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## Hospitals Are Giving Service Of Higher Type

Nobody likes to be sick—agreed. So when you get a hospital bill, it stands for something you didn't want in the first place. Just the same, it's no longer necessary to prove to most people that a hospital is a pretty good place to be when a man's sick and is a "feller who needs a friend."

Hospital bills have been compared to hotel bills. Like a hotel, the hospital offers twenty-four hour service in some departments; room service for meals, planned and prepared according to the doctor's orders; laundry service for bed linen, changed once a day or oftener if needed; and maid service.

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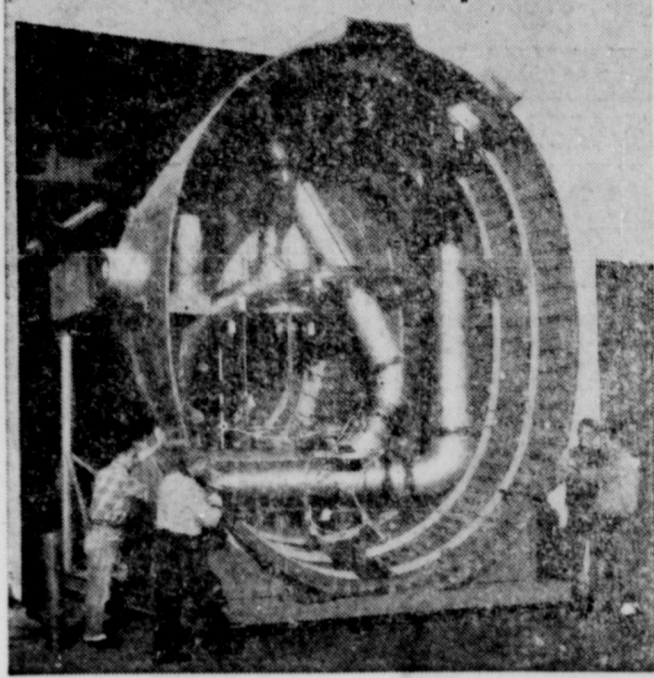
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more easily and quickly accomplished. Examples are a two-way communication system between the nurse's station and the patient's bedside and beds which can be lowered or raised merely by pushing a button.

## Average Adult Eats 8 Times His Weight

The average American adult eats his weight in food every six to eight weeks. But, warns P. O. Davis, director of the Alabama Extension Service, many people are eating improper foods in the wrong amounts.

"Poor diets do not always show themselves through tooth decay, anemia, rickets, pellagra, or other deficiency diseases," writes Mr. Davis in April Farm and Ranch. "There are some 'hidden' signs of poor eating. A person with low energy, constant fatigue, digestive upsets, aches and pains may drag on day after day without realizing that wholesome breakfasts, lunches, and dinners would make him feel like really living."

Seven basic rules to guide in supplying the body's food needs, recommended by Mary Hulsey, specialist in foods and nutrition for the Alabama Extension Service, are:

- (1) Milk: one quart a day per child and one pint a day per adult.
- (2) Leafy, green and yellow vegetables (such as turnip greens, mustard, kale, collaris, cabbage, green beans, asparagus, carrots, squash, rutabagas, yellow corn); one serving of at least one daily.

- (3) Tomatoes, oranges or grapefruit, raw cabbage; one serving of one daily.
- (4) Potatoes, other vegetables not listed above, fruits; two servings of one or two daily.

- (5) Meat, poultry, fish, eggs; one or two servings daily. (Dried beans and peas may be substituted at times for either of these).

- (6) Bread and whole grain cereals: Some each day.

- (7) Butter or margarine: Some each day.

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## J. E. HICKMAN, THREE OTHERS BE HONORED AT GEORGETOWN

Three Texans and one Chicagoan will receive honorary degrees from Southwestern university at the 113th commencement exercises May 25 in the Lois Perkins chapel on the campus.

The Doctor of Divinity will be conferred upon the Rev. Mr. W. V. Bane, superintendent of the Georgetown District of the Methodist Church, and the Rev. Mr. Marvin S. Vance, pastor of First Methodist church, Austin.

Judge John Edward Hickman, Justice of Supreme Court of Texas, will receive the Doctor of Laws and Walter P. Paepeke, Chicago, Ill., the Doctor of Humane Letters.

From circuit to district superintendent is the ministerial history of the Rev. Mr. Bane who, as a Methodist minister, served various charges including Thornton, Barry Circuit, Frost, Wortham, Kileen and Breckenridge before coming to Georgetown as superintendent of the Georgetown district.

The Rev. Mr. Bane received the Bachelor of Science degree from Stephen F. Austin State College

and the Master of Arts and Bachelor of Divinity degrees.

The Rev. Mr. Marvin S. Vance, is now in his fourth year as pastor of the First Methodist church, in Austin. Under his leadership the church has just completed and furnished a spacious three-story religious education building.

Prior to his going to Austin, Mr. Vance served appointments in Epworth, Houston, Greggton, Pasadena, Bay City and Jacksonville. In the Southwest Texas Conference he is a member of the Austin District Ministerial Licensing committee and the Conference Board of Evangelism.

Judge Hickman was elected Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, Eastland and later became Chief Justice, first by appointment and then by election.

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He became the judge of the Commission Appeals of the State of Texas in 1935, serving as presiding judge. By constitutional amendment in 1945, he rose to Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas. He was elected for a six-year term in 1948.

In 1952 Judge Hickman was president of the National Council of Chief Justices. He has consistently maintained a keen interest in legal and civic affairs. Since 1921 he has been a trustee of Southern Methodist university. He is a trustee of the Southwestern Legal Foundation, member of the State Bar of Texas, American Bar Association, Phi Alpha Delta, and Delta Chi. He is a Democrat and a Mason.

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By Michael O'Malley and Ralph L...

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By V. T. Hamlin

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Social Calendar

April 1st—Kid Day at High School.
April 1—Music Study Club, Woman's Club, 3:30 p.m. Mrs. Art Johnson, leader.
April 1st—Red Cross Blood Mobile Unit, 12 to 6 p.m. Basement of First Baptist Church.
April 1st—Free Blood Typing Program, 12 to 6 p.m. Eastland Memorial Hospital.

April 2—Thursday Afternoon Study Club, Woman's Club, 3:00 p.m., Mrs. Iral Inzer, leader.
April 2nd—American Legion, 7:30 p.m. Freddie L. Bleck, com.

April 4th—Literary Interscholastic League Tournament. EHS at Gorman, High School 9 a.m.—4 p.m.

April 6th—Christian Woman's Fellowship. Mrs. Eugene Day, leader.
Las Leales Club. Woman's Club 7:30 p.m. Miss Jesse Lee Ligon, chrmn.

April 8th—Civic League and Garden Club, Woman's Club, 3:00 p.m.
Fine Arts and Hobby Show. Mrs. Art Johnson, chrmn.
Mr. and Mrs. Breese Westmoreland, guest artists.

April 9th—Alpha Delphi, Woman's Club, 3:00 p.m. Mrs. D. J. Fiensy, leader.

April 11th-12th—Eastland County Singing Convention. Rev. W. E. Hallenbeck Chrmn for Arrangements.

April 13th—Exemplar-Beta Sigma Phi, 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Lejeune Horton, hostess.
First Christian Combined Circle Meeting. Mrs. James Watson Pres.

April 14th—Zeta Pi-Beta Sigma Phi-Marene Johnson Johnson Hostess.
April 14th—Home Maker Class Social Supper, 7 p.m. Mrs. O. L. Hooper, 506 S. Daugherty, hostess.

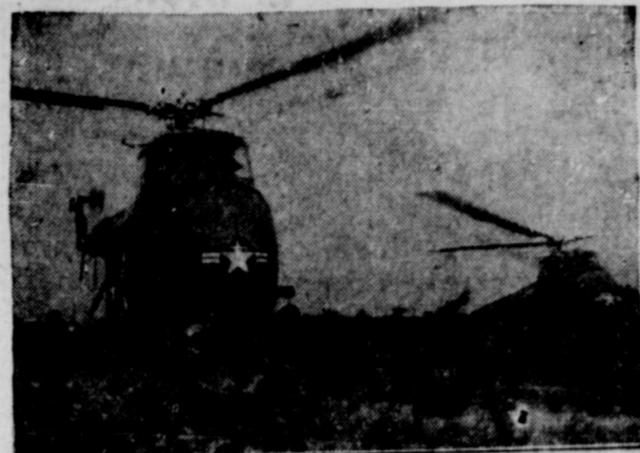
April 15th—Music Study Club, Woman's Club, 3:30 p.m. Dragoo Studio. Mrs. F. L. Dragoo chairman.

April 16th—American Legion, 7:30 p.m. Freddie L. Bleck, Com.
April 16th—Thursday Afternoon Study Club, Woman's Club 3:00 p.m. Mrs. E. R. Townsend, leader.

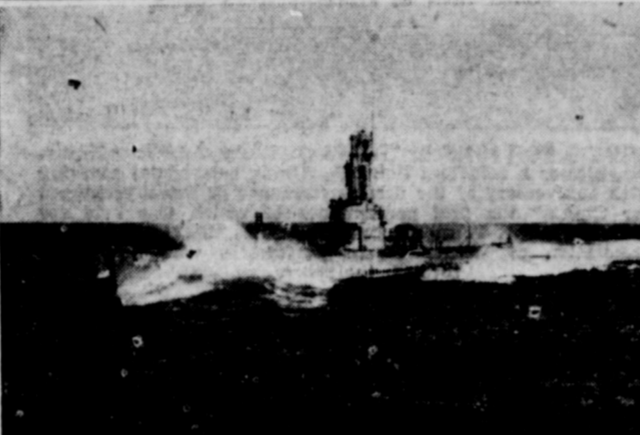
April 17th—Father Son Banquet-First Methodist Fellowship Hall.
April 20th—Las Leales Club. Woman's Club, 7:30 p.m. Mrs. W. Q. Verner, leader.

April 23rd—Alpha Delphi Club, Woman's Club, 3:30 p.m., Mrs. J. A. Doyle hostess.

April 25th—Beta Sigma Phi, Home Coming, Mrs. Bill Collings, Chrmn. Banquet Hotel Connellee Roof, 7:30 p.m.
April 27th—Beta Sigma Phi, Exemplars, Mrs. W. W. Walters,



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TAKES TAYLOR'S JOB—Lt. Gen. Anthony J. McAuliffe, above, has been named Deputy Chief of Staff for Operation and Administration of the Army. He succeeds Lt. Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, now Eighth Army commander in Korea.

Uruguay won its independence from Spain in the early 1800s.

April 28th—Zeta Pi's-Beta Sigma Phi-Mrs. Truman Brown hostess.

South Ward PTA. Mother and Daughter Banquet, First Methodist Fellowship Hall, 7:30 p.m.

THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT U.S. DRAFT LAW

Any young married man registered with a draft board had better be on the alert about any expected additions to his family. If his wife is expecting their first child, it is to his interest to tell the board about it immediately.
As long as he has only a wife to support, he's as eligible for a hitch in the Army as a single man. When he has a child in his family, or one has been conceived and not as yet born, the law provides for his deferment, provided he tells the board about it before he is ordered for induction.
Draft regulations require that a man with an unborn child be deferred if he files with his board,

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parents wonder...
Neither does the state headquarters or the national headquarters have authority to interfere with his induction under such circumstances. Draft regula-

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Advertisement for Wilson Feed and Seed. Features 'THE MOLLY MEATMAKER Live Rabbit DEMONSTRATION See The Litter of 15 Live Rabbits at Wilson Feed and Seed' and 'RAISE DOMESTIC RABBITS IN YOUR OWN BACK YARD FOR ECONOMICAL MEAT'. Includes an illustration of a rabbit hutch.

Advertisement for Cisco Appliance Co. featuring 'BACKACHE?' and 'For MONUMENTS Of Distinction call MRS. ED AYCOCK'.

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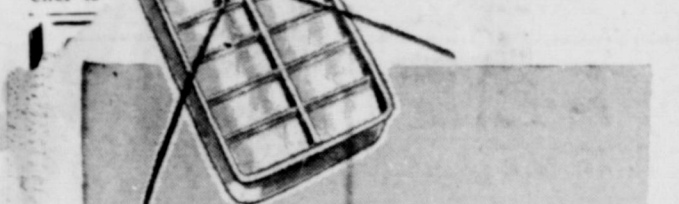
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## Hospitals Are Giving Service Of Higher Type

Nobody likes to be blind—Clear-image lenses, developed by Dr. William Feinbloom, standing, and Dr. J. H. Dick, manager of the newspaper. The lenses are said to open new eyes to most people that the lenses could benefit at a hospital is a pretty good thing in the United States alone, when a man's sick and who needs a friend.

Hospital bills have increased to hotel bills. Little hospital offers two service for meal prepared according to orders; linen, chamberlain if



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## Careless Use Of Medicine Scored By Cox

The careless or unformed use of medicines cause much serious illness and even many deaths in Texas every year, Dr. Geo. W. Cox State Health Officer, said today in a statement urging the public to use caution in self medication.

"It is never safe to take medicine in the dark," Dr. Cox warned. "Always read the label carefully to make sure the aspirin you expect to take is not a bichloride of mercury tablet or some other poison. As a matter of fact, poisons and medicines containing poisons should be kept together, well out of reach of children and marked in some distinctive manner. Another thing to remember is that medicines should always be taken exactly as directed by a doctor because many beneficial medicines can do untold harm if taken too frequently or in too large quantities. It is well to stop and think that you may be taking your own life in your hands when you take medicine casually."

The State Health Officer also warned of the danger in the inclination of many persons untrained to diagnose and treat their own ills. Such persons are apt to guess wrong he asserted, and while they may not take medicine that is actually harmful, they are nevertheless postponing an accurate diagnosis and the resulting proper treatment that could help their illness.

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## Gas Tax Needed, Opinion Given By 5 Legislators

Threat of a general sales tax levy in Texas makes it all the more imperative that the 53rd Legislature pass a tax on natural gas going into pipelines, five legislators who are sponsoring gas pipeline tax bills declared today.

Two-thirds of a gas pipeline tax would be paid by people and businesses outside of Texas, while a sales tax would be paid almost entirely by people living in Texas, the statement of Representatives Dolph Briscoe of Uvalde, George

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# ORDER AND NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION

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CITY OF EASTLAND  
ELECTION ORDER

I, Jack Muirhead, Chairman of the Board of City Commissioners of the City of Eastland, Texas, by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the City of Eastland, on April 7, 1953, being the first Tuesday thereof, for the purpose of electing the following officers of said city:

Three Commissioners to succeed Jack Muirhead, Pearson Grimes and Dave Fiensy, whose term of office expires at that time;

and that said election shall be held at the City Hall, in said city, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers thereof, to-wit:

Herman Hassell, Judge  
Mrs. Russell Hill, Clerk  
Mrs. Maud Braly, Clerk

The Chief of Police is hereby directed and instructed to post a properly executed copy of this order and notice of election at the City Hall, the place where this election will be held. Said notice shall be posted thirty days before the date of said election.

Signed and executed this the twelfth day of January, 1953.

Jack Muirhead  
Chairman, Board of City Commissioners.  
ATTEST:  
I. C. Heck, City Secretary  
(SEAL)

education for the school children of the state.

"Texas needs an adequate and continuing water conservation program."

These needs can all be met by the levy of a tax on pipeline gas of about two cents per thousand cubic feet, raising about \$60,000,000 a year, the legislators declared.

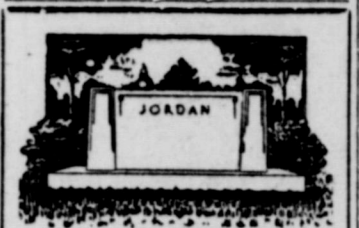
"Two thirds of that tax would automatically be passed on to the users of Texas gas in other states — but Texans would enjoy the benefits through better highways, better streets, better education, and better water conservation," they said.

Exports of natural gas from Texas have climbed 900 per cent in the last 12 years, the lawmakers pointed out.

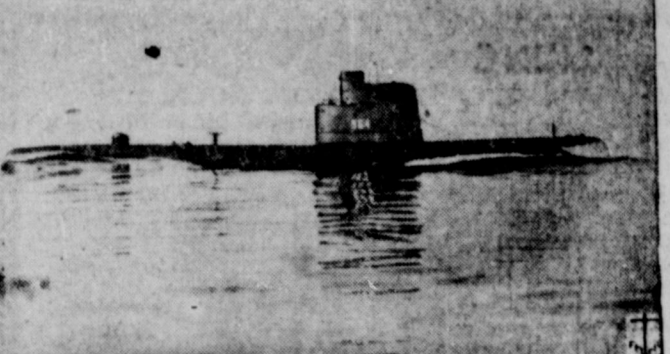
"In 1940, only about 19 billion cubic feet of gas was leaving the state each month. Today, only a dozen years later, Texas Railroad Commission reports show that 180 billion cubic feet a month are leaving the state to provide fuel for home, stores and factories in other states. Texas use of its own gas, in the same period, has increased only about 350 per cent, from about 81 billion cubic feet a month to 107 billion cubic feet a month."

The gas tax bill sponsors urged the people of Texas to make their wishes known by informing members of the legislature of their wishes as to a tax on natural gas pipelines to provide the revenue for necessary services.

Americans are now buying canned meats at the rate of one and a half billion pounds annually.



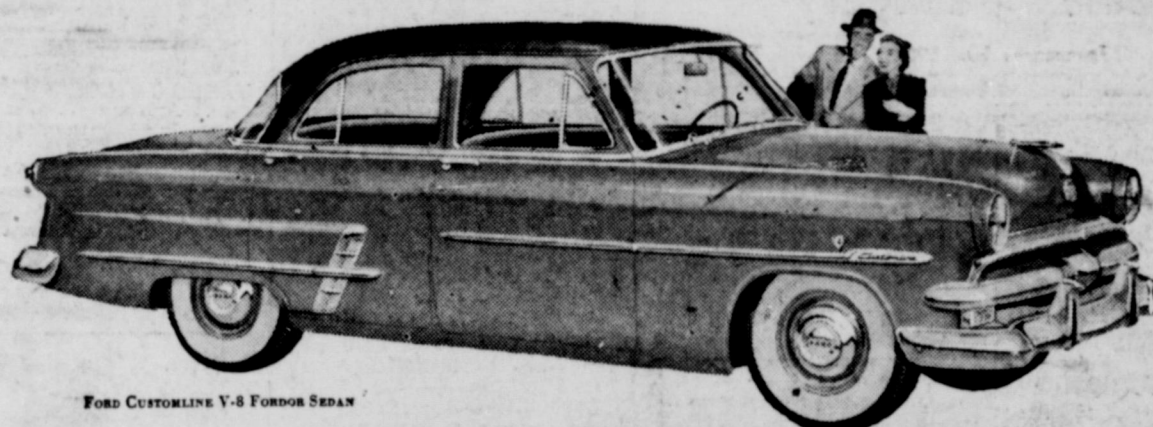
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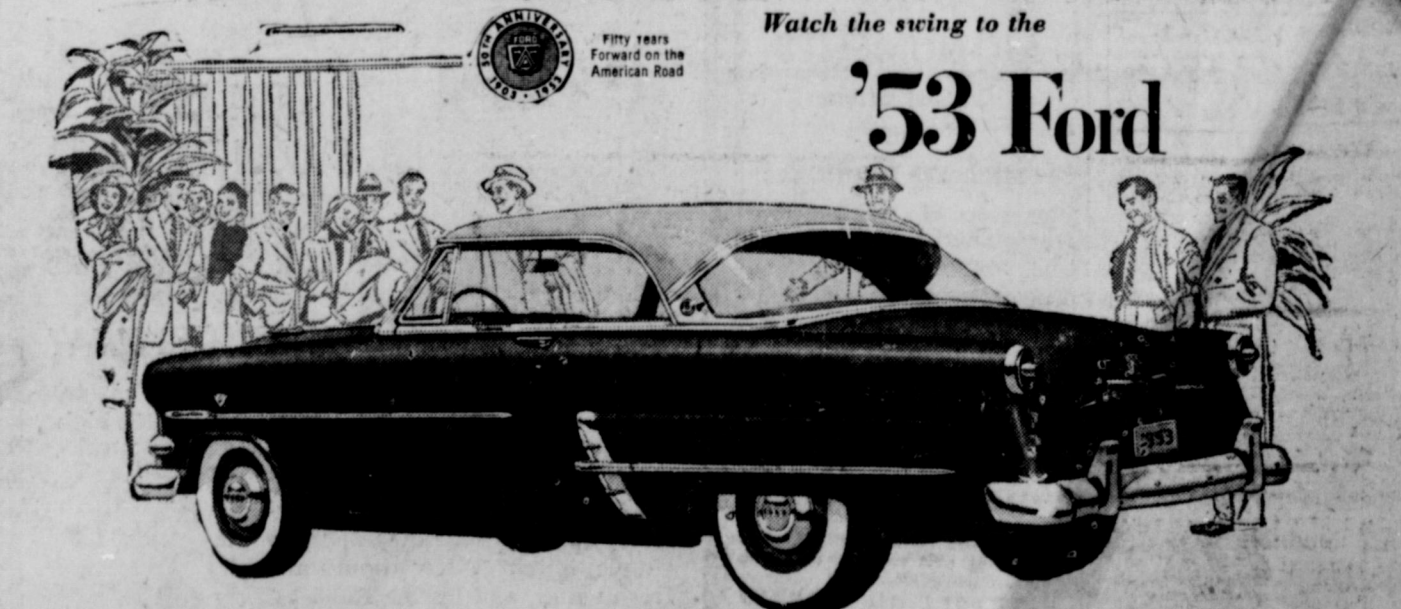
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### LAWS IN THE MAKING

By John Wood, Assis't Sgt. at Arms, Texas Senate

At the present time our Texas Legislature is involved in introducing, discussing, passing and rejecting laws which will effect every citizen in this state. As many people are unaware of the nature and extent of these proposed laws, and at the insistence of many friends I made last summer while campaigning for State representative of this district, I would like to bring you a brief report of just what is happening in Austin. I hope that through this you, the people of Eastland, can, and Shackelford County, be somewhat better posted on the laws that may affect you for the next two years. A card, letter, or telegram from me will do much in letting your representative or senator know

how you feel about much of the pending legislation. So often bills are made into laws before the people have a chance to express their ideas and views on them.

The following bills have been introduced only:

S. B. 167—By Sen. Moffett. Making it unlawful to feed garbage to livestock animals, with exceptions.

S. B. 168—By Sen. Wagonseller. Redeposit of funds by teachers who have heretofore withdrawn funds from Teacher Retirement System.

H. B. 429—By Murray. To let Highways Dept. fix highways, speeds on highways within a city.

H. B. 437—By Glusing. Exempting veterans and their families from paying fees and tuitions in Texas colleges.

H. B. 457—By Sandahl. Supervision of manufacturing or compounding of livestock remedies.

The following bills are now reported favorably by committee, but not passed:

S. B. 59—Driving while under the influence of intoxicants.

S. B. 62—Certain requirements of persons arrested for speeding.

S. B. 166—Construction of cattle guards across 1st, 2nd and 3rd class roads in certain counties.

S. B. 81—Authorizing private corporations to drill for oil.

S. B. 129—Label requirements for agricultural and vegetable seed.

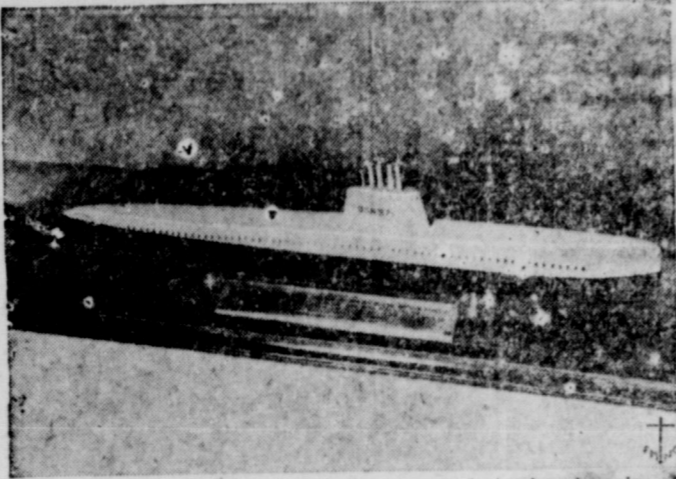
The following bills are not passed and have become laws:

H. B. 1—Admission taxes on places of amusement (non under \$1.00).

S. B. 49—Forfeiture of hunting licenses and loss of hunting privileges.

The following bill has been passed—lacks only the governor's signature:

H. B. 170—Prohibiting public school officials from requiring membership in the Texas State Teachers Assn., as a condition of employment.



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In addition to the above legislation, there is a new bill which would permit small counties to pay a constable's auto expenses. Rep. J. O. Gilham was against this bill and said he believed that the office of constable should be abolished.

The new drunk driving law (by Senator Ashley) would not enable anyone to merely pay a fine, but he would also have to spend at least three days in jail. In addition to his bill is one requiring all persons convicted of drunk driving to be fingerprinted.

The new bill requiring garbage to be cooked before feeding it to livestock is gaining ground.

One new bill introduced in the House would provide free false teeth for all old-age pensioners, to be made by the University of Texas Dental School.

House Bill 1, recently signed by Gov. Shivers does away with taxes on all movie tickets under \$1.00. This may cause the price of movie tickets to go down a little.

Over 1200 service station operators were in Austin last week, supporting a bill which would let them purchase all their gasoline from the wholesalers at a corrected temperature of 60 degrees. The operators say that they lose from 6 to 10 gallons in every 1000 gallons in buying gasoline at hot temperatures and then placing it in cool tanks where it evaporates. As a consequence, they're paying for more gasoline than they actually have on hand to sell. Several

wholesalers were present to speak against the bill, which would also allow the operators to pay taxes on the amount they sell instead of the amount they buy (before evaporation).

Rep. Maverick of San Antonio wants to permit Negro and white professional boxers and wrestlers to compete in Texas through his new bill.

If you favor or dislike any of the above legislation, why not write or wire your representative or senator and let him know how you feel. I will be happy to hear from you regarding any suggestions, criticisms, or ideas which

you might care to make regarding this column and the proposed laws. As I am working for the Senate, as well as going to Law School, I am in a good position to observe what is going on in the Legislature and will be happy to be of any service to the people of this district.

Sincerely,  
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## Woman's Aux. E. M. Hospital

The Auxiliary of the E. M. Hospital met in a meeting at City Church 25th. Mrs. ...

...ment for the blood program at the hospital ... 12 noon to 6 p.m. ...



kins was elected as delegate to the state convention in Austin.

An anniversary silver tea will be held in June at the hospital, specific date to be announced.

Program leader for the day was Mrs. Jos. M. Perkins who presented a film from the American Cancer Society.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shirley arrived in Eastland this week from their home in Shamrock.

# Texas Trends

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Denim and linen are a new fabric duo from Ruth Fair of Dallas. Frosty white fringe and striped denim accent the deep square neckline of this white sheath in Moygashel linen.

## West Ward PTA Fathers Busy Too

The West Ward PTA Fathers are awake and busy helping the mothers re-decorate the West Ward auditorium.

Mr. Maurice Copeland is chairman for a group of the fathers who are to meet at the auditorium April 2nd, Thursday at 6:30 p.m.

While the men gather brushes and ladders and take themselves for a little serious work, the ladies, (Mrs. E. E. Garner is president of PTA) will go along with plenty of good things to eat.

West Ward will have a new Easter look with the new draperies, re-finished stage and the paint will complete a long hard task undertaken by the PTA Mothers.

## The Co-Ed Club Honor The Girls In Senior Play

The Co-Ed Club members honored the girls in the senior play cast with a slumber party Friday night after the play at the home of Miss Betty Robinson.

The seven members of the club—Misses Delores Warden, Sallie Cooper, Jana Weaver, Earline Miller, Patsy Simpson, Mable Grimes and the hostess attended with their guests, Misses Loretta Holdercraft, Frankie McDonald, Gail Parsons, Edith Cox, Marcia Tugzie and Miss Jo Jones of Fort Worth.

Midnight refreshments of cakes, sandwiches and fritoes with cookies and cakes were served to the thirteen girls.

## Dr. Maston Will Speak At First Baptist Supper

Dr. T. B. Maston, professor of Christian Ethics, Southwestern Baptist Seminary will bring the special message on "The Home and the Church" at the monthly supper of the First Baptist Sunday School, April 3rd at 7:00 p.m.

Mr. A. J. Blevins, Jr., superintendent is in charge of arrangements to care for the Sunday School workers and their families and any interested in the home and its opportunities.

Also of special interest will be the singer for the occasion, Mr. Todd Dekle of the seminary and a graduate of Miami University, Fla. Mr. Dekle will bring a special number in song.

Dr. Maston, for several years a teacher in the seminary is an outstanding worker in the field of Home Life and Christian Counseling. He has been used throughout the Southern Baptist Convention on committees concerning home life and race relations, also in the field of labor relations.

## 1952—

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creation of the department in 1935. Col. Homer Garrison Jr., director of the department, announced that traffic deaths for last year totaled 2,498 or 48 below the figure for 1951.

This set a death rate of seven persons per 100,000,000 miles of highway travel. The national average is 7.3 persons.

"This means," said Garrison, "that for the first time Texas fared a little better than the national average."

Total number of accidents was up 31,000 over the preceding year and the estimated economic loss from traffic accidents was set at \$154,000,000, up \$20,000,000 over 1951.

The report shows a two per cent decrease in traffic deaths from 1951 to 1952, against an eight per cent increase in miles traveled on the highways of Texas. This meant a 10 per cent decrease in the traffic death rate.

The department's report for February indicated that the improved record of 1952 was being continued at least during the first

two months of 1952. It was calculated that when all reports for this year up to February 13 are in, there will have been a nine per cent reduction in the traffic death rate over the same period of 1952.

Reports to that date show 322 traffic deaths this year, compared with 380 for the same period last year.

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