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HOME TOWN

Talk

By R. C. THOMAS

Bob Jones, of the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, which has the possibility of constructing the Atlas missile bases in the Winters area Tuesday gave members of the Winters Lions Club a run-down on the progress of the bases, and some of the facts and figures surrounding the project. The tremendous scope of the undertaking is something to give the thoughts of even the most imaginative.

For example the silo at the Winters site will consume about 5,000 cubic yards of concrete; the top covers covering the big hole, and the way down the wall of the silo will be nine feet thick concrete, reinforced with about 700 tons of steel rod. There will be several hundred miles of electrical cable in the site.

The Launch Control Center, where the push-buttons will be located, is connected to the actual silo by an 8-foot tunnel. The tunnel will be constructed with a flexible material to prevent damage to the delicate instruments in the Control Center upon firing of the missile. The tunnel in the Control Center will be protected by several feet of earth on top of the center.

The whole thing will weigh in the neighborhood of 1,750,000 pounds, and accuracy in construction is so important that an error of one eighth of an inch could throw the whole mechanism of the missile out of kilter and cause it to miss its pre-assigned target.

A long tube, set diagonally from the bottom of the silo and extending out on top of the ground many feet from the top of the silo, will be aimed at the north star. It will be used in pre-aiming the missile.

The actual "bird," as the missile is called in the trade, will be loaded and brought to the silo. At rest, it will be deep in the silo; for firing, it will be hoisted to the top. Liquid oxygen, in the missile, will be carried in pipes made of a special material. The pipes will be more than half an inch in diameter; foreign matter of the size of a pin point in oxygen pipes could cause a catastrophic explosion which could wipe out the whole complex.

The "bird" weighs about 260,000 pounds, and in flight will reach a speed of 17,000 miles per hour. The guiding mechanism is so accurate that after a flight of several thousand miles, the warhead will land within two miles of target; this slight error probably will be corrected in the near future.

The Atlas is driven by three liquid propellant engines, delivering 36,000 pounds of thrust.

Contrary to some belief, according to available information, this missile or the others in the squadron of twelve in this area, will not be test fired; if and when the "fire" button is pushed, it will be in retaliation against an enemy perhaps only a few minutes after the next war begins, but only in case of that war. Although armaments probably zeroed in on a target many thousands of miles away, the main purpose currently is deterrent.

And when these missiles are in danger, there is a possibility that the man who later controls the market on clubs and slings will be much sought after.

The 57th Texas Legislature, which many experts expect to be a free spending group, is so busy in living up to expectations. Their first act was to raise their own pay, even though the amount of the money is not in doubt. The session is young, and lawmakers probably will call a wild tune before they adjourn. There is no mystery, though, as to who will pay the fiddler.

Understatement: We saw a bottle containing pills which are about an inch in diameter. The label contained these instructions: "Must be dissolved before use."

Winters Jaycees are sponsoring a poll tax paying booth in the office of the chamber of commerce next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Paid your poll tax?

Internal Revenue folks have mailed hundreds of letters and are requesting a new tax table in the care of the social security office from 3 percent to 3.1 percent. There is no new table. There (Continued on last page)



Over 250 Attend C. of C. Banquet

When a civilization begins to place its faith in itself instead of God, it begins to decay, Delbert Downing, Midland Chamber of Commerce manager, told more than 250 persons attending the annual Winters Chamber of Commerce banquet held Thursday night at the Winters School Cafeteria.

"As long as the people of the world's 22 previous civilizations have tilled the soil they had faith in God, but when men have found other ways of making a living, they have transferred their faith to something they can do, and civilizations have begun to decay," Downing told his audience.

"I'm not here to tell you that we have reached the point where our civilization has begun to decay," he added. "But there are some evidences of it."

He added that just because 22 previous civilizations had decayed was no reason to believe that the present one would do so, but he warned his audience it could happen "if we lose faith in God, quit attending church and quit thinking."

As he spoke to the large crowd on the banquet topic, "Our Heritage," he added that they must do things for themselves and must have the courage of their beliefs. He said that the only thing of value is where God is, and that "you can do good in Winters, if you have faith in God."

Downing is famous throughout the Southwest for his humor-punctuated talks, and kept the attention

of his audience for some 45 minutes. In keeping with the patriotic theme of the banquet, he went to the Bible for much of his talk and showed that the people of Israel had to be disciplined before they established a government. He added that the people of this country had to go through 150 years of hardship before setting up a government that recognized the freedom of man.

T. L. Hatler, Winters barber, was awarded the "Man of the Year" plaque for his work in promoting several projects in Winters. Among them were city mail delivery, street paving, public school work, industrial show, city directory, landing strip.

Miss Jackie Canada, 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Canada of Ballinger, played several organ numbers as part of the evening's entertainment.

A. W. Libbe, who is beginning his third term as president of the Winters Chamber of Commerce, was presented a desk pen set in recognition of his work with the organization.

District Attorney E. C. Grindstaff of Ballinger served as master of ceremonies.

Out-of-town visitors attending the banquet were from Abilene, Ballinger, San Angelo, Colorado City, Novice, Midland.

Wives of directors of the Winters Chamber of Commerce were in charge of decorations with a patriotic motif in the "Our Heritage" theme.

Scout First Aid Meeting Slated In Coleman Mon.

First Aid Meeting for Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and Explorers of the Southern District will be held Monday, Jan. 23, at 6:30 p. m. at the National Guard Armory in Coleman. Dr. M. D. Mann of Coleman, health and safety chairman of the Southern District, will direct the meet.

Cubs will compete against Cubs, Scouts against Scouts and Explorers against Explorers.

A first aid team consists of four boys and a patient with a patrol leader or den chief as their director. Due to time only one team from each unit will participate. There are 37 units in the Southern District and each team will do four problems out of nine. Each problem will be rotated so that each boy in a team will be a leader of a problem.

Winters Future Farmers Will Exhibit Livestock At Abilene Show Next Week

Several members of the Winters chapter, Future Farmers of America, will exhibit livestock at the Abilene Stock Show next week. About 47 head of stock will be taken to Abilene Sunday afternoon for the show.

The Winters boys will show approximately 35 head of fat lambs, 10 head of fat barrows, and two calves.

The lamb show will be Monday beginning at 9 a. m. Barrows will be judged Tuesday morning beginning at 7 o'clock, with the calf show scheduled for Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock.

The boys will be under the supervision of vocational agriculture teachers Lon McDonald and Leland Robinson.

11,443 Bales Were Ginned In Winters

Winters gins totaled up their season's production from the 1960 cotton crop last week.

The three Winters gins processed a total of 11,443 bales during the season.

TO RECEIVE DEGREE Mrs. Jo Anne Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Smith, is among 129 University of Texas students who are January candidates for Bachelor of Business Administration degrees.

FROM MIDLAND Mr. and Mrs. Chester Campbell and children, Bruce and Patricia of Midland spent the weekend visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Laurence Chapmond and Mr. Chapmond.

T. L. Hatler Was Named Winters "Man of the Year"

T. L. Hatler, Winters barber, was named "Man of the Year" Thursday night at the Annual Winters Chamber of Commerce banquet.

The award is given each year by the Chamber of Commerce to the man who has contributed the most for Winters.

A. L. Libbe, president of the Winters Chamber of Commerce, in presenting the award during the banquet, praised Hatler for his untiring efforts in behalf of many projects and endeavors to "make Winters a better town in which to live."

Libbe said, "This man, in his own quiet way, has worked steadily on numerous committees. This man does not wait for things to happen—he makes them happen."

Libbe pointed out that Hatler has "served as chairman of a committee advertising Public School Week; helped promote Winters' participation in the San Angelo Industrial Show where local industries displayed their products thereby giving Winters and Winters industries invaluable advertising; formulated plans to publish a city directory; promoted several meetings with County Commissioners and representatives of the Highway Department in the interest of better highways in the county; spearheaded action in getting a local landing strip; investigated every feasible means of street paving, with the hope that all Winters streets may be paved; always alert to the possibility of securing new industry, written letters, made phone calls and visits, in this interest; directly responsible for securing city mail delivery for Winters, and was in charge of having houses numbered and helped to supervise this work; served the past two years on the Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors as treasurer."

Hatler has been in business as a barber in Winters for many years. He and his wife have one son, Jack, who was recently promoted to chief of the Plant Protection and Security Department at Lone Star Steel Company's E. B. Germany Works at Lone Star, near Longview.

Two Escape Injury In Explosion North-East of Winters

K. W. Cook and Frank Carter escaped serious injury Tuesday afternoon about 4:40 when an empty 250 barrel oil tank on which they were working exploded. The men were welding on a collar when fumes inside exploded.

Carter's shirt was burned off but he suffered only minor burns. Cook was not injured.

The explosion occurred on the Joe Nix lease about 6 1/2 miles northeast of Winters. It blew out the sides of the tank which had contained 66 barrels of crude oil.

A pickup nearby which contained welding equipment caught fire and burned. Estimated value of the truck and welding equipment was \$2,500 and the tank \$1,000.

Winters firemen kept the fire from spreading to another storage tank and a nearby house.

Winters Breeders To Exhibit Stock At Ft. Worth Show

Three livestock breeders of the Winters area will exhibit stock in the 1961 Fort Worth Stock Show scheduled January 27 through February 5.

Mike Priddy will have ten Open Division Sheep; Bobby Penny will have twelve Open Division sheep and the Kurtz Angus Farm will have five Angus bulls in the pen division.

The 1961 Exposition will have an entry list topping 9,000 head, shown by exhibitors from more than 30 states. The livestock division figure alone is 5,400, exceeding last year's total for cattle, sheep and swine by more than 620 head. There will be nine breeds of beef cattle, 10 breeds of sheep and eight of swine.

The horse division of the 1961 Southwestern Exposition, again featuring the largest Quarter horse show in the world, will have approximately 1,500 entries. The National Bantam Meet is expected to swell the list of poultry exhibitors.

Spectacular special attraction of the Fort Worth rodeo will be a wild chariot race from the great motion picture "Ben-Hur," pitting the powerful four horse white team originally driven by Charlton Heston against the movie's four dappled greys. The race will be run live at all 20 rodeo performances in Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum.

County TB Seal Sale Still Short Of \$2,500 Goal

The Tuberculosis Association of Runnels County has mailed out its third appeal letter to all people who received Christmas seals and have not remitted for them. There were about 2300 letters mailed in November with seals enclosed and to date about one-third of the people have sent in checks paying for them.

Mrs. Bill Harris, of Ballinger, executive secretary of the association, has announced that \$1,500 had been collected from the seal sale and that the goal set for the county was \$2,500.

Mrs. A. W. Libbe was in charge of TB seal sales in Winters.

Bicycle Tag Order Delayed

The order for several hundred bicycle tags, to be used when the many bicycles in Winters will be registered, has been delayed, Mayor Harvey D. Jones said this week. It is expected that the tags will be received within the next few days, and public notification will be made when registration of bicycles in Winters begins.

The tags will be used to identify each bicycle ridden on the streets of Winters, in accordance with an ordinance passed by the City Council last fall. In addition to the registration of bicycles, it is understood that each bicycle rider must take bicycle safety instructions and pass a test before being permitted to operate their cycles in Winters. Identification cards, or licenses, will be issued at the time of registration.

Women of Church To Meet Sunday At Lutheran Church

St. John's Lutheran Women of the Church will have their first general meeting Sunday, January 22, at 2:30 p. m. The Evening Circle is hosting this meeting, and have as guest speaker Mrs. Arthur Marth of Roscoe, newly elected president of the Northwest Conference of Church Women.

Mrs. Marth is the first conference president since the merger of the three Lutheran church bodies, which formed The American Lutheran Church.

All the women of St. John's Lutheran Church are members of the Women of the Church, and are invited to attend this meeting.

MASONS INVITED TO ATTEND BIG SPRING EVENT JAN. 27

H. L. Morris, formerly of the Winters area and now of Big Spring and master of Big Spring Lodge No. 1340, has extended an invitation to Masons of this area to attend a special family night at Big Spring Friday, Jan. 27 at 6:30 p. m.

John McKee of Dallas, past grand master and Potentate of Hella Shrine Temple, Dallas, will be the principal speaker at the event.

Cooler Plant Starts Work In February

The Winters Manufacturing Co., manufacturers of Winter Air evaporative air conditioners, will begin their 1961 production schedule about the middle of February, Jack Schackle, general manager, said this week.

The production line of the plant has been shut down during the "off" season, but plant maintenance and re-tooling has continued. The entire plant is being readied for the several months of peak production, which begins at the start of warmer weather.

The air conditioner plant, a home-grown industry, manufactures evaporative units ranging from small portables to huge industrial air conditioners.

Eldon Gray is plant superintendent, succeeding Curtis Prescott, who has been superintendent for several years. Prescott has moved to California. James Hinds is office manager and Mord Tucker

purchasing agent for the company. There are eight departmental foremen.

Schackle said this week the company is exploring the possibility of manufacturing some other type of sheet metal product, making it possible to run the plant throughout the year. Several items are under investigation, he indicated, and it is probable that another product will be made by the Winters firm within the next several months.

Jack Schackle, the general manager of the Winters Manufacturing Company, recently took over management of the plant. He is formerly of Elk City, Okla. He attended Elk City schools and also attended Southwestern Tech in Oklahoma. He is married, and he and his wife have a son, Marc, 5, and a daughter, Mae Dean, 18 months old. They recently moved to Winters where they are at home at 711 Lamar.

New Rug, Carpet Cleaning Business Open in Winters

A new rug, carpet and upholstery cleaning business has been established in Winters.

James Hinds, operator of the business, has obtained Von Schrader carpet and rug cleaners and will offer carpet, rug, upholstery and auto upholstery cleaning here. The firm will be called Allied Rug & Carpet Cleaners.

Tax Collector To Be Here Jan. 25, 26, 27

A representative of the county tax collector's office will be in Winters again next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, according to information received this week.

Persons wishing to pay taxes may do so at the Winters Chamber of Commerce office on these dates, during the hours of 12 noon until 5:30 p. m.

January 31 is the deadline for paying poll taxes.

James Schroeder Promoted To Corporal In A & M Cadets

Headquarters, Corps of Cadets, A. and M. College of Texas, has announced the promotion of James Schroeder to the position of Corporal in Company D-1. Cadet Corps promotions are made on the basis of the individual's grades and leadership capabilities.

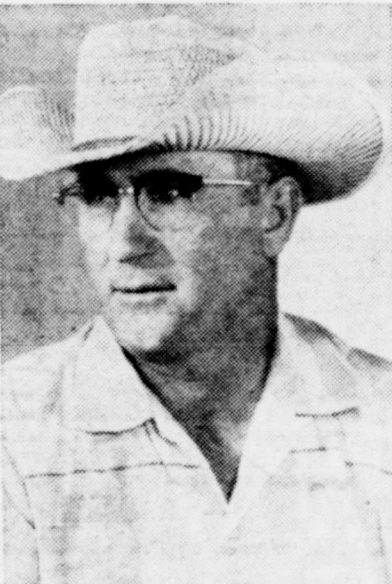
James is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Schroeder of Winters.

School Taxes Are Almost Paid Here

Johnny Bob Smith, tax collector and business manager for Winters Independent Schools, said this week that as of December 31, about 83 percent of the school taxes had been paid.

Also, Smith said, the annual school census is progressing on schedule, with about one-half of the district covered thus far.

The school census is to be completed by January 31.



M. L. DOBBINS

Lions Club Will Hear Farm Bureau President Jan. 24

M. L. Dobbins, president of the Runnels County Farm Bureau, and Hugo Vogelsang, director, will present a public relations for agriculture film titled "I Am A Farmer," which will be explained by an oral narration given by Dobbins to the members of the Winters Lions Club at its regular meeting Jan. 24.

Dobbins stated, in speaking of the program, that "in public relations as in physical circumstances it is always easier to prevent a fire than it is to extinguish one when the roof is ready to fall in." He went on to say that "today's antagonism (against the farmer) multiplies many times over the amount of effort which will be required to gain for agriculture the degree of public confidence and good will which are essential to its welfare and further development."

Dobbins stated that agriculture's public relations situation offers exceptional temptation "to take off down blind alleys or to try answers which are not answers at all." Taking this attitude, he said, will only tend to further the farmer to

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RECEIVED AWARD—Arley E. Cox, right, senior exchange repairman in the Winters office of the Southwestern States Telephone Co., receives a \$25.00 U. S. Savings Bond as second place award in a two month special extension telephone sales campaign. A. J. Lacy, West Texas Division Manager of the company, is shown presenting the bond to Cox. The Winters man was in competition with 224 employees of the Company's West Texas Division.

BRADSHAW NEWS

"Neglect not the truths that lie open before you." —Samuel Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Summerall and two children of Potosi and Mrs. Annie DeVore attended the services Sunday morning at the Church of Christ.

Last week at the Baptist Church every night with the exception of Thursday night, Pastor Jerry Henson gave lessons on the Book of First Corinthians.

Monday of last week the WMU had a study on Royal Service. Mrs. Dock Aldridge was in charge of the program.

Wayne Dobbins of Drasco was a Sunday morning visitor at the Moro Baptist Church.

Special days next week are for: Boyd Richards and Mrs. Arby Holbrook, the 22nd; Mrs. George

Newby and Mrs. Lloyd Grun, the 23rd; Herman Browne, Billy Joe Buchanan, Virgil Lee Graham and A. J. Bishop, the 24th; Henry Webb and Ruth Horn Mills, the 25th; a wedding anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Herman Browne, the 26th; Mrs. Oda Clark, Mrs. Bob Gaston and O. R. Faircloth, the 27th; Mrs. Dock Aldridge and Russell Grun, the 28th.

The Key verse for next Sunday's Sunday School Lesson is: "They said to the woman, 'It is no longer because of your words that we believe, for we have heard for ourselves, and we know that this is indeed the Saviour of the world.'" John 4:42. Meditation: "Day-old coffee grounds make a poor cup of coffee, and a secondhand faith makes for bland living. Mature spiritual insight depends upon our own direct responses to and fresh relationships with eternal truth. If we build our lives upon hearsay evidence, faith crumbles beneath time's jolting pressures. Life is too short to spend our days in surface affairs while deep waters run beneath us. Whereas character is developed

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE SECURITY STATE BANK

At Wingate, Texas

At the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1960, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commission of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES

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| 1. Loans and discounts, including overdrafts | \$605,240.39 |
| 2. United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed | 150,000.00 |
| 3. Obligations of states and political subdivisions | 130,590.31 |
| 6. Cash, balance due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house) | 375,509.98 |
| 7. Banking house, or leasehold improvements | 1,060.00 |
| 8. Furniture, fixtures, and equipment | 845.83 |
| 11. Total Resources | \$1,263,246.51 |

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

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| 1. Common Capital Stock | 35,000.00 |
| 2. Surplus | 45,000.00 |
| 3. Undivided profits | 25,217.96 |
| 5. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations | 1,083,087.60 |
| 7. Public funds (Incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions) | 74,940.95 |
| 10. Total all deposits | \$1,158,028.55 |
| 13. Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts | \$1,263,246.51 |

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels, I. Leila Harter, being Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.—LEILA HARTER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, 1961.—W. H. Craven, Jr., Notary Public, Runnels County, Texas.

CORRECT—Attest: Duncan Hensley, Raymond Dunn, Jno. Q. McAdams, Directors.

through creative responses to experience, reputation is determined by society's opinion of a person's character. It was not until the Samaritans looked beyond the secondhand evidence of a woman's excitable words, beyond the hearsay reputation about the Galilean Teacher, that they discovered in truth what they heard by word of mouth; that this, too, was their Lord of Life, their Messiah.

Travis Downing of Drasco was a patient last week at Hendrick Hospital. The first of last week Mrs. Travis visited the Bo Evans at Artesia, N. M. Larry Smith of Bangs and Steve Willborn of Winters have visited with W. T. Downing.

Pastor David and Mrs. Benningfield had Sunday of last week dinner with the Frank Simpsons.

Mrs. Zack West of Drasco visited Thursday of last week with Mrs. Nora Hancock at Winters. Mrs. Dana Mae Sheppard and son Warwin of Shep visited at the Wests Friday of last week.

Mrs. Travis Wood, Mike and Susan of Waco visited the Vyrn Woods last week.

Pastor and Mrs. Jack Bedford and daughter had Sunday dinner and supper with the Clyde Reids at Moro.

Pastor W. I. Taylor and Billy Barch had Sunday dinner and supper with the Zack Wests at Drasco.

Pastor and Mrs. Jerry Henson had Sunday dinner with the Mansfield Fosters and the evening meal with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs.

The H. O. Abbotts of Rice and the Horace Abbotts of Drasco visited Friday night at the Truett Smiths at Pumphrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Belew of Stephenville spent Friday night of last week at the M. L. Dobbins home at Drasco. Friday morning Mrs. Belew and Mrs. Dobbins visited in the C. F. Bahlman home and had dinner at the Horace Abbotts.

In town last week were: Ed Brown of Tuscola; Happy Horton, Oval; Mrs. Bill Graham and Mrs. Press Edwards, Winters; Rob Irvin and Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Johnson, Crews; Dr. Robert Miller, Winters; Marshall Lee, Bede England, Chester Smith, Drasco; Clarence Carpenter, Shep; P. J. Morris, Winters; W. A. Graham, Tuscola; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Crofton, Oval; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hiert, Shep; Ras Gideon, Charlie Schwartz, Winters; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Russell, Harmony; R. A. Barrington, Tuscola; George Shuffield, Winters; W. O. Wheelless, Pumphrey; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Reagan, Shep.

Sunday of last week Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Eakin of Brownwood had supper with the Elmo Mayhews of Drasco.

Mr. and Mrs. Calwyn Walters and son have visited at the E. J. Reids at Moro.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Adams of Abilene have visited with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Adams of Drasco.

The Dick Bishops have visited at Crews with the Rube Whitleys. S. W. Browne of Abilene spent Monday night of last week with the Herman Brownes at Bluff Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Butler and Mom Butler of Moro visited Tuesday of last week at Brownwood with the G. H. and Edward Carneys.

Mrs. Verna Pogash of Fresno, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Junior Fuller, Joanie and Linda of Crews; Sherley and Mike Newman of Abilene have visited at the Lloyd Giles home at Drasco.

Monday of last week the Raymond Wades of Hatchell had supper with the Abe Lacy's.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cleveland of Tuscola visited Thursday morning of last week at Ed Harrison's. The Harold Bennetts of Denver City and Richard Grun of Abilene have visited at the J. D. Harrison's at Guion.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williams of Abilene were in town Saturday.

At the Leon Walkers of Drasco have been Mrs. Dana Mae Sheppard and son Darwin and Mr. and

Charles M. McWright Died of Heart Attack Last Friday

Charles Manley McWright, 43, resident of Winters for forty years, died of a heart attack early Friday morning in Winters Municipal Hospital. He had become ill and had driven to the hospital, where his wife is employed as a night nurse, and died a few minutes following admission to the hospital. Born January 9, 1918 at Lelia Lake, Mr. McWright came to this area with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. John McWright, when he was three years of age. He had been employed as a truck driver for Winters Manufacturing Company for several years. He married Helen Smith December 3, 1938 in Winters.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Spill Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Virgil James, pastor of Southside Baptist Church, officiating. The Rev. B. T. Shoemaker, pastor of the First Baptist Church, assisted and burial was in Lakeview Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, two daughters, Darlene and Sherry, of the home; three sons, Randall and Johnny of the home and Donald of Midland; two sisters, Mrs. Ruth Doss of Kermit and Mrs. Edmond Magnum of Hillsboro, Rhode Island; one brother, Buford McWright of San Angelo.

Mrs. Sam Jones Named President Of Diversity Club

Mrs. Sam Jones was elected president of the Diversity Club at a meeting held Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Noel Reid.

Other officers elected were Mrs. Z. I. Hale, vice president; Mrs. H. B. Livingston, recording secretary; Mrs. Earl Roach, treasurer; Mrs. Noel Reid, parliamentary critic; Mrs. J. E. Smith, federation counselor; Mrs. G. E. Wilson, reporter and corresponding secretary; Mrs. C. R. Bellis, historian. Mrs. Roy Young, president, presided over the business session and following the election of officers, Mrs. W. T. Billups conducted a parliamentary drill and Mrs. C. R. Bellis read the constitution and by-laws.

Those present were Mesdames C. R. Bellis, W. T. Billups, J. W. Dixon, Z. I. Hale, Sam Jones, C. R. Kendrick, Clarence Ledbetter, H. B. Livingston, W. B. Middleton, Noel Reid, Earl Roach, Loucille Roberts, J. E. Smith, Roy Young and James Glenn.

Mrs. Rich Walker of Shep, also Mrs. Barney Sheppard of Shep.

L. C. Condra of Ballinger was in town Friday of last week inquiring about the Bus Lloyds. He didn't know they had moved from here. The Lloyds now reside at Luther.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Simpson and Johna of Winters Route were in town Saturday. Also Bernice Gardner of Winters and Marie Windham of Tuscola.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Walker of Grassburr visited the weekend with the Harry Templetons of Sonora.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Walter of Grassburr were to the Lawrence Bryans of Winters Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Walker of Abilene; Walter Daniel of Winters; Mrs. Andy Bundas of Hamlin and Billy Joe Walker and Patti of Wingate have been at the Leon Walkers.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Graham of Guion and Mrs. Henry Webb of Bryan Sunday night attended a Mission Study and supper at the Presbyterian Church, Winters. Miss Lena Boyd of Santa Anna led the study. She is a returned missionary from India.

Since there are only about 2,000 right seats in a stadium seating 75,000, how come that the same people always get them on days when the getting is toughest?

It isn't the car that steps on the gas and causes a crash while trying to pass—It's the Driver! To be alone after midnight suits me.

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Why is our faith backed by dollars?

Very simply, it is because the Southwest is growing 25% faster than the nation, and the WTU service area is the CENTER OF THE SOUTHWEST.

As a result, one of our major projects is designed to stimulate this growth, and another is designed to add service facilities to meet it. These projects are described briefly below. We will keep you informed of their progress as we go along, since they are of vital importance to this community.

It is our conviction that with faith, vision and cooperative effort on the part of all of us, the Center of the Southwest has a sound foundation for GROWTH UNLIMITED in the years ahead.

OUR AREA DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM PROMOTES

Growth Unlimited

For many years we have been engaged in a program designed to inform business executives about the industrial advantages of the Center of the Southwest.

This activity is being continued in 1961 with an expanded area development program.

It includes a new series of ads running in a number of national publications, which depict the growth potential of this area and the states it serves.

The national advertising schedule, the information brochures we are publishing, the trips we will make to industrial centers, and the fine cooperative spirit of communities like this one, all combine to promote GROWTH UNLIMITED.

\$50 MILLION EXPANSION PREPARES FOR

Growth Unlimited

On the shores of Oak Creek Lake in Coke County, construction is progressing rapidly on a large new WTU generating station.

It is tangible evidence of the expansion being made in our generating and distribution facilities, in anticipation of coming growth in the Center of the Southwest.

An area expansion program, costing in excess of \$50 million, is well under way, and will continue through the months ahead. It will permit us to keep pace with the growing needs of this growing area.

It is proof that here is GROWTH UNLIMITED.

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TIDE
Giant Box
59c

King Size Coca Cola Carton 29c

Gladiola Flour 10-lb. Bag 79c

SWIFT'S
PREM
39c Can

OUR DARLING
WHOLE KERNEL
CORN
2 for 35c

CUT RITE
WAX PAPER
25c

EGGS Grade A Large Dozen 59c

AUSTEX — BIG 1 1/2-LB. CAN
BEEF STEW Can 49c

WHITE SWAN
APPLE BUTTER 4-lb. Jar 59c

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Boat Numbers Must Be Legible Says Highway Dept.

Texas boat owners may need woman's opinion in choosing the colors for the registration numbers on the hulls," Bob Townsley, director of the Texas Highway Department's Motor Vehicle Division said this week.

"Boat number colors and boat hulls aren't contrasting enough to be readable—that's the problem. Too many boats are not numbered in accordance with the law which requires a legible, visible, contrasting number for good identification. The solid-color area of a boat number should contrast only with the hull of the boat. Good many of the boats we've looked at have white numbers on white hull—and the thin colored border around the number doesn't like it show up."

Three things the Texas boat owner should do after getting his

registration number from the Texas Highway Department:

1. The solid-color area of the registration three-inch, block letters must contrast with the hull of the boat.
2. The numbers should be located on each side of the forward half of the hull, as near to the stem as possible.
3. Between each part of the number there should be a hyphen or a space. Example: TX-1234-AA or TX 1234 AA.

Townsley said the boat-numbering problem was nationwide, and that manufacturers who make boat numbers are helping out by increasing the size of the solid-color area of the boat number to a full three inches.

Coast Guard and local enforcement authorities will give owners of boats whose numbers do not meet the federal numbering specifications until 1 July 1961 to make necessary changes.

The Water Safety Act passed by the Fifty-sixth Legislature gave the Texas Highway Department the responsibility of administering the Act. Owners who power their boats with a motor in excess of ten horsepower are required to obtain a license. Numbers are issued by the Motor Vehicle Division of the Department.

Townsley stated that 150,000 power boats were registered in Texas, and that registrations on these were good until March 31, 1963.

"The registrations are good," explained Townsley, "Now we want to get the numbers so we can read them. No matter what power rating a boat may carry, it is to the owner's advantage to register his boat. The boat's registration will provide an inexpensive way of quick and positive identification should the craft be stolen or involved in difficulty."

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To all persons interested in the estate of Sallie S. Hardy, a person of unsound mind. No. 2638, County Court, Rannels County, Texas. J. M. Hardy, Guardian, in the above numbered and entitled estate, filed on the 18th day of January, 1961 his verified account for final settlement of said estate and requests that said estate be settled and closed, and said applicant be discharged from his trust.

Said application will be heard and acted on by said Court at 10 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday next after the expiration of ten days from date of publication of this citation, the same being the 6th day of February, 1961, at the County Courthouse in Ballinger, Texas.

All persons interested in said estate are hereby cited to appear before said Honorable Court at said above mentioned time and place by filing a written answer contesting such application should they desire to do so.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court at office in Ballinger, Texas, this 18th day of January, A. D. 1961.

Frankie Berryman, Clerk of the County Court, Rannels County, Texas. By Lillie Bishop, Deputy. 1tc

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Winters HD Club Met Wednesday

Winters Home Demonstration Club held their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon at the club house with Mrs. J. D. Vinson, president, presiding. Mrs. Glenn Eager and Mrs. A. B. Spill served as hostesses.

Mrs. Emma Cole read "The Courtesy Reminder" and Mrs. Vinson gave the club prayer and the thought for the day.

Mrs. A. B. Spill demonstrated "What is a Good Breakfast?" She was assisted by Mrs. James Huddleston. They made breakfast puddings and spiced apple juice which was served as refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Mrs. Agnes Lawrence, secretary, called the roll which was answered by "The job I spend most time doing." Mrs. Lawrence read the minutes and Mrs. Glenn Eager gave the council report.

Mrs. Vinson announced that Miss Ollie Chenoweth would give a demonstration on drapery making Friday, January 20, at 10 a. m., at the club house.

After the meeting, the group sang several songs with Mrs. Lawrence at the piano.

Those present were Mesdames Glenn Eager, A. B. Spill, Ralph Osborne, Eddie Voelker, R. W. Balke, C. E. Whitmire, Jim Edwards, Ira McNeill, Agnes Lawrence, J. D. Vinson, Emma Cole, James Huddleston, Miss Emma Henniger, Mrs. Jewell Leslie, a new member and Mrs. J. T. Stevenson, a visitor.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Pat Underwood, who has been a medical patient in Winters Municipal Hospital, was dismissed Friday.

Mrs. R. E. Ross and baby girl were dismissed Friday.

Lynell Greer, a medical patient, was dismissed Friday.

Mrs. W. J. Yates, a medical patient, was dismissed Sunday.

Mrs. E. L. Lybrand, surgical patient, was dismissed Tuesday.

Mrs. Vernon Fuller, a medical patient, was dismissed Tuesday.

Robert Christian, a medical patient, was dismissed Tuesday.

Mrs. Gus Voss, a medical patient, was dismissed Tuesday.

W. L. Waggoner, a medical patient, was dismissed Wednesday.

Mrs. J. R. Harris is a medical patient.

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Mrs. Martha Ryals is a medical patient.

Max Rogers is a medical patient.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gray Jr. are the parents of a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bailey are the parents of a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Helm are the parents of a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Cortez Jr. are the parents of a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. King are the parents of a baby girl.

San Souci Dinner Club met Monday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Randolph with Mr. and Mrs. George Poe serving as co-hosts.

Dinner was served from a table laid with white cut-work linen centered with an arrangement of bronze mums. Other floral arrangements were used at vantage points throughout the party rooms.

Following dinner games of forty-two were played.

Those present were Mrs. Emma Marks, a guest, Mrs. Harry Herman, Messrs and Mesdames M. E. Leeman, Gattis Neely, Fred Young, LaDell Davis, W. F. Minzenmayer, Raymon Lloyd and the hosts.

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Wednesday Study Met At St. John's Lutheran Church

Wednesday Study Circle met at St. John's Lutheran Church with Mrs. R. T. O'Dell, vice president, presiding. Mrs. Jerry Holle served as hostess.

The group sang "What A Friend" with Mrs. Dick Dunlap at the piano. Mrs. George Pruser Jr. was in charge of the program, "What About Prayer — Does it Really Matter?" Mrs. Dunlap distributed material which will be used for the year's programs and Mrs. Pruser was elected treasurer.

Mrs. Edward Bredemeyer and Mrs. Merle Wright were appointed to serve on the visitors committee.

Mrs. H. K. Flathmann discussed Christmas decorations which could be made by members of the circle and used by the church at Christmas time. Mrs. Pruser and Mrs. Flathmann were appointed as a committee for the decorations which will be made.

Those present were Mesdames George Pruser Jr., R. T. O'Dell, Merle Wright, Dick Dunlap, Edward Bredemeyer, H. K. Flathmann, Jerry Holle and one visitor, Mrs. Robert Simpson.

You like a person and can't explain why, so why try?

These present were Mesdames George Pruser Jr., R. T. O'Dell, Merle Wright, Dick Dunlap, Edward Bredemeyer, H. K. Flathmann, Jerry Holle and one visitor, Mrs. Robert Simpson.

You like a person and can't explain why, so why try?

Mrs. B. D. Jobe Elected President Of Chat and Sew

Mrs. B. D. Jobe was president of the Chat and Sew Club at a meeting held Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Sharp.

Other officers elected were Alvis Jobe, first vice president; Mrs. Carson Easterly, secretary; Mrs. O. D. Bradford, reporter and Mrs. Aric Sharr, assistant reporter.

Hand work was done for hostess and club pals were drawn. Some of the demonstrated new handwork art they had learned the month.

Those present were Mesdames B. D. Jobe, Carson Easterly, Ernest, Richard George, Mayes, Ed Donica, Lonnie Alvis Jobe, O. D. Bradford, Johnny Pierce.

CARD OF THANKS I wish to express my thanks to those who were and thoughtful during my stay at the hospital and since I have turned home. Your cards, gifts and prayers were deeply appreciated. A special thanks to Dr. Rives and the staff at Winters Municipal Hospital. My heart joins me in expressing our thanks to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Yates.

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Outlook For Producers Is Favorable

Supply and demand are still the determining factors in egg prices. Until recently, points out Z. Beanblossom, extension poultry marketing specialist, the high and low point in egg supply covered about three years. It, he adds, with the continued growth of large commercial shell egg production, supply has become more uniform throughout the year and the length of the cycle definitely influenced. This latter situation insures consumers of a uniform supply of high quality eggs and has lessened the need for large storage facilities for use during periods of production. Beanblossom says there will be fewer layers on the farms of the nation during the first half of 1961 compared with the same period in 1960. Because of the reduced number of hens, production also likely to be lower. This smaller output is expected to influence prices and also the size of the flock for replacement pullets. But in the last quarter of 1961, the number of layers on farms is expected to exceed the number for the same quarter of 1960. The specialist says the demand for eggs in 1961 should remain about the 1960 level because per capita incomes are expected to continue high and the price of eggs relatively low compared with other commodities. The number of consumers will increase about 2 percent this year but the continuing decline in per capita consumption of eggs will more than offset this increase, he believes. Prices for producers during the first quarter of 1961 with a likely downward trend starting in April compared with 1960. Large production during the last half of 1961 will also be a market influence. Beanblossom suggests that producers deliver eggs which will give buyers maximum satisfaction that they shoot for deliveries more than 90 percent Grade quality or better; that they select eggs which meet consumer demands and reduce to a minimum the number of cracked and broken eggs. Handling losses, he says, runs into millions of dollars annually.

RECEIVED INVITATION
Mrs. Floyd Sims was among the women who received invitations to participate in the inaugural of John F. Kennedy for President of the United States and Lyndon B. Johnson for vice president. She received an invitation to the inaugural ball at the National Armory in the City of Washington, D. C.

Food Consumption In 1960 Averaged 1,488 lbs. Person

Americans ate well in 1960. Year-end estimates indicate plentiful supplies of food for 1961. The U. S. Department of Agriculture said food consumption for 1960 averaged 1,488 pounds per person based on retail weights of all food products of farms, ranches and fisheries. Consumption of dairy products led, with 414 pounds per person—the equivalent of about 250 quarts of milk. The total includes fluid milk and all other forms of foods made from milk except butter. It is included in fats and oils. The fruit and vegetable group—excluding potatoes—was a close second at 409 pounds per person. Potato consumption was 108 pounds per capita. The third ranking group was meats. The average was 178 pounds per person and included poultry and fish as well as the red meats, beef, pork and lamb. Consumption of other food groups included 146 pounds of flour and cereal products per capita, 108 pounds of sugar and sirup, 67 pounds of fats and oils, 41 pounds of eggs (about 26 dozen), and 17 pounds of coffee, tea and cocoa. The Department said estimates of consumption per person are based on the disappearance of food products. The quantity of each group is divided by total population. A hard-working 200-pounder, of course, eats more of the foods than infants, invalids, and older people, yet they all count equally in figuring per capita consumption.

Ruth SS Class Met Thursday In Briley Home

Ruth Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. W. J. Briley with Mrs. John Wade serving as co-hostess. Mrs. Calvin Holloway, president, presided and Mrs. Carl Pendergrass led the opening prayer. Mrs. Jack Pierce gave the devotional, "Inventory Our Lives." A love offering was taken and Mrs. Truett Smith led the closing prayer. Refreshments were served to Mesdames Pyburn Brown, Jack Pierce, Hudon White, J. C. Hodnett, Truett Smith, Ronald Gene Cooper, Carl Pendergrass, R. Q. Marks, Calvin Holloway and Carson Easterly. In dressing and undressing would it be fair to say that shoes are last on and first off?

Number of Older People Increases

Texas' population now includes more than half a million persons over 65 years of age. This, according to Reagan Brown, extension rural sociologist, represents about 7 percent of the total population or about 1 out of 11. The ratio is even higher in rural areas, he adds. The sociologist says the increase has caused leaders in many towns and rural communities to take a longer look at the situation. Interest is growing in programs aimed at helping these senior citizens. Brown points out that re-

search studies have and are furnishing valuable information for planning work. The older persons prefer to live as independently as possible and in familiar surroundings among their friends and associates. They like to be near married children or grandchildren but live to themselves. Elderly persons like to be where they can watch adults work and children play instead of with aged people only. Most older farm folks like rural surroundings with open spaces, room for animals, or where they can garden and watch things grow, says Brown. But they don't want to be isolated. They'd like to be in walking distance of relatives, friends, church and shop-

ping facilities; have help if needed and be out-of-doors when weather permits. Whether in cities, towns or rural areas, older folks have much in common when living facilities are discussed, Brown says they want a safe home—one floor level with few steps to the outside. They don't like hazards which could mean a fire or fall but express a desire for automatically controlled heat for the winter months, adequate lighting, windows that open and close easily and a comfortable place for a daytime nap. But most important, Brown emphasizes, older folks want to feel needed and have an opportunity to carry on a useful, pleasant day to day schedule of activity.

Winters HD Club Met Recently At Club House

Mrs. J. D. Vinson presided for the regular meeting of the Winters Home Demonstration Club held recently at the club house. Mrs. Jim Edwards read the homemakers creed and prayer and Mrs. Agnes Laurence called the roll. Mrs. W. W. King was elected treasurer for the club for 1961 and the constitution and by-laws were read and adopted. New committees were appointed. Those present were Mesdames J. D. Vinson, Glenn Eager, Eddie

Voelker, Bill Proctor, Jim Edwards, Agnes Laurence, Ira McNeil, A. B. Spill, W. W. King, R. B. Osborne, L. C. Hill, Emma Cole, C. E. Whitmire and R. W. Balke.

CARD OF THANKS
My family and I wish to thank our many, many friends for the phone calls, the beautiful cards and gifts and the food that was sent while I was in the hospital. May God's richest blessings be yours. Mrs. Dave S. Crim. 1p

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Roger Babson Says

Proposed \$1.25 Minimum Wage Law Will Increase Unemployment

Babson Park, Mass. — President Kennedy's proposed \$1.25 minimum wage would result in many employers reducing the number of their wage workers. They must do so to avoid bankruptcy. But this is not the only dangerous result of such legislation, if passed.

Wage Changes Affect All Groups

If this \$1.25 proposal could stop with those now getting less, it could have certain advantages. In addition to aiding several million deserving persons, it would come back to farmers and manufacturers in increased purchasing power. None of this increase would be saved. This could be all to the good, but such legislation could upset all wage scales.

Wage workers think more of prestige than they do of money. Most people are proud by nature, and well they should be. Furthermore, workers who are not satisfied with \$1.25 per hour naturally would not like to see experienced workers raised 25 percent without a corresponding raise for themselves and others more experienced. Hence, the proposed minimum wage could upset the entire wage scale for millions of workers with resulting price increases for foods and consumer goods and services. Unfortunately, President Kennedy's economic advisors have never had a payroll to meet and are wholly ignorant of the intricate subject of wages and prices.

Unfair To Millions of Small Storekeepers

Twenty percent of all shopkeepers employ only one or two clerks. Shops could be severely hurt and now barely making a profit. Only will most of them be able to put one of their clerks on half-time and thus reduce her "take-home" pay to 50 cents per hour, but many

of the small shops will feel obliged to close up and go out of business. President Kennedy's professors say—"Very well, there are already too many stores in every city and town." Such a statement is very misleading, as such salesmen and others who are now calling upon them will lose their jobs, the local newspapers will lose advertising, and more vacant stores will be seen on every business street.

To a certain extent this same principle applies also to the merger of railroads, banks, and various other large concerns. When the merger is announced, the statement is made that "no executive or other employee will be discharged." The policy of "no fire, but no hire" will be adopted. This means that as employees die or become 65 they will not be replaced.

Foreign Competition Causing Unemployment

Even today, with present wage scales, our wage workers are "pricing themselves" out of work. Many manufacturers in our country are now suffering because of goods imported from Germany, Japan, and Italy, where wages are low and working hours long. As we Americans buy these imported goods, we are increasing unemployment here at home. Hence, any move to further increase our U. S. wage scales at this time will result in the importation of more foreign goods. This would cause more unemployment here at home. Fearing this \$1.25 minimum wage some corporations are already building factories in these foreign countries. Hence, I foresee that much more unemployment in this country is inevitable, whatever Congress does to our wage scale.

Aid for "Depressed Areas" Is Justified

President Kennedy deserves support from Congress for his appeal for certain cities which are suffering from exceptionally large unemployment. These are areas which have depended too heavily on one certain industry such as hard coal, coarse textiles, and some farm crops. I am very sympathetic with the report of Senator Douglas on this subject. It is only fair that the entire country which is enjoying fair prosperity should be taxed to subsidize such unfortunate areas until they get back on their feet again. The money given them should, however, be used partly to develop new industries and not merely be distributed to the unemployed for temporary relief.

Babson Park, Mass. During the recent election campaign, the unemployment problem was discussed at length by both political parties. Naturally, the interpretations given to the jobless situation were presented in a light which would best suit the particular audience listening to each speech. Within

the past few weeks, some projections of unemployment trends seem to bear out fears expressed during the election campaign. Government officials predict that a sharp increase in jobless workers may lie ahead.

Unemployment Figures are Statistical "Guesses"

Once a month, the Bureau of Labor Statistics releases its estimate of employment and unemployment. This is based on a mid-month survey by the Census Bureau in which approximately 35,000 households are interviewed in 330 selected regions throughout the country. The groups of households interviewed are rotated so that a given household will be questioned for four successive months during a given year.

The information obtained for the latest month is then compared with the preceding month's estimate of unemployment to derive a measure of the change which has taken place. The next step is to inflate the current data by the estimates of various population groups—viz., by age, sex, and color. After the results of each step are weighted, the two steps are then combined.

Looking Behind the Figures

Naturally, such a small sample leaves much room for error when the data are inflated to show an estimate of the total labor picture. Remember that only 35,000 households are interviewed out of a total of nearly 50,000,000 families in the country. Furthermore, the personal interview method has certain natural pitfalls. More often than not the housewife answers the questions. She may not have an exact knowledge of the circumstance of each member of the household. Or, the person questioned may be in a "bad mood" and thus unwittingly give inaccurate or incomplete answers. Local conditions and/or mass psychology could also contribute toward a distortion of answers given.

Aside from these "human" factors, unemployment figures should be adjusted by readers to take into account other distortions. For example, workers who are idled by strikes are included as unem-

ployed. These, of course, do not truly reflect the state of the economy's health. In addition, workers who are temporarily laid off because of seasonal curtailments in activity are counted as unemployed. I also question whether sick workers, and housewives and students seeking "extra spending money," should be included.

Where is the Real Problem and Cure?

At the present time, the Government estimates that over 4,000,000 people are unemployed. Historically speaking, this is still not a very burdensome figure. Considering the growth in population, this represents only a little over 5 per cent of the labor force. Admittedly, there are "pockets of unemployment" in various sections which should receive help. Taking the country as a whole, however, the picture is more encouraging, especially when it is related to periods of normal business rather than war and super-boom times.

Readers of this column, therefore, should pay more attention to certain fundamental conditions which are threatening to make the unemployment problem worse than it is now. I fear that too many workers, whether individually or through unions, are pricing themselves out of the market. This is evident in the trend toward increased automation which, though ultimately beneficial to labor, could in the meantime make for greater unemployment. If wage costs increase much more, I fear that America will lose the race for world markets, and that foreign imports will cut deeper into domestic markets. Both of these conditions could contribute to joblessness.

Areas where unemployment is high should seek to create and attract new opportunities. This can best be accomplished by advertising local advantages, and, above all, by proving labor's willingness to work harder. Unless something is done, students now in colleges and high schools may be hard put to find a job later on.

Don't speak to a child unless the child speaks first.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Minzenmayer are the parents of a baby boy, Curtis Weldon, born January 6, in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. The baby weighed seven pounds eleven ounces. Maternal

grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Beddo of Ballinger and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Minzenmayer.

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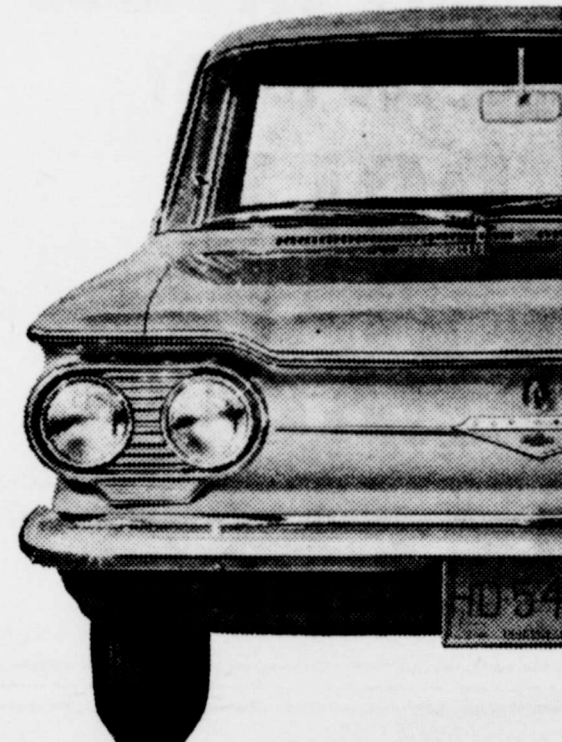
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Fifteen Members of VFW Auxiliary Receive Five-Year Pins at Monday Meet

Members of Foreign Wars Auxiliary held their regular business meeting Monday evening at the home with Mrs. James Crocker, president, presiding.

Mrs. Ted Meyer, treasurer, reported that the quota for the Auxiliary is 111 members with 50 paid date. Mrs. Wallace Watson, re-education chairman, reported that three baskets of food and a total of 152 garments of clothing have been given to needy families for Christmas. A total of 24 sympathy cards, 30 get-well cards, wreaths or pot plants had been sent to families in sorrow.

The group voted for each member to bake and sell a cake or pay into the Auxiliary treasurer later than January 28. Five year pins were presented Mesdames W. L. Collins, De-awalt, Charles Dry, E. J. J. Jr., A. O. Merck, Elbyler, A. N. Crowley, C. C. Paske, the Sellers, Wallace Watson, Kozelsky, B. E. Baldwin, L. H. Lee, George F. Lloyd, R. D. Lina, Bertie Crockett, W. T. Ward and Miss Nevill Fisher. Special guests escorted into the home were Ted Meyer, post commander, W. L. Collins, past commander, and Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Kirkpatrick of Eden, district 22 presidents.

Commander Meyer expressed appreciation to the Auxiliary for their work during his term of office and recognized Mrs. James Crocker, president, Mrs. W. L. Collins, community service and Betty and Miss Nevill Fisher, chairman and decoration chairman.

District 22 Commander Kirkpatrick talked on community service and announced that the annual Winter Roundup would be held at the Angelo January 20-22. Registration will be held Friday afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock. The group will register at the Town Hotel and the men at the KC Hotel. A social hour will be held at 5 p. m. at the San Antonio Post home.

Monday, January 21, the ladies register at 9 a. m. at the Town Hotel and the council administration meeting and the ladies luncheon for all Auxiliary members will be held at 3 o'clock and a banquet held at 6:30 in the KC

Short Story Rates Third In National Magazine Contest

Beth Hinds, 17, of Odessa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Norris Hinds, former residents of Winters, has recently been named third place winner in Seventeen magazine's national short story contest, according to a feature story appearing in a recent issue of the Odessa American. The story, "Awakening," appears in the January issue of the magazine.

The story, originally written as an assignment in English last year, was typed and sent in two hours before the deadline for entering the contest. Beth received an "A" grade for the short story assignment which went on to place third in the national contest.

Beth received \$100 for her winning story and promptly spent it for a portable stereophonic record player. She likes all kinds of music and one of her hobbies is reading. She doesn't plan a career in writing.

A 1960 graduate of Permian High School, Beth is now a freshman at Odessa College, majoring in liberal arts. She plans to finish her last two years of college at Baylor University. She is attending Odessa College on an academic scholarship.

Last year Beth was named "Most Outstanding Citizen" at Permian and was runner-up for senior favorite and for belle of the junior-senior prom. She was active in dramatics, the choir, annual staff, student council and attended Bluebonnet Girls State.

She works part-time in the college business office typing, filing and operating the switch board. She attends the Second Baptist Church, where she plays the piano in her department.

WINGATE

Visitors Sunday in the Edwin Voss home were Mr. and Mrs. Vanner Voss and David and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burros. Thursday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hantsche.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Vincent of San Angelo are the parents of a daughter. Her name is Lisette D'Ann. Mrs. Vincent is the former Joyce Collinsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Cathey visited in the George Cathey home and with his aunt, Mrs. Harter. Other visitors in the Harter home were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Garvin and Elva Huber of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Laughter of Lubbock and Mrs. Hugh Dunn are visiting their mother, Mrs. M. J. Hensley who is ill.

Mrs. B. H. Denson and Mrs. Tilda Johnson are visiting in California with their children. Dessie Denson will undergo surgery in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kinard and Mrs. Wheat from Wingate and Mrs. Watts of Hylton attended the funeral of Mr. Dyess at Nolan Monday.

Mrs. Henry Adcock is a patient in the Bronte Hospital.

Mrs. Kinard and Flossie Kirkland were hostesses to a Sunshine Shower for Mrs. Morrison. They presented the gifts to her Sunday afternoon. She received several useful gifts. Mrs. Morrison has improved and is able to be up most of the time. She had several visitors last week. Among those visiting her were Mrs. Hord and Mrs. Chapman.

Quiet a bit of building and repairing is going on around here. Verg Awalt is building a garage near his station. The Jim Kings have added a room and garage on their house. Dot Awalt is having a partition moved to enlarge her kitchen.

M. B. Folsom received word that his mother has had another heart attack.

Sub Deb Club Met Monday In Traylor Home

Sub Deb Club held their regular meeting Monday evening in the J. E. Traylor home with their daughter, La Gatha, serving as hostess.

Roll was called and plans for camp were discussed. Refreshments were served to Frances Saunders, Martha Marks, La Gatha Traylor, Evelyn Hudgins, Janel Gerhart, Marion Burrow, Karen Foster, Beverly Huddleston, Bobbie Howard, Betty Mayfield, Sharon Johnson, Mrs. Wes Hays and Mrs. Jerry English.

Winters Public Schools Lunchroom Menu

Monday, January 23
Choice: Smothered liver and onions or barbecued wieners, mashed potatoes, wax beans, carrot strips, peanut butter cookies, corn muffins, milk.

Tuesday, January 24
Frito pie, lima beans, pickles and fresh onion rings, Jell-o salad, doughnuts, bread, milk.

Wednesday, January 25
Chicken, southern fried, cream gravy, yellow corn, tossed salad, buttered rice, hot rolls, honey, milk.

Thursday, January 26
Baked ham, apple sauce, potato salad, blackeye peas, cinnamon rolls, bread, milk.

Friday, January 27
Choice: Duperdogs with mustard sauce, or pimento cheese sandwiches, green salad, white beans, cherry cobbler, milk.

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Winters Garden Club Met Thurs. In Bryan Home

Winters Garden Club held their regular meeting Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Laurence Bryan.

The president presided for the meeting and presented C. T. Parker Jr., county agent, who gave an interesting program on pruning and propagation. He also discussed fertilizing and spraying trees, shrubs and lawns.

Mrs. John Grohman was elected as a new member.

Mrs. Bryan gave a report from the nominating committee and officers elected were Mrs. Arle Sharp, president; Mrs. O. D. Bradford, vice president; Mrs. Richard George, second vice president; Mrs. C. T. Rives Sr., third vice president; Mrs. Laurence Bryan, treasurer; Mrs. John Grohman, recording secretary; Mrs. Bill Henson, corresponding secretary; Mrs. L. Ernst, parliamentarian.

Mrs. Bryan was elected as a delegate to attend the district convention to be held in Coleman. Mrs. Rives was elected as a delegate to attend the state convention to be held in Odessa.

Mrs. Jerrell Walker of Bradshaw and Mrs. Raymond Allard of Great Falls, Mont., were visitors.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. O. D. Bradford.

WASHINGTON NEWSLETTER Inauguration Pales Other Events In Washington

By Congressman O. C. Fisher

On the eve of Inauguration the Washington air is filled with excitement and suspense. With a million people expected for the event, it's a sell-out. The swearing-in will take place on the east side of the Capitol building, recently extended by 40 feet. This marked the first addition to the historic structure in nearly 100 years. The last enlargement project was dedicated with a speech by Daniel Webster, then a U. S. Senator.

I have been privileged to witness five Inaugurations—FDR for his third and fourth terms, Truman once, and Eisenhower twice. Roosevelt's fourth Inauguration took place at the White House, with the crowd standing on the lawn below the second floor balcony. That one was quiet and simple, with no fanfare, no parade, and little oratory.

Ike's first Inaugural was the most colorful one I have witnessed and it marked the largest attendance in the history of such ceremonies.

But the Kennedy-Johnson Inauguration is sure to top them all. More money has been spent in planning and promoting it. Hollywood will be here in force, and the spirit of the advent of a new decade will fill the air. And, like the proceedings at the national party conventions, TV and radio will enable every home in America to have a front seat. It is indeed a marvelous age in which we live!

Dorcas SS Class Met Thursday In Mrs. Hart's Home

Dorcas Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church held their monthly meeting Thursday in the home of Mrs. C. T. Hart.

Mrs. W. R. Kennedy, president, presided for the business session and the class voted to give \$25.00 for home missions. Officers gave their reports. Bettie Sue Jernigan gave the devotional "Love For God," taken from Psalm 8. She also led in prayer. Mrs. Hart conducted a Bible quiz.

A salad plate was served to Mesdames A. L. Crockett, C. C. Benson, Pete Davis, Loucille Roberts, W. R. Kennedy, J. D. Sowell, Grover Davis, R. D. Collins and one visitor, Mrs. Effie Jack.

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Mrs. J. B. Whitlow Attended Food Service Meeting

Mrs. J. B. Whitlow, supervisor of Winters School Cafeteria, attended an executive board meeting Saturday, Jan. 14, in Orange. Mrs. Whitlow represented District 11 of the Texas School Food Service Association.

Mrs. Whitlow stated that perhaps if people knew the code of ethics for members of the association, perhaps they would understand the efforts lunch room workers and their supervisors are striving to accomplish in preparing food for the cafeterias.

The code of ethics for members of the association, of which all Winters School lunch workers are members, is: Pledge at all times the improvement of school, community, and national health thru well directed, quantity food service. To guide his personal conduct to the golden rule. He and his associates are judged by the ethical standards upheld. To seek new knowledge in his professional work and continually aim to apply this knowledge to improve the quality of his work. To share his knowledge and skill by serving community activities. To cooperate with related professional groups to help achieve a common goal.

To help secure pertinent legislation and public support to recruitment, training, and work benefits, in order to improve national health and the status of school food service personnel.

Marcene Matthies Presented Program At Goal Diggers

Marcene Matthies presented the program "Daily Care for Skin" at the regular meeting of the Goal Diggers Club held Monday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Davidson. Marta Davidson served as hostess.

Camp was discussed and plans were made for a souping slumber party to be held Friday, January 20.

Refreshments were served to Pam Bedford, Diane Buckner, Marta Davidson, Virginia Foster, Jaye Henley, Lynnann Kruse, Marcene Matthies, Jere Merck, Cecile Nitsch, Margaret Stoeker, Eugenia Voss, Carolyn Craddock and the sponsors, Mrs. S. B. Parks and Mrs. Walker Tatum.

The meeting was closed with the club benediction.

County Home Demonstration Council Hears Year-End Reports Friday, Jan. 13

Mrs. M. R. Petrie, chairman, presided for the Runnels County Home Demonstration Council meeting held Friday afternoon. Ten clubs were represented with 24 members and Miss Chenoweth present for the first meeting of the new year.

Mrs. Petrie read "The Year Ahead," and Mrs. Neuman Smith read the Homemakers Creed and the Club Women's Prayer. In order that the old and new members might become better acquainted, each member was asked to stand, give her name, club affiliation and position.

Mrs. Clyde Simmons called the roll and read the minutes. She also read the Standing Rules for the County Home Demonstration Council, which were approved as read. Mrs. J. L. Oihausen gave the treasurer's report and council committee chairmen read their recommendations.

Club presidents' reports showed that all clubs are organized for the year's work and are studying ways of making their club better. Committees have been appointed, year books filled and the constitution and by-laws reviewed.

All clubs are taking an active part in community life, feeding the Lions Clubs and helping with stock shows. The Winters club takes special interest in its elderly citizens by providing transportation to church, drives and parties. They also provide gifts on special days.

The Open Club has collected 225 pounds of used clothing for a relief agency and food for two needy families. Several members of this club are studying the Spanish language. The Friendly Neighbors Club has planned a family night party for Feb. 14.

All clubs have sent gifts to the State Hospital in Abilene and to their adopted patients at various hospitals and schools in the state.

Five new members and 25 guests have been reported since the last council meeting.

Miss Chenoweth discussed the three main responsibilities of the HD Council, the duties of club officers, the correct way to conduct a ballot and to break a tie vote. She explained the number of voting members required to constitute a quorum.

A planning meeting will be held in San Saba Feb. 6. Mrs. Petrie, Mrs. Glenn Eager, Mrs. Tom Egan and Miss Chenoweth will attend the meeting and Mrs. Egan will speak on "Religion and Mental Health."

Drapery workshops will be held Jan. 20 at 10 a. m. in Winters and Jan. 31, in Ballinger. Leader training on setting out shrubs and roses will be held January 30 at 2 p. m. in the conference room at the courthouse.

Mrs. Glen Eager, County THDA chairman announced that the District THDA meeting would be held April 15 in Coleman and the state THDA meeting will be held in San Angelo August 9-10.

AT UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

Johnny Pope, son of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Pope, is among 25 University of Texas pharmacy students who are completing the first year of the new Pharmacy Fellows program. Students named to the program for scholastic achievement have served during the year as advisors to pre-pharmacy students.



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State Capital Highlights

Texas' 57th Legislature Faces Old Question: Where Do We Get Money?

By VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

Texas' 57th Legislature began on a note that's likely to continue for some time — difficulty over money.

Many House members felt their colleagues had made an awkward start in an awkward situation when they voted themselves salary raises as the first item of business. House voted 97 to 45 to put into effect the \$4,800 a year legislative salaries made possible when the people approved a constitutional amendment last November.

Objectors were quick to point out that (1) the state general revenue fund was at that moment \$85,249,951 in the red and (2) many lawmakers campaigned on an "economy in government" platform.

Rep. Raymond Bartram of New Braunfels said he felt the people would rather legislators take care of teacher salary raises and medical assistance for the aged before spending extra money on themselves.

H. B. 1, the legislative salary and expense bill, would divert some \$2,600,000 from the cigarette tax and drivers license funds. Money had to be "found," since the general revenue fund, as fast as it comes in, has to be used to pay the state's "hot checks."

Down the road are even more fireworks as the legislature searches for \$200,000,000-plus to take care of the wants of other state agencies and services.

TURMAN SPEAKER

Farmers and teachers have one of their own in one of the most important of state offices.

Rep. James Turman of Gober was elected Speaker of the House by a vote of 83 to 66. Rep. Wade Spilman of McAllen, whose support was largely from conservative House members, was the losing candidate.

Turman and his family operate a 103-acre farm in Fannin County. He is a former grade school teacher and worked his way to a doctor of philosophy degree in education. For a time he was assistant to the president of Texas Women's University at Denton.

As Speaker, Turman's first big job is appointing House committees, due to go into action about January 23. By his selections, he can influence to a considerable degree how certain legislation will be handled.

TOR ROBERTS HONORED

Ray Roberts of McKinney is that pro tempore of the Senate in the present session. His job, largely honorary, is to preside over the Senate in the absence of the lieutenant governor. He is second in line of succession to the governorship. By tradition, during each president's term, the governor and

lieutenant governor leave the state so the senate president can serve as "governor for a day." Senator Roberts, a World War II Naval hero, is a farmer and realtor.

GRIST FOR THE MILL

Texas Legislative Council, an influential joint House - Senate study group, will offer a mass of proposals for new legislation.

Among recommendations:

1. Some streamlining, but not a wholesale re-writing of the state constitution. This will be a disappointment to groups working for steps toward a new constitutional convention.

2. Limitations on the annexation powers of cities and towns.

3. Increased facilities for juvenile guidance and care, including a home for dependent Negro children, facilities for mentally ill juveniles and regional training centers for delinquent youths.

4. Higher minimum coverage requirements for automobile insurance. Present minimum is \$5,000. A raise to \$10,000 or \$20,000 was suggested.

Another study group a special Senate committee, recommends removal of some of the restrictions on investment of the permanent school fund. It suggests investments in corporate securities and real estate mortgages, guaranteed by the federal government.

COLLEGE BID REJECTED

Commission on Higher Education does not favor making Del Mar College in Corpus Christi a senior college.

Commission has agreed to study requests for senior college status and state support for Pan American College at Edinburg and San Angelo College.

On Del Mar, the Commission will make its negative recommendation to the Legislature which will have the final say. In the past, the Legislature has approved more such requests than the commission.

NEW STATE BUILDING

Contracts have been awarded for construction of a second new State Office Building just north of the Capitol.

It will be a four-story granite building with 147,205 square feet. Cost is to be \$2,076,102. It will be known as State Office Building No. 2 and will house the Game and Fish Commission, State Board of Plumbing Examiners and some other agencies now scattered over Austin.

This is one of six buildings in the current program to create a unified government center, clustered around the State Capitol. Already in use are State Office Building No. 1, the State Courts Building and the Texas Employment Commission Building. Archives Building is to be finished soon, and a new Insurance Building is due to start this year.

Girl Scout News

Brownie Troop 5 met Thursday afternoon at the Scout Hut for their first meeting in 1961. The girls brought "dress-up" clothes and dolls from home. As roll was called, each girl modeled her costume.

Nibbles were served by Lynanne Hill and the rest of the afternoon was spent in free play and outdoor games.

Brownies present were Shirley Allen, Kei Bedford, Kaye Graham, Christine Cathey, Becky Gilbert, Margaret Hernandez, Lynanne Hill, Sherrie Loyd, Linda Talley, Roxie Redman, Opal Waldrop, Marla Weems and Melinda Wilson.

Brownie Troop No. 1 met Wednesday afternoon at the Presbyterian Church. The group studied Girl Scout laws and promises.

Eileen Faubion served nibbles to Glenda Cooper, Kilah Graves, Sheliah Kraatz, Myrlee Minzenmayer, Cynthia Pinkerton, Kay Lynn Rives, Sally Simpson, Babs Tatum, Mary Lou Wilkerson, Sandra Crockett, Mary Fairey, Eileen Faubion, Jean Mostad, Mrs. Pauline Kraatz, Mrs. Lenora Wilkerson and Joe Wilkerson, a visitor.

Singing To Be Held At Pentecostal Church

Pentecostal Church of God, 218 North Melwood, will begin their regular singings Saturday night at 7:30.

These singings will be held each Saturday night and the public is cordially invited to attend.

IN LONDON HOME

Bobbie Altman of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry London.

Lincoln wrote in a clipped and stripped simplicity.



WRONG WAY (top) and the right way (lower) to mark Texas boats with registration numbers is pointed out by Bob Townsley, Director of the Texas Highway Department's Motor Vehicle Division.

Motorists Urged To Secure 1961 Vehicle Stickers

The director of the Texas Department of Public Safety has urged motorists to secure their 1961 vehicle inspection stickers "before the time gets short and the lines get long."

Col. Homer Garrison Jr. said approximately half of the inspection period has expired and only about one-third of the vehicles in the state have been inspected. Unless the number of inspections is increased appreciably soon, he added, long waiting lines will be forming at inspection stations when the April 15 deadline approaches.

Top number, white, gives poor contrast with the light hull. The bottom number, contrasting sharply with the dark background, has good visibility.

A leisurely dinner at home with someone you love, easily prepared by your loved one, is something fondly to remember.

Live music, even from a hotel lounge, is more entertaining than recorded numbers by the best bands.

When you've borrowed from the loan company to pay the bills you would like to pay (as they say on radio) to whom do you turn when you'd like to pay the personal loan company?

specification of Texas registered vehicles without delay if owners will not wait until just a few days before the deadline," he said.

Garrison called attention to the fact that since the beginning of the inspection program, vehicles having a defect that was a causative factor in fatal accidents decreased from 13 percent to five percent.

"The purpose of the motor vehicle inspection program is to discover any maladjustment which might become a link in a cycle of events leading to an accident and by removing the link, prevent the accident," he pointed out.

IN HANTSCH HOME

Bernhard Hackfeld of Loraine spent several days in the home of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Hantsche. Mrs. and Mrs. Ted Hantsche Jr. and DeAnna of Pampa also visited their parents Thursday and Friday. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hantsche Sr. went to Roscoe to visit relatives.

If you live along the fortieth parallel you'll prosper, because at this latitude you are Nature's god-child.

In Paris or New York, I think a visiting woman would rather shop than eat.

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Home Town Talk
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has been no increase. Internal revenue included a little yellowing slip, Document 5293, Employer's Quarterly Tax 941 mailed in December. The yellow slip told employers (four or more) that there had been an increase in their federal payroll tax from 3 percent to 3.1 percent for the year. It also told the employers of changes in social security. A whole lot of taxpayers that the social security tax had been changed so they asked National Revenue for a new Circular E is the Employer's Guide which contains tabling social security and withholding rates. Of course, there new Circular E.

Dobbins--

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Farmers today account for 9 percent of the U. S. population, Dobbins pointed out, "a fact which means, in more than one form, that he does not account for 91 percent." Such a fact makes it clear that if current vocative attacks against him for today's progress on the front, mechanization, the improvement, standard of efficiency of production and continued production of American food and fibre will be replaced by a ruinous retreat, he said.

FROM LOCKNEY

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Williams, son, Kenneth Wayne of Lockney were overnight visitors in the G. E. Shuffield home.

Use Enterprise Classified



Yul Brynner heads a group of gunfighters who have been called in to help a small Mexican village fight off marauders. "The Magnificent Seven," a United Artists release in DeLuxe color and Panavision, will open Sunday and Monday at the State Theatre.



Pretty Juli Reding takes a bubble bath in American International's "Why Must I Die?" the true story of a girl on death row. "Why Must I Die?" stars Terry Moore and Debra Paget and is currently showing at the State Theatre.

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