## Frank Mieler

## "Where The Old Western Spirit Lingers"

## Borden County Round-Up

## Borden P.T.A. Has Fine Session

If something ain't done about so many automobile wrecks, there won be anyone left to be killed by them there atomic bombs.

Every citizen of this county is justly five through eight, and nine through Home" and the Rev. Jerry Stewart proud of our live Borden County P.
$-T$. A., and the splendid work it is this month. Awards on the best posdoing. The recent meeting held Oct. ters to be made on Monday, Oct. 22. ted in Sept. and winners of this were 8 th in the Borden High School Cafe- A first prize of $\$ 2.00$ will be given to the fourth, fifth and ninth grades. teria with 48 members present is in- the winners, and a prize of $\$ 1.00$ to They will go on a field trip as prizes dicative of the fine interest that is constantly manifested.
At this meeting the executive committee, composed of Mrs. Weldon Riddle Mrs. John Stephens, Mrs Vill Riddle, Mrs. John Stephens, Mrs. V. L. Clark, Mrs. Charles Hurner, Mrs. S. A. Davis and Supt. S. P. Stewart, brary, presented the following recommendations to the association. These were voted on and accepted.

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each of the runners-up in the divi-
sions. Tentative plans are for Dr. fine work.

Mrs. C. C. Nunnally and Mrs. W | Lockhart to be the judge. | R. Dunbar presented "Badges of |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | 2.' That there will be a Queen con- Rank" to the following cub scouts test for Halloween, and two will be

selected; one from the meeting. Kenneth Telchik, sixth grades, and one from the seventh Kenneth Riddle, Jerry Smith, Terry through the twelfth grades. $|$| gmith and Wallace Dworaczyk, lions. |  |
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3. That the P-TA will present each of these queens a bouquet.
4. That the room mothers for Hal
loween meet on Friday, Nov. 1, to
serve their grades, instead of Oct. 31 5. That decorations for the Halloween fete wlll start on Wednesday Oct. 30. Mrs. A. M. Anderson is chairman of this and urges everyone that can to come and help. Final plans were also made on the
good-will dinner for the Snyder Chamber of Commerce dinner which was held Oct. 10.
"Meeting Responsibility Cooperaively" was the theme of the program principal Lester Hollis spoke on . God and the Father is this, to visit "Meeting Responsibilities in the $\begin{aligned} & \text { afflicitation, and to keep himself }\end{aligned}$ School." Mrs. Bill Riddle, on "The unspotted from the world.-James 1:27.

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## Central States, News Views


 12. One cabbage weighs 13 pounds, the other 12. In same community, gardens have pro


UNITED SUPPORT for domestic ceramic tile industry's fight against imported tile made by low-paid labor expressed at Houston meeting by William Piersante, president of Tile Contractors Assn, e Harry Bates, president of D. Mann, president, Tile Council of America.

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## Mosi of Us Have Personal Interest In Stable Dollar

NEW YORK-The number of persons in the United States with a direct personal stake in a stable dollar through savings and other forms of personal thrift increased by several million last year and is now higher than ever before. As a result of this trend, the overwhelming majority of Ameri can families and individuals now have the protection of some form of thrift, in life insurance and usually in other savings also.
The people's savings and protection funds have also reached new high levels. The figures show that the aggregate "nest egg" in life insurance and other accumulated long-term savings of individuals glone now adds up to around $\$ 250$ billions the equivalent $\$ 250$ billions, the equivalent o approximately $\$ 5,000$ for every American household. This saving total is distinct from the amount o life insurance protection in force, which is more than half again as great. In the neighborhood of $\$ 60$ billions additional have been built up behind private and public pension and retirement programs to guaranty their fulfilment.
Thus the stakes in the fight against inflation have never been so great nor so widespread as they are today. Along with the threat that steadily rising living costs and prices contains for our economy, the savings figures reinforce the need for stabilizing the dollar's buying power and halting its long-term erosion. In the past year alone, the cost of living rose by 3 per ent clipping that much frer 3 per cent from what the dollar will buy. A a result, the dollar buy er has already decined 12 cent from as recently as 1950, and it will now buy only around half as much as it did in 1940.

## Our Economy Leans To Better Times

NEW YORK-The American economy has a strong propensity toward good times and prosperity, according to a study of the swings of business activity in the United States from the beginning of the Republic to date.
In this 167 -year period, business activity has risen in 90 years and declined in 71 years, a ratio of close to five to four in favor of prosperity, according to data compiled by the Cleveland Trust Company. In addition, business activity was steady in an aggregate of
six years.
The bias toward good times has improved since the nation's earlier days. The figures show that business activity declined about as much as it rose in the period from 1790 to the middle of the last century. Since then, business activity was on the upgrade in half again as many years as it went down, even with the decade of the Thirties which was the longest and deepest depression on record.

## Married Folks Live

Longer Than Single
NEW YORK-Married people live longer, and it isn't-as comics have declared-that it just seems longer
Statisticians report lower mortality experience among the married than among persons who remain single, or those whose marriage has been broken by death or divorce.
The married have an advantage as to mortality at every period of life, particularly prior to age 45. Among males at ages 20-44, for example, the death rate for the married is only about half that for the single, and an even smaller fraction of the rate for the widowed or divorced.
The difference is not so marked among females, and it is only recently that married women have had a lower mortality than the unmarried at every age. As late as 1940 the death rato at a ces $20-24$ was slightly higher for the marwas

## Disaster Service Is

Costly Necessity
WASHINGTON-What does it cost per year to help American families stricken in disasters?

According to the American Red Cross it averaged out at about $\$ 3,800$ for every hour of every day during the last fiscal year. The total came to a whopping \$33,193,000.

This sum was spent on 290 relief operations conducted by the Red Cross.

Many Fishes
NEW YORK-More than 60 varieties of edible fish, some of them unknown elsewhere, are caught in the waters of the Bosphorus at Istanbul in Turkey. The fish in the Turkish Straits, which is reputed to be the most delectable in the world, lives and thrives between an underwater cold current from the north and a surface current from the Mediterranean. Caught between these two opposing forces the flavor of the fish is greatly improved.

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REVERENCE HAS BECOME FADING VIRTUE
A current tendency to use the name of Deity in connection with all types of public spectacles-some of them highly ridiculous-leads the Abilen Reporter-News to wonder what ha become of reverence and the sense
of propriety.
Among the practices which indicate
a loss of reveren
the paper lists:
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"Playing the
Playing the National Anthem to open sports contests, up to and including prize fights and wrestling bouts. And especially baseball games. "People who attribute their success as boxers, wrestlers, javelin-throwoperation of Almighty Ged direct cople who refer to the Supreme Being as That Man Up There, the Boss man, or similar familiarity.
"Invoking the blessing of Divine Providence on all sorts of athletics sports or public spectacles and games in which people let their most primi ive instincts have full sway as soon as 'the 'Amen' is pronounced.
"People who brag that their vast material success has been due entirely to a firm partnership with Jesus Christ, and intimate that all their enterprising accomplishments were directed from On High. What is the Savior supposed to be, merely an racle?
'Or, isn't a man's religion something personal, intimate and sacred thy more?
The question the Abilene paper effort to good onc. Jecmingly, the effort to cast an aura of sacredness en trend a wave of religious interest is sweeping the country and pro is sweep of various events apparently re trying to capitalize on it This is not to say all efforts to as sociate God with secular events are sociate God with secular events are
insincere. Sometimes they are not. But insincere. Sometimes they are not. But
most of them are of questionable practice, to say the least.
Likewise, the tendency to reduce a state familiarity, as is one so often nowadays, is not
keeping with the true spirit of re ligion. One needs only to turn to the Bible and note the majestic term ased to express adoration for the Most High to realize how futile it is to attempt to describe Him in the language of the street. The ReporterNews is justified in asking: "Is there no reverence any more, no sense of propriety?
THE PROPER WAY TO PRAY "The proper way for men to pray," Said Deacon Lemuel Keyes, And the only proper attitude Is down upon your knees." No, I should say the way to pray," IIs standing straight with outstretched rms
And rapt, upturned eyes.
"Oh, no, no," said Elder Snow "Such posture is too proud, man should pray with eyes fast
And head contritely bowed.
'It seems to me his hands should be Austerely clasped in front With both thumbs pointing to the
Said the Rev. Dr. Blunt.
"Huh, last year I fell in Hopkins well, Head first," said Cyrus Brown, 'With both my heels a stickin' up, My head a pintin' down" I said aprayer, right then and there The prayinest ever said, Was standin' on my head." -Author unknown.
Fishing can be a lazy life these days. Cast with a slingshot reel, nap with a portable burglar alarm near by, and see what's going on through eyeglasses with a rear-view mirror attachment.
A pownbroker loaded his show window with unredeemed saxophones, banjos, tubas-and shotguns. "Very hriend "bug display, commented a riend, "but does it sell merchandise? Does it. enthused the pawnbroker One day a fellow buys a sax or a buy the shotguns." buy the shotguns."

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