "according to plan" and is even ahead of schedule.

Cushman said he regarded the battle at Khe Sanh as already won because North Vietnamese shelling of the combat base had tapered off in recent days.

Grading Started On County Road

The Texas Highway Department has announced a new highway construction project from State Highway 182 East of Laketon south to R.M. 2857. The work will consist of grading and structures along the present Gray County road. The contractor, Amis Construction Co., of Oklahoma City, stated work began today and should be completed by next June 25.

Thomas R. Kelley, senior resident, highway engineer, said traffic would be routed through the project during construction. Motorists passing through the area are asked to use extreme caution and obey all traffic signs and signals. The area will be heavily traveled by large construction machinery. Barricades and warning signs will be prominently displayed and every effort will be made to minimize inconveniences to motorists.

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Garage sale: rear of 2239 Christine, all day Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Rummage sale: 321 S. Cuyler, Thursday and Friday.

Antiquing - come to the Antiquing demonstrations by Jess Merrill at the Pampa Hardware Company, 10:30 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Friday.

S-Sgt. Calvin L. Harvey, USMC, former Pampa, and his wife and daughter have been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Lynn, 923 S. Faulkner, and other relatives, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hollis, 731 N. Sumner. Sgt. Harvey has just returned from Dong Ha, S. Vietnam, where he was stationed with the 9th Motor Transport Battalion for 26 months. He has returned to Camp Pendleton, Calif., and will be discharged in July.

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received his Harvard diploma at 22 when Humphrey, then mayor of Minneapolis, shook up his party as a liberal fighting for a strong civil-rights plank at the 1948 Philadelphia convention. He won election to the Senate that November.

As Senate Democratic whip, Humphrey was an expert on foreign policy, civil rights, disarmament—nuclear and conventional—agriculture and politics. He spearheaded efforts behind such landmark achievements as the 1964 Civil Rights act and the 1963 Nuclear Test Ban treaty.

In early 1960, there wasn't much doubt that he was better informed on most issues than candidates John F. Kennedy or Lyndon B. Johnson or Stuart Symington, but his presidential hopes died when Kennedy money and charm beat him in the West Virginia primary. Humphrey conceded gracefully and worked for Kennedy in the fall campaign.

Johnson tapped him as his running mate in 1964, after Democrats in many states had made it clear they favored

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28.45	28.45	28.55	28.45	28.52	28.52	28.52	28.52	28.52
28.12	28.15	28.30	28.15	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30	28.30
28.15	28.15	28.22	28.15	28.20	28.20	28.20	28.20	28.20
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DPA, Inc.	42 1/2
Franklin Life	28 1/2
Genstar Life	8 1/2
Gulf Life Fla.	20 1/2
Jefferson Stan.	24 1/2
St. Cent. Life	7 1/2
Natl. Ed. Life	13 1/2
Natl. Old Life	8 1/2
Natl. Prod. Life	2 1/2
Natl. Res. Life	17 1/2
Pioneer Nat. Gas	22 1/2
Repub. Nat. Life	17 1/2
Southern Life	45
So. West. Life	31
So. West Invest.	12 1/2
Big Three	34 1/2
DAC	25

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Amer Tote	31
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Chrysler	32 1/2
Clatsop	13 1/2
Eastman-Kodak	18 1/2
Ford	54 1/2
Gen Elec	90 1/2
Gen Motors	73 1/2
Gulf Oil	81 1/2
Goodyear	68 1/2
IBM	65
Imperial	28 1/2
Jennex	37 1/2
Phillips	37 1/2
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Rears-Roback	40 1/2
Stan Oil, Ind.	54 1/2
Stan Oil, N. J.	70 1/2
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That Increase in Crime

A major dividend of the Great Society — and the heavy-on-“social justice” administrations that preceded it — has been an increase in crime.

In the past seven years “serious crimes” (as defined by the FBI) have increased by 88 percent while the population has increased by 10 per cent.

The “social justice” theories that are so much responsible for the decline of American civilization have as a common denominator the premise that our forefathers’ emphasis on personal responsibility was about as ludicrous as their reliance on bleeding to cure disease.

“Society” is held responsible for the irresponsible acts of individuals, and corrective action is held to be the responsibility of government, “society’s” instrument. Crimes are committed by individuals, but the “social justicers” proclaim that “society” is the real culprit. The courts have revolutionized the whole concept of crime and punishment by handing down decisions that free criminals on technicalities—and sometimes free criminals that have been convicted beyond any doubt. Not any doubt whatsoever. The courts have, in effect, decided that “society” shall pay for the crimes of individuals, because “society” was initially, the responsible agent.

The inevitable result has been near anarchy. Those who have been deterred from criminal acts for fear of punishment now are led to believe that their chances of escaping punishment are at least as great as suffering it. And in any case, it’s “society’s” fault.

Everywhere in the Land of the Free, people are afraid. They cannot trust law enforcement to protect them, because the courts have so severely inflated enforcement. The greater possibility of impunity leads to an increase in crime, which

further decreases the effectiveness of law enforcement by piling up the work of the enforcement agencies.

In the Land of the Free it is unsafe to walk the street at night and it is becoming progressively perilous to do so in the daytime. Citizens who hardly know which end of the gun kills are buying them for self-protection. Neighborhoods are forming vigilante committees.

Threats that once would never have been made because of the certainty of swift punishment succeed in intimidating the innocent. A recent example: At Merrit College in Oakland, Calif., 12 members of the 15-member student government staff resigned — out of fear, they said, for their lives and the safety of the campus. So great was their fear that they refused to name the source of the threats except to say that they came from a “black militant” group involving both students and non-students.

This is a time of greatest peril to the American Republic. Life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness — are empty words when there is no civil order. To establish that basic necessity, the people are likely to approve the strongman who guarantees it if it appears it can be established in no other way.

The “social justice” advocates have brought us dangerously close to the point of accepting a totalitarian state. If government is to have all the power, the trains will run on time. There will be jobs for all, and all will be assigned jobs. That is what the Marxists describe as “freedom from unemployment.” Individuals will be relieved of all responsibility to government. That is what the Marxists describe as the ultimate “freedom.” Even the “social justice” advocates may find this abrasive, for it really means, in the non-Marxist view, the absence of all freedom.

Where To Begin

The question before Congress — from the standpoint of the politician — is not the size of the federal budget, but the size of the deficit.

No politician we know of contends the country can support the financial expenditures budgeted for this coming year; his only concern is to recognize the level of mismanagement the country can endure.

The cure — from the politician’s point of view — is not what the taxpayer wants, but how much he will tolerate.

To get to the point, the politician has your number. First, he supposes he can buy you off. And you’ve got to admit the overwhelming majority can be influenced by a pet project if it is located in their vicinity.

Second, the politician knows you want a change. So he provides a change. When you get tired of Democrat, you can have Republican. On the other hand, when you get tired of Republican, you have the “freedom” to vote Democrat. That’s what the politician means by “two-party system;” namely, that you have only two brands to buy — and both cans contain the same substance, only a different mixture.

Third, the politician knows you feel helpless and frustrated about the way things are going at home and abroad. He knows parents are weeping and praying for their sons in Vietnam.

He knows additional thousands are weeping for the generation lost to dope and false teachers. He knows when people are dissatisfied they are likely to get together voluntarily and do something really constructive. So he adopts techniques to keep them apart.

Who is the politician? Not always the person you elect. These men come and go. Only a few stay for long. The true politician stays forever. He is a bureaucrat who gets his job by appointment. He gets under the merit system where he doesn’t need merit any more. Or under civil service where he never will have to be civil to anyone again; or he worms his way into an academic faculty.

What can you do about it? How can you escape the clutch of the political system? It has been written, “Ye shall know the truth, and the truth will set you free.” So truth is the place to begin.

Well, we just told you the truth about the political system. Check it out. Does this information ring a bell? Coincidence with your observation? Square with your experience? Start there.

They Can’t Co-Exist

When private or parochial government subsidies, go schools begin accepting government (tax) assistance they are no longer private; for, with freedom of choice is destroyed.

Sensing The News

By THERMAN SENSING



Promoting Indulgence

What stands out most strongly from the Report of the National Advisory Commission on Civil Disorders is the attitude of indulgence. All the censure voiced by the presidential commission is directed at citizens who never had a part in the riots or at the police who had the difficult and dangerous job of restoring the peace. The rioters themselves, and those who incited to riot, escaped serious blame or condemnation.

As one might have expected in view of the membership of the commission, the blame was directed at society, or rather at the truly blameless members of American society. Indeed this is the routine “social science” approach in America these days. Under this theory, crime isn’t the fault of criminals but of society in general. Law-breaking or other misbehavior isn’t attributed to individual guilt or wrongdoing, but to the failure of the taxpayers to spend more money on housing, welfare education and similar items.

The federal government, over a period of 30 years or more, has been creating a climate of indulgence for law-breakers and other irresponsible citizens. The shiftless have had a field day; the self-reliant have been blamed for everything that goes wrong.

The most outrageous forms of behavior are excused, providing the offenders are so-called “disadvantaged” citizens. Thus, in recent years, there has been a “civil rights” sit-in in the halls of the White House, protesters have been allowed to set up a tent camp opposite the White House in Lafayette Park, and an army of demonstrators was allowed to disrupt the nation’s capital and surround the Pentagon.

These are not the only instances of governmental indulgence, to be sure. Many federal programs are predicated on indulgence. Several years ago a city manager in Newburgh, N. Y. insisted that welfare recipients work on clean-up details or they wouldn’t get their relief checks. Federal welfare agencies raised a howl that could be heard across the nation.

The aid-to-dependent-children program has been a national scandal for years. Some slum mothers have made a career of having illegitimate children at public expense so that they would get big ADC payments.

The federal government has done nothing about the so-called welfare unions that openly advertise that they want to pack the relief rolls in New York City and elsewhere.

Indeed the indulgence goes deeper than that. The federal government, through its welfare programs, has made it easier for a father to desert his family than to support it. In its Job Corps program, the Johnson administration has given its trainees a higher wage than the men who enter the U.S. armed services. It has pumped money into slum programs, including a “black power” theater in New York that specializes in white-hate plays.

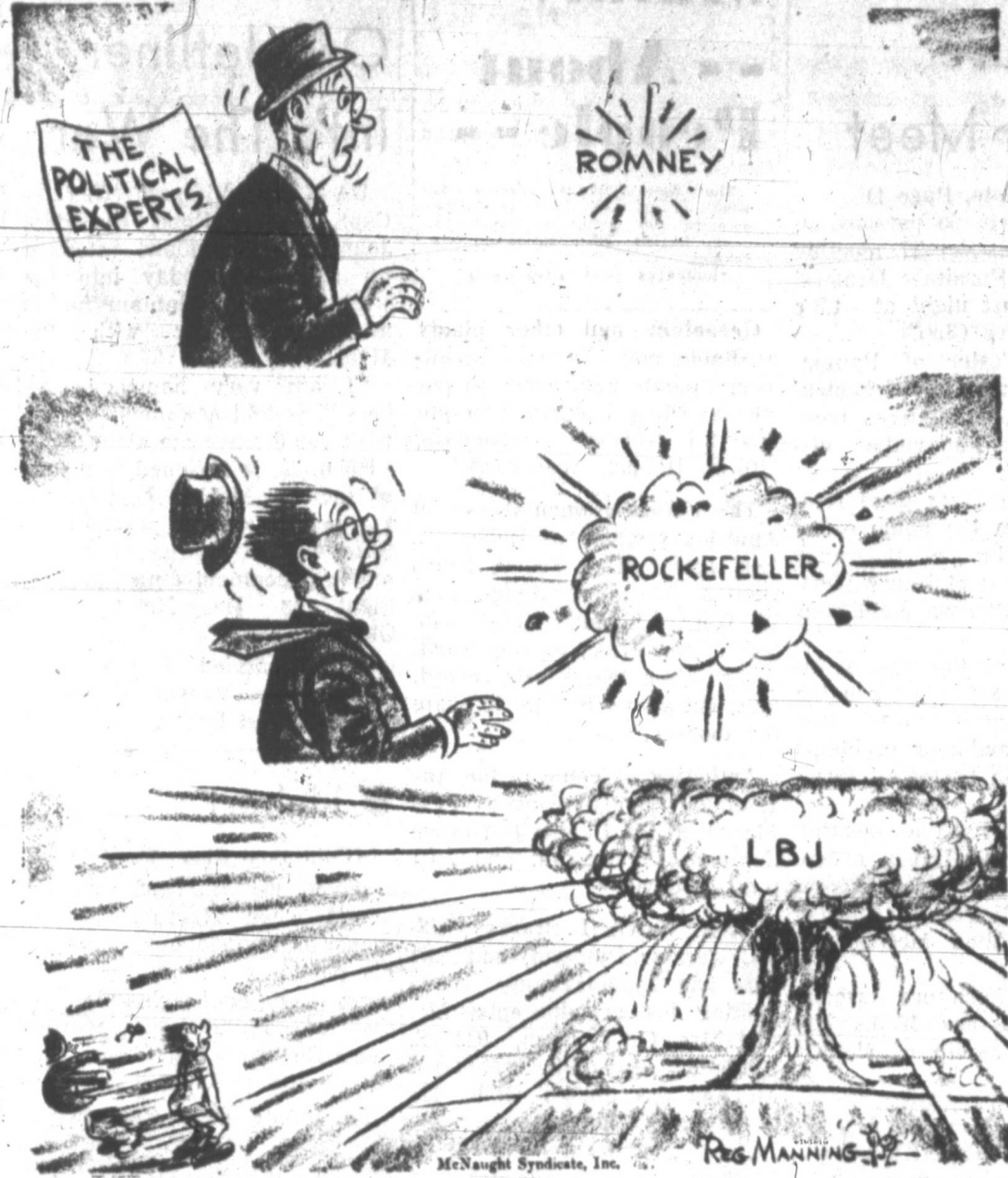
Law-breakers have been comfortably treated for years. The friends of Fidel Castro long ago were exempt from critical scrutiny. The Kennedy administration did nothing about updating the Justice Department’s list of subversive groups. It declined to take action against the Fair Play For Cuba Committee, a front organization with Communist support. Americans who broke the law in going to Red Cuba were given token reprimands or let off the hook.

The United States wouldn’t have any riots if the law were enforced in firm, positive fashion. Few civilized countries experience riots. None of them have had riots on a scale with last summer’s disorders. The reason is simple: in other countries the police are told to crack down as hard as necessary to protect the law-abiding. Respectable citizens in those countries aren’t told that they are the cause of the riots. That kind of social science fiction isn’t bought by intelligent Europeans, for example.

But the Crime Commission urges more indulgence. Some of its toughest language is reserved for police forces — that are equipping their men for next summer’s troubles. Instead of condemning rioters and looters, the Commission lambasts the police. This is the real shame and scandal of our time — the criticism of law-abiding citizens and law enforcement agencies.

The public needs to speak up now in every community and let it be known that intelligent

Pop! Bang! BOOOOOOOOOOM!



PINE TREE FEATURES



MY PHILOSOPHY

Every now and again someone asks me to sum up my personal philosophy. It really is quite simple. I believe in the principle of non-theft and non-molestation. That’s really all there is to it.

But by the time you extend that principle to various facets of life you’ve got a man-sized idea to wrestle with. The going sometimes seems amazingly simple. But when we examine the nature of property and the manifold ways in which theft or molestation can occur, the idea of non-theft and non-molestation takes on gargantuan proportions.

What is property? Well, it is anything that has the potential of being subject to the control of a human being, in such a way that other human beings can be excluded. That means that land and buildings can be property, as can automobiles, rowboats, furniture, food, and clothing.

But it also means that abstract items can be classed as property. For instance, a man’s time is a property that he may or may not wish to sell or give to another. His ideas fall into much the same category. So do a whole class of intangibles, from odors and gases to contracts, agreements, and even less formal relationships. Sounds can be owned (music) and certainly the instruments that produce sounds, lights, odors, services, or goods. If a person is in a position, due to his honorable (sans theft—sans molestation) acquisition of a property, then he becomes the sovereign over that property and may do as he pleases with it. The whole purpose of property is to provide human beings with their wants in a way that avoids molestation and theft. We want to establish a chain of relationships in which theft and molestation are abandoned in favor of voluntary and profit-seeking exchanges.

This whole thing is so fundamental that it’s easy to explain, in general. The difficulty is that so many are accustomed to benefits they derive through theft or molestation, that when we get into an examination of just what would happen were these principles to be widely accepted, many people imagine something only slightly short of catastrophic.

Now I happen to believe that if we adopted a system generally in which no one stole from anyone, either legally or illegally, goods and services would proliferate, real wages would rise, and conditions would generally be on the upswing. I also believe that if we stopped molesting each other — and became

citizens will no longer accept the zany notion that society is at fault.

Rioters can’t be treated with kid gloves or with another dose of welfarism. Now is the time for realism on rioters and a get-tough approach to trouble-makers in the streets and would-be mob leaders.

Pull Up A Chair

By FRANK J. MARKEY

Ever hear of Freiherr von Draisi? Well, he was a German forester who invented the bicycle, which he called a “velociped,” just 150 years ago. It was a primitive vehicle by today’s standards since it lacked rubber tires and pedals. But in 1853 Moritz Fischer, another German, invented pedals. And 35 years later an Irish veterinarian named Dunlop added the inflatable tires. World production of bicycles amounts to 25 million a year. And it seems to us that at least a dozen of them stuck in traffic in a large city. Maybe Freiherr von Draisi would have done the world, particularly automobile drivers, a greater favor if he had kept his invention to himself.

Today’s smile: A pollster

truly considerate of the other fellow, never seeking to impose our wills by force and violence, that we’d all be a lot happier.

But many find themselves so much on the receiving end of stolen goodies which have been wrested from others either by overt violence or by the covertness of taxation and regulation, that they imagine great poverty and privation would follow a program of total honesty. To me, this is inconceivable. But let’s suppose these timid folks are right, and that a general turning away from spoliation as a policy would lead to fewer material goodies. Then the question becomes this: Would you rather live in a world of honest men and get along without a few things, or would you rather live in a dog-eat-dog world so that some will benefit by molesting and stealing from others?

Perhaps, in order to begin a general acceptance of non-theft and non-molestation as policies, we have to weigh the moral advantages. What price moral principles? Ask yourself this: If I were assured that beginning tomorrow everyone in the world would become honest and that no one would molest anyone, what amount of a pay-cut would I be willing to take? Whatever figure you come up with, I probably the value you place on your own integrity.

rang the doorbell of a house and when the housewife appeared he asked her opinion on the Vietnam war and other current questions. She answered him and as he was about to leave she volunteered: “I can give you my husband’s opinion on these matters too. It’s just the opposite of mine on every one of them.”

Thoughts while shaving: The list of screen credits that roll onto your TV screen at the beginning or end of a program may be important to those whose names appear, but they flash by so swiftly they are meaningless to the average viewer. They’re boring, too. . . The House Restaurant in the U.S. Capitol in Washington is the only place in the country where bean soup is required as one of the entrees on the menu each day. Seems a Congressman, who liked the dish, discovered one day it was missing from the menu. He raised a ruckus about it and filed a bill making it a federal law to keep it on the menu. . . The next time you look at a picture in your favorite newspaper think of the problems the photo editor faces every day. He must consider hundreds of news photos in order to select the relatively few that are used. . . Now that the spring planting season is almost here you can use this tip to keep birds away from your gardens and seeded lawns. Just string a few strips of the twisted ribbons of colored foil that seem to spin in the breeze at gas stations. That’ll do the trick nicely. Chances are good that your favorite gas station operator will give them to you just to get rid of them. . . The Washington (D.C.) STAR reported: “The Senate has approved a slightly amended version of the House-passed bill to convert Union Station into a National Visitor Center with parking for terrorists.” Who says the Great Society doesn’t think of everything?

Country Editor speaking: “Years ago it paid to be ambitious, but these days the ambitious fellows pay the high taxes.”

Nothing But Lemons



Forgotten Man ---1968 Style

(Southern States Bulletin) Now with candidates, like June, “bustin’ out all over,” we will hear a great deal of oratory in the presidential sweepstakes — we might even hear a little logic.

One reference that punctuated the bombast and bunting in the 1930’s was the “forgotten man.” Nobody was ever quite sure who the forgotten man was, but he gradually assumed the status of a woebegone individual, suffering at the hands of a tyrannical employer. So, in behalf of the “forgotten man,” all sorts of legislation was enacted, some of it good, much of it bad.

Today we have a new “forgotten man.” He’s been crowded out of the political spectrum by appeals to the packaged vote of organized labor, the disadvantaged, the impoverished, the indigent indigent, and even the indignant indigent who prefer to remain indolent.

And who is this “forgotten man of 1968”? Well, aside from the fighting troops in Vietnam, he is the law abiding, respectable, hardworking individual, whether he be executive or artisan. He is the man who watches his earnings siphoned away to support global aid programs of the most frivolous type. He is the man who is allowed a 600 yearly tax deduction to raise and educate his child while the unwed mother on relief gets many times that amount in welfare checks to support her burgeoning brood.

He is the man who takes pride in his home, in his environment, his friends and his neighbors. He is the same forgotten man who is a “bigot,” a “racist,” and a veritable beast if he has any personal preference as to the buyer of his dwelling. He is all of these things if he belongs to a club that selects members on the basis of their acceptability in the light of standards approved by the members themselves. He is the man who spends hours filling out forms, questionnaires and other invasions of his privacy in the form of governmental inquiries. He

Question Box

(We invite questions on economic and social issues which will not injure anyone.)

QUESTION: The “have nots” aren’t likely to forego handouts for discussions on the benefits of the libertarian philosophy. What can we do to lessen their Real difficulties (e.g. volunteer head-start programs) while enlisting their efforts to save our republican form of government? Many church, philanthropic and social groups aid the needy and we see often where outstanding students are rewarded with financial assistance. But perhaps if this were reported in a regular column with the whys and the wherefores explained so that more “seekers” would become “finders,” the helping hand would replace many give-away demands.

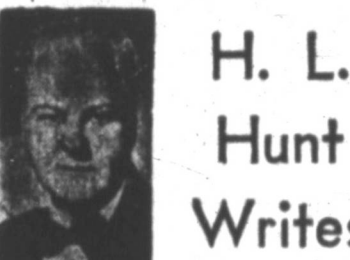
ANSWER: One of the problems is that freedom is an individual idea and is not conducive to being collectivized. There are countless individuals who are going about their business of living as nearly as possible in freedom (self responsibility) with never a thought of publicity. Many of them would qualify under government criteria as “have nots” or as “poverty” cases. But they are not in poverty because they are rich in spirit. Only by accident do others than those close to these individuals ever hear about them. Yet they are setting an example that others can learn from.

There are others who may have more of the earth’s worldly goods who seek to assist their fellow-man in time of need, yet who do not seek — many even shun — publicity. Others quietly organize small voluntary groups to accomplish what they know needs doing. Some times they seek publicity but only to advance the worthy cause they have adopted. Rather than try to outline programs for others, it is suggested those persons should look about their own neighborhood to see what needs doing. Then either individually, or with cooperation that local neighborhood problem can be solved. If publicity is desirable, get the facts together and present them to the local newspaper. People will be surprised at the cooperation they can receive from their neighbors.

is the same man who contributes to his own community in time and effort — and in money.

It is this same man, or his son, who volunteers for military service or answers a draft summons without complaint, then dies valiantly in a war his country won’t let him win for fear of offending “world opinion.” He sees his tax dollars used to support the United Nations, then reads of some tirade against his country by a customary tribal chieftain from some Afro-Asian mini-nation free-loading at that same U.N.

No census has been taken to establish the number of forgotten men in this day and age. Perhaps, however, the candidates will find out in November. Whether farmer, junior executive, union member, corporate head or laborer, there must be more than one forgotten man who has asked nothing of his government — other than its respect for his basic rights and its compliance with the Constitution. A man who believes that any person should be able to walk the streets of any city, free from attack and mortal hurt. He doesn’t need a label. He’s just an average, honest, God-fearing citizen and, we hope, a voter.



H. L. Hunt Writes

SUPPORTING THE GOVERNMENT

Recent figures released by the Tax Foundation, a non-partisan, non-profit organization, give a disturbing answer to questions raised by U.S. citizens who wonder why they are able to spend less of their own income.

The Foundation estimates that in 1968, an amount equal to 31.6 per cent of the value of the nation’s net output of goods and services will be paid in taxes to local, state, and federal governments. This is the highest percentage in modern history.

According to the Foundation’s figures, the earnings from two hours and twenty-six minutes out of every eight-hour day worked by an American will go to government. This means that an individual needs over one-fourth of his working time just to pay his taxes. In contrast, the equivalent of less than one hour goes to own and operate his home.

Both federal and lower level governments bear responsibility for this enormous tax burden. Since 1948, local and state governments have shown a 60 per cent increase in their percentage of the tax bill. Federal taxes this year will probably rise to 22 per cent of the net national product, higher than any year in recent history, including World War II and Korean War years.

The tax money collected by government was earned by productive citizens. Most is spent for purposes which personal enterprise could fulfill. Much of it is wasted. The amount actually spent on legitimate function of government does not come close to equaling the one-third of this nation’s private income which our citizens are forced to pay.

Wit and Whimsy

An intelligent-looking farmer had been examined by both defense and prosecution and was about to be accepted for jury duty when the prosecutor chanced to ask:

Mr. Long (the prosecutor) — Do you believe in capital punishment?

The farmer hemmed and hawed and after a moment’s reflection replied:

Farmer Brown — Yes, sir, I do, if it ain’t too severe.

Honey is sweet but not when you fall into a vat of it.

HOW TO ADDRESS OUR LAWMAKERS

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By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: My husband is dead, and I am all alone in the world. Loneliness is like a cancer, only it's worse. It doesn't kill you, it just gnaws at the mind until concentration and constructive thinking are permanently crippled.

When my husband was living, we visited lonely people and often took them for rides, to the movies, and out for a meal. But now that I am alone, no one visits me. And no one ever offers to take me anywhere. Married people don't care. They have each other. Sundays are torture. They're endless.

I am treated worse than a criminal. Perhaps if I were a criminal, some saintly person from a church group would call on me and try to save my "soul."

I attend church, but the church has paid no attention to me in my loneliness. I am not rich, neither am I poor. I am not beautiful, nor am I ugly. I'm too old to work steady at a job, and I'm too young to die.

I know there is no solution to my loneliness, but perhaps it will help to write it down. Thank you.

DEAR ABBY: There is a handsome new teller at the bank where I deposit the company checks, and he has me so flattered I hardly know what I'm doing.

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DEPOSITOR
DEAR DEPOSITOR: Just keep making those deposits, and watch the interest grow.

DEAR ABBY: It was with a great deal of interest that I read the letter in your column from the teen-aged girl who bemoaned the age-old tradition that gives the male the privilege of asking the girl for a date instead of vice versa.

LONELY IN ATLANTA
DEAR LONELY: Your letter reveals an intelligent, sensitive woman, plagued by self-pity and preoccupied with her "loneliness." If you are able to walk, talk, hear, and see, and are not dependent upon charity, you are better off than some.

A sure cure for the blues is to find someone less fortunate than yourself, and do something for that person. (You won't have to look far.) There are lonely people to visit, blind folks to read to and write for. The only way to "get" is by giving. Try it, and if you are still inclined to agonize over your solitude, the

As a high school teacher for the last 19 years I have had an opportunity to observe the situation from close range. I have taken polls and discovered that approximately 10 per cent of my girl students know that it is the GIRL'S place to speak to the boy first. Boys tell me that 99 out of 100 girls will walk past them in the halls without so much as a "hi." No boy would consider the girl "forward" were she to speak first. The girl who is friendly enough to say "hi" first is usually the one who comes to mind when he wants a date for that special occasion. J. C.

The Women's Page

Wanda Mae Huff Women's Editor



ONE INGREDIENT OF SPRING, Italian style, is a burst of color. Renato Balstra uses a cobwebby pattern in vibrant shades of lime, cerise, apple green and red as a deep border trim on the double-breasted coat (left) of Orion and wool New shape-up in coals with emphasis on widened shoulders is seen (right) in Enzo's high-line raincoat in bold houndstooth print on cotton twill. These coats are protected with Zepel rain and stain repeller.

WSES Members Organize Circle, Announce April Meeting, Retreats

The Executive Board of Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met recently in the church's Friendship Classroom.

Mrs. Ed Williams, spiritual life cultivation chairman, presented devotional on Proverbs 3:6 "In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths." Mrs. Williams stressed each person to practice realizing the omnipresence of God in their lives the entire day.

Mrs. Jimmy Thompson, president of the women's society, presided at the business meeting. Mrs. Coyle Ford, secretary, read minutes of the February board meeting. Reports were given by Mrs. J. W. Lemons, local treasurer and Mrs. H. R. Thompson, conference treasurer.

A program on missionary emphasis will be presented to circles soon, according to Mrs. Steve Odum, vice president, who also reported a new circle has been formed. Members of newly organized Circle Eight are Mmes. Kenneth Baker, George Cree, Tom Dunn, William Fraser, H. B. Hamilton, G. B. Hogan, R. E. Lee and H. M. Stone. Chairman will be Mrs. Eben Warner.

Circles Two and Three directed the general meeting for March. Members were asked to bring guests to hear a book review on "The Bridge of Love", presented by Mrs. George Andress of Berger. The meeting was held in the patio of the Educational Building, at 9:30 a.m.

Astrological Forecast

By CARROLL RIGHTER

FOR THURSDAY, APRIL 4
GENERAL TENDENCIES: The day-time finds really drastic and dramatic changes likely to be taking place that require you do not force matters, but go along with these easily or trouble results but later you find that you are able to gain the good will of others by showing a more energetic attitude and awareness of how you can utilize your talents advantageously.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) — Ignore that bothersome matter that crops up in a.m. and you find that you can do what please family easily later. Do some real research work that can help you solve some immediate problem. Be thorough.

Taurus (Apr. 20 to May 20) — Doing civic work is fine in a.m. and then you can handle practical matters well, but with an eye to more economy. Stop procrastinating where that vital bill is concerned. Get it paid up quickly.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) — Take care of those annoying situations in a.m. before you get into the practical affairs that need your personal touch. You may have some big matter at hand that is not working out just right. Do not vent your anger on the innocent.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) — An expert can now give the right advice to some vexing problem. After you can step out in a social way and make big headway, have fun. Do some concentrating on that big business deal. Work it out in your mind perfectly.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) — If you take more interest in the welfare of a good pal, you have far better report. That personal aim you have is giving you trouble. Forget it for awhile and all is fine later. Take time for recreation.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) — Be very active in handling civic and other outside tasks of importance. Then you have a p.m. Get small accumulated tasks taken care of. Be clever.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 23) — You are feeling restless and want to change conditions about you in a.m. but if you wait until later in the day, you get a different picture. Study the situation more thoroughly. Be happy in p.m.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 to Nov. 21) — You have many duties to perform, so get busy, and they are soon done, so that you free time for new opportunities ahead of you. Do whatever will make a far better impression on your state. Be more articulate.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) — Try to please the associates more and you can accomplish a great deal together. Have the data you need before you present an argument for a problem that has been existing for some time. Get to the movies in p.m.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) — Dig right into that work before you and then join associates for more important matters. If you procrastinate further time for same. Keep right up to schedule.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) — Be sure to first do your important work and then you can plan some for persons who are really getting some. Show that you are a creative person. Be more interested in scientific matters.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) — Put everything in fine working condition at your abode and you can then be off to pleasure with congenials later. Do not be extravagant since the less expensive can be just as pleasurable. Be cheerful.

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Twentieth Century Culture Has Report on Women in Government

Mrs. Dan Cameron of 2348 Duncan, assisted by Mrs. L. J. Zachry, hosted the Twentieth Century Culture Club recently. The lives of two prominent women, active in government, were discussed by Mrs. H. S. Sadler and Mrs. E. E. Shelhamer.

In introducing the program, Mrs. Warren Hasse gave a brief resume of the diplomatic corps, relating that Benjamin Franklin was sent to France in 1778 by the United States government. His mission was that of an ambassador extraordinary because he represented the U. S. in dealing with a foreign government in a special mission.

However, she pointed out records reveal the appointment of the first official ambassador extraordinary was in the year 1893.

The appointment of a woman, Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owens, daughter of William Jennings Bryan, as first woman ambassador, to Denmark in 1933, came at a time when the appointment of women to such high political posts was not generally accepted, Mrs. Hasse said.

Mrs. Mesta is the former president, conducted a business meeting in which Mrs. Hasse announced the club's Guest Day Coffee would be April 23 and the Installation Luncheon May 14. A letter of appreciation from Mrs. Doyle Osborne, club member who is ill, was read by Mrs. Jack Hood, secretary.

Attending were Mmes. Rufe Jordan, Hood, V. L. Hobbs, Hasse, L. H. Hart, J. R. Donaldson, J. L. Chase, Carter, Cameron, J. M. Feltz, W. Irvin, Paul Mitchell, Sadler, Shelhamer, N. D. Steele and Zachry.

Mrs. Shelhamer reviewed the book, "Ambassador Extraordinary" by Alden Hatch about the life of Clarence Booth Luce, writer and lecturer. Mrs. Luce was a member of the U. S. Congress from 1942 to 1946 and was ambassador to Italy from 1953 to 1956. She was married to Henry R. Luce, co-founder of Time, Inc. who died in 1967, according to Mrs. Shelhamer.

In addition to Mrs. Luce's contributions to government, Mrs. Shelhamer said she authored several plays, including "Kiss the Boys Goodbye," "Margin for Error" and "The Women." Mrs. Shelhamer explained that like Mrs. Mesta, Mrs. Luce has traveled extensively and spent much of her time giving lectures.

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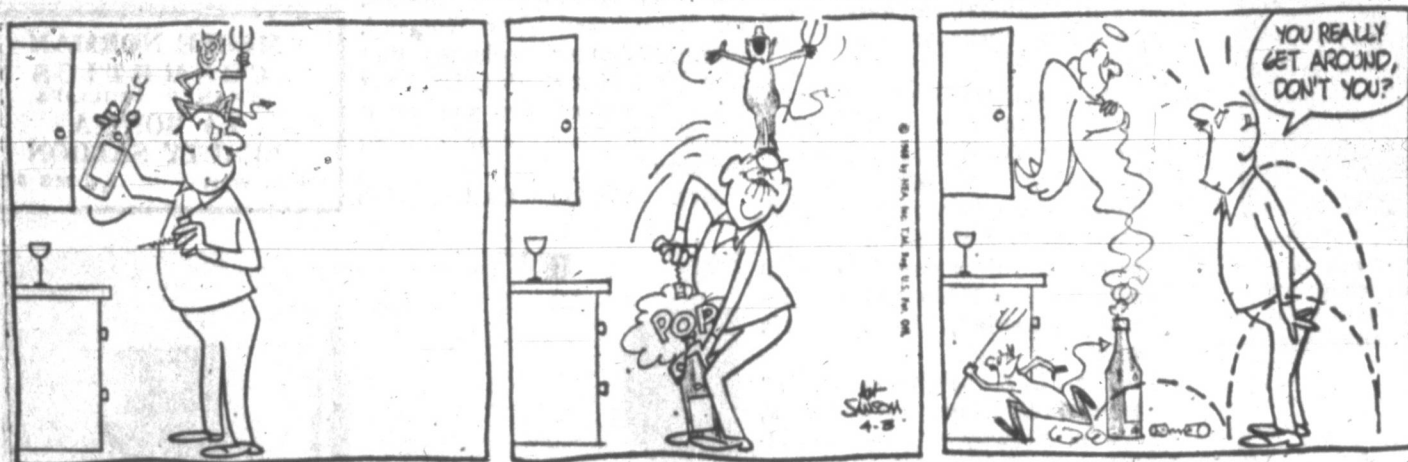
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Harvesters Beaten By Rebels

A guy that almost beat the Pampa Harvesters in basketball did just that yesterday afternoon in Pampa with Roger Case leading the attack for Tascosa in the Reb's 8-4 baseball victory for Pampa's fourth straight loss in District 3-AAAA. Case came in to put out the blaze started by the Harvesters in the second inning. Reb Gary Bogan was on the mound when Case came in. He held the Harvesters to two hits the rest of the way.

Rain and a possible tornado causing \$5,000 in damages hit Panhandle/outside of Pampa about the time of the game cancellation.

The next game for the Harvesters is April 6 against Borger. This is Saturday at 1 p.m. at Optimist Park in Pampa. The Harvesters stopped the Bulldogs in the second game of the season by 9-2 at Borger.

In other games: Borger over Caprock by 15-7; Plainview best Monterey by 1-0; Amarillo and Palo Duro were rained out and Lubbock beat Estacado by 8-1.



FACES OF SPRING—Spring training brings out the many moods of baseball players. Willie Mays (upper left) demonstrates disappointment as he misses a pitch; Rookie Dodger pitcher Larry Staab (center left) grimaces as he uncorks a curve; Frank Robinson smiles slyly while eating a sandwich and ruminating on the \$115,000 contract he recently signed. And John Roseboro (right), Minnesota Twin catcher, appears dog-headed after a workout.

Tony In Sick Bay Once Again

By FRED DOWN
UPI Sports Writer

Tony Conigliaro is back in sick bay and the Boston Red Sox are hurting all over.

The 23-year-old slugger, who was sidelined for the last six weeks of the 1967 season after being beamed by Jack Hamilton on Aug. 18, left the Red Sox in Pompano Beach, Fla., Tuesday and flew to Boston for an examination of his eyes.

Conigliaro, whose anticipated return was regarded as a key factor in the Red Sox' hopes for a second straight American League pennant, was batting

only .143 in exhibition games. He had struck out 22 times in 66 at-bats, including eight of his last 10 appearances at the plate.

Bothered by Headaches

Conigliaro said on arrival in Boston that he's had recurring headaches this spring and has been unable to see the ball clearly. He was batting .287 with 20 homers and 60 runs batted in when the pitch by Hamilton caused him to suffer a concussion, a cracked cheek bone and several nasal hemorrhages.

The Red Sox made the decision to send Conigliaro back to Boston after he struck out three times in Tuesday's 5-4 loss to the Washington Senators. The Senators won the game on a ninth-inning homer by Ron Hansen, who hadn't made an extra base this spring until the blow.

Mike McCormick, the National League's Cy Young Award winner last season, and Woody Fryman, one of the Philadelphia Phillies' big question marks, turned in impressive pitching performances as the teams

ended or neared the end of their Florida and Arizona phases of spring training.

McCormick pitched six shut-out innings and received credit for his third victory of the spring as the San Francisco Giants beat the Cleveland Indians 6-1. Ollie Brown drove in three runs with three hits to lead the Giants to their 14th victory in 24 exhibition games.

Knocks Out Eleven

Fryman, 38 with the Pittsburgh Pirates last season, struck out 11 and allowed only three hits in seven innings of a 1-0 triumph over the Minnesota Twins. Tony Taylor homered off Jim Roland for the only run of the game.

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Shrine Game Slated Dec. 28

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI)—The 44th annual Shrine East-West football game will be played Dec. 28 at Candlestick Park with Duffy Daugherty, the popular Michigan State coach, on hand again to direct the East.

General Manager Theodore H. Balliet, who made the announcement Tuesday, also said that Daugherty would be assisted by Coaches John Pont of Indiana and Tom Cahill of Illinois.

Daugherty returns for the fourth time as head coach of the East. He has posted a record of two wins and one loss in previous Shrine games.

NBA Playoff Standings
NBA Playoff Standings By United Press International (Division Semifinals) (Best of Seven)

East			
Series A			
	W.	L.	Pct.
x-Philadelphia	4	2	.667
New York	2	4	.333
Series B			
	W.	L.	Pct.
x-Boston	4	2	.667
Detroit	2	4	.333
West			
Series A			
	W.	L.	Pct.
x-San Francisco	4	2	.667
St. Louis	2	4	.333
Series B			
	W.	L.	Pct.
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Babe Ruth Trials Slated for Today

Babe Ruth League try outs were scheduled to begin at 5:30 p.m. today at Optimist Park, according to Player-Agent Buell Froge.

The try outs are slated for today, Thursday and Friday for the eight team league. The age limit is 13-15 years. A boy has to attend two of the three try outs. These try outs are just for the new boys who are not already on a team.

"A boy who is playing for a team already should not show up," said Froge. "We want to devote our limited amount of time to the youngsters, most of whom will be 13."

The boys have to be 15 prior to August 1.

The sponsors of the teams in the league are: Cree, First National Bank, Pampa Lumber, Roberts Butane, Pampa Hardware, Ideal, Jaycees and Lions.

The times for the Little League try outs will be announced later.

More coverage of the youth leagues is planned this summer by the Pampa Daily News.

Frogs Sign 2

FORT WORTH (UPI)—Texas Christian University began signing Tuesday its spring lineup of basketball players.

The Frogs, signed 6-1 guard Jay Worley and 6-3 forward

Warriors Gain Finals In NBA Basketball

By MIKE HUDSON
UPI Sports Writer
SAN FRANCISCO (UPI)—In a stunning upset as the National Basketball Association has seen in many a moon, the San Francisco Warriors today found themselves in the Western Division playoff finals with Los Angeles.

San Francisco made it a 4-2 series victory over shocked St. Louis Tuesday night by edging the Hawks 111-106 before a packed house of almost 13,000.

The first-place Hawks had beaten the Warriors 7-1 in the regular season and the Warriors had never even given them a game after center Nate Thurmond was sidelined for the campaign with a knee injury.

Int he playoffs, however, the Warriors got exceptional play from a couple of unsung backcourt performers.

Jeff Mullins hit for 20 points Tuesday night to wind up the winners' scoring leader with 162 markers. Bobby Warlick played less than half the time, but he came off the bench to add 84 points in the series.

Warlick, former Pepperdine ace, cut off the squad on two occasions, meshed 7 of 15 from the floor and scored seven of his 20 points in a 3½ minute stretch in the final period Tuesday to doom the Hawks' hopes.

Other standouts for the Warriors were Rudy Larusso, who tallied 30, and Clyde Lee, who hit 16 and battled the tough Hawks to a standstill on the boards.

St. Louis got a great two man effort from Lou Hudson with 35, and Lennie Wilkens with 29, but they didn't get much help.

The Hawks were down by 12 going into the final period but closed to 98-96 on Wilkins' jumper. Then Warlick took over with two follow shots to push the Warriors to 102-96 with 2:57 to go.

Three free throws by Warlick and a bank shot by Mullins made it 107-101 with 1:07 to go. Hudson hit three points and it was 109-106 with 20 seconds left before Lee hit a 'layup at the buzzer.

Warrior pilot Bill Sharman, who went with an imaginative three-guard offense in the final game, called the win "a great team effort. But he admitted that Warlick was a key and said he "played like a superstar throughout the series."

The Los Angeles-San Francisco winner must battle the winner of the Eastern Division titanic Boston-Philadelphia struggle.

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British Tradition Hounds Roman Nobility

By TOM A. CULLEN
European Staff Correspondent

ROME (NEA) — Almost everyone knows that it was a she-wolf that suckled the legendary founders of Rome, Romulus and Remus. What isn't so widely known is that the hills around Rome are full of foxes.

Not generally known either is that these foxes are hunted six months in the year by the cream of Rome society, who model themselves on British fox hunters from hunting horns to their pink riding coats.

They have been doing this for the past 132 years, the Roman Fox Hunting Society, or Roman Hounds as it is called, being the oldest on the continent of Europe.

Actually, fox hunting was introduced in Rome by the Sixth Earl of Chesterfield, who came here in 1835 to escape the harsh-

ness of the English winter. Growing bored with Rome society, Lord Chesterfield sent to Leicester, where for his horses and hounds, and thereafter was to be seen galloping along the Apennine Way in pursuit of the elusive reynard.

Young Italian aristocrats soon cottoned to the new sport, and riding to hounds became the snob thing to do. Today, not only are the horses and hounds of British pedigree, but the very terms of endearment which the Italians address to the hounds are spoken in pidgin English.

In claiming to be the oldest on the continent the Roman hunt is inclined to look down its nose at France, where fox-hunting is more of a spectator sport. French hunters, it seems, merely go along for the ride while their hounds hunt the quarry. But members of the Roman Hounds are expected to follow

the quarry no matter how many ditches there are to be jumped.

The present Master of the Roman Hounds is Count Cigala Fulgosi, a man after Lord Chesterfield's heart. A retired naval captain, Count Cigala holds the highest Italian decoration for valor for sinking a British cruiser during World War II with his tiny torpedo boat.

More recently Count Cigala's courage has been tested again, for twice in recent years he has broken his right leg. After his first accident the count continued to hunt with his leg encased in a cast. His second accident however, was more serious, and for awhile it looked as though surgeons might have to shorten his leg, and consequently, to stiffen it, which would have put an end to his hunting career.

Meanwhile, Count Cigala hobbled around on crutches looking after his kennels, and on hunt days he followed the hounds cross-country in a jeep.

Count Cigala's leg was successfully operated on in 1964 at New York's Presbyterian Medical Center. Today, thanks to a metal femur substituted for his own thigh bone, he is back in the saddle again and riding as hard as ever. In the present hunting season, which started in November, he hasn't missed a single day out with his hounds.

A handsome, iron-gray haired man in his early sixties, the count lives, surrounded by hunt trophies, in Rome's finest baroque palace, Palazzo del Grillo, near the Roman Forum. The walls are covered with fox masks and brushes, as the fox tails are called, as well as stag antlers, all souvenirs of hunts

in the United States and Canada, as well as in Italy.

Anywhere from 50 to 75 members go out with the Roman Hounds on Saturday, and they usually include a sprinkling of Italian nobility — enthusiasts like Prince Colonna or Prince Buoncampagni — as well as diplomats and professional men.

(When in Rome the Italian ambassador to Washington usually rides with the hunt). Unlike England, not many ladies go in for fox-hunting here, and even fewer children, as Saturdays are school days.

Although the Eternal City is fast encroaching upon the surrounding countryside, there are still enough ditches and fences to jump, and enough woods and rolling hills to make it ideal for fox-hunting.

And enough foxes. "So far we haven't had one blank day this season," says Count Cigala. "Usually we find at least two or three foxes every time we hunt, although they are getting more cunning, thanks to the warfare the farmers wage on them."

The count's chief huntsman is English, but the whipper-in, kennelman and grooms are all Italian lads.

Oscar Wilde summed up the case for the opponents of fox-hunting when he described it as: "The unspeakable in pursuit of the unobtainable." However, in Rome there is no movement to ban fox hunting as there is in England, where the antihunt sports people sprinkle aniseed in the paths of the hounds to put them off their scent. Maybe that was why Lord Chesterfield came to Rome in the first place.

Foreign Commentary

By PHIL NEWSOM
UPI Foreign News Analyst

In Hannover, an ancient city, at an outdoor cafe in the bright sunlight of early fall, Erhard Herzig sipped coffee and brandy and told how it felt to be a German expelled from the land in which he was born.

He came from the province of Silesia east of the Oder-Neisse and when he returned after being a prisoner of war in the United States, he found the Russians still there.

His only clothing consisted of a tattered British uniform.

Soon, he also found himself expelled to the West, for Silesia, along with Pomerania and East Brandenburg was being turned over to Polish administration to make up for lands taken from them by the Russians.

No Possessions

He reached Hannover with no possessions and that night he, his wife and their young daughter slept without mattresses on two iron cots.

He remarked sadly that his daughter no longer remembered Silesia and that his son, who was born in Hannover, did not understand why his identity card labelled him an "expellee."

His conversation took place in October, 1961. The Berlin Wall had just gone up and the barbed wire dividing the two Germanys had just been reinforced and new mine fields laid.

Herzig was one of the some three million refugees from the East who has settled in Lower Saxony, making up half the population.

He is a member of West Germany's Union of the Expelled whose members conclude their annual meeting with a moment of silence as they gaze

through the barbed wire in the direction of their former homes.

But even then Herzig didn't really believe he would be going back to Silesia some day. Neither did most of the others among a total of seven million Germans forcibly expelled from the East.

The Potsdam Agreement among the United States, France, Britain and the Soviet Union turned the territories beyond the Oder-Neisse to Polish administration pending a final German peace treaty.

THE LIGHTER SIDE Super-Secret Airplanes

By DICK WEST
WASHINGTON (UPI)—One of the best hopes for future world peace may lie in the development of better warplanes.

If this strikes you as a rather dubious premise, consider the case of the Air Force F111A.

It is America's newest and most advanced fighter aircraft. Yet there was some reluctance about using it in combat.

The trouble is, the F111A is so advanced that a lot of its equipment is secret.

One senator warned that if an F111A were forced or shot down over enemy territory and Communists were able to salvage its equipment, "a billion dollars' worth of research would go down the drain."

This concern apparently was not unfounded. Last week an F111A operating out of Thailand was reported missing. If it crashed in North Vietnam, the

F111As secrets may not be secret any longer.

We may assume that the Russians also are putting secret equipment into their war jets. Which is why I say that technological improvements could contribute to world peace.

Eventually, I expect, fighter aircraft will be so encumbered with secret devices that neither country will dare risk losing one.

Extreme View

Let us look ahead a few years. The scene is the ready room of the 1492nd Fighter Wing. Col. Frippe picks up the red telephone and speaks to Gen. Tushnucker.

Frippe: "Sir, radar reports that unidentified aircraft are approaching Alaska. Should I send up a squadron of F1914s to intercept?"

Tushnucker: "Are you nuts, Frippe? Those F1914s are equipped with our secret K-19 platform simulator. Suppose one of them strayed over Siberia and was forced down."

Frippe: "But, sir, the unidentified planes may be the new Soviet MIG182s."

Tushnucker: "That's most unlikely Frippe. The CIA tells us that MIG182s have a secret stannous fluoride control system. The Soviets wouldn't take a chance on letting that fall into our hands."

Frippe: "Then what shall I do, sir?"

Tushnucker: "See if you can borrow a Piper Cub from the Civil Air Patrol. All of our planes are so highly classified they're grounded."

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J. H. Markley, division manager, Midland Division, Texaco Inc., Producing Department, United States (East), presented service awards to the following Texaco employees at a luncheon at the Coronado Inn Tuesday:

Forty-year award — K. M. Butler, pumper, Lefors.

Twenty-five year awards — E. E. Brown, pumper, and A. E. Dunnam, pumper, both of Lefors; D. R. Lowe, mechanic, pumper, Skellytown; K. E. Shufeldt, pumper, Perryton; A. E. Gee, pumper, and V. O. Weaver, pumper, both of the West Pampa Area, Skellytown.

The awardees with 40 years of service were given appropriate pins, bracelets, and tie tacs with four diamonds and a ruby, and the 25-year awards were pins, bracelets, tie tacs or charms adorned with one diamond and two golden sapphires.

Total accumulated service of 190 years with Texaco was represented by this group.

Similar awards have been presented to Texaco employees of the Midland Division located in Midland, and awards will be presented in the near future to employees at Wichita Falls and Hobbs, N. M.

Lefors Cancer Drive Thursday

LEFORS (Spl) — The house-to-house campaign for the American Cancer Society Crusade in Lefors will be held tomorrow beginning at 5 p.m., according to Mrs. R. H. Barron, chairman of the Art and Civic Club.

Residents will be given a leaflet outlining cancer's seven warning signals. They will also be asked to complete a confidential health survey card.

The Art and Civic Club will be assisted in the shrvey by the Candy Strippers, high school nursing group.

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—Thursday Menu—

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Country Fried Steak with Pan Fried Potatoes	85c
Sunshine Carrots	16c
Broccoli with Lemon Butter	22c
Marinated Cherry Tomatoes	20c
Cottage Cheese with Sweet Juicy Peach Half	20c
Hot Apple Pie with Cheese Slice	22c
Butterscotch Meringue Pie	24c

—Friday Menu—

Fried Oysters with French Fried Potatoes and Seafood Sauce	89c
Fried Jumbo Shrimp with French Fried Potatoes and Seafood Sauce	89c
Corned Beef with Cabbage	85c
Buttered Onions	20c
Green Beans with New Potatoes	20c
Shrimp Salad	35c
Frosted Sliced Peaches	20c
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Old Fashion Egg Custard Pie	20c

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