

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: clear to partly cloudy through Monday with little temperature change, windy this afternoon. High today 65. Low tonight 32. High tomorrow 68.

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Key Figures In Episcopal Meeting

This group played leading roles in the first annual council of the Episcopal Diocese of Northwest Texas this weekend. Left to right are the Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Boyd of Big Spring, Mrs. Lee Bivins

of Amarillo, Bishop and Mrs. George H. Quarterman of Amarillo, John Reinhardt of New York City, and Mrs. Don Sivalls of Midland.

Challenges Of Growth Placed Before Council

(More news of Episcopal Council on Page 6-A) Repeated calls for extension of the church were heard Saturday by delegates to the first annual council of the Episcopal Diocese of Northwest Texas.

Bishop George H. Quarterman, director of promotion for the National Council, and other leaders called attention to projected growth of this area and to demands on the church that will result.

In the next 10 years, a growth of some 25 per cent is expected in the number of communicants and baptized persons. This will require the construction of 45 additional churches and the securing of 19 additional clergy, the delegates were told.

A budget of \$143,287 to support work in the diocese was adopted by the council Saturday afternoon. Of this sum, more than \$13,000 is earmarked for advance work in the missions field.

While this is only a drop in the bucket, it is a significant step in the right direction," said the Committee on the State of the Church in its annual report.

Registration for the council totaled 319—slightly over the 250 that had been expected. Delegates were on hand from all the missions and parishes of the diocese.

Concluding service of the council, first since the diocese was organized last October, is set for 9 a. m. today in St. Mary's Episcopal Church. The preacher will be the Rt. Rev. Thomas E. Jones, MBE, bishop of the Diocese of Willochra in South Australia.

Bishop Quarterman delivered his annual council address at the opening service Friday evening. Reinhardt was featured speaker at the council dinner Saturday night.

In Saturday's business sessions, the petition of St. Peter's congregation of Amarillo, a parochial mission of St. Andrew's parish,

was received favorably. The group asked to be organized as a diocesan mission and to provide for the support of the ministry in the congregation. The mission already has constructed a residence for its future vicar and is now building a \$45,000 church-mission hall.

Arkansas Loses More Decisions On Integration

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (AP)—Federal jurists dealt Arkansas three setbacks Saturday in the battle against racial integration of local schools.

A three-judge tribunal issued a temporary injunction against transfer of public funds from Little Rock's closed schools and set a May 4 deadline for the state to muster its defense of laws under which Gov. Orval E. Faubus shut the schools against integration.

The court also granted attorneys for the National Assn. for the Advancement of Colored People permission to include in current litigation any new anti-integration laws which the Arkansas General Assembly enacts before it adjourns March 12.

ARGUE FOR DELAY Faubus attorneys argued in vain during a one-hour hearing, that U. S. District Court should delay action until validity of school closing and fund transfer laws have been determined by the State Supreme Court.

The court heeded, instead, NAACP attorney Thurgood Marshall's contention that any delay would result in "irreparable harm" because of the district's continuing loss of state funds.

The injunction was directed against the State Board of Education which, since Faubus closed the schools Sept. 12, has been disbursing funds withheld from the Little Rock district to schools where displaced students have enrolled.

Faubus showed no immediate concern about the temporary injunction. He indicated, however, he would take a different view of a permanent order.

"Temporary injunctions are issued in many cases where the matter has not been finally determined," he said. "However, I think it would be a far-fetched thing if the federal government can tell a state how to use its own money. I don't think it can if there's any regard left for the law."

The court chose not to rule at this time on Marshall's request for an order for immediate opening of the closed schools.

Some 2,700 students were left without classrooms when Faubus closed the schools. All but about 600 have found some other means of continuing their education.

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Wiley, an ex-convict from Odesa, displayed no emotion when the verdict was read. Neither he nor his attorneys made any statement.

Highlight of Friday afternoon's See SENTENCE, Page 6-A, Col. 3

Khrushchy Demands West Troops Leave Berlin

BERLIN (AP)—Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev came to Berlin Saturday night and demanded the withdrawal of Allied troops from this former German capital.

The Kremlin leader spoke at a torchlight rally in East Berlin before a crowd of more than 100,000.

He declared, "Order must be brought to Berlin."

Then he went on to define that order as acceptance of the Soviet proposal to transform West Berlin into a so-called demilitarized free city.

Khrushchev also renewed his demand for the signing of a World War II peace treaty that would give recognition to East Germany as a state.

"We are waiting for an answer—from the Western powers—to our proposals," Khrushchev said. "We hope the answer will be sensible."

Khrushchev came here from the trade fair city of Leipzig, where he spent four days.

A cavalcade of more than 20 black limousines sped Khrushchev and his party to East Berlin along a 140-mile stretch of heavily guarded autobahn. Tom-

mygunners were posted at the highway bridges.

Before leaving Leipzig, Khrushchev warned the West of the perils of a new war and declared the Soviet Union never would permit liquidation of communism in East Germany.

"A new world war," he told 2,000 trade unionists from East and West Germany, "even though it would start in a small way... would end in the fall of capitalism."

The Soviet Premier has accused the West repeatedly on his Leipzig visit of threatening the use of force in settling the most pressing German issue—that of West Berlin.

Khrushchev said he wants to see the two Germanies united, with "all my body and soul," under what the Russians consider the right conditions.

Then he added to furious Communist applause: "I do not want a capitalistic reintegration."

Khrushchev declared a solution of the German problem is of crucial importance because in Germany the world's two mightiest military forces stand face to face.

In a situation like this, Khrushchev said, a small incident could touch off something big. He

obviously meant the explosive Berlin crisis, which flared last Nov. 27 when he declared the Allies should get out of West Berlin and turn it into a free city.

The Russians also said that after six months they would give the East German Communist regime control over Allied military traffic into the isolated city unless talks on the issue are progressing.

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Garden City Man Is Critically Injured

A Garden City man was in "extremely critical" condition at Big Spring Hospital late Saturday night, suffering injuries received in a two-car collision a mile north of Garden City.

Two others were injured but neither seriously.

Charles E. Odstreil, 37, of Garden City was injured by doctors as being in extremely critical condition, suffering from head and chest injuries.

Also hurt in the accident were Alfred Bush, 24, and Clifford Brooks, 39, both of Garden City. Brooks had cuts and scratches and Bush had a fractured ankle. Both were hospitalized.

A River ambulance brought Odstreil and Bush to the hospital, while Brooks came in a private car.

Odstreil was alone in a 1956 Ford and was proceeding south on FM 33 and ran into the rear of a 1949 Oldsmobile driven by Brooks. Bush was riding with him.

Both cars were demolished. Brooks said he and Bush had been working on their car and were having trouble getting it to run. They had driven it out north of Garden City and were returning when the collision occurred. It had stopped several times, but they said they were moving when hit from behind.

The pair are employed by the Cage Bros. and were working on the highway construction job south of Garden City. They had moved to Garden City only last week. Odstreil is an employee of Tidewater Oil Co.

Dr. Baker Named By State Assn.

Dr. Marvin Baker, assistant to the president of Howard County Junior College, Saturday was elected vice president of the Texas Junior College Teachers Assn. at a convention in Fort Worth.

Junior college teachers and administrators ended conferences after selecting Austin as the next meeting site.

Miss Vivian Cobb of Laredo, Tex., was elected president of the teachers group. Mrs. June Martin of Kilgore College was named president of the Texas Junior College Assn.

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HELP CHURCH CENSUS

Please answer your doorbell between 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. today. This is the plea from the Big Spring Pastors Assn., sponsors of a city-wide religious census today. Churches cooperating in the association are taking separate geographical divisions of the city for a door-to-door canvass of the population.

Volunteer workers will use a family census card which asks half a dozen questions. These include the given name as well as family name, age, whether a Christian, church member, church or preference, and whether enrolled in a Sunday School. The card is reproduced below. If you will not be at home during the census hours, or if you for any reason do not wish to be disturbed, please fill out the blank in the paper and leave it in your front screen.

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Reviewing The Big Spring Week

With Joe Pickle "You wouldn't believe," said our friend, "that it could be such a perfect day today when you consider how it was yesterday." Pardon our skepticism, but we might add that it could be so terrible tomorrow like it was yesterday. It's just at that season of the year when spring breaks out all of a sudden, and then the wind tries to blow it out like a candle.

Big Spring has been honored by the presence of delegates and others attending the convocation of the Northwest Texas Episcopal Diocese. Aside from the recharge that comes from all such important gatherings, this one has some historical significance in that it is the first regular session since this became a full-fledged diocese, and that it is the first in the new plant of St. Mary's Episcopal Church.

Religious emphasis is being expressed in a number of ways. For instance, today begins the Catholic mission which continues through Thursday at WAFB. This afternoon representatives from a score of local churches will be conducting a religious census of the city. The Protestant mission at Webb AFB has been scheduled for March 15-18.

In an effort to stay up with demands for transient relief, as well as mounting demands for home See THE WEEK, Page 6-A, Col. 6



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Convicts Seize Officials, But Prison Uprising Fails

WALPOLE, Mass. (AP)—Six convicts bound six state prison officials with electric wire and gasoline and threatened to kill them Saturday in an abortive escape attempt.

The uprising was put down by state police and prison guards after about 2½ hours. The hostages were released and the rebellious prisoners were stripped of their clothing and herded, nude, into maximum security cells. Their clothing was removed to insure against the use of any hidden weapons.

The hostages set free were the prison's warden, John Gavin; the Catholic chaplain, the Rev. Edward F. Harrigan, two deputy wardens and two guards.

When a squad of troopers and prison guards entered the metals work shop they found the hos-

Tough Blonde Tells Off Cops

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP)—A tight-lipped 19-year-old blonde charged with bank robbery refused to talk Saturday.

For two hours FBI agents tried to get answers to their questions from pretty Lida Belle Ingram of Reno, Va.

Her only reply was an occasional muttered "Go to hell."

She is accused of robbing the First National Bank of Nevada of \$1,761 Friday.

A short time later sheriff's deputies pulled her off a Reno-bound bus 45 miles northwest of here and recovered the money from her purse. She kicked and swore as officers dragged her from the bus.

The girl's beauty had been her undoing. The robbed bank teller, Mary Herring, called her "a beautiful champagne blonde, really a knockout." Miss Herring said the girl handed her a note demanding \$8,000 and saying she had a gun.

Officers said papers in her purse indicated she had worked as a teller for the Union Trust Co. in Washington, D.C., and the First National Bank in Alexandria, Va.

Dennis' Parents Facing A Divorce

SALINAS, Calif. (AP)—Mrs. Alice Ketcham filed suit for divorce Friday against Henry (Hank) Ketcham, creator of the comic cartoon, "Dennis the Menace."

Mrs. Ketcham asked custody of their 12-year-old son, Dennis.

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LAST RESORT: PADDLE

'Board Of Education' Is Still Useful In Schools

By DON HENRY
That principal in Memphis, Tenn., who used the "board of education" on a group of rebellious youngsters has plenty of support in Big Spring.

principal stepped in and swung the paddle. Angry parents demanded assault charges against the principal, but a court judge sided with him, saying the paddlings probably did good.

Students in Big Spring schools can expect about the same thing, should they need punishment. That paddle is still handy in local schools, and it is used, according to junior and senior high principals.

Baptists Planning Camp Development

Bids will be asked April 3 for construction of a water and sewer system for the Baptist District No. 8 encampment in Martin County.

has been long term financing since the bond plan did not yield sufficient finances. The Rev. Selcraig said other long term finance arrangements appeared probable.

4-H Members To Exhibit 30 Lambs In Show At Angelo

Howard County 4-H clubs are taking 30 lambs for competition in the San Angelo Livestock Show, Jimmy Taylor, county agent, said Saturday.

Taylor said that Bill Sims, assistant county agent, will accompany the boys and girls to the show on Tuesday. Taylor will probably go to the show on Thursday.

Conference On Pending Cases Set By Judge

Judge Ed Carpenter voiced the hope Saturday that attorneys of Big Spring will cooperate with him in his proposed conference on March 11 relative to ways and means of disposing of some of the many civil cases now pending in Howard County Court.

Carpenter has invited all lawyers in Big Spring to a meeting on that date at which time he proposes to go over the docket case by case.

Talent Show Is Set At Lamesa

LAMESA — The annual talent show sponsored by the Dawson County Farm Bureau will be held at 7:30 p. m. March 19 in the Lamesa Junior High School auditorium.

Under the rules for the talent contest, there will be three divisions of competition, and first and second place awards will be made in the three groups.

Injured In Fall

LONDON (AP)—Lord Beaverbrook, 79, newspaper magnate, was reported in good condition Saturday despite a painful fall aboard the liner Queen Elizabeth.



Texas, Alaska Still Friends

Junior Miss contest entrant from Nome, Alaska, Diane Elanor Lee, (right), gives a big hug to her competitor from Texas, Juanita Harley of Corpus Christi, to patch things up for stealing the Lone Star's thunder, size-wise. Miss Harley is trying on a stylish fur parka. They were among senior high school girls representing thirty-six states in competition at Mobile, Ala., for title of America's Junior Miss. (AP Wirephoto)

Coahoma's Volunteer Firemen Hope To Recruit New Members

COAHOMA (SC)—Coahoma Volunteer Fire Department has scheduled a regular meeting of the members for March 19 at the city hall.

play in the well being of the community. At a recent meeting of the group, Lester Wilbanks, an inspector from Webb Air Force Base, was a guest speaker.

This town depends wholly on its volunteer firemen for protection in the event of fire. There are no paid firemen. The 21 members of the volunteer unit provide the protection when a fire break out.

The department is proud of its effective alarm system. This works through the city telephone system. When a fire breaks out, whoever sees it dials 3591.

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EVERY AGE HAS ITS PROBLEMS

Not so many years ago, old age presented few problems because the average person did not live very long. There were few ailments, but usually forty was considered aged.

Two Brucellosis Conferences Slated

Two important meetings, designed to broaden understanding on a proposed to have Howard County designated as a brucellosis control county, are on tap this week.

Taylor said there is no brucellosis in Howard County at this time but that it has been established the disease is a potential threat to the livestock industry at all times.

First of the meetings will be at the Gay Hill school at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday. The second will be at the County Court room at 7:30 p. m. Thursday.

Brucellosis is known commonly as Bangs Disease. It depletes herds by destroying the reproductive capacities of cows. It is the source of the debilitating illness which infects human beings known as undulant fever.

Under this plan 75 per cent of all the ranchers and stockmen in a county must join in a petition if the program is set up in that county. The 75 per cent figure is ascertained by a check of the tax rolls and all cattle owners in the county determined. This check has already been made in Howard County.

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Gets 12 Years For Slaying Brother

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SUNDAYS 3:00 P.M. KEDY-TV Channel 4

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# Larez Trial Scheduled For Monday

Robert Larez, 20, charged with murder with malice, faces trial Monday in 118th District Court. A special venire of 90 has been notified to report to Judge Charlie Sullivan at 10 a.m. for duty in the case.

## Mrs. Riggins' Rites Set Today

Funeral services are to be held in the Church of the Nazarene at 3 p.m. today for Mrs. Virgie Mae Riggins, 54, who died at her home, 1406 Birdwell, Friday.

The Rev. W. M. Borrough, pastor of the church, will officiate. Interment will be in Trinity Memorial Park, Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

Mrs. Riggins was born Aug. 18, 1904, in Clarksville. She married Ivan B. Riggins. The family moved to Knott from Seymour in 1950, and moved to Big Spring in 1950.

Mrs. Riggins is survived by her husband, eight daughters, Mrs. Virginia Gray, Mrs. Aubrey Weatherby, Mrs. Janelle Pedigo and Barbara Jean, Betty Jean and Colleen Riggins, all of Big Spring, Mrs. Lucille Dooley of Lubbock, and Mrs. Zula Chappell of Torrance, Calif.; two sons, Bea and James Riggins of Big Spring; five sisters, Mrs. Zelma Howland of Rockwall, Mrs. Lorene Davis of Olney, Mrs. Evie Hale of Meagregle, Mrs. Nora Babb of Wheeler and Mrs. Irene Spencer of Clarksville; two brothers, Clifton Tucker of Ammona and Lonnie Tucker of Bogota; and 11 grandchildren.

## Labor Plans Big Demonstration

WASHINGTON (AP) — The AFL-CIO has scheduled a big mass demonstration on unemployment for April 8 in the biggest hall in the national capital.

The rally will be in the National Guard Armory, which has a capacity of 5,000. The union said thousands of unemployed workers will join in demanding more administration and congressional action to aid them.

## COL. RIDDLE TO SPEAK

# Large Turnout Expected For Martin County C-C Banquet

STANTON (SC) — Officials are anticipating a large attendance Monday evening when Col. Kyle L. Riddle, commanding officer of Webb AFB, addresses the annual banquet of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce.

The program is set for 7:30 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. Cecil Bridges, chairman of the speaker's committee, said that Martin Countians are anxious to hear Col. Riddle because many Air Force people reside in Stanton. Moreover, he is a native of this general region, having been reared at Decatur and graduated from Texas A&M College.

Col. Riddle will be introduced by Finley O. Rhodes, retiring president. Connie Mack Hood, a past

was shot to death on N. Gregg St. on the afternoon of Dec. 28. The defendant has been held in the Howard County jail since the date of the killing.

Gil Jones, district attorney, was busy at his office on Saturday making preparations for the trial. He has been in Lubbock for several days last week as a witness in the murder trial of Roosevelt Wiley.

Larez, who is the son of Alfredo Larez, one of three persons killed in a gun fight in a North Side tavern last Oct. 4, is accused of meeting Villa, 22, on the street in front of Alexander's Grocery on the afternoon of Dec. 28. Larez is alleged to have drawn two automatic pistols and emptied their charges into the body of Villa.

He was arrested a hour or so later in Colorado City. Villa was one of the principals in the gun fight in the tavern in which Alfredo Larez was slain. He was not indicted by the grand jury for the slaying.

On the same afternoon, Poncho Rodriguez, who had been with Villa in the tavern during the Oct. 4 shooting, allegedly followed up the slaying of his buddy by firing a shot into the residence of the Larez family. The bullet narrowly missed Jose Louis Larez, 18, brother of Robert.

Rodriguez was indicted for the incident. He was scheduled for trial on Feb. 16 but on the night of Feb. 15, Louis Larez, state star witness, and his grandmother, Mrs. Flora Larez, another witness, perished in a car collision west of Big Spring. Trial of Rodriguez was continued for the term.

John Richard Coffee, former county attorney has been retained as defense lawyer for Larez. Selection of a jury will start at 10 a.m. Whether difficulty will arise in filling the jury box remains to be seen. The slaying of Villa, by virtue of its spectacular nature, was given extensive publicity at the time and created much comment.

Most of the witnesses on both sides are likely to be Latin Americans. As far as is known, only one Anglo American couple saw the slaying of Villa. They were driving on Gregg street at the moment the shooting developed.

## Moscow Is Busy

MOSCOW (AP) — Muscovites jammed stores Saturday buying gifts for wives, mothers and sweethearts. Sunday is International Women's Day. Candy, perfume, flower and women's wear stores did a booming business.



Sophie And Jayne

Two bosomy stars of two entertainment eras, Sophie Tucker, left, and Jayne Mansfield, meet at the annual awards dinner of the Hollywood Foreign Press Assn., at Hollywood, Calif. They were among dozens of stars who turned out to watch presentation of awards for outstanding film performances. (AP Wirephoto)

# Easter Seal Drive Has Goal Of \$2,250

Within the next three weeks the Howard County Society for Crippled Children and Adults hopes that the public will open its heart generously.

The occasion is the annual Easter Seal campaign with a minimum objective of \$2,250. Last year the local organization invested virtually that amount in some of its key projects to help crippled people, especially the physically handicapped youngsters.

Letters went in the mail Saturday to 8,000 residents asking that they have as liberal a part as they can through the purchase and use of Easter Seals.

Coin containers also were placed in numerous business establishments.

The Community Chorus is working toward a presentation of Handel's Messiah (the Easter portion)

on March 23 at the City Auditorium. Members of the Moose Lodge will sell Easter Lily pins on March 21, and the T&P Ladies Safety Council will hold a coffee on March 20 at the Dora Roberts SUB for benefit of the fund.

Seventy-seven per cent of the minimum goal of \$2,250 stays with the Howard County chapter and 85 per cent of all over the minimum goal remains here. Last year 25 crippled children were aided. Two trips were made each week to transport children to the Midland Cerebral Palsy Center to receive physical, speech and occupational therapy. Chapter expenditures included \$1,243 medical, \$449 transportation, \$241 braces, \$137 wheel chair and \$42 orthopedic shoes.

George Zachariah is chapter president, and other officers are Sam Anderson, Sue Broughton, Mrs. George Bass and Mrs. Walter Parks.

## U.S. Embassy In Bolivia Quieter

LA PAZ, Bolivia (AP) — The U. S. Embassy and Information Agency offices were almost back on a normal footing Saturday after being attacked by anti-U. S. mobs earlier last week. Bolivian police still patrolled the embassy, U. S. Information Agency offices, and some homes of Americans.

ous decorations, including the Silver Star. His service includes several overseas assignments as well as those in Air Force headquarters. He and Mrs. Riddle and their four children reside at Webb AFB.

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## Whitefield Joins Rattlesnake Hunt In Nolan County

Jimmy Whitefield was among those participating in the Rattlesnake Roundup in Nolan County Saturday.

Several thousand individuals took part on the county-wide search for the rattlers. No guns were allowed and participants signed releases which indemnified property owners from any injuries which might occur on their premises.

Rattlers were flushed from their dens by pouring in gasoline. The fumes, being heavier than air, penetrate to the depths of the dens and bring out the snakes. They are captured with hooks or with wire loops and snares extended at the end of a cane pole. Rattlers were put in a specially constructed snake pit constructed of wallboard. One snake expert conducted "milking" demonstrations to rob the serpents of their venom.

## Tokyo Inviting Russian Bigwigs

TOKYO (AP)—Tokyo expects to invite officials from Moscow to visit here this year. The Soviet Union recently complained that Tokyo had not invited representatives of Moscow here, although Tokyo assemblymen toured the Soviet city last April. The exchange is provided for in an intercity agreement made in 1957.

# Man Kills Wife, Five Children, Then Himself

LANCASTER, Ohio (AP) — A man depressed by accident injuries and facing a divorce action, killed his wife and five of her children by a previous marriage, Sheriff Dale George said today. The man then took his own life.

The bodies were discovered this morning at the family's rural home eight miles northeast of Lancaster. The sheriff said the deaths may have taken place as long ago as last Thursday night or early Friday.

Roland Soper, 28, was found dead at the wheel of his locked automobile, parked beside the family's home on the Lancaster-Pleasantville road just north of the small community of Colfax.

In the car with him were the bodies of four of his step-children, Roxanne, 6, Vickie, 8, Bobby, 10, and Sharon Walls, 9. One child sat beside him in the front seat, another was on the floor of the rear seat, and two others on the rear seat. All had died from carbon monoxide fumes, the sheriff reported.

In Soper's pocket was found divorce papers filed last Tuesday by his wife, Viola, 29.

The body of the wife and a daughter, Laura Walls, 11, were found on a blood-stained bed on the second floor of the two-story frame house. They had been beaten with a claw hammer, shot and then strangled, Sheriff George said. An electric extension cord also was found around the necks of the victims.

Authorities said they wanted to continue the investigation before making any formal report, but added it appeared Soper had put the children in the car and caused the deaths of all inside.

## Term For Robbery Is Affirmed

HOUSTON (AP)—Federal judge Joe Ingraham reaffirmed Friday a 3-year sentence for a Houston auditor who robbed the First State Bank and Trust Co. of Bryan on about \$5,000 Dec. 6.

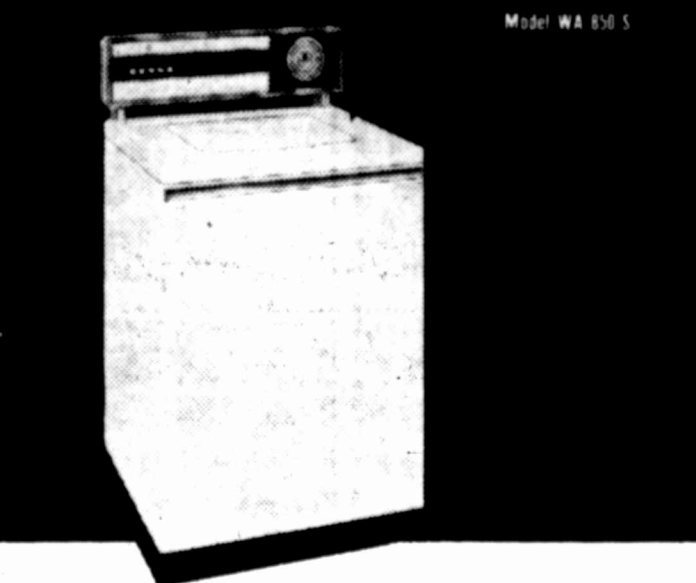
Kenneth Carr, 35, pleaded guilty and had asked for the sentence to be suspended for a week so he could make provisions for his wife and four children. Carr's attractive wife said "I hate to see him go to prison. But we both realize the seriousness of the offense."

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# 13.3 Miles Of State Roads Slated Here

Howard County will get 13.3 miles of state road out of the 1,778 miles of construction on which bids will be taken in Austin on March 20 and 21, it was learned Saturday.

Major part of the county's allotment will be the extension to the west and north of FM 2230 west of Fairview. This road will tie into FM 846 at Knott.

Howard County Commissioners have been cleaning up right-of-way requirements for this job for the past several weeks. Other jobs will include work on FM 2032, FM 846 and U. S. 87 to finish out the 13.3 miles total. Approximately 6 miles of road are involved in the FM 2230 extension from Luther to the Big Spring-Vealmoor road.

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# Imports Opponents Are Keeping Busy

HOUSTON (AP)—Opponents of oil imports have been busy on several fronts while waiting for the new federal curtailment plan. Proposals designed to curb or discourage imports have been proposed in Congress and the Texas Legislature and before federal agencies.

A bill that would control imports of both crude and products has been introduced in both houses of Congress. The Texas Legislature has been asked to authorize the state to reduce crude production available to companies that also bring foreign oil into the state.

The Treasury Department has been asked to investigate imports of Rumanian residual fuel oil.

Independents and major companies have joined in a fight against a proposed reduction of freight rates on foreign oil shipped inland after arrival at Texas ports. The issue indirectly finds two large affiliates of Standard Oil Co. (New Jersey) on opposite sides.

Imports meanwhile continued at or near record levels, averaging 1,361,000 barrels a day for the week ending Feb. 20. This included 878,200 barrels of crude and a record 1,102,900 barrels of products. All-time high of 2,005,400 barrels a day for the week ending Jan. 9 included 1,054,900 barrels of crude and 950,500 in products.

The congressional proposals are being pushed by Sen. Joseph C. O'Mahoney (D-Wyo.) and Rep. Wayne N. Aspinall (D-Colo.). Their plan is similar to part of one of the many proposals considered during the Washington studies designed to revise the voluntary curtailment program that got under way nearly 20 months ago. Quotas would be assigned domestic refiners but coastal refiners would receive nearly half of the total.

Action on the O'Mahoney-Aspinall bills probably will depend on the success of the long anticipated modifications of the current curtailment efforts.

Opponents of the Texas Legis-

lature proposal to cut Texas production of importers have said the plan would impose a superstate on the oil and gas industry. The bill also would authorize independent producers to sue for damages when their production allowances are cut. The bill has the support of the West Central Texas Oil and Gas Assn. and of the 5,000-member Texas Independent Producers & Royalty Owners Assn.

Treasury Secretary Robert Anderson was asked by the Independent Petroleum Assn. of America to investigate the Rumanian oil shipments. IPAA asked that Anderson determine if such shipments from behind the Iron Curtain involve any unfair competitive practices.

TIPRO and Humble Oil & Refining Co., the Texas affiliate of Jersey Standard, are among those opposing a request by Anchor Petroleum Co. of Tulsa that rail rates on crude shipped inland from Texas City be reduced from 38 cents per 100 pounds to 20 cents.

Anchor's request was filed with the Texas-Louisiana Freight Bureau in Dallas. Backing the request is Texas American Asphalt Co., which in September plans to begin importing 10,000 barrels of Venezuelan crude produced by another Jersey affiliate, Creole Petroleum Co.

Texas American contends the planned imports will involve types of crude not now available in Texas.

# Rotary Drilling Declines Again

Rotary drilling in the Permian Basin took another drop last week, with 366 rigs being reported active on Friday. This is eight below the Feb. 28 count as reported by Reed Roller Bit Co.

This is the lowest report since only 362 were in action on the first report of February.

Andrews, tied with Lea County, N. M., for the lead on Feb. 28, pushed out in front in the number of active rotaries with 44 in action. This is one more than the Feb. 28 and six more than Lea could muster.

Other counties with 20 or more active rigs included Crane with 25, Ector with 28, and Winkler with 25.

Borden lost three rigs from its 13 count on Feb. 28, while Howland County remained static at seven.

# Fleming Spots 3 Howard Holes

Fleming Oil Co., Fleming & Kimbell have located three more tries in Howard County, two in the Snyder field and one in the Iatan East Howard pool.

In the Iatan field, Fleming, Fleming & Kimbell No. 12-H Denman is located 990 feet from north and 330 feet from west lines, 10-30-15, T&P Survey, and eight miles south of Coahoma. Drilling depth is 3,200 feet.

The Fleming No. 30-E Snyder is located in the Snyder field 990 feet from north and 1,650 feet from east lines, 21-30-15, T & P Survey, and five miles south of Coahoma. It will drill to 3,200 feet.

The Fleming No. 29-E Snyder is 990 feet from north and east lines, 21-30-15, T&P Survey, and it will also drill to 3,200 feet.

Operator waited on cement to set 18-inch string on the Coaden No. 10 O'Daniel, in the Snyder field, Saturday. It is bottomed at 133 feet. Location of the project is 1,650 feet from south and 990 feet from east lines, 29-30-15, T&P Survey, and about 10 miles east of Coahoma.

# Steel Prices Due To Hit Oil Trade

NEW YORK — The oil industry, which was just billed for increased wages, can look forward to another financial blow — higher price tags on steel later this year, according to Petroleum Week.

That is the opinion of many oil and steel men as they look ahead to the June 30 expiration of the present three-year contract between the steel companies and the United Steelworkers of America.

Steel prices have increased nearly every year since World War II, based on wage hikes won by the union.

And the price hikes for oil-country tubular goods and line pipe generally have exceeded the average price boost for all steel items by a considerable margin. In the past four years, the major items used by the oil industry have increased by an average of \$9.75 to \$17.60 a ton annually.

# Completions Exceed 200

AUSTIN (AP) — The Railroad Commission said Saturday 200 oil and gas wells were completed the last seven days in Texas. Oil well completions total 1,970 for the year and gas wells 364 compared to 2,870 and 378 last year. There were 108 dry holes.

In unproved territory, six oil and gas wells were brought in, 23 oil wildcats and 12 gas wells. The commission said the total average calendar day oil allowance showed a 23,779 barrels decrease at 3,163,427. There were 181 wells plugged.

Effective July 1, the newly established headquarters and the new division managers will include:

Central division, Oklahoma City—Karl Martin, exploration, and C. J. Kerwin, production.

Southwest division, Midland—Fred McDaniel, exploration, and V. L. Fred Smith, production. McDaniel presently is assistant superintendent of the oil division in Tulsa and Smith is district production superintendent at Midland.

Gulf Coast division, Houston—J. H. Glimin, exploration, and M. S. Patton Jr., production.

Rocky Mountain division, Denver—Thomas A. Clote, exploration. Clote is presently division geologist with offices in Tulsa.

# National Rate Of Drilling Is Static

The rate of drilling in the United States and western Canada was practically at a standstill last week.

On March 2 there were 1,092 rigs turning, just two more than for Feb. 23 but down from 2,109 a year ago. A month ago there had been 1,996 rigs going, said Hughes Tool Co. in its survey for The American Assn. of Oilwell Drilling Contractors.

The U. S. total was 1,860, a decline of one for the week. Texas with 705 was up nine Arkansas had 15, a net gain of 15, while others varied only slightly. Louisiana lost 31. Canada had 232 rigs, an increase of three.

# Wildcats Staked In Two Counties

Operator announced sites for wildcats in Loving and Crane counties this week.

In Crane County, Delta Drilling Co. of Odessa, with McDonald Oil Corp. and B. W. Wise-man of Midland located the No. 1 Waddell as an 8,000-foot test about eight miles northeast of Grandfalls. The site is 660 feet from southwest and southeast lines, 16-5, H&C Survey.

Eleven miles northeast of Mentone, the Diamond Drilling and Gulf No. 1-B TXL wildcat is staked. Drilling depth is 4,800 feet, and it is 660 feet from south and west lines, 25-53-2, T&P Survey.

# Southwest Carries Burden Of Oil Industry Stability

How Southwestern oil producing states bailed the oil industry out of its crisis in 1958 is reflected in the current Business Review for the Eleventh Federal Reserve District.

"States in the district again demonstrated their strategic position as the balance wheel for the entire industry," said Review. While the nation dropped drilling 99 per cent, the district cut back 14 per cent. While the nation cut back crude production 7 per cent, the district cut back 12 per cent to reduce stocks. The nation reduced runs to refinery stills by four per cent but the district reduced runs 6 per cent. Wildcat completions dropped 11 per cent in the nation, but the Southwest dropped off 24 per cent.

Texas carried a lions share of the burden. For example, reserves increased in the district by 200 million barrels, but the drastic cutbacks by producers cost a loss in reserves of 375 millions. In contrast, Louisiana increased 296 million barrels. Oklahoma, New Mexico also showed gains.

Although the late seasonal demand for heating oils has caused gasoline stocks to be increased abnormally fast for this season, the Review said the general outlook was encouraging. Crude stocks could get burdensome if not watched and imports, particularly of refined products, are causing concern.

# Gas Firms Consider Using 42-Inch Line

NEW YORK — If the additional carrying capacity can offset construction costs, gas transmission companies soon may be laying 42-inch pipe to meet the upsurge in demand, reports Petroleum Week, McGraw-Hill publication.

This year, contractors for several transmission companies will lay some experimental 42-inch pipelines to find out how construction costs for these lines compare with the 36-inch line, largest now in use.

Contractors' estimates of costs for laying the larger pipe vary, but even the lowest are 25 per cent more than the 36-inch-pipe cost. The main reason for the in-

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# Deep Explorer Is Scheduled For Garza Co.

Jake Hamon of Midland has announced site of an 8,000-foot Ellenburger exploration in the central part of Garza County.

The site is Hamon No. 1 M. V. Gates, 2,435 feet from north and 74 feet from east lines, 27-1, Jasper Hays Survey, and about five miles south of Post.

About 11 miles northwest of Post, the Alamo No. 1 G. D. Ellis wildcat found 11 feet of dolomite with water shows on a core in the Lower Gorieta from 4,178-89 feet. The site is 330 feet from north and east lines of the south-east quarter, Section 1,304, Hays Survey.

It is a 4,400-foot try.

Operator waited on cement to set surface string at 328 feet Saturday at the Sunland No. 1 A. B. Connell wildcat six miles northwest of Justiceburg. The 3,500-foot wildcat is 330 feet from north and 1,320 from east lines, 9-5, GH&H Survey.

Jones No. 1 Graves, four miles north of Post, made hole in lime and shale at 5,885 feet. It is 660 feet from south and 330 from east lines, Section 1,186, GC&SF Survey.

The Joe Blalock No. 1-F McCrary is the location formerly listed as the No. 1-C McCrary. It is 990 feet from south and 330 from east lines, 125-5, H&GN Survey, and about 12 1/2 miles east of Post. Drilling depth is 2,900 feet.

# Oil Solons Rally To Defense Of Compact

By CHARLES HASLET

WASHINGTON (AP) — Oil state congressmen came to the defense of the Interstate Oil Compact this week, predicting its extension.

This group, including three Senators who have been chairmen of the Interstate Oil Compact Commission, saw little chance, if any, for a bill by Rep. Samuel Friedel (D-Md.) to repeal congressional approval of the compact. Congress must approve any agreements among the states.

Sen. Frank Carlson (R-Kan.), chairman of the commission in 1949 while Governor of Kansas, said Friedel evidently was not familiar with the compact.

Carlson said the compact, established in 1935 to promote and encourage conservation of oil and natural gas, "has been operating in the interest of the people of the whole nation for many years."

"I think it has helped conserve and save oil and gas reserves," he added.

Sen. Robert Kerr (D-Okla.), also a former chairman of the commission, said he favored extension of the compact "on the basis of present law and as desired by Oklahoma and other oil producing states and I will do all I can to achieve that result."

Rep. John Jarman (D-Okla.) said the compact commission "has led the way in the establishment of wise oil conservation policies."

All predicted Congress would extend its consent for the compact for another four years from Sept. 1, 1959, when it expires under present authorization. Rep. Oren Harris (D-Ark.), chairman of the House Commerce Committee, has introduced legislation to provide for the extension.

Friedel said he introduced his repeal bill at the request of a Baltimore constituent whom he described as a wholesale dealer in oil products.

# Sinclair Personnel Changes Reported

MIDLAND — Personnel promotions and changes in the Midland division of Sinclair Oil & Gas Co. have been announced.

Gibbon C. Reid, intermediate geophysicist at Midland, has been promoted to senior geophysicist. Lee Simpson, junior geophysicist at Midland, was promoted to intermediate geophysicist.

John W. Lucas, gas analyst, was transferred from Big Spring to Sweetwater. Johnny H. Richardson, scout at Roswell, N. M., was transferred to Midland. Roy D. Satterwhite, senior clerk in the production department at Midland, was promoted to assistant division chief clerk. He joined Sinclair Feb. 25, 1952, as an intermediate clerk at Big Spring, and went to Midland in August 1954.

# Westbrook Test

Graridge Corp. of Breckenridge located the No. 1 Mrs. L. E. A. Smart in the Westbrook field of Mitchell County. It is 330 feet from north and 2,310 from west lines, 16-28-1n, T&P Survey, and about four miles northeast of Iatan. Drilling depth is 3,200 feet.

# Culberson Test Resumes Drilling

The Big Spring Exploration No. 1 H. G. Fisher, a Culberson County wildcat, drilled below 2,705 feet at the end of the week.

The wildcat is projected to 4,000 feet but it has already encountered shows of oil in the Delaware on a drillstem test. It is 660 feet from south and east lines, 21-111, PSL Survey, and about 18 miles southwest of Orla.

# 'Ike Slept Here'

ACAPULCO, Mexico (AP) — A door to a suite of the Hotel Pierre Marques in Acapulco, site of a recent conference held by the Presidents of Mexico and the United States, says: "Eisenhower slept here."

**Big Spring Day Set For Tulsa**

Big Spring oil men will be honored with a special day during the 14th anniversary International Petroleum Exposition to be held in Tulsa, Okla., May 14-23, this year. "Big Spring Day" will be Friday, May 22. Tentative special events are being planned to assure local oil men a busy schedule.

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**Eleven Airmen Become Senior Master Sergeants**

Senior Master Sergeant ratings went to 11 airmen during the March promotion cycle at Webb. Pictured, left to right, after presentation of promotion orders at Wing Headquarters, are Col. Don R. Keefe, commander of the 3560th Air Base Group; Thomas G. Glover, 3590th USAF Hospital; Lt. Col. Robert A. Wiemer, hospital commander; John F. Homberg, 3560th Transportation Sq.; Paul A. White, 3560th Field Maintenance Sq.; Jack B. Wilson, Hq., 3560th

Pilot Training Wg.; Howard A. Gardner, 3560th FM Sq.; Albert J. Roes, Hq., 3560th M&S Gp.; Col. H. L. Weber, Commander, M&S Group; William J. Mason, 3560th FM Sq.; John A. Maclay, Hq., M&S Gp.; Garnet V. Best, Hq., PT Wg.; and Earl E. Lacey, 3560th Flight Line Maintenance Sq. (and Periodic). Not shown is Gaither A. Speaks, 3560th FM Sq., who was on TDY to Kelly AFB, Texas.

**Fine Arts Exhibit Opens Here Friday**

Inquiries from several areas have indicated a mounting interest in the District No. 18 Texas Fine Arts Assn. exhibit here Saturday and Sunday. Application blanks have been asked by artists in Midland, Snyder, Andrews, Sweetwater and other points. The district covers 20 counties in this area. Registration will begin at 1 p.m. Friday in the Dora Roberts Student Union Building at Howard County Junior College. Closing time for entering paintings or photographs will be 6 p.m. There will be classes for portraits, land or seascapes, animals in each of the divisions for oil, pastels, graphics or water colors. Photography is open to both commercial and amateur photographers. This is the first time the district has attempted a photographic division, and officials are anxious to have entries. Members of the central committee met Saturday night in the home of John Findlater, general chairman and made final plans.

There is of course no charge for viewing the exhibit, and the public is urged to inspect it starting Saturday afternoon at 1 p.m. and then Sunday from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. The awards tea will be at 3 p.m. Any artist may enter oils, pastels, water colors or graphics at \$1 each, or may enter as many as 6 for citation for a total of \$2. Works which are cited must be left for shipment to Austin to compete in the state contest. As many as six photographs may be entered for \$1. One unique work in the show will not be competing for prizes. It will be examples of wood carving-shading technique developed by Philip Minear of Midland. These provide a type of 3-D effect. Judges of the show, Dr. J. B. Smith, head of the art department for Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, and Robert L. Lancaster, head of the art department for San Angelo College in San Angelo, will be feted at a luncheon Saturday noon at the Desert Sands.

**Lamesa Cotton Growers Slate Annual Meeting**

LAMESA — More than 500 cotton growers, ginners and businessmen of Dawson County are expected to attend the barbecue and annual meeting of the Lamesa Cotton Growers to be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 17, at Lamar Forrest Community Center. Milton Ray of Lubbock will speak to the association members on the operation of the local classing office; care of the building and repair and maintenance of equipment has been the responsibility of the Lamesa Cotton Growers. Acting as a committee for this phase of work have been F. P. King, Carlos Berry and Herbert Green. Members of the executive committee announced Saturday that out-of-town speakers will be secured to talk with the group on loan deferential and the labor situation in cotton producing areas. Eight directors are to be named, two from each of the four precincts of the county. Out-going directors are Jim Dunn, G. C. Clift Jr., D. A. Adcock, G. K. McDonald, Richard Crawley, Leroy Olsak, Carlos Berry and Carson Echols. Hold-over directors are J. H. Harp, Bill Anderson, A. E. Hale, F. P. King, Arthur Moss, Jack Broyles, Cecil O'Brien and Jeff Shipp. Serving on the executive committee the past year were Clift, Hale, Broyles and Shipp. An officer election is to follow the election of new directors.

**Dulles Resumes X-Ray Treatments**

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of State John Foster Dulles Saturday resumed X-ray treatment for cancer at Walter Reed Medical Center. The treatment had been suspended since Tuesday, when he received an injection of radioactive gold. A State Department spokesman said he did not know how much longer the X-ray treatments would be continued. They began Feb. 20 and continued through last Monday. It had been estimated that Dulles would require three to four weeks of treatments at the rate of six a week. To date he has had less than half that number.

**Many Contractors Checking Out YMCA Building Plans**

Lively interest is being manifested in the new YMCA plant. A dozen general contractors have checked out plans, and another request has been received from a general contractor. Approximately three dozen sub-contractors have asked for plans to figure specific parts of the plant, said Olen Puckett of Puckett & French, architect-engineer for the project. Bids will be opened at 2 p.m. on March 18 in the Settles Hotel ballroom. At the last meeting of the board of directors of the YMCA, ar-

rangements were made for interim financing to supplement the amount actually paid into the building fund. A capital funds campaign was held last spring to raise money for the new building. Included in the plans are a gymnasium, an indoor swimming pool, club rooms, reception areas, conference rooms, kitchenette, snack bar, offices, etc. It will be located south of E. 8th and west of the ballpark area.

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**Surgery Fails To Restore Consciousness To W. Gatlin**

Surgery which removed a blood clot from the brain has failed so far to bring consciousness to Walter Gatlin, 65, local yard worker who moved into his fourth week of insensibility Saturday night. Gatlin has been unconscious since early on the evening of Feb. 14 as result of a beating re-

ceived at his residence on W. 2nd St. Ten days ago he was taken to Lubbock where Dr. Jack Dunn Jr., neurologist, removed a large blood clot. He was then returned to Cowper Hospital and Clinic. The surgery did not bring about any visible change in the man's condition. Surgeons said he is very much now as he was on the night that he was admitted to the Big Spring Hospital a short time after the attack. He shows no restlessness and has manifested no signs of regaining consciousness. Dr. Roscoe Cowper said Saturday that the outlook for the patient was "not good." Two men are free on bond accused of beating Gatlin. They are charged with assault with intent to commit murder. Cause of the difficulty which led to the fight at Gatlin's residence has never been ascertained. The men charged with the attack are James P. Tindol and John A. Tindol.

**ABC Club Hears Student Tell Of School Needs**

Edith Freeman, high school student, appeared before members of the American Business Club at their regular luncheon Friday at the Settles Hotel in behalf of Texas Education Week. Miss Freeman said more young teachers qualified to instruct in accelerated courses were needed in modern schools and added that many students needed to apply themselves in classrooms rather than merely try to "get by" in their studies. She said those who did not study hard often found they could not make their work when they went on to college. R. H. Weaver, chairman of the upcoming ABC Relays, urged club members to renew efforts to sell all possible advertising space in the program. "It may mean the difference of breaking even on the project and loss," Weaver stated. He also pointed out that the time for finishing the campaign to sell advertising is short and should, for all intents and purposes, be over in ten days. Bob Callahan, Odessa, was a guest, along with Jim Webb and Charles Roberts.

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# Legislature Lagging On Tax Issue

AUSTIN (AP)—Most of the Legislature's major business is stuck tight in some form of deep freeze as the session inches timidly toward the midway mark.

The fiscal crisis is as urgent and unsolved as it was the day the session started.

Committees have worked hard. They have heard all who have views to express. More of that is in prospect next week.

But there has been more talk and less action to date than in any session most observers can remember.

The reason for that probably is the magnitude of the main issue—money—plus a widespread unwillingness to dive into the cold disapproval usually associated with the levying of new taxes until the moment just cannot be put off further.

Friday March 13 marks the exact mid-mark of the session.

After that, any new bill including tax measures will require a four-fifths permissive vote for introduction. Theoretically, the last 60 days would be devoted to floor debate. Those who say this session is not any slower than usual argue that there is still plenty of time to get the big jobs done.

What Gov. Price Daniel called the session's "first and foremost problem"—retirement of the \$5 million dollar deficit—and his plans for solving it are still in subcommittee or in the attorney general's hands for an opinion on their legality. His long range tax suggestions are likewise still in various phases of committee study.

The House has approved and sent to the Senate its proposal for tightening up loan shark regulation.

It has also sent the Senate bills making four year colleges of Arlington State and Tarleton State. All three are major bills, the latter two because their ultimate action on them could indicate the Legislature's general attitude on increased spending which would demand heavily increased tax levies.

But the showdown on the whole fiscal puzzle is not in sight and will not be until the general appropriations bills are out of committee in both houses. Rep. W. S. Healy of the House Appropriations Committee said he still hopes the bill would be ready by March 20, but other guesses are that it will be nearer the first week in April. The Senate Finance Committee is still working on its bill and is about two weeks behind the House.

Daniel has shown some signs of impatience. He told the State-Water Conference:

"It is all too true that the State of Texas has a harder time raising taxes than the federal government. In Washington they can pass a 29 billion tax bill faster than we can get a 29 million dollar tax bill out of committee."

Registering Saturday were Billy Hutcheson, 109 N. Nolan, Earhart, 301 Mesquite; David Taylor, 510 E. 16th; Tommy Welch Jr., 306 Harding; Robert Goodlett, 1802 Goliad; Cecil Edward Hendricks, Kennebec Heights; Larry White, 405 Galveston; and Gary Fish, 907 Mountain Park.

## Record Of 66 Boys In Derby, More Expected

Soap Box Derby registration reached a record high of 66 contestants Saturday, and chances are that total entries will exceed 70.

Although registration was to be officially closed Saturday, Loyd Wooten of Tidwell Chevrolet Co. said three boys were unable to enroll. As a result, he said he will hold the rolls open a few more days. Any boy who still wants to get in can do so by contacting Wooten.

In addition, prospects are good that four or five Colorado City boys will enter the local race again this year.

N. M. Caddell of Colorado City said several have expressed interest and, although the Colorado City Lions Club isn't sponsoring Mitchell County entries this year, an effort will be made to get them registered. Caddell and other individuals will assist any Mitchell County youth who wishes to compete.

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## Paredes Funeral At 3 P.M. Today

Funeral services will be conducted at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church at 3 p.m. here today for Benito Chavez Paredes Jr., who died at 10 p.m. Thursday in El Paso.

Mr. Paredes was born in Big Spring April 18, 1934, and had lived here all his life. He was 24.

He is survived by his wife, Filomena of Big Spring; three sons, Benito III, David, and Danny; a daughter, Belen; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benito Paredes; four brothers, Pedro, Lupe, Austine, and Alfred, all of Big Spring; and two sisters, Mrs. Magdalene Correa, Big Spring, and Mrs. Carmen Lara, of Orla, Tex.

Services will be conducted by Father Adolph Metzger, and interment will be in City Cemetery under direction of River Funeral Home.

## Champion Capon Sells For \$2,400

HOUSTON (AP)—A champion capon exhibited by a Smithville youth brought \$200 a pound Saturday in a poultry sale winding up the Houston Fat Stock Show.

Mrs. Bill Williams, wife of a Houston restaurant owner, paid \$2,400 for the fowl showed by Charles Ehner. This equaled the record price paid by Mrs. Williams last year.

# U.S. Offers Formula For Conference Of Ministers

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States proposed Saturday that the Western Allies tell the Soviet Union they are prepared to discuss the Berlin dispute and the German peace treaty issue in a foreign ministers conference—provided any other German problems also may be raised.

This was reported to be one of the main points in the draft of a new note submitted to Britain, France and West Germany. The State Department announced Saturday that messages giving U.S. views on reply to the U.S.S.R.'s latest note had been sent to the three capitals Friday night.

In Washington, top officials conferred with the ambassadors of Britain and West Germany and a Canadian Embassy minister on the German-Soviet situation and on the prospective Western reply to the Soviet note of last Monday

conditionally accepting a foreign ministers meeting.

High officials expressed confidence the Soviet Union will agree to hold a conference on terms generally acceptable to the West—a wide open one if this country has its way. There is mounting interest, therefore, how the West will handle such a meeting.

British Prime Minister Harold Macmillan, taking an active lead during the cancer illness of Secretary of State John Foster Dulles, is reported trying to loosen up Western policy all along the line.

Macmillan is said to feel the foreign ministers meeting might be followed by a summit conference. He is reported prepared to agree to a Big Two meeting between President Eisenhower and Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev, if that seems necessary.

Macmillan goes to Paris and



## Council Leaders Arrive

The Rev. William D. Boyd, right, of Big Spring greets Mrs. Don Sivalis of Midland, president of the House of Churchwomen, and John Reinhardt, director of church promotion. Reinhardt was speaker at the council dinner Saturday night.

# New Officers Installed Today By House Of Churchwomen

New officers of the House of Churchwomen will be installed by Bishop Quarterman during the Diocesan Service of the Holy Communion in St. Mary's Episcopal Church at 7:30 a.m. today.

Elected during the House's business session Saturday, the new officers are Mrs. Tom Porter of Sweetwater, president-elect; Mrs. Harold Hinn, Plainview, treasurer; Mrs. Thomas MacOwen of Canyon, supply secretary; and Mrs. Joe Scott of Dalhart, church periodical secretary.

Bishop Quarterman also will be celebrant for the communion service, with numerous clergymen of the diocese assisting. Among them will be the Ven. Claude Canterbury, archdeacon. The Rt. Rev. Thomas E. Jones, bishop of Willochra, South Australia, also will assist.

## Noted Columnist Favors Lyndon, Says He Can Win

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP)—Arthur Krock, New York Times columnist, said here Saturday he thinks Senate majority leader Lyndon Johnson "has a very good chance of being the next president."

Krock added, "He's my choice. The president should be able to operate politically, and Lyndon has proven he's a real operator."

The former Washington Bureau chief of the Times and two-time winner of the Pulitzer Prize, made the comment about Johnson in a conversation after addressing a luncheon audience at South Texas Press Day here, a journalism forum given annually by the Corpus Christi Press Club.

Krock said he would be glad to be quoted on his comments on Johnson.

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## Driver Missing After Man Hurt

The police Saturday were still looking for the driver of a 1950 Pontiac which caused a pedestrian to be hit by another vehicle on the North Side Friday night.

The pedestrian sustained a fractured leg and is being treated at Big Spring Hospital.

A River ambulance rushed Gumevido Alderete, Rt. 1, to the hospital after he was hit while walking in the 400 block of NW 23rd about 8:30 p.m. Friday. His injuries are such that an operation on the leg is needed and it will be performed Monday.

According to police officers, Alderete was walking between a row of angle-parked cars and a row of businesses when a 1950 Pontiac backed into the cars. The impact forced one of the cars to strike Alderete.

The Pontiac was later found a few blocks away, but the driver was not around nor has he been apprehended.

The cars hit by the Pontiac were a 1955 Chevrolet owned by Louis Brown of Lamesa, an Austin Healy owned by Daniel Pope of Webb AFB, and a 1955 Mercury owned by James Braun, 200 Nolan.

Saturday, Louis Talkington, 803 Johnson, and Ethel Ledbetter of Irving were involved in a minor accident at 4th and Johnson.

## Seven Candidates At Colorado City

COLORADO CITY—One incumbent was among seven candidates filing for four City Council posts here, according to Ford Merritt, city clerk. Filing deadline was Saturday noon.

Lawrence Ruddle, Cal-Tex employee, is the lone incumbent. Others running are Frank Derregibus, Sam Majors Jr., Eolon Harrell, A. W. Hubbard, Ira Utz, and Dr. Elton Berkman.

In addition to Ruddle, terms of R. B. Baker, O. L. Simpson, and L. J. Taylor expire this spring.

# Bishop Comments Laymen's Progress

Next year will mark the 50th anniversary of the creation of the District of North Texas from the Episcopal Diocese of Dallas.

Bishop George H. Quarterman, in his annual report to the Council of the Diocese of Northwest Texas, Friday night called attention to this important event. He recommended that steps be taken now to formulate some suitable and appropriate observation of the occasion.

Speaking before the council assembled here at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, the bishop reviewed the past year in the diocese. He expressed satisfaction at the widening number of church edifices and collateral structures which have been provided for parishes in the diocese and some regret at the statistics contained in the parochial report for 1958. Compared with 1957, he said, the report showed a decrease of 24 in baptisms; an increase of 50 in confirmations and receptions; an increase of 328 in communicants. There was also an increase in all baptized of 265.

**LAYMEN LAUDED**

He was particularly impressed, he said, by the development of laymen's work.

"Many of our laymen are realizing their essential part and place in the total ministry," the bishop stated.

He praised the change in the designation "Women's Auxiliary" to "Church women," and pointed to the growing contribution the women make to forward progress of the diocese.

Reporting on the Bishop Temple Memorial Foundation, he said that \$52,500 was added to the principal, bringing the total to \$582,500 as of Dec. 31, 1958.

"We are living," said Bishop Quarterman, "in a growing area of this country. Such an advantage lays upon us an increasing responsibility for the advance and outreach of the church.

"If the Church is in anyway to fulfill its mission, such fulfillment is largely dependent upon us."

**NEXT DECADE A TEST**

For 1970, he said, a study indicated a population increase of 300,000; a baptized membership increase of 6,500; a communicant increase of 5,000; church school increase of 2,000; clergy staff increase of 20; additional congregations 15; necessary building additions 30.

"It is obvious," he pointed out, "the next decade will test us."

Mr. Quarterman recommended that the diocese provide a minister of the state—St. Paul's Church in Lubbock, assigned to the duty of serving the students in Texas Tech. A survey, he explained, showed there are 289 students in that college who are of Episcopal persuasion. He also recommended that the growing enrollment of West Texas State College in Canyon also is in need of a minister who would necessarily be supported by the diocese.

## ON SCHOOL MERGER

# Gay Hill, Borden To Vote Saturday

Voters of Gay Hill School District and of Borden County will march to the polls next Saturday to ballot on a proposal that the Howard County school be made a part of the Borden County Independent School District.

The county judges of Howard and Borden counties have set the election for March 14.

The proposed consolidation movement developed when a petition was formally handed to Ed Carpenter, Howard County judge, asking that he call an election on the issue.

This petition was originally signed by 31 residents of the Gay Hill district. Some few of the original signers have since asked their names be withdrawn from the document. However, 20 signers of such a petition is sufficient to require that an election be called.

On the same date, the Borden county judge received a similar petition.

At the time, the appearance of

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service, the Salvation Army has been running in the red. Col. Ernest Pickering, Texas divisional commander, brought this to light here last week, and it is a problem that is going to have to be faced.

Rep. George Mahon has joined in protests with others against the summary reduction of the grain surmount support by 31 cents per cwt. This is about 17 1/2 percent and will influence the income if not the planting by farmers come late spring.

School news abounded. For one thing it was Texas Public School Week and residents by the hundreds turned out to have a personal look at their schools in action. For another, teachers took off Friday for their district meeting in Lubbock and the Howard County Junior College faculty went to the state meeting in Fort Worth. At Coahoma, Supt. H. L. Miller announced his resignation effective July 1.

On Saturday Gay Hill and Gail school districts will vote on whether to consolidate. Meanwhile, consolidation talk had sprung up in the Kott-Ackerly area with a community meeting set for Monday at Kott and later at Ackerly. These are more or less exploratory parleys.

The local political pot simmered a bit before filing deadlines at the end of the week. As of late Saturday, there were six men seeking two places on the city commission. They are Tom South, H. J. Agee, J. D. Elliott, Perry Chandler, Roy Black and Paul Kasch. Six names are on the Big Spring school board for three places, namely Wendell Parks, Walter Stroup, Mrs. J. D. McCright, Mrs. R. B. G. Cowper, Dan M. Krause, Clinton H. Harrison.

Easter Seals have gone into the mails, and there will be other appeals to help the local chapter for Crippled Children and Adults. This season is chosen for the appeal because gifts can raise physical hopes just as spiritual hopes were raised two millennium ago.

Almost as a surprise, it was disclosed last week that federal authorities are giving some consideration to an addition to the post office. Officials here had long since urged such a step but had all but dropped it when came word that a plea for developing a parking area was turned down because the ground would be needed for an addition under consideration.

The City of Big Spring got its first full time city attorney in June, 1957, when Wayne Basden joined the staff. Last week he announced his resignation to enter practice of law here.

Two important meetings for owners of cattle are in tap this week. They deal with a proposal to ask that Howard County be made a brucellosis control area. If 75 per cent of owners request it, then all producers must comply. The meetings are Tuesday at Gay Hill and Thursday at the county courtroom.

Our paper erred in mentioning that Bill Parsons was the first National Merit Scholarship candidate to enter the final rounds since J. T. Baird Jr. a few seasons back. In 1958 there were two from BSHS—Willis (Bill) Owens and Priscilla Pond.

## CRMWD Directors To Act On Odessa Pipe Line Contract

Directors of the Colorado River Municipal Water District are expected to firm up a water supply line contract Tuesday.

Charles Perry, Odessa, president, has called a meeting of the board for 6 p.m. at the Settles Hotel in Big Spring to consider final action on bids opened here Feb. 26.

Mitchell Darby of McAllen submitted the apparent low figure of \$2,403,148.33 for 33 miles of 33-inch concrete steel cylinder pipe, together with valves, electrical equipment, etc. Freese & Nichols, engineers, have been making an analysis of the 14 bids submitted and will be ready to make a recommendation to the board.

No other items of business are on the agenda.

## Plenty Of Fire, Damage

Firemen futilely battled a barn fire south of Big Spring on Birdwell Saturday afternoon only to see the structure completely demolished, along with all contents. The barn, being used for storage, belonged to C. W. White, but furniture in it belonged to Dr. and Mrs. George Dawson who live in a house nearby. The blaze was out of control when firemen arrived, and in addition, they had to fight the blaze with water from tanks on the trucks. The fire was outside the city limits and south of FM 700 East.

## Dies In Mishap

WICHITA FALLS (AP)—John Raymond, 16, died Friday night in a one-car accident on State Highway 59 about four miles northeast of Bowie, Charles Welch, 18, of St. Jo, the driver, was injured but not seriously.



## Welcome To Council

Bishop George H. Quarterman and Mrs. William D. Boyd welcome Mrs. Sidney Ortin of Midland to the Episcopal council meeting here. Bishop Quarterman and Mrs. Boyd are shown in the receiving line at a reception Friday night.

## North Digging Out From Snow Up To 10 Inches

The upper Midwest began digging out Saturday in the wake of a blizzard late season snow storm that paralyzed traffic and took the lives of at least 39.

Tapering off as it rolled into the East, the storm moved into the Atlantic Saturday after dumping up to 10 inches of snow in northwestern New York.

Snow crews battled 20-foot drifts that blocked main highways in sections of Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan. Iowa and Michigan appeared to have felt the storm's impact most, with up to 22 inches of snow.

The death toll attributed to the storm resulted from traffic accidents, asphyxiation and heart attacks brought on by snow shoveling. It included 16 deaths in Iowa, 10 in Indiana, 6 in Wisconsin, 4 in Michigan, 2 in New York and 1 in Pennsylvania.

In Iowa, snow plows pushed their way through huge drifts to open streets and highways and free thousands of cars and trucks abandoned by their drivers at the height of the storm. Police in Des Moines estimated at least 20,000 vehicles were abandoned there.

In Wisconsin, 26 persons were rescued Friday night after spending 15 hours in a train trapped by huge drifts 15 miles south of Green Bay. They were cold, tired and hungry but apparently suffered no ill effects.

## Spence Back From Water Panel Meet

E. V. Spence, general manager of the Colorado River Municipal Water District, returned Friday evening from Austin and a meeting of the governor's state water committee.

The committee went on record supporting requested funds for the State Board of Water Engineers, Gov. Daniel, who had cut \$500,000 off his original asking when budgetary difficulties arose, said he had changed his mind and was now sticking by his first request.

The water board had convinced him, he said, that \$1,700,000 per annum was needed for each of the next two years as an absolute minimum to adequately deal with Texas water matters. The Legislative Budget Board had sliced the annual amount to \$900,000 less than the present appropriation.

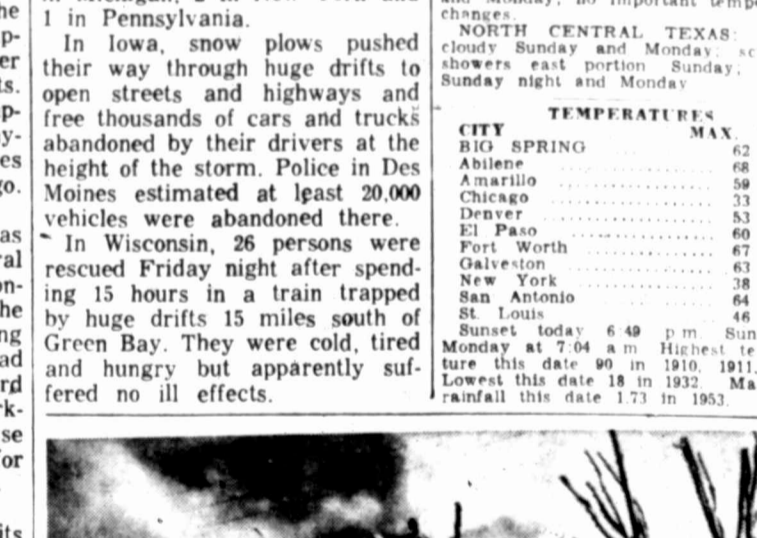
## THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy Sunday and Monday; no important temperature changes.

NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS: Partly cloudy Sunday and Monday; scattered showers next morning; cooler Sunday night and Monday.

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Arlington	62	74	46
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Dallas	53	65	33
El Paso	53	65	33
Fort Worth	53	65	33
Galveston	63	75	43
New York	38	50	28
San Antonio	64	76	44
St. Louis	46	58	36

Sunset today 6:40 p.m. Sun rises Monday at 7:04 a.m. Highest temperature this date 90 in 1910, 1911, 1918; lowest this date 15 in 1932. Maximum rainfall this date 1.73 in 1953.



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### Market Scores A Solid Advance

NEW YORK (AP)—In a turbulent week, the stock market advanced to record highs on three straight sessions, then backed away moderately as news came of higher interest rates.

Volume of 21,618,300 shares was the highest since the week ended last Oct. 18 when 24,402,570 shares were traded.

Despite vigorous profit-taking on many stocks which have enjoyed a consistent rise, the list as a whole posted a solid advance.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks rose \$1.80 to \$22.40. It touched its latest historic top of \$23.20 on Thursday.

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**WELDER IN AIR INSTALLATIONS**  
Hoermann holds torch in Webb Shops



**ELECTRONICS SECTION SUPERVISOR**  
Henseling checks fighter equipment

## 2 German Airmen In Webb Spotlight

Two Webb AFB airmen, both natives of Germany, are sharing the "most outstanding" spotlight at the base.

They are A. C. Arne Hoermann, this week chosen as the outstanding airman at Webb, and A. C. Ernest P. K. Henseling, recently honored as the outstanding airman in the 33rd Air Defense Division.

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## West Texans Stage Big Hunt For Rattlers

SWEETWATER (AP)—The first wave of what most people consider a strange breed of men—rattlesnake hunters—struck this West-Central Texas city Saturday.

They were welcomed warmly by Sweetwater area ranchers, who have no love for the reptiles.

The occasion is the first annual rattlesnake roundup, officially sanctioned by the Board of City Development and the local Chamber of Commerce.

Hundreds of hunters are expected to be here when the hunt officially starts Sunday.

Just to make the roundup a sporting affair, the hunters cannot use guns.

Forty ranchers jumped at the chance to offer their land for the hunt.

One, C. E. Boyd Jr., is offering prizes. It's two bits for each snake caught on his land, a \$25 bonus if the most snakes caught in the roundup are taken on his land, and \$25 extra if the largest snake is found on his property.

The development board also is offering prizes for various kinds of captures, including the most number, the largest and the one with the most rattlers.

For the timid, a prize goes for the capture of the smallest snake.

The reptiles will be brought to an enclosure. Their fangs will be milked for the venom, valuable for use in injections for those who suffer snake bites.

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## FUGITIVE CONVICT

### Bullet Ends Felon's Chase For Freedom

TRENTON, Ga. (AP)—A single bullet Saturday ended the desperate freedom bid of Alabama convict William Smothers as he tried to shoot it out with a Georgia sheriff.

Smothers, 38, was felled by a shot from Trenton Police Chief H. Hutchings after the officer and DeKalb County Sheriff Allison Blevins had received a telephoned tip on the fugitive's whereabouts.

Smothers never got off a shot, although he had been quoted as boasting he would not be taken. The convict's shoulder was shattered by the bullet, but attendants at Fort Oglethorpe Hospital said his condition was not critical.

Smothers was serving sentences totaling 160 years for six robberies at Birmingham, Ala., when he began his desperate flight Thursday.

He kidnaped four persons, including Alabama Patrolman Otto Dees, during the getaway attempt. The hostages were released unharmed at Flat Rock, Ala., Friday.

Smothers was captured in a field about 20 miles west of Chattanooga.

"Smothers drew the gun from under his coat—the same one he took from the (Alabama) patrolman—and stuck it in the sheriff's face," Hutchings recounted.

"I beat him to it. Before he could pull the trigger, I shot him. I already had my hand on my gun."

Smothers got his brief freedom by overpowering Patrolman Dees south of Birmingham Thursday while Dees was taking him from Kilby Prison at Montgomery to Birmingham to stand trial on a pistol-possession charge.

Cox received a telegram from Casper Saturday advising that Smith had died in that city. His body is at the Bustard Funeral home in Casper.

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## Committee For Youth Conference

AUSTIN (AP)—Gov. Price Daniel named Dr. Guy D. Newman, president of Howard Payne College in Brownwood, chairman Saturday of the Texas Committee for the 1960 White House Conference on Children and Youth.

The 118 members of the committee will hold its first meeting here March 14. President Eisenhower, in announcing the conference, invited governors to plan each state's participation.

## Poultry Inspection Law Awaits Action By State

An ordinance passed by the City Commission about a month ago concerning inspection of poultry for sale here has not been put into effect while waiting for state inspectors.

The commission at its meeting Feb. 10 passed the emergency ordinance which adopts the state regulations for poultry inspection. Also, all poultry sold in the city must be first inspected and accepted by either local, state, or federal inspectors.

The new ruling also governs transportation of poultry and provides penalties for failure to comply with provisions.

City officials reported that the new ruling has not been put into effect. The state has not finished setting up its poultry inspection force, but when this is completed, the ordinance will become effective.



**THEY HAVE LOTS IN COMMON**  
Airman Hoermann, left, and Airman Henseling

## STATE HOSPITAL

### Sound System Is Almost Finished

More than a score of electricians, volunteering their services, put the Big Spring State Hospital sound system into the home stretch Saturday.

They completed wiring two more buildings, which leaves only one more building to be equipped for the sound. Meanwhile, music is being heard in the administration building and two central dining rooms. Speakers are being installed in other structures.

Later studio equipment will be received and installed.

Saturday the men put in approximately five hours each to bring wires from the main conduits through concrete and brick into the various hospital units. Two weeks ago they had performed a similar volunteer service.

Friday evening the men and their employers had been guests at a dinner in Coker's Restaurant. It was the Hospital Advisory Council's way of saying thanks for giving labor which has been estimated at approximately \$500 or more. Dr. Preston Harrison, hospital superintendent, expressed appreciation, declaring that he had never seen a more generous or heart-warming gesture. Dr. P. W. Malone added the appreciation of the community for the good turn.

Arrangements were handled by Jack Y. Smith and J. H. Greene, general chairman who had worked months in planning for the installation and in raising funds for it. When completed it will be made a gift to the hospital, the first state hospital to be totally wired for sound. Dr. Harrison said that the music would have great therapeutic value to patients. Also guests at the dinner were Ben Hall and Arthur Maus, who are supervising the installation.

Among those participating in the dinner and the work Saturday were:

Gene Brown, Albert Pettus, Troy Drinkard, V. L. Friar, of Pettus Electric; N. H. Seward and Melvin Purvis of the State Hospital engineering staff; Henry A. Thomas and Philip Riddle of K&T Electric; A. C. Latson and W. F. Toreck, Latson Electric; Jerry Musgrove, Musgrove Electric; Homer Ward, City of Big Spring.

Thomas Corwin, O. W. Hildebrand, W. O. Moore and T. L. Young of Texas Electric Service; Doug E. Beams, J. T. Farquhar and R. W. Dickson of Dabco; Ray Anderson, Raymond Tally, and Jim Nelson, Tally Electric; Gene Hasten, Joe Kitchens, Kenneth Huett, Kitchens Electric; Paul Holden, Cosden Power drills for the work were furnished by Cosden.

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## Mrs. Tucker Dies In Hospital Here

Services for Mrs. Frances Tucker, who died Saturday morning in a local hospital after an illness of four months, will be conducted at River Funeral Home at 2 p.m. Monday.

Mrs. Tucker was a native of Glendale, Ariz., where she was born April 17, 1924.

Mrs. Tucker had lived here two and one-half years, making her residence at 1317 W. 3rd St.

Her survivors include one son, Ronnie Gene Bussey of Slaton, and her mother, Mrs. R. L. Pettit.

After the 2 p.m. services at River Funeral Home, interment will be in City Cemetery. River will be in charge of arrangements.

## MEN IN SERVICE

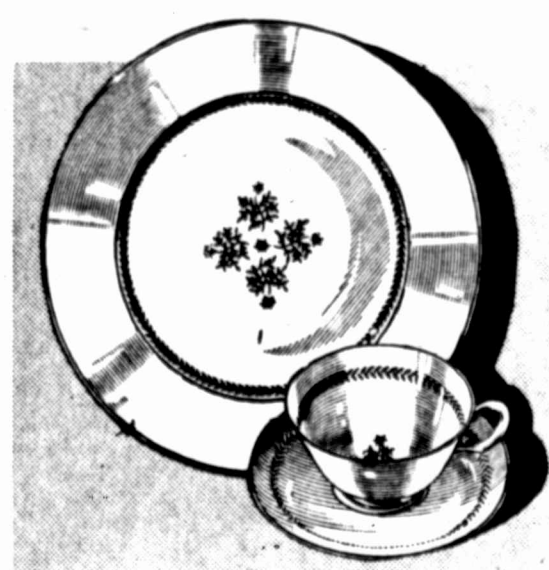
Donald D. Gregory, aviation electronics technician third class, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orman J. Gregory of 1708 11th Pl., Big Spring, attached to Patrol Squadron 47, took part in an anti-submarine warfare exercise from Feb. 16-19, off the coast of Southern California.

"Skynet", formed of vessels of the U. S. First Fleet and several units of the Naval Reserve, was divided into two teams: the "Blue" defenses and the "Purple" aggressors. The Blue surface and Air Forces were seeking to prevent the Purple force submarines from breaking through a 600-mile seaward barrier off the coast.

Marine Cpl. Clayton F. Cluck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester F. Cluck of 312 Princeton, Big Spring, is serving with the First Marine Division at Camp Pendleton, Calif. He took part Feb. 2-10 in the first major amphibious exercise of 1959 off the coast of Southern California. The exercise, involving 24 ships and more than 12,000 men, took place on the beaches of Camp Pendleton.

T. Sgt. Charles R. Gray reported for duty at San Antonio Saturday before beginning the Air Force Officer Candidate School. Gray will take navigator training.

Sgt. Gray was formerly stationed here as a part of the Webb AFB band but he was transferred to Williams AFB, Ariz., when the band was disbanded.



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### City Improvement Plan Is Under Study For Lamesa

LAMESA — Members of the Lamesa City Council will take an engineering report on the city's five-year improvement program to a citizens' advisory group here Monday night.

The council, which spent three hours in special session Friday morning studying the findings, will seek additional opinions from some of the community's leaders.

The group went on record as favoring a reevaluation of property by a professional board before Friday morning's session ended.

Included in the program are water and sewer improvements, proposal to move sewer disposal plant, public and street building issue improvements and a proposal for new city hall facilities.

City Manager Carroll A. Taylor pointed out that the only feasible improvement that could be delayed would be the new sewage disposal plant, but this would not be good.

### Mammoth Still

MONTREAL (AP)—The Royal Canadian Mounted Police have found a still so big an \$18,000 house had to be built around it.

RCMP Supt. Rene J. Belec reports the size indicated it would have been impossible to put the still into the house and that the house must have been built around it.

### Stanton Group Revives Cotton Classing Plans

STANTON (SC) — The plans for a cotton classing station are being renewed again, with a public meeting of farmers to be held at the district courtroom on March 23, at 8 p.m.

Application has already been made to the Department of Agriculture, and the present plans call for the election of a set of directors. They will then devise plans for raising the money.

A classing station will cost between \$25,000 and \$30,000, according to Gerald Hanson, who is helping formulate the plans. He says the project must be financed locally, but the employees will be paid by the U. S. Government.

The building and equipment must be obtained before the government will open the station. This will include certain types of equipment such as special lighting and humidifiers.

Hanson thinks the money can be raised in time to get the station in operation before cotton harvest. He says Lamesa got its station by having the farmers sign notes, and the money was loaned by the banks. Then an assessment of about 25 cents per bale was made on each sample classified. This revenue was almost sufficient to pay out the station the first year.

Cotton farms from Midland, Martin, Howard, Glasscock and Reagan are urged to attend the meeting. They are also invited to contact Hanson and others on the agricultural committee of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce and learn more about the project.



### Spain Bound

Capt. Ralph L. Brooks, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Brooks, 609 George, has been sent to Spain on a rotational basis from George AFB, Calif. Brooks is flight commander of the 21st Tactical Fighter Squadron, and his unit is replacing another organization in Spain. While there, his unit will fly under control of the Strategic Air Command's 16th Air Force. Capt. Brooks is an eight-year veteran of the Air Force.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

**BIG SPRING HOSPITAL**  
 Admissions — Peggy McDonald, 601 Perrin; Jerry Smith, 511 City; Laura Tone, City; Ann Kent, Snyder; Sharon O'Neil, Midland; Clemma Ray, City; Ramon Ortiz Jr., City; R. C. Johnson, City; Beulah Fisher, City.  
 Dismissals — Ruby Ragsdale, City; Benny Pitzer, City; Betty Findley, City; Clemencia Cano, Coahoma; F. R. Haley, City; Georgia Taylor, Baird; Lupe Hernandez, Midland.

### Role Of Truck Transport In Texas Shown

"Texas Moves by Truck", a new booklet, emphasizes the part played by truck transportation in the lives of Texans.

As an example, the booklet cites

County	Registrations	Total Value
Andrews	1,623	\$1,848,820
Borden	229	225,250
Coke	767	807,850
Dawson	2,846	3,128,100
Ector	8,635	9,938,450
Gaines	1,924	2,191,800
Glasscock	901	853,950
Howard	241	232,350
Lubbock	3,258	3,863,700
Lynn	12,617	14,918,950
Martin	2,259	2,361,250
Mitchell	1,186	1,262,300
Nolan	4,823	5,472,850
Reagan	1,492	1,623,600
Scurry	2,453	2,674,850
Sterling	663	742,050
Taylor	3,137	3,433,750
Terry	298	315,900
Tom Green	7,156	8,064,300
TOTAL 254 Counties	789,756	871,537,800

County	Employment	Earnings
Andrews	1,220	\$4,533,481
Borden	31	112,724
Coke	316	1,174,844
Dawson	1,358	55,070,772
Ector	6,857	23,684,026
Gaines	1,096	4,092,464
Glasscock	94	356,996
HOWARD	335	3,465,890
Lubbock	8,121	20,321,252
Lynn	861	2,214,974
Martin	543	2,027,862
Midland	3,364	13,307,976
Mitchell	225	2,080,550
Nolan	1,379	5,149,186
Reagan	449	1,876,366
Scurry	1,835	6,851,890
Sterling	131	498,154
Taylor	1,808	18,908,876
Terry	1,268	4,738,446
Tom Green	4,143	15,468,962
TOTAL 254 Counties	485,079	\$1,811,284,986

that the trucking industry in Texas as an employer and wage-payer, ranks second only to agriculture.

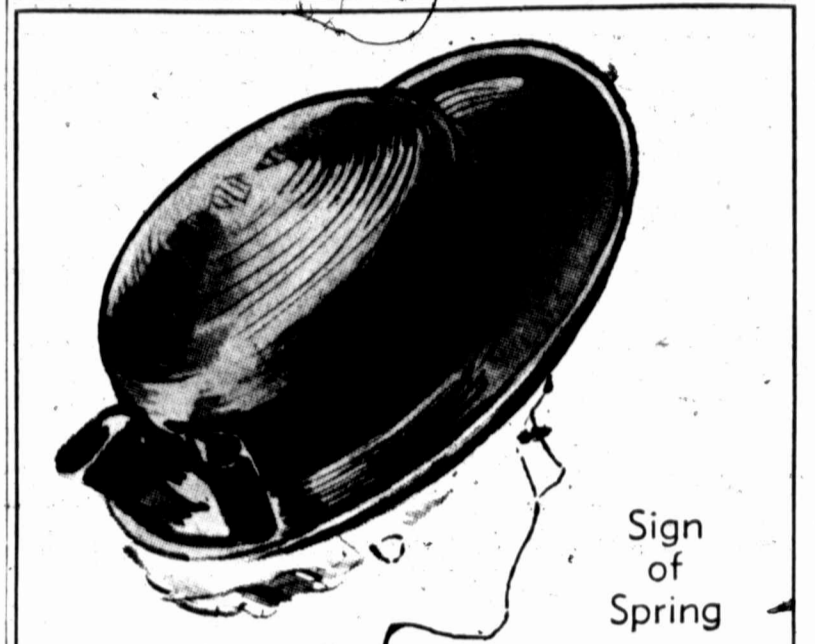
In 1958, there were 485,079 persons making their living working in the industry, earning \$1,811,284,986, says the booklet.

Revision of a previous booklet by the same title, "Texas Moves by Truck" quotes official sources for the figures.

Another index of the industry's size is that it paid \$166,862,437 in state and federal highway taxes in 1958.

The booklet, just off the press, is being distributed by Texas Motor Transportation Assn. James E. Taylor is executive director of the organization, said.

These tables, covering area counties are among those contained in the booklet issued by the association, which is pressing for an increase in the truck weight limit from 58,420 to 72,000 pounds.



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Pampa Wins Again, Hereford Defeated

AUSTIN (AP)—Terrapin - slow Lewis Qualls, a 7-foot center, snuffed in 20 points and hooked in 17 rebounds to guide Houston Smiley to a 58-42 victory over Hereford for the Class AAA cage title Saturday night.

Qualls, sought by about 75 colleges, seldom missed any chance at the basket but most of his points were on rebounds. He was seldom fed the ball. Smiley elected to shoot from the outside and depend on its giant to grab off the strays.

In the other final games of the Texas Schoolboy Basketball Tournament, Pampa won the Class AAAA title for a second straight by beating Dallas Jefferson, 65-52; Buna hit 11 of 16 shots from the field in the second half for a mild upset over Bowie, 53-48, for the Class AA title; Huntington walloped Plains 63-43 in Class A and Midway of Henrietta surged from behind for a 65-48 decision over Kyle.

Qualls tipped in two shots within the first 50 seconds of the game but the frantic, furious Hereford quintet stuck in the game until the slower Eagles began to solve the Panhandle crew's full court press late in the third period.

The score was tied 14-14, 16-16, 18-18 and 22-22 in the second period before Smiley went in front to stay at 24-22 on a followup by Harold Jones. Smiley had a 29-23 halftime spread and stretched it to 39-29 at the end of the third period.

Ken Clearman swished in 18 points on push shots, usually from 15-18 feet, to lead Hereford. PAMPA GETS 4TH The powerful Pampa Harvesters notched their 44th straight triumph over two seasons against a stubborn Dallas team.

Pampa hit 15 of 24 from the field in the first half for an amazing 62.5 per cent while Jefferson hit a fine 11 of 24. Pampa ended with 59.5 per cent and Jefferson an even 50 per cent.

Pampa utilized better defensive rebounding and a bristling up-front defense led by all-state Charles Minor to decide the contest. Minor, harnessed with a strap for a shoulder separation, set up many of the plays and rattled Jefferson when Dallas was on offense.

Buna roared from behind in the fourth quarter on the slick outside shooting of Tom Westbrook and Jimmy Cobb to slip past Bowie 53-48 for the Class AA championship.

Bowie led most of the way and went in front 39-33 early in the fourth quarter. Then Cobb hit a basket from about 15 feet out and made good a free throw. Charles Simmons poked one in from the corner to pull to 39-38 with 5:45 left.

Raymond Stancil cashed in two free throws for a 40-39 Buna lead. Orville Welch, who led Bowie with 18 points, got two free throws to put Bowie back in front.

All-stater James Thompson fouled out with 5:05 left and his fouls gave Westbrook two more free throws, making the score 42-41. An 18-foot set shot by Bob McKinley brought Bowie back in the lead. He was fouled on the shot and cashed the toss. That gave Bowie a 44-42 edge.

Westbrook then took a long pass and laid it in for the tying score. Seconds later Westbrook was fouled and his two shots pulled Buna ahead to stay, 46-44. Four more free throws and a driving lay-up by Cobb gave Buna a 52-46 lead.

Moore Plans Quick End For Dizzy Davis

ODESSA, Tex. (AP)— Archie Moore, king of the lightweights, fights a pugy foe who is a combination boxer-wrestler-psycho-logic here Monday.

But despite this array of talents, most of Archie's attention is focused on middleweight champion Sugar Ray Robinson.

Moore, somewhere between 40 and 50 and weighing about 192, clashes in a 10-rounder with Sterling (Dizzy) Davis of Houston.

Davis, 40 and 212, says he has a bachelor's degree from Texas A&M and master's and doctor's degrees from the University of Mexico in industrial psychology.

He's a popular wrestler in Texas, works at job placement interviews in Houston and claims about 25 fights.

"I can't recall," Davis said when asked how many he's won. But he added: "I've got a hard, fast right. I've never hit a man with my right hand that he didn't go down."

Archie didn't seem worried. "I'm of the old school," he said. "I think that a boxer can beat a wrestler any time."

Moore told Sports Illustrated, sports editor of the Odessa American, he planned to try to end things in a hurry Monday night lest some unexpected happening hurt his chances to fight Robinson.

Hoak and Burgess Help Buc Cause FORT MYERS, Fla. (AP)—Don Hoak and Smokey Burgess, two newly acquired Pittsburgh Pirates, hit for extra bases Saturday as the Pirates opened the exhibition baseball season by beating the Milwaukee Braves 6-4.

Milwaukee 000 002 110-4 8 3 Pittsburgh 002 030 10x-6 8 0 Hendrickson, Brown (4), Pizarro (7) and Dalrymple: Daniels, Gibbon (4), Law (7) and Folles, Burgess (6). W—Daniels. L—Hendrickson.

Detroiters Slam Senators, 8-5 ORLANDO, Fla. (AP)—The Detroit Tigers turned three Washington errors and a passed ball into four unearned runs and defeated the Senators 8-5 in an exhibition opener Saturday.

Washington 230 002 100-8 9 0 Detroit 030 100 100-5 11 3 Burnside, Bruce (4), Lep (7) and Berber; Valentini; Fitch (7) and Hyde (7). Oliva (8) and Porter. W—Burnside. L—Valentini.

Wright, Smith And Berg Head Field DALLAS (AP)— Three previous winners headline the field for the fourth annual Dallas Civitan Women's Open Golf Tournament April 16-19.

HCJC Swamps Field In Border Olympics

Howard County Junior College tracksters romped to an easy victory in the Border Olympics at Laredo Saturday, scoring 86 1/2 points to 53 for second place Arlington State.

Fred Thompson of HCJC was the high individual scorer in the junior college division with 18 points. He won the broad jump, placed second in the 220-yard dash, ran on the winning mile and sprint relay teams, and was second in the 100-yard dash.

Mexico Prep was third in the junior college division with 26 points, and San Antonio was fourth with 18 1/2. No records were set by the junior college class.

Abilene retained its championship title in the high school division with 60 points. However, the high school star was Roy Poage of Houston Lamar, who ran quarter-miles of 48 and 49.4. He won the 440-yard dash in 49.4 before anchoring the Lamar team in the mile relay with his 48 flat.

Poage's sprint brought him from far back to a team victory in 3:23.2, a meet record. Poage was high point man in the high school class with 11 1/2.

Texas, led by Eddie Southern, retained its title in the university division with 71 1/10 points. The Longhorns hung up a mile relay record of 3:13.2. Southern won both sprints and spearheaded the 440-yard and mile relay teams to victory.

East Texas easily repeated as champion of the college division. SMU was second in the university class with 43 points. Houston was third with 39 1/2, and ACC was fourth with 37 1/2.

Howard Payne was second in the college class with 34 points, followed by Texas A&T with 30 and McMurry with 25.

Six records were hung up in the high school division, with five in the afternoon finals.

Emery Martindale of San Angelo threw the shot 57 feet 4 1/4 inches to better his own record of 55-8 set in the preliminaries. Dudley Haas of Corpus Christi Ray broad-jumped 23 feet 5 1/4 inches to wipe out his own mark of 23-3 1/4 set in the prelims.

Poage's 49.4 broke his own 440-yard record of 50.0, also set in the preliminaries, and David Deboer of Houston Bellaire did the mile in 4:26.9 to erase the record of 4:29.3 set last year by Bobby Barrett of Midland.

Bobby Johnson of Abilene won the 120-yard high hurdles in 14.5, which was a tenth of a second over his record of 14.4 set in the preliminaries.

Abilene almost doubled its nearest opponent—Midland—in points. Midland was second with 33 and Houston Lamar third with 29 1/2.

With 21.1; Dick Howard of New Mexico topped the low hurdles field with 23.4, and Jarrell Edwards of Abilene Christian led the half-milers with 1:35.5.

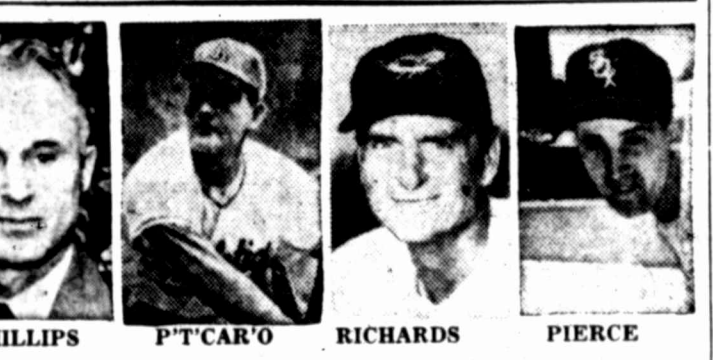
John Emmett of SMU paced the 440-yard men with 48.3. Other than Brown's record quarter, Texas A&I had a 41.6 time in the college 440-yard relay and Sidney Garton, the East Texas State freshman, did the 220 in 21.1.

Calvin Cooley of Abilene Christian ran the high hurdles in 14.7; Ralph A. Spaulugh, Texas sophomore, led the 220-yard runners



Vaulting Triumvirate Pictured above are the three vaulters on the HCJC track and field team. Two of them, Noel Orr (left) and Delbert Shrey (right) picked up points for the Big Spring club in the Border Olympics at Laredo Friday. Shrey won the event with a vault of 12 feet 3 1/4 inches. Orr tied for second. The athlete in the middle is Brandt Baize.

LOOKING 'EM OVER With Tommy Hart



Bobby Fuller, the ex-Big Spring High School and HCJC miler, will see action principally in dual meets with the University of Florida track and field team this spring. Fuller and his teammates are scheduled to compete in the Florida Duals at Gainesville March 28 and in duals with Georgia Tech at Atlanta April 4, Florida State at Tallahassee April 11, Miami at Gainesville April 18, Auburn at Gainesville April 25 and the Florida AAU at Tallahassee May 20.

The Southeastern Conference meet takes place at Baton Rouge, La., around May 20, the closest to home Bobby will compete. In the tougher meets, Fuller will run either a mile or two miles but will take part in both events in all dual meets. The University of Florida, incidentally, has a new asphalt track, unlike any other in the nation, and the Gators will push track as they never have before.

Fuller recently pledged to the Delta Tau Delta fraternity. The Ted Phillips Sportsmanship awards will probably be presented during the Evening Lions' Club banquet honoring the BSHS and HCJC cage teams here later this month.

The ten-player trade in which Ollie Matson was the key figure was the biggest ever swung by the Los Angeles Rams. In 1952, the Coast club sent 11 players to the now defunct Dallas Texans for Les Richter.

More than one observer in this state believes that Morris Seigel of Houston calls the shots for the State Boxing Commission, that the fight game in the state will never amount to much until a six or seven man committee, headed by a strong personality, is authorized and put in office.

Bob Callahan, who would like to match nationally-ranked Joey Giambra against a capable middleweight boxer in a local ring, himself is a former pro fighter. A native of West Virginia, Callahan fought out of Pittsburgh and had over 80 fights, only three of which he lost.

Two of those were to Ray Miller, then the Featherweight champion, and the other to Kid Chocolate. Chocolate cut him about the face and forced him to quit.

Callahan, incidentally, says that Giambra may move to Odessa or somewhere in West Texas. He now resides in Dallas.

Dick Deike, who recently completed his basketball career with the Lubbock Monarchs team, scored 1,164 points in three years of varsity play with the Plainsmen.

Deike's best season was in 1957-58, at which time he stuffed 455 points through the hoop. The Texas Game and Fish Commission estimates that sport-fishermen catch 65 million pounds of edible fish each year along the Texas coast.

The Chicago Cardinals, who recently traded Ollie Matson to the Los Angeles Rams for nine football players, may shortly deal off Lamar Mahan, the former Arkansas star.

The Cards were disenchanted with Mahan a couple of seasons ago when he sat out part of the season. Incidentally, contrary to what you might have heard, Matson didn't particularly relish the idea of leaving the Cards for Los Angeles.

Ollie, who lived in Texas at one time, had recently finished making repairs on his house but added that he especially wanted to finish his career with the Cardinals. Wait until the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce brainwashes him.

Don't be surprised if Arnold Portocarrera has a sensational season with the Baltimore Orioles. Manager Paul Richards is lending him the same sort of attention he gave Billy Pierce before he became a star.

I'd still like to see the color green incorporated into Big Spring High School colors in some way.

Baseballers Must Pass All Grades Roy Baird, the Big Spring High School baseball coach, has a rather unusual policy his athletes must respect in order to stay eligible.

He makes them pass all their work in school. Paul Richards will probably be fired as manager of the Baltimore Orioles this year unless the team finishes as high as third in the American League, and few observers expect the O's to do that well.

If Baltimore suffers another decline in attendance, Richards may beat his bosses to the punch and resign.

Joe Cairnes, who served the Milwaukee Braves as their president until recently, is building 12,000 homes in a Florida project.

It's a half billion dollar project and will take six to eight years to complete. Tommy Black, the former HCJC athlete, won't be running the hurdles for North Texas State College anytime soon, due to a leg injury.

He's cleared 13 feet in the pole vault this year. Raul (Raton) Macias, once one of the world's best bantam-weight boxers, won a

Table with columns for Jefferson and Pampa scores in various events (Sommerville, Wade, Thompson, Houch, Seay, Lee, Lira, Hays, Colton, Goode).

Spartans Win EAST LANSING, Mich. (AP)—Big Ten basketball titlist Michigan State avenged an earlier setback Saturday night by cutting down Iowa 84-74 and killing any Hawkeye hopes for a share for second in the final standings.

Bowling Green Wins DAYTON, Ohio (AP)—Bowling Green, shooting a torrid 53 per cent, whipped defending champion Miami (Ohio) 76-63 in a playoff Saturday and won the right to represent the Mid-American Conference in the NCAA tournament next week.

Advertisement for Prager's New Yorker Worsteds suits, featuring an illustration of a man in a suit and a dog, and text describing the suits and contact information.

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Stars In Odessa Meet

Pictured above are three of the top track stars who will compete in the West Texas Relays at Odessa March 20-21. They are, left to right, Dave Sime, Duke University; Bobby Morrow, who has completed his collegiate eligibility at ACC and is now running independently; and Glenn Davis, Ohio State University. The three have been matched in both the 100 and 220 yard dash events at Odessa. Sime beat Morrow in a widely heralded match in Big Spring last year.

# Odessa Attention Set On 'Big Three' Of Track

ODESSA (SC)—Triggered by three of the world's greatest runners, the 1959 West Texas Relays to be held here March 20-21 offer track fans the finest attraction in Texas track history. It would be a promoter's dream to have any of the three—Bobby Morrow of Abilene Christian College, Dave Sime of Duke University and Glenn Davis of Ohio State University—on his program. But, to have all three competing against each other in two special races on the same afternoon exceeds the wildest expectations of any promoter.

That, however, is the case of this 15th annual running of the West Texas Relays. Morrow, Davis and Sime will compete in special 100 and 220-yard dashes on Saturday afternoon, March 21. There will be other contestants in those special events but the interest of all spectators will focus on the "Big Three." Competing against each other will be old stuff for Morrow and Sime. But, it will be Davis' debut against the world-renowned speed merchants from Texas and North Carolina.

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# Redl Camp Peevved Over Fight Draw

NEW YORK (AP)—A fight that didn't have much significance stirred up a much rhabar today. Stefan Redl, a stocky, 5-5 welterweight from Passaic, N. J., and unbeaten Eddie Jordan, a skinny 5-10 newcomer from Brooklyn, battled to a draw in a television 10-rounder at Madison Square Garden Friday night. Jordan rallied strongly to gain the tie. The verdict made Redl and his manager, Carl Duva, howling mad. It made Jordan happy. Duva was so burned up after the decision was announced that he tore across the ring, hollering with every step. "Where's the commissioner? What kind of a decision is that?" Somewhat calmed down later, Duva said he planned to protest to the commission Monday but not over the decision.

fighters several times to stop holding, left quickly after the fight and couldn't be reached for comment. He voted for Jordan, 6-4. Judge Artie Schwartz had Redl ahead, 7-2-1. Judge Bill Recht had it exactly even, 4-4-2 and four points for each. The AP card had Redl in front, 4-4. Most of the 2,500 fans who paid about \$5,000 cheered the vote for Jordan, a sub and a 7-5 underdog. Eleven of 14 boxing writers thought Redl won. The draw was a good break for the 23-year-old Jordan, subbing for injured Gaspar Ortega. The bout marked his Arden and national television debut and the result stretched his unbeaten record to 16 and three draws. Redl's record is 22-3-1.

## Cafe Team Retains Commercial Lead

Preserving a 10-game lead in the Commercial bowling league, 66 Cafe balled over Truck Stop, 4-0, last week in maples action. Wagon Wheel wrecked Bell, 4-0. Sinclair cracked Jack's, 4-0, and Fireball rolled over McGibbons, 3-1, in other matches. The Cafe team had high series of 2775 and tied with Fireball for high game with 925. Ray Langley, a Cafe bowler, had high individual series, 576, followed by Don Fisher of Fireball with 571. Boyce Hale's 210 for McGibbons was good for best single game, and Langley's 209 held second.

## Odessa Bronchos Batter Lubbock

ODESSA (SC)—Odessa High School smashed Tom S. Lubbock, 16-2, on the baseball diamond here Friday afternoon. James Ingram hurled the win, setting the Westerners down with two hits in the five innings he toiled. Bobby Flannigan tossed the final two innings for the Odessans. Gary Spann and Jimmy Posey clubbed home runs for the winners.

## Bill Woodhouse Heads ACC Track Team Entered Here

Bill Woodhouse, who will lead the Abilene Christian College track and field team into the ABC Relays here March 28, did not compete in the Border Olympics at Laredo Saturday. Woodhouse was ineligible to run at Laredo due to the fact that he competed there as a freshman. The senior from Iowa ran second to Dave Sime of Duke in the famed Race of the Century in the ABC Relays last year, after beating Sime in the preliminaries. He beat his teammate, Bobby Morrow, who wound up third in the 100-yard event. Though Coach Jackson's sprint relay units are riddled by graduation he has six sprinters, including Woodhouse, he can call upon for relay duty. Calvin Cooley, national freshman low hurdle record holder (22.6), made his first shot at university distance competition at Laredo. He was defeated only once as a freshman and that was in an open high hurdle event. His

best clocking for the highs was 14.3. Other top Wildcat standouts include shot putter Rayford McIlhenny (54-4) and miler Jimmy Reeves (4:11.0). Members of the Wildcat track team who will probably compete in Big Spring, listed with best career performances: Possible Wildcat entries with best career performances: 440-Yard Relay—Peterson, Cooley, Clanton and Taylor. One-Mile Run—Reeves (4:11.0) and Thomas O'Neal (4:21.4). 440-Yard Dash—Clanton (49.1), Pat McKennon (48.7), Nancy (49.8) and Taylor (48.5). 100-Yard Dash—Peterson (9.7), Taylor (9.8) and Woodhouse (9.9). High Hurdles—Cooley (14.3). 880-Yard Run—Edwards (1:51.9). 220-Yard Dash—Peterson (20.9) and Taylor (21.3). Freestyle Run—Marvin Coleman (9:27.0), Jerry Mabry (9:30.1) and Reeves (9:29.3). Low Hurdles—Cooley (22.4) and 22.6). One-Mile Relay—Taylor, McKennon, Edwards and Clanton. Discus Throw—McIlhenny (135.1). Pole Vault—Leroy Cutler (15.0) and Don Flannery (12.3). Shot Put—McIlhenny (54.4) and Don Flannery (52.3). Broad Jump—McKennon (6.2). High Jump—Bill Todd (24.2), and Don Stafford (24.1) and McKennon (23.5).

## Musial Intent On Saving His Energy In '59

By JOE REICHLER Associated Press Sports Writer ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP)—Stan (The Man) Musial, the seemingly indestructible superstar of the St. Louis Cardinals, is finally giving ground. Grudgingly but surely. The famed 3,000 hitmaker and holder of more records than any National League player in history, was 38 last Nov. 21 and there were times last year when he felt every mouth of it. "I'm going to try to conserve my energy this season," he said. "I hope to play in fewer spring exhibition games. I definitely am not going to play both ends of doubleheaders. And I'm going to ask Solly (Manager Solly Hemus) for an occasional day off during the hot spells. I think in this way I'll be able to play in about 125 to 130 games and be more valuable to the club. "I got awfully tired last year. The last two months I was really worn out. I lost my power." Musial batted a highly respectable .337, a figure good enough to place him third among the leaders. But his runs batted in dropped from 102 to 62. It was his lowest RBI total since he began playing regularly in 1942. Musial thinks the switch from first base to the outfield will help him. "It's much more wearing on you to play first base," he explained. "You're in on almost every play and even when you're not you have to start in on every pitch. There's no such constant moving about in the outfield. You can relax more." Musial had a hunch this will be a good year for him. "I think I can do as well, if not better, than last year," he said. "I'd like very much to win the batting championship this year."

Stan has still another goal. He would like to reach 3,500 hits. That would put him ahead of Honus Wagner's 3,430 and make him the champion hit getter in National League history. "I should make it in two years," said the man who accumulated 3,116 hits in 16 and a fraction seasons. "So I'm sure I'm going to play this year and next, at least. Then I'll wait and see. "It's a challenge. I'll play as long as I can help the club."

## B & P Is Still No. One Team

B&P, top dog in the Merchant's bowling league, won the best of three games last week over Donald's to maintain its two-game edge. Prager's tripped Toby in all three games, Wilson Bros. swept a trio from Tom Conway, and Alexander dropped Snider in two of three matches. Snider rolled high team game of 869 and B&P concocted a 2509 high series. J. C. Self of Snider copped a 234 high game with a 580 series backing. Matches next week are Snider-Prager, Alexander-Toby, Donald-Tom Conway, and B&P-Wilson Bros.

## Donna Duda Paces OW Bowling Loop

The Pinups thrashed the Headhunters, 3-1, the Sexy Five dismantled the Shoudda Beens, 3-1, and the After Burners underminded the Ball Points, 4-0, last week in the Officers' Wives bowling league. The Pinups assembled a 2000 high series total. Donna Duda had high game and series among individuals, 167-408. Betty Watson picked up the 2-4-10 split, Sharon Brache the 3-10; Nita Brown, 3-10; Francie Welceman, 2-7; Carolyn Watts, 2-7; Nancy Kan, 5-7; Mary Smith, 3-9-10; and Angie Puckett, the 3-10 twice.

Standings: W L B&P 42 28 Alexander 42 30 Wilson 40 32 Prager 37 34 Donald 27 39 Toby 21 40 Snider 20 42 Tom Conway 20 42

The West Texas Relays is a three-division track meet featuring high schools, colleges and universities. Some 60 high schools are expected. Five universities entered include Houston, Baylor, North Texas, Ohio State and Duke. Six college teams include East Texas, Hardin-Simmons, Howard Payne, Texas Western and Sul Ross. But the main interest, which will be nation-wide, will focus on the two open events featuring Morrow, Sime and Davis.

## Knott Beaten By Meridian

BROWNWOOD (SC)—Knott was sidlined in the first round of the Region 2-B girls' basketball tournament here Saturday morning by Meridian, 45-40. Meridian raced to a 16-4 lead in the first quarter and led all the way. Sheran Cline had 19 points and Brenda Woods 17 for the Knott team while Judy Allen tossed in 20 for the winners. In other first round games, Santos won over Gustine, 39-26; Hawley turned back Moody, 35-46; and Gorman flogged Paint Rock, 39-26.

## Floyd Elkins Is Levelland Aide

LEVELLAND (SC)—Floyd Elkins, who resigned recently as head coach at San Angelo Lakeview, has been named first assistant coach to Johnny Hickman at Levelland High School. "Elkins' starting salary will be \$5,100 per annum.

# STEERS PULL A SILKY, DEFEAT SNYDER, 7-6

The Big Spring Steers pulled a Silky Sullivan here Saturday afternoon, coming on to defeat the Snyder Tigers, 7-6, after spotting the visitors all of their tallies. The Bengals counted all their runs in the first two innings but Jerry Phillips rode out one tempest Chubby Moser spelled him in the midst of a mild Snyder rally in the sixth and experienced little trouble to speak of, thereafter, although the Tigers did get a runner as far as third base in the sixth. Little Jimmy Kinman won his spurs as a Big Spring regular when he delivered a couple of timely blows, scored two runs and started a rally-killing double play. Phillips and Moser set the Tigers down with five hits, including a double and a single off the bat of Kenny Drake. The Longhorns, on the other hand, combed the slants of Norman Ekladson for nine safeties, including two each by Wilson Bell, Bobby McAdams and Jackie Thomas. The Steers struck for four runs in the third with some blooper hits and some erratic defensive play on the part of Snyder. They added the other three in the fifth when Thomas singled, Elton Kelley reached base on an error, Bernard McMahon walked and Kinman batted a one-baser. A double by Wilson Bell also paid off big for the Bovines in that round, driving in what proved to be the winning runs. Snyder's big inning proved to be the third, at which time Jerry Fleming walked, Mike Moffitt reached first on a fielder's choice, Gladson singled, Spencer Dyer singled and Kenny Drake doubled.

## AND OWN COOKING

# Jumping Ace Is Lover Of Jazz

By ROB HOORING Associated Press Sports Writer BOSTON (AP)—America's most amazing athlete is an 18-year-old college freshman who loves dancing, jazz records and his own cooking. Yet John Thomas is the greatest high jumper in history only because five years ago he wasn't tall enough for basketball. Combining modesty and self-confidence, John's reaction to his world record leap of 7 feet, 1 1/4 inches last month at the National AAU indoor meet was typical. "Records were made to be broken and I will continue to try and go higher," said the muscular 180-pound Negro youth. What makes Thomas unique is the startling speed with which he has captured records and public imagination alike. This gangling son of a Cambridge, Mass., bus driver is a product of the space age. Last December he made a promising jump of 6-5 1/2 for the Boston University freshmen against Harvard. Then followed an eight-week spree in which John seven times bettered the approved world record mark of 6-10 1/4 and shattered all existing records with his 7-1 1/4 effort. But the early days were filled with uncertainty and discouragement. An imposing 6-foot, 4 1/2-inch athlete, John chuckles at the picture of himself as a scrawny 5-10 high school freshman who couldn't make the basketball team. Thomas laughs even harder at his first competitive high jump. He struggled to clear 4-9. In grammar school John's first

## First Baptist Raps SA Five

First Baptist ran free and easy over Salvation Army, 63-27, here Friday night in a YMCA Church basketball league game. It was the first game played in the league in two weeks. Wesley Methodist accepted a 2-0 forfeit from First Methodist because the latter team failed to show 10 minutes within game time. YMCA Church league all-star selections Jimmy Patterson and Frank Hardesty Jr. sparked the winners with 15 and 14 points, respectively, but yielded scoring honors to teammate Don Hale who dunked in 23. Salvation Army, winless in seven actual league encounters, relied on Overton who tipped in 11. The Army team won a forfeit over First Methodist recently. Salvation Army trailed by only 24-19 at halftime. FIRST BAPTIST (63) — Hale 10-23; Rowland 5-12; Hardesty 6-24; Patterson 7-15; Totals 28-73. SALVATION ARMY (27) — Nicholson 1-2; Hailford 3-7; Morrow 0-1; Overton 4-11; Yonkers 3-6; Totals 11-27. Halftime score — First Baptist 24, Salvation Army 19.

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Ride Webb Jets

Two more Big Spring civic leaders Friday went into the upper altitudes more familiar to Webb's jet pilots than to civilians. Clyde McMahon and Champ Ramwater, left to right, wearing helmets, are briefed on use of their oxygen masks by Lt. Col. Leland A. Younkin (left) and Maj. Sherrod H. Osborne Jr., of Pilot Training Group, conductors on the tour upstairs. Earlier the two Big Springers had received a day-long briefing and had lunched at the Officers' Club. The activities were part of a continuing Air Force effort to familiarize community leaders with today's problem of air traffic control and the Air Force's work in promoting flying safety.

LETTERS

Lauds Derby As Chance To Relax

To the Editor: We're looking forward to the Soap Box Derby this year. The most satisfying thing we noticed at the Soap Box Derby last year was the attitude of relaxation among the people there. It's something we haven't really seen since

our boyhood days back in Muskogee, Okla., quite a number of years ago. We'll never forget the good times we had at the parades, circuses and ball games back yonder; and the care-free, relaxed attitude of those around us even

added to our fun. But when and where do we see much of that anymore?

"Course, times are good now, but times were good back there then too, before the big depression. But maybe that's just the trouble—times are too good. Everybody's trying to make money, and everybody's working, or trying to find work.

We rejoiced with David Spradling over his triumph in winning the Derby last year, but we rejoice even more that we can have an occasion where we can let down our hair, cast off our cares, and just forget everything but to relax and enjoy the outing and the coolness of the evening breeze.

Really, what did we care who won? Whoever would win would leave dozens of disappointed boys. The boys themselves were about the only ones who were not completely relaxed; but we didn't worry too much about them because we knew that in a few days their disappointment would disappear as they engaged in their summer activities.

No, we don't relax enough! We are all too tense! Let's have more of these outings, and let's really relax and be natural while there.

Sincerely,  
C. M. GOETHE  
7th & J Streets  
Sacramento, Calif.

Sincerely,  
H. D. BECK,  
419 Edwards Blvd.

Wants Big Bend Park Extended Into Mexico

To the Editor: Many geologists assert that South America long was isolated from North America because the narrow neck at Panama was submerged below Ocean's level. On this desk is data by one geologist. He comments that the reason of Brazil's remarkable number of species of birds is due to the fact that when Brazil, in ancient days, snapped off from Africa, and the South Atlantic Ocean was formed, Brazil remained a series of islands. Each of these had its own fauna.

Then an International Peace Park duplicating that on Canada's border with a highway connecting all Pan America would give Mexico millions in revenue from not only Auduboneers but other travel.

Undersigned commenced birding in Mexico a half century ago and continued until he had covered most of the different faunal areas. Many of the tropical birds have worked up into Mexico. A few are found in U. S. A., only in Texas, particularly in Big Bend National Park.

Among the interesting birds are toucans, motmots, quetzals, antbirds, trogons, singing quails. Should not the investment Texas made to induce Washington to create Big Bend National Park be utilized to expand Texas' enjoyment of the remarkable bird life across the Rio Grande?

Can we not coax Mexico to keep its promise to establish their Big Bend National Park opposite ours?

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# WOMEN'S NEWS

The Big Spring Herald

BIG SPRING, TEXAS, SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 1959



A COOKIE IS A COOKIE IS A COOKIE, but Girl Scout cookies are something special! These cartons contain only part of the stock of cookies which the Brownies and Girl Scouts will be selling during the coming week, which marks the birthday of the organization. Holding a poster is Lana Jon Day, as Sandra Conner helps Linda Von Wright in stacking the supply of cookies. The girls are members of Troop 325.



WELFARE WORK is part of the training given Brownies and Girl Scouts; in that comes the brightening of holidays for the sick or shut-ins. As one of their projects, Brownies of Troop 210 and Girl Scouts of Troop 207 combined their efforts to make Valentines for the patients at the VA Hospital in February. Admiring the finished product held by Jackie Buchanan, a Girl Scout, at right in picture above, are Brownies Randy Woods and Elaine Miller, and Girl Scout Barbara Weaver.



PLANNED TO PLEASE CHILDREN are the picture books which are colored by Girl Scout Troop 34 to be taken to children who are ill in local hospitals. Putting the finishing touches on what looks like it might be the story of Chicken Little are Nancy McEvers and Sandra Ivie. This is just one of the many activities in which the girls are taught to perform duties which will bring pleasure or assistance to others.

## Big Week For Girl Scouts

Marking the beginning of Girl Scout Week is an open house, slated for 2 to 5 p.m. today at the Girl Scout House, 1407 Lancaster.

Brownies and Intermediate Scouts will assist as guides and hostesses, with leaders of troops serving as greeters during the party hours.

Displays of work and projects to be shown include leather-work, rock collections, paintings, trail signs, replicas of fire-building projects and studies in first aid.

All parents and friends of the organization are invited to call during the afternoon at the open house.

If plans worked out, girls in uniform attended various local churches as troops this morning.

The sale of cookies began on Friday with Brownies and Girl Scouts taking part in the sale of 135 cartons, each containing 12 boxes of cookies. Price of the confections is 50 cents a box.

Proceeds from the sale will go into the fund for carrying on the summer camp at Boothe Oaks, near Sweetwater.

In the coming week, special observances will be held by various groups of scouts, marking the birthday anniversary of scouting, which was begun on March 12, 1912 in Savannah, Ga., by Mrs. Juliet Gordon Low.

A banquet has been slated for Troops 301 and 299 Thursday at 6:30 p.m. when they entertain their mothers in the Student Union Building at Howard County Junior College. Mrs. Larson Lloyd, district chairman, will speak to the group and work of the two troops will be shown.

Another troop has planned a program for the regular meeting when tiny candles will be used in the observance of the birthday anniversary of scouting Wednesday at noon, the Lions Club will see a program presented by a Girl Scout troop.

Local scouting is a result of efforts of the Lions Club in 1942, when the club organized the first troop. Local women who were Girl Scouts at the time include Mrs. James Duncan, Mrs. Ray Adams and Mrs. J. W. Purser.

In 1948, the Little House, came into being with the purchase of an old barracks building; through stories published in The Herald, contributions were made to the extent that no campaign was necessary for the funds to improve and decorate the building.

Early leaders in the work were Larson Lloyd, president of the West Texas Council, Dan Conley, Lawrence Robinson and Shire Philips.

The council covers 165 miles and 13 counties; District Four in the council includes Big Spring, Stanton, Garden City and Sterling City, with 75 troops, 39 being in Big Spring. Mrs. Lloyd is president of District Four.

Districts are divided into cities, which are composed of neighborhoods; these, in turn, are broken into troops. Local leaders, Scouts and Brownies number about 1,000.



PATRIOTISM is one of the characteristics of a Girl Scout, and it is taught in various ways. Shown above is half the color guard of Girl Scout Troop 301 as members prepare to repeat the scout oath and the pledge of allegiance. In the regular ritual, two color bearers are flanked by two guards as the colors are saluted. From left to right, the girls are Arra Mullyedy, Susan Mullyedy and Linda Haynes.



DOLLS OF VARIOUS NATIONS are being dressed by Girl Scouts of Troop 299 in their study of girls of foreign lands. Planned as a display at the open house slated this afternoon at the Girl Scout Little House, the dolls will be shown to families and friends who call between 2 and 5 p.m. Holding a little Japanese doll is Jan Ferry, at right in picture at left; others who have completed the project are, left to right, Cynthia Thompson, Jackie Crawford and Sue Weber.

(Photos by Keith McMillin)



FOR THE BIRTHDAY PARTY of the Girl Scout organization, Brownie Troop 328 will have an observance at their meeting Tuesday afternoon. Looking toward that date, Debbie Miller, at left in picture at right, and Barbara Neefe busily prepared tiny candles to be used. Spools were gilded and small handles were formed of pipe cleaners. Then a green candle was inserted in each spool. Leaders of the troop are Mrs. Joseph Fulcher, Mrs. Charles Neefe and Mrs. Dean Forrest.



## Family Celebration Marks 81st Birthday For Mrs. Partlow

Birthday wishes there are plenty for Mrs. Beulah Partlow today. The Abilene woman is the center of attention here at a family gathering in the home of her grandson, Myron J. Partlow, 2403 Main. All nine of her children have come to voice their greetings on this, her 81st birthday, which was officially March 7.

It is the custom for host honors to be rotated each year. Today the banner is being carried by her eldest son, C. W. Partlow of Abilene, in whose son's home the dinner is being held. Her other children are Mrs. Carrie Davis, Mrs. Albert Jennings, Mrs. C. R. Scott, all of Abilene; Mrs. I. C. Raley, Big Spring; Mrs. J. L. Mayhew, Lamesa; Mrs. Jess West and Mrs. Fannie Moore, Plainview; and Henry Partlow, Georgetown.

Not all of the 18 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren could be present, but Mrs. Mollie Puckett of Winters and Mrs. Lulu Partlow of Thordale, sisters-in-law of the honoree, are on hand. With the group, too, are a couple of friends, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ensor of Lubbock.

The native of Williamson County, who has resided in Abilene for the past 12 years, has visited in Big Spring frequently. She is a sister of the late Houston Puckett whose home was here.

Mrs. Partlow, widowed for many years, maintains her own apartment. Just what are the principal interests of the octogenarian, other than her family? She reads extensively, and is a fan of the "sensible programs" on television; by this term she refers to the quiz shows and to the President's speeches. She has long been active in the First Baptist Church.



It's Her Birthday

There is no need for 81 candles on this beautiful cake to point up which birthday Mrs. Beulah Partlow of Abilene is celebrating. Red roses devised by a daughter, Mrs. J. L. Mayhew of Lamesa, surround the confection. The family is assembled in Big Spring today to honor Mrs. Partlow.

## Dinner, Style Revue Set At Cosden Club

Two Weeks with Pay will be the theme of the fashion revue to be given for the Cosden Women's Club Thursday evening, when they meet for dinner at Cosden Country Club.

Slated for 7 p.m., the dinner and revue are planned for career women as well as husbands of members. Tickets to accommodate 200 are on sale now and may be obtained from various members until Tuesday evening. After that time, Mrs. Lloyd Nalls and Mrs. W. E. Gibson Jr. will be in charge of sales until Thursday at noon.

Thirty models will display fashions from Zack's, with luggage and jewelry from Lynn's Jewelers. Mrs. Jim Zack will be the commentator.

## Duplicate Bridge Winners Named

Master Point Night was observed Thursday evening at duplicate bridge play in the Officers Club, Webb AFB. Bridge games are scheduled each Thursday at the club; the session opens at 7:15 p.m.

North-South winners were Mrs. Leroy Brufat and Mrs. M. A. Ruhl, first place; Mrs. Ernest Lahr and Mrs. Ernest Baumann, second; Mrs. Elmo Wasson and Mrs. E. L. Powell, third; Mrs. Fred Haller and Mrs. H. E. Thorne Jr., fourth.

Winning in east-west position were Mrs. John Stone and Mrs. Ben McCullough, first; Mrs. William Puckett and Mrs. Joe Lyon, second; Mrs. R. R. McEwen Jr. and Mrs. Charles Pierce, third; Mrs. Roger Flesman and Mrs. Robert Lix, fourth.

## Miss Abat Becomes Alpha Chi Member

DENTON—Ruth Ann Abat, senior journalism major at Texas Woman's University, was recently initiated into Alpha Chi, a national general honorary scholarship society for juniors and seniors.

The purpose of the organization, which began in Texas but now has 46 chapters over the United States, is to encourage high quality of scholarship.

Miss Abat, one of 12 initiates, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Abat, 106 NW 12th. She is business manager of the Daily Lass-O, student publication.

## STORK CLUB

### MEDICAL ARTS HOSPITAL

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Francisco Madrid, Stanton, a son, Carlos, at 11:45 p.m. Feb. 28, weighing 8 pounds, 1 ounce.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Whitley, 703 Wyoming, a son, Russell III, at 10:44 p.m., March 4, weighing 6 pounds, 13 ounces.

### WEBB AFB HOSPITAL

Born to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Carl N. Schaffhauser, 2408 Alabama, a daughter, Kathy, at 8:50 a.m. Feb. 24, weighing 7 pounds, 9 ounces.

Born to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Albert M. Freeman, O.K. Trailer Courts, a son, Curtis Warren, at 1:53 a.m. Feb. 28, weighing 8 pounds, 2½ ounces.

Born to S.Sgt. and Mrs. Robert C. Cox, 204 Mobile, a son, Walter David, at 12:31 a.m. March 1, weighing 9 pounds, 6 ounces.

Born to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Stephen F. Squires, Webb Trailer Court, a daughter, Karen Leigh, at 6:28 a.m. March 3, weighing 8 pounds, 6 ounces.

Born to T.Sgt. and Mrs. Robert E. Parker, 1102 West 2nd, a daughter, Frances Pearl, at 4:10 p.m. March 4, weighing 8 pounds, 3½ ounces.

Born to A.I.C. and Mr. Raul Ruiz, Ellis Homes, a daughter, Esther, at 12:15 p.m. March 5, weighing 6 pounds, 8½ ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Acree, Odessa, a daughter, Debra Louise, at 1:02 a.m. Feb. 28, weighing 7 pounds, 5½ ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Meeks, 1212 Grata, a son, David Wesley, at 11:02 a.m. Feb. 28, weighing 9 pounds, 1 ounce.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Strood, 1104 Austin, a son, Warren Glenn, at 3:45 p.m. March 1, weighing 7 pounds, 14½ ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. DeLaine Crawford, 604 West 16th, a son, David Delaine, at 3:12 a.m. March 2, weighing 7 pounds 15½ ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Sidler, 702½ East 17th, a son, Michael Alan, at 12:27 p.m. March 4, weighing 7 pounds, 4 ounces.

### Separates For Fun

Sun-loving, fun-loving separates are right at home in a vacation wardrobe. The sport top is boxy, boat-necked and slashed with bold, broad stripes. Pair it with a pair of mid-calf length pants that are slim-fitting, but non-revealing because they're fully lined for smooth fit. In fresh garden tones of cornflower blue, hyacinth pink, sage green and black cotton knit, both pieces are hand washable.

### Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sims,

1610 East 5th, a daughter, Sue Ann, at 1:32 a.m. March 5, weighing 8 pounds, 1 ounce.

### COWPER HOSPITAL

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Girard Jr., Keith Motel, a daughter, Theresa Ann, at 4:55 p.m. Feb. 28, weighing 6 pounds.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Taylor, Sterling City Route, a son, G. W. Jr., at 2:15 p.m. March 3, weighing 7 pounds, 10 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Epifino Ramirez, 1206 NW 3rd, a son, Ramon Enrique, at 8:32 a.m. Feb. 28, weighing 7 pounds, 12 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Schafer, Route 2, a daughter, Melissa Beth, at 11:35 p.m. March 3, weighing 9 pounds, 4 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James W. Findley, Gail Rt., a daughter, Margaret Colleen, at 9:30 a.m. March 4, weighing 10 pounds, 2 ounces.

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## Recent Bride Honored At Tea Friday

Mrs. Jackie Callaway, a recent bride, was honored Friday evening at the home of Mrs. W. N. McClanahan, when friends joined in giving a miscellaneous shower.

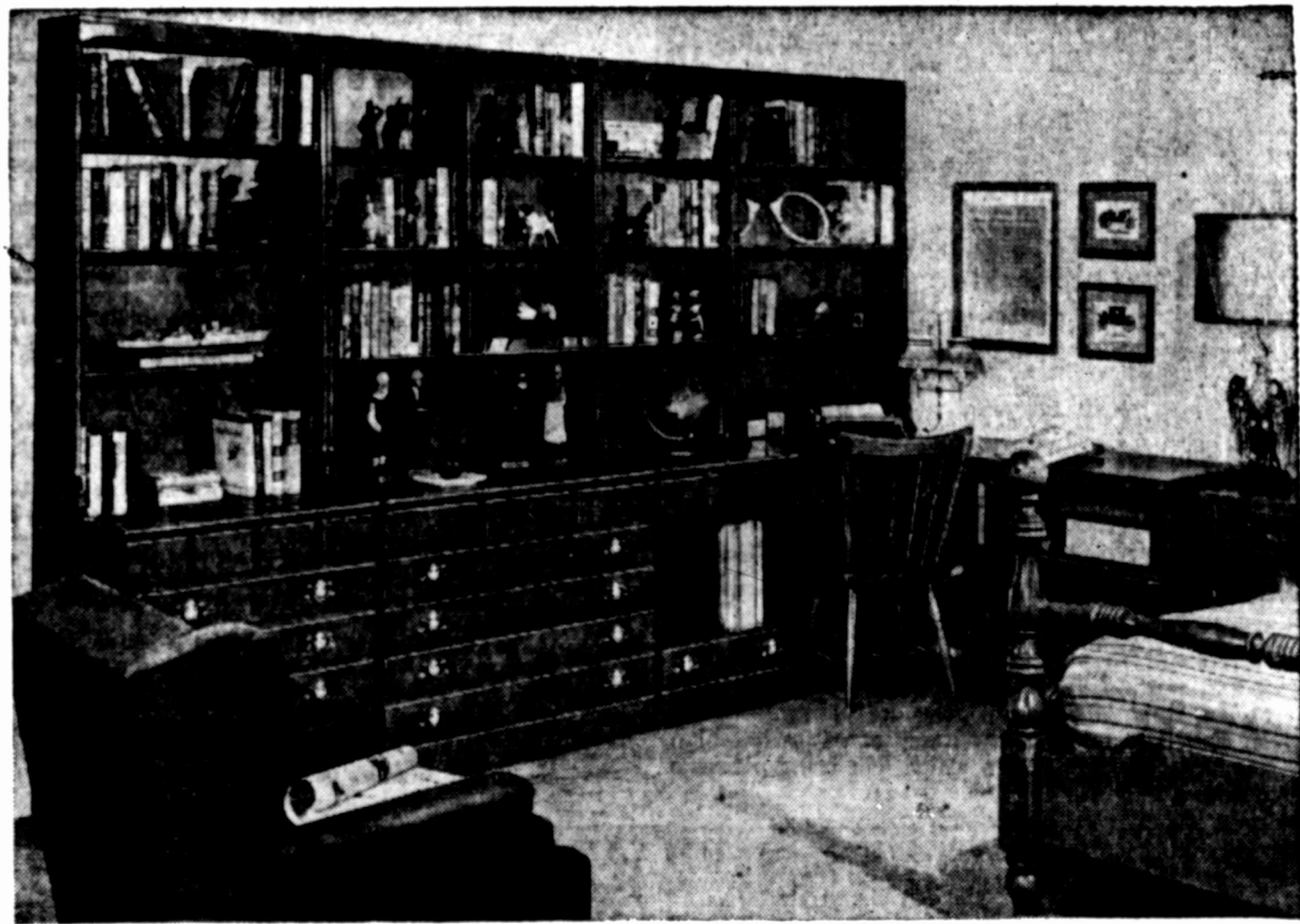
The bride is the former Carol Ann Burks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Burks, 500 Owens. Joining Mrs. McClanahan as hostesses were Mrs. Johnny Hickson, Mrs. Gene Crenshaw, Mrs. Lester Anderson, Mrs. Opal Brown and Mrs. J. W. Coots.

The group used lace over blue for the tea table, which was lighted by blue candles in crystal holders. A white cake, frosted in blue and white, furthered the color scheme.

About 35 attended the tea, including Mrs. H. M. Callaway of Odessa, mother of the bridegroom, Mrs. Ruth Laird and Jo Carol of Dove Creek, Colo.

## Clarks Have Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clark, Jacie and Barbara have as weekend guests Mrs. Clark's sisters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roche of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Pellusch, Jan and Cindy of Midland.



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**Council Dignitaries**

Coffee time preceding the opening session of the Diocesan Council of Northwest Texas was a delightful period for visiting Friday afternoon at St. Mary's Episcopal Church. At extreme right is the Rt. Rev. George H. Quarterman, STD, of Amarillo, Bishop of the

Diocese. With him, from left, are the Rev. William D. Boyd, St. Mary's rector; Mrs. Quarterman; Mrs. Boyd; and Mrs. Don Sivalls of Midland, who heads the House of Churchwomen of the Diocese.



**Shower Compliments Bride-Elect**

Lua Curry, bride elect of Frank Turner of Fort Worth, was complimented recently with a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. W. B. Younger. Her chosen colors, yellow and Nile green, were employed in decorations.

March 20 is the wedding date set by the couple. Miss Curry is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brandon Curry, 1208 Nolan. Her fiancé is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Turner, Fayetteville, N. C.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Younger, who presented the honoree and her mother. Wanda Ford and Mrs. J. W. Arnett, with other hostesses, Mrs. Henry Carpenter, Mrs. Kenneth Curry and Mrs. Donald Denton, presided at the tea table. Yellow bows accented the white satin cloth which was a background for a centerpiece of jonquils and yellow snapdragons.

Two other hostesses, Mrs. L. S. Patterson and Mrs. J. W. Johnson, showed the gifts. About 75 attended, and were registered by Sharon Creighton.

**Welcome To St. Mary's**

Registration for the Annual Council of the Diocese of Northwest Texas began Friday afternoon at St. Mary's Episcopal Church. Mrs. Lee Hanson, president of the local Guild, plus a name tag on the Rev. Wm. E. West, rector of St. Matthew's Church in Pampa. Mrs. Mike Phelan, at left, and Mrs. Bennett Brooke of the host church are armed with programs for the delegates.

**'This Is Your Life' Is A Feature Of Shower**

To entertain guests at a surprise shower for Mrs. Roy Henschman, a sketch was presented along the lines of This Is Your Life, when friends met in the home of Mrs. George Grimes.

Mrs. Virgil Greene, a hostess, had fashioned a baby book of pink satin, lace and ribbon, with a picture of a baby in the center; the word, baby, was spelled in the

corners of the cover. Guests registered in the book.

Games were directed by Mrs. John Brown, another hostess, with all prizes being awarded to the honoree, who was also presented with a corsage of white carnations by the hostesses. Gifts were brought in piled into a large bootie.

On the tea table, a lace cloth

covered a blue underlay, and blue flannel booties held arrangements of candytuft and pink daisies. Favors were miniature booties of mints.

Agother of the hostesses, Mrs. Lloyd Nalls, had made and decorated a cake to form a cradle of pink and blue; this placed in net, completed the table decor, with napkins in the chosen shades, and was served with punch.

Other hostesses included Mrs. Neal Bryant, Mrs. Floyd Smart, Mrs. J. L. Stevens and Mrs. Richard Grimes.

**Questionnaire Brings Inventory Of Contents In Closets--Whew!**

By ANNE LEFEVER  
What do you think is the major problem of present-day closets? That question has just recently been asked me on a questionnaire dealing with closets, their space, location and arrangement.

My answer probably could apply to closets down through the ages, not only to the modern enclosures—never enough space.

Another question pertains to the matter of my having enough storage for my personal belongings. Is one supposed to, or does anyone ever, I will reply.

With four closets for one person,

it seems that ample storage space would be provided for just about anything. Ah, there's the trouble. My closets do hold just about anything!

In the guest room closet, which

**COSDEN CHATTER**

**Burnses Are In Oklahoma**

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Burns have gone to Duncan, Okla., to see her parents.

Sarah Guthrie accompanied a group of girls to tour Austin College in Sherman this weekend.

Sherri Leitz, who has been visiting friends in Atlanta, Ga., will join her mother, Mrs. Hope Leitz, this week.

Marguerite Cooper and Grace Kinney were shopping in Lubbock last Saturday.

Kelley Lawrence has been on vacation this week.

Don Fresne and Dave Seagar are in the East on business.

Jack Alexander is in Lubbock on business.

John Cameron and Robert Kohp of the du Pont Co., gave a demonstration on "Observational Perception" to the supervisors and technical employees at the refinery Friday morning.

R. W. Halbrook will be on vacation next week.

**Teachers Attend Lubbock Sessions**

FORSAN — Forsan teachers were in Lubbock Friday to attend the annual district meeting of Texas State Teachers Association. Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Wilson plan to leave today for two weeks with relatives in Denton, Fort Worth and Lewisville.

Mrs. Bob Cowley and Brenda are in Vealmoor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Monroney.

Martha Cowley of Abilene is on a weekend visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Cowley, and other relatives.

Roy Walraven is in Water Valley this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Breithaupt, Beverly and Karen of Odessa are spending the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cardwell.

**Spring Blossoms Used At Luncheon Of Wesley Class**

Daffodils and jonquils decorated tables for the monthly business meeting and luncheon of the Sunnyside Wesley Class at First Methodist Church, Friday.

A St. Patrick theme was brought out with other decorations for the affair, attended by 33 members and five guests. Dr. Jordan Grooms, the Rev. Weldon Stephenson, Lucile Hester, Mrs. Marshall Brown and Mrs. H. D. Munal.

Following the invocation by Dr. Grooms, Mrs. A. E. T. Rue brought a devotion.

Hostesses were Mrs. W. A. Underwood, Mrs. Jerome Lusk, Mrs. D. W. Dennis, Mrs. F. S. Gray, Mrs. L. W. Croft, Mrs. Loy Smith, Mrs. E. S. Dorsett, Mrs. A. C. Hart, Mrs. T. J. Walker, Mrs. D. W. Rankin and Mrs. George Elliott.



**Betrothed**

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith, 1911 Scurry, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Helen, and Richard Rowe. The prospective bridegroom, who resides at 611 Gollard, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rowe, Plainview. Aug. 15 has been set as the wedding date.

**Cupcakes Decorate For Easter Party**

For an Easter party refreshment, make cup cake baskets. Top the cup cakes with green grass (coconut that has been tinted with green food coloring) and colored jelly bean eggs.

Fold aluminum foil strips (six and one-half inches long and two inches wide) until they are only a quarter of an inch wide then twist all the way down. Attach to the cup with horizontal strips of cellophane tape.

I intended always to have ready for overnight guests without the rearrangement of a coat hanger, there is such a hodge podge that even a packrat would be disgusted.

Besides all the empty boxes, which hold other empty boxes, there is my luggage—three pieces of it, four hat boxes, holding my year round supply of chapeaux, and a chest of drawers filled with gift wrappings, cards, score pads, dominoes and various articles that "I may need some time."

A punch bowl and cups, large serving platters and chop plates and an odd assortment of bowls, useful or ornamental, have joined three card tables, eight folding chairs, a footstool and a shadow box along with all my off-season clothing and a good supply of wrapping paper garnered from laundry bundles.

In the bathroom, another walk-in closet is the resting place for two electric fans, a portable air conditioner, an electric heater, two small heaters, a vacuum cleaner, my carpenter's tools, a stack of blankets and bed spreads and a collection of family photographs and pictures. Add to that a supply of shampoo, medicine and spray for my little dog, Punkin, and the collection is complete except for a few trinkets like magazine racks and the like.

In my bedroom, there is the usual rack of suits, dresses and coats with shoes and blouses—but to take up more space there is a small table, for which I can't find a use at the present time, and a low cabinet holding letters, embroidery yarn and hoops, a lock box, some purses and more hats.

Let us not peek into the kitchen closet.

Two lines of the questionnaire

were the space devoted to my answer of the question, Other than clothing, what else do you store in your closet? I don't believe there is any necessity of my trying to reply to that in such a crowded condition.

There's one thing about it, though; since the inventory, I've decided there'll never be a skeleton in my closet—he couldn't find any room!



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# Wedding Vows Pledged In Church Rites Friday

Wedding bells in a white archway and white gladioli with emerald fern formed the setting for the nuptials of Janet LaNelle Kendrick and Alan Dwayne Alexander at the East Fourth Baptist Church, Friday evening.

White cathedral tapers, held in candelabra, were lighted by Alice Long and Lynda Sneed preceding the double ring ceremony, read by the Rev. Ernest Stewart, pastor of the church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kendrick, 614 Steakley; parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Alexander, 402 Abrams.

Mrs. Morris Dean Sewell, organist, accompanied Mrs. Stewart as she sang "Because and Walk Hand in Hand" as a prelude to the ceremony, and the Lord's Prayer, as the couple knelt on a prayer bench.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white satin with overskirt of white nylon lace. The scalloped neckline of the basque waist and the long tapered sleeves were outlined with seed pearls. A pearl-encrusted tiara held her veil of illusion, also bordered with the tiny pearls.

On a white Bible the bride carried feathered Frenched carnations showered with lily of the valley and white satin streamers.

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For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Kendrick wore a suit of light blue with white hat and gloves, brown bag and shoes. Her corsage was of white carnations.

Mrs. Alexander was attired in a navy suit with pink hat and gloves and white carnations.

## Andersons Entertain Arkansas Guests

FORSAN — Guests of the John B. Andersons have been her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jim L. Binkley, and Mr. and Mrs. Orville E. Binkley of Jonesboro, Ark. The visitors were en route to Arizona and California for a month's vacation; they are also stopping in Carlsbad Caverns en route.

Mrs. N. G. Bell of Snyder visited her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Snelling.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Skeen and Charles, and a niece, Vicky Lincoln, were with relatives recently in Portales, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Maxwell of Rising Star had a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Swiger.

Eddie Peacock of Odessa is visiting his grandparents, the H. E. Peacocks.

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## Modern Make-Up Stars Subtly Shadowed Eyes

By VIVIAN BROWN

AP News Features Beauty Editor

Eyeshadow is one of the "accepted" cosmetics in this day. Time was when it was considered a blight on the pretty face, unless one was a model, show girl or actress, using it for effect before studio and footlights.

The teen-age girl is likely to find the use of eyeshadow a bit of a problem. It may enhance her eyes, but if she smears it on, the effect will be disastrous. It is the difference between achieving a bright young-eyed look and one that looks like it was decorated for a masquerade party.

How should it be applied? The girl who has never used eyeshadow may find it easier to experiment. She could start with a dab and work up from there. The idea is to put a small amount of the eyeshadow on the lid just above the pupil of the eye, and then blend it out toward the temple. Newer eyeshadow sticks make the technique easier than formerly. The sticks are thin, resembling lipsticks, and the consistency is smooth.

You make a thin line along the upper lid with the stick and if you want it to appear lighter, smooth it out with your finger. Iridescent sticks that may give a girl evening eyes contain small flecks of

sparkling material. Blue-eyed types may wear blue, teal or green.

A girl with hazel or light brown eyes may take her pick of eyeshadows. She may look especially striking with blue eyeshadow if she has blonde hair, although green eyeshadow seems to have been made for the brown-eyed girl. Green eyes may choose the green shade also, and the silver smoke shades may appeal to the girl who wants to emphasize her eyes for special occasions.

The all-American girl look today is a pale look all the way from

chin to hairline, with the eyes defined with an eyeliner and eyeshadow. The eyebrows are natural, emphasized with eyebrow pencil. It is the "no-lipstick" look that has put so much emphasis on the eyes, one of the most important features of a woman.

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## GS Troop 34 Gets Cookies For Selling

Girl Scouts of Troop 34 received their supply of cookies at a meeting Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. H. Booher. Cookie selling is one of the activities of Girl Scout Week, and the proceeds will go into the fund for Camp Boothe Oaks, near Sweetwater.

Work in making trail and reading a compass was continued at the meeting, and plans were made to attend church in a body this morning at the First Christian Church.

Articles were assembled for display at the open house slated for this afternoon from 2 to 5 at the Girl Scout Little House. The troop was divided into pairs to serve as hostesses during the party. Eight were at the meeting.

## BRIDGE PLAY

Card players in the community are invited to take part in a bridge benefit Monday at Cosden Country Club. Admission to the bridge play, which will be from 2 to 5 p.m., is \$1; tickets are available from YMCA members or at the door. The event, sponsored by the Hi-Y Council, will benefit the service project, Buildings For Brotherhood.

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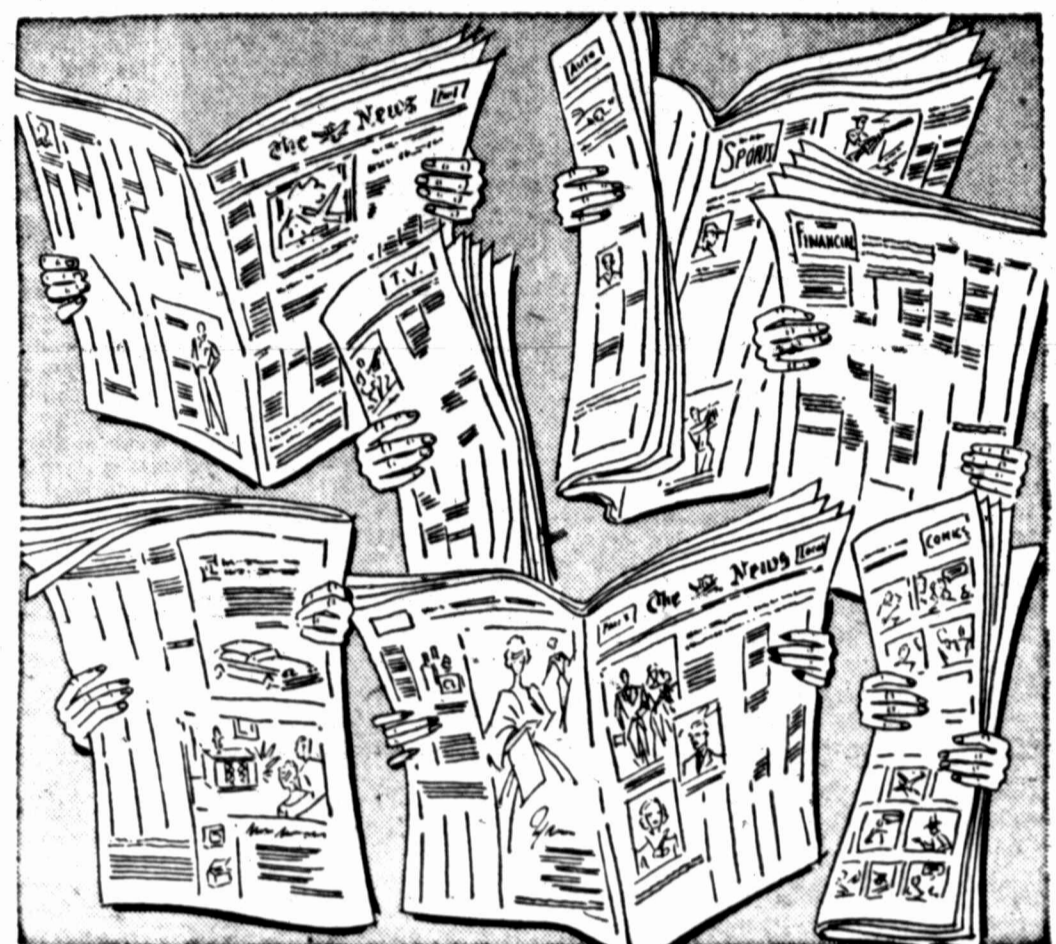
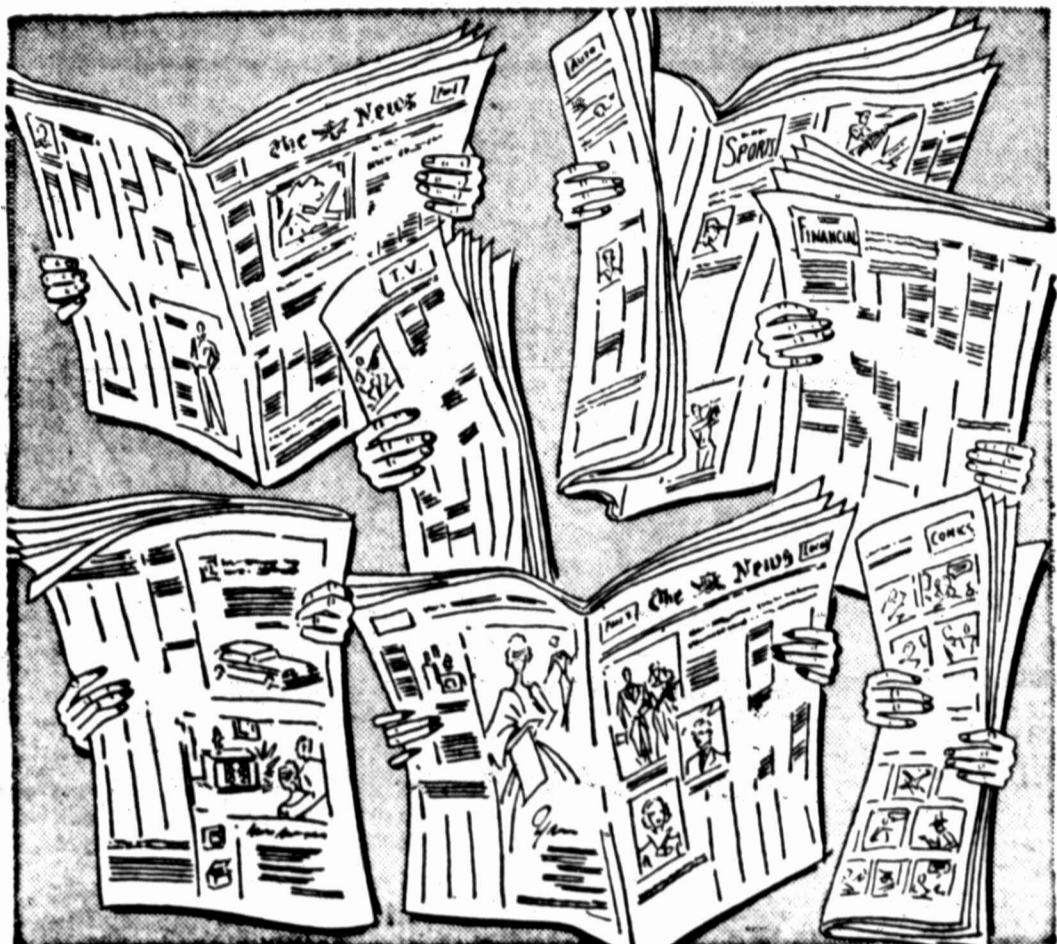
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# Lamesa Couple Takes Vows In Home Rites

LAMESA (Sp)—The home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Shelton, was the scene for a double ring marriage ceremony which united Grace Doris Shelton and Don Adair Mitchell. The Rev. J. Lloyd Mayhew, pastor of First Methodist Church read the vows at 7 p.m. Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mitchell are the bridegroom's parents.

Branched candelabra holding wedding tapers were at either side of a bridal archway entwined with greenery, white carnations and satin streamers before which the ceremony was read.

Margaret Mitchell was pianist; she accompanied her mother, Mrs. R. W. Mitchell who presented a medley of nuptial selections on the accordion.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an original model wedding gown of Chantilly lace and net over taffeta. Designed with pearls and sequins on scallops of lace, the fitted bodice had puff sleeves, tapered elbow pointed mitts and terminated with point at center front. The waltz length skirt of lace had a tiered ruffle which created a bustle effect in back, and her shoulder length veil was held in place by a tiara of pearls. Her bridal bouquet of white carnations was carried atop a white Bible.

The bride's sister, Mrs. Jesse T. Maddox, was matron of honor. Her blue dress, styled on Empire lines, had a lace bodice and circle waltz length skirt with self material bows down the back. Her headpiece of blue tulle was dotted with fluffed velveteen on its edge and on the crown. She carried a bouquet of white carnations.

The bridegroom's brother, Dick Mitchell of Big Spring, was best man, and Weldon Wayne Shelton, brother of the bride, was candle-lighter.

A blue and white color theme was used in the decorations for the wedding reception. Members



MRS. DON ADAIR MITCHELL

of the houseparty included Linda Kay Barton, Mrs. Hurlon Hairgrove, sister of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Norma Jasper.

Guests were registered from Lubbock, Lamesa, Big Spring, Seminole, Odessa, O'Donnell and Baird.

For traveling, the new Mrs. Mitchell wore a pincheck suit of blue with sparkling white collar

and white accessories. She is a graduate of Lamesa High School and attended Texas Tech. She is employed by Lamesa National Bank.

Mitchell is a graduate of Lamesa High School and is parts manager at Nix Motor Co.

After a short wedding trip, the couple will make a home at 409 Terrace Circle, Lamesa.

## Designer Makes Debut In Italy

ROME (AP)—Valentino, a young Paris-trained designer new to Rome, presented his first collection here Saturday, a frothy, girlish blossoming in pink and green.

Daytime clothes were mainly three-piece suits whose collarless, yoke-bound blouses matched their jacket linings.

Jackets themselves were largely collarless, loose with indications of a shrunken waist, hip-length and drop-sleeved. Skirts were moderately full, with side-front gathering and moderately long over the kneecap.

Valentino, 26, espoused the crescent waist, rising in front, and the rib-cage clasp. His wide velvet and suede belts sometimes threaded under flat, flying panels. His flowered prints were little girl-type frocks of colors flavored in strawberry and lime. His sleeves were sometimes puffed.

For evening, the young designer featured fur-trimmed organdy coats over pastel organdy gowns. One pink dancing outfit had chim-chilla cuffs and a diaphanous, cinderella flow.

## Farewell Party Is Given As Surprise

A farewell party given Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Lester Pasquale was a surprise to her; she will leave today for Selma, Ala., where she will await her port call to join her husband in Phalsburg, France.

Friends from the Three-Six Club, from the Webb Rock and Rollers and her bowling teammates gathered at the Pasquale home to present gifts to the honoree and serve refreshments.

Making arrangements for the party were Mrs. Paul Drake, Mrs. Albert Roes and Mrs. Vincent Best.

## Eager Beavers Reset Election Of Officers

A guest, Mrs. J. A. Westmoreland, was introduced to six members of the Eager Beaver Sewing Club who met Friday morning at the home of Mrs. H. D. Bruton.

Secret pal gifts were exchanged. The group agreed to postpone election of officers until next Friday, when Mrs. L. D. Patterson will be hostess.

## Garden City Party Is Given For Bride-Elect

GARDEN CITY—A blue and white theme was used by the hostesses who entertained Friday evening with a miscellaneous shower for Darla Williams. The party was held in the parlor of First Methodist Church.

Miss Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Williams of Midland, is the bride-elect of Glenn Joe Riley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Riley. The couple will be married Saturday in the Pioneer Methodist Church at Spraberry.

A hostess, Mrs. Weldon Parker, greeted guests and presented Miss Williams, her mother, Mrs. Riley, and Mrs. Joe C. Calverley, grandmother of the bride-elect. All wore corsages of carnations, presented by the hostesses.

Guests were registered by Mrs. C. J. Cox, another hostess, and music was furnished by Margaret Jo Cook and Sue Parker. Serving was done by Bernice Overton and Wanda Williams, sister of the honoree.

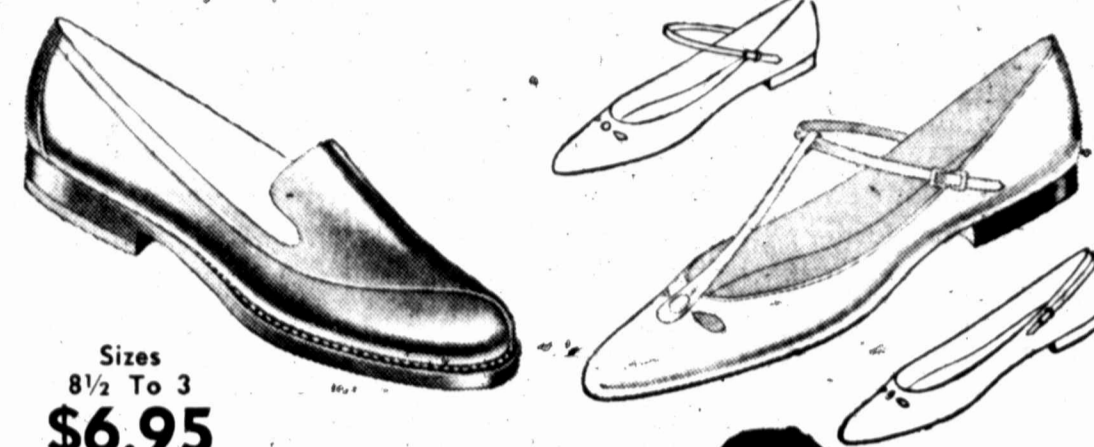
Other hostesses, who alternated in various duties, were Mrs. Jack Cook, Mrs. Sam Cox, Mrs. Joe Wilkerson and Mrs. Steve Calverley.

Blue net ruffles on the tea table

formed a base for the bridal pair of dolls which stood on a small dais. The entire arrangement was surrounded by blue candles in crystal holders. A white cutwork cloth served as a background. About 42 attended the party, at which the hostesses presented the honored guest with china in her pattern selection.

## ALA Volunteers

Mrs. Otis Aaron of Dallas will conduct an orientation course at the VA Hospital for volunteer workers who are members of the American Legion Auxiliary. Instruction will begin at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the hospital. Those of the group who wish to dine together may meet at 5:30 p.m. at the Wagon Wheel.



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## Womack's Children Are Recent Guests

ACHERLY—Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Womack were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Don Floyd and son of Crane, Mrs. B. R. Carter and son of Big Spring, the Lonnie Kemp family and the James Womacks.

Visiting in Kermit Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Springfield, who were with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Audy Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Crain are combining business with a pleasure trip. They are visiting their children, Mr. and Mrs. George Schaaf of San Marcos and Crain's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lo Crain of Sinton.

Billie Jean Cates of Andrews spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cates.

Monday, the Marvin Doziers were in San Angelo with her mother, Mrs. Anne Dozier, and with a sister and family, the Ray Crowders.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Areher and Kaye visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Aycock in Aspermont, over the weekend.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Janie Pitts were a brother-in-law and family, the Floyd Pittses of Dallas; also her children, Mrs. Jewel Kuykendall and son of Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Pitts and children of Muleshoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Pitts.

Mrs. Lonnie Kemp recently visited Mrs. Johnny Clark Jr. in Wilson. The Clarks are former Ackerly residents.

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How Did That Song Go?

Soft strummings on a guitar set the mood for this photograph of S-Sgt. and Mrs. James O. Robertson. But rock and roll is the specialty of the sergeant, who went to Iceland as a bachelor and returned home to Kentucky with a bride. Sgt. Robertson was so impressed with the beauty of Iceland, not unlike that of his home state, that he is hopeful of another assignment there.

## Sergeant's Bride Is Far From Her Iceland But She Likes Texas

Bjarghildur Anna Karlsdottir was born and reared in Reykjavik, the capital of Iceland. She is the daughter of Mr. Karl; hence the last name in the Icelandic tradition. Neither of them ever dreamed she would one day live in Texas.

Destiny seemed to dictate her move to Keflavik more than a year ago. She worked briefly a couple of miles out of town at the Keflavik Airport, part of which is leased by the U. S. government as a defense base.

S-Sgt. James O. Robertson, a radar operator with seven years of USAF service, was halfway through his year's tour of duty when he met Anna at the service club. At the time, the sergeant was entertaining off-duty as a singer-guitarist with his rock and roll band. The couple was married last fall and Sgt. Robertson received an extension to await Anna's visa.

In December, he brought his

bride home to Covington, Ky., to meet the family before reporting to Webb AFB. Association with Americans in her homeland had given her an entree to the English language, and she continues to pick up words and phrases from her husband and associates at the House of Charm. The pretty blonde owned her beauty shop back home and has been a fulltime operator at the local salon for three weeks.

Mrs. Robertson is quite happy with West Texas and reacts with only mild concern to the sandstorms which are new to her. She finds the people here warm, friendly and informal, and believes that newcomers are more readily received in Texas than they are in her country.

Perhaps her major adjustment has been with the food, which is more highly seasoned here. Since the temperature in Iceland ranges from about 8 degrees to 65 degrees above, few vegetables are grown. Being unaccustomed to

them, she does not enjoy them but thrives on fish and meat. Sgt. Robertson recalls that horse-meat is not uncommon Icelandic fare.

She is eager to begin the steps necessary for her citizenship papers. Meanwhile, she is speaking less frequently the Icelandic, reminiscent of German, and acquiring self-confidence with her English. Their apartment at 511 Bell is adorned with the few trinkets she brought from home.

Mrs. Robertson shares her husband's enthusiasm for rock and roll rhythm but counters it with a fondness for classical music. Swimming is her athletic pursuit, while bowling is his. He looks forward to developing mutual hobbies with Anna.

### Youngs Leave For South Carolina

WESTBROOK—Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Young, accompanied by an Odessa friend left Tuesday for South Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Taylor and daughters of Houston were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Taylor.

Mrs. Etta Henderson has returned from Hamilton.

Mrs. Mary Herron is visiting in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Edison Taylor of Big Spring visited the C. E. Taylors, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Brooks was in Odessa, Tuesday for the funeral of Bob Harlow, he was the father of Mrs. Jimmy Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Altis Clemmer and Richard and the Curtis Clemmers spent the weekend with relatives in Cisco, Putnam and Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Armstrong and Tommy of Jal, N. M., visited the W. A. Belis and Mrs. Annie Bell over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Taylor spent the weekend in Abilene with their children, the Jackie Taylors, the Dean Taylors and Glenda Taylor.

Mrs. J. M. Byrd visited in Lubbock recently.

Mrs. L. Hazelwood has returned home following minor surgery last week in Sweetwater.

Jimmy Brown of Colorado City was guest speaker Sunday at the First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rucker are visiting in Premont with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rucker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hutchins and sons spent the weekend with her parents in Hamilton.

## COMING EVENTS

**MONDAY**  
VFW AUXILIARY will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the school auditorium.  
BETA SIGMA PHI will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Roy C. Williams, 1805 Main, with Mrs. Paul Sheedy as hostess.  
WESLEY METHODIST SERVICE GUILD will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Bill Estes, 706 West 14th, with Mrs. C. W. Parmenter as cohostess.  
DAY AUXILIARY will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Elks Hall.  
RUNNELS P-TA will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the school auditorium.  
FIRST METHODIST MARTHA WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD will meet at 9:30 p.m. at the church.  
FIRST BAPTIST WMS will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the church for a salad supper.  
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. D. D. Crawford, 1223 East 14th; DOUGLAS at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. Perry Jones, 1805 Owens; RUTH at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. W. C. Henley, 1812 Main; ELLA BARRICK at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. Dalton Mitchell, 509 Johnson; MARGARET CURRIE at 7:30 p.m. at the church; BUSINESS WOMEN at 7:30 p.m. at the church.  
AIRPORT BAPTIST WMS, JO HARRICK CIRCLE will meet at 2 p.m. at the church.  
FIRST CHRISTIAN WOMEN will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. J. D. Henson, 702 East 13th.

**TUESDAY**  
XI MU EXEMPLAR CHAPTER, BETA SIGMA PHI will meet at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Dale Nabors, 618 Dallas.  
JUNIOR WOMAN'S FORUM will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Ernest Adamson, 3305 Cornwell, with Mrs. E. E. Smith as cohostess.  
XI DELTA EPSILON CHAPTER, BETA SIGMA PHI will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Tio Anderson Jr., 1314 Sycamore.  
ST. THOMAS ALTAR SOCIETY will meet at 8 p.m. at the church.  
ORDER OF RAINBOW GIRLS will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall.  
BAPW CLUB will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the school.  
TALL TALKERS TOASTMISTRESS CLUB will meet at 7 p.m. at the Officers Club.  
BAUER P-TA will meet at 3:30 p.m. at the school.  
PAST MATRON CLUB, OES, will meet at 7 p.m. at the dining hall, 80 Mary's Episcopal Church, with Mrs. Bernard Fisher, Mrs. Chafes Koberg and Mrs. Russell Strangefellow as cohostesses.  
WASHINGTON P-TA will meet at 3:45 p.m. at the school auditorium.  
INSTANT WOMEN OF BIG SPRING will meet at 11:30 a.m. at the Settles Hotel.  
SPOLEAZO FORA will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. H. D. Stewart, 808 Taylor, with Mrs. Ladd Smith as cohostess.  
JOHN A. KEE REBEKKA LODGE NO. 153 will meet at 7:30 p.m. at Carpenters Hall.

### Couple Surprised By Housewarming

A housewarming was given Friday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Stephens at their home, 408 Mesquite, when friends surprised them with a party.

The Rev. W. A. James, pastor of the Airport Baptist Church, worded a prayer, and gifts were presented to the couple.

Hostesses were Mrs. Clifford Hart, Mrs. Bobby Ray Barrett and Mrs. Clyde Dooley, who arranged a tea table with a lace cloth over yellow and centered it with an arrangement of yellow roses.

Twenty-eight guests called during the evening.

### Sherry Walraven, 9, Has Birthday Party

FORSAN—Mrs. Roy Walraven honored her daughter, Sherry, with a birthday party Thursday afternoon on her ninth birthday. Decorations were in yellow, and yellow flowers encircled the cake. The group of nine played outdoor games and enjoyed a treasure hunt for their favors of gold rocks, candy, gum and suckers.

Mrs. J. W. Skeen had a demonstration party Friday afternoon, with 12 attending. Mrs. C. L. Draper won a prize given by the demonstrator, Mrs. Callie Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Pike are in Corpus Christi visiting their daughter and family, the O. D. Smiths.

### Paris Polka

Polka dots go formal in a long, slinky dinner dress in black and white dotted white twill of nylon and silk, from the house of Jean Patou. A wide black patent belt adds a note of dramatic contrast.

### RUNNELS P-TA 'TO BE OR NOT'

The fate of Runnels Junior High P-TA will be decided at an important meeting of the unit at 3 p.m. Monday at the cafeteria. A full attendance is urged in order that a debate may be had on whether to continue a P-TA unit at the school. The program will be presented by the Student Council.

### CLUB will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the IOOF Hall.

**FRIDAY**  
MODERN WOMAN'S FORUM will meet at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Hugh Duncan, 1809 Tucson.  
CITY HD CLUB will meet at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. W. M. Stoutenberg, 906 Gollad.  
EAGER BEAVER SEWING CLUB will meet at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. L. D. Patterson, 1406 Airford.

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**WEDNESDAY**  
SEW and CHATTER CLUB will meet at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Hollis Webb, 701 Tulane.  
RPO DOES will meet at 8 p.m. at the school.  
PLANTERS GARDEN CLUB will meet at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. E. P. Nicholson, 1601 Vines, with Mrs. Emily Cochran as cohostess.  
DANES GARDEN CLUB will meet at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. E. R. Wood, 1317 Taylor, with Mrs. R. A. Bonnell Jr. as cohostess.  
CHILD STUDY CLUB will meet at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Rose Boynton, 1001 Jefferson, with Mrs. David Hodnett and Mrs. Luther McDaniel as cohostesses.  
FOUR O'CLOCK GARDEN CLUB will meet at 3:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Jack Hollingsworth, 702 Settles.  
MUSIC STUDY CLUB will meet at 3:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. W. W. Womack, 1306 Eleventh Place.  
DANES HOME LEAGUE, SALVATION ARMY, will meet at 2 p.m. at the school.  
FIRST BAPTIST CHORUS will meet at 8 p.m. at the church.  
FIRST METHODIST CHORUS and BIBLE STUDY will meet at 7 p.m. at the church.  
ELBOW HD CLUB will meet with Mrs. Earl Bell, Lockhart Addn.  
THURSDAY  
ALTRIA CLUB will meet at noon at the home of Mrs. Rose Boynton, 1001 Jefferson.  
LUTHER HD CLUB will meet at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. W. E. Hanson, 1001 Jefferson.  
INDOOR SPORTS CLUB will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Girl Scout House.  
LAURA E. BART CHAPTER, OES, will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall.  
GOOD MUSIC LISTENERS GROUP will meet at 7:30 p.m. at HJCC Music Bldg.  
EPHON SIGMA ALPHA SOCIETY will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Tolford Durham, 606 West 13th, with Mrs. Roy McMullen as cohostess.  
CARPENTERS AND JOINERS AUXILIARY will meet at 8 p.m. at Carpenters Hall.  
AYZ CLUB will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Wagon Wheel, with Mrs. Jack Johnson and Mrs. Walker Bailey as cohostesses.  
CEDAR CREST P-TA will meet at 3 p.m. at the school.  
COLLEGE HEIGHTS P-TA will meet at 3:30 p.m. at the school.  
AAUW will meet at 8 p.m. at the north side of HJCC's Student Union Building.  
ZETA P-TA will meet at 3:30 p.m. at the school.  
RODENTIN P-TA will meet at 3:30 p.m. at the school.  
COWDEN WOMEN'S ASSN. will meet at 7 p.m. at Cowden Country Club for dinner and a fashion show.  
KIWANIS will meet at noon at the home of Mrs. N. B. Parling, 1308 Pennsylvania, with Mrs. W. H. Lyon as cohostess.  
FIRST CHURCH OF GOD WMS will meet at 8 a.m. at the church.  
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**Learning Reading, Writing**

Mrs. Dan Conley is standing before the phonetics chart in the North Side Church of Christ, 601 N. Runnels. Mrs. Stanley Peurifoy is seated at the front of the room, right. She's another instructor. Both are housewives.

## Church Group Holds Literacy Classes For Latin Americans

By **BOBBY HORTON**

This is the story about a converted church and the first-grader who supported a family.

It is also a story of a group of people bent on helping less fortunate eager to learn things they had missed years ago.

The site is 601 N. Runnels St. at the North Side Church of Christ.

Each Tuesday and Thursday night, a dozen or so Latin-American adults file into the little church that has been transformed into a classroom. They don't play truant. In fact, most are ready and waiting by the time their teacher arrives.

The teacher is a housewife who will put them through phonetic exercises and practice reading in the process of teaching the fundamental tools of education—reading and writing.

It is all a part of the "late, late school," the first steps to education that have been delayed years and years.

The school has no formal name, so it is known as "literacy classes." Reading and writing are the two subjects taught, although in time math may be added when the students know enough English.

"The idea of having the classes came when several of the Latin Americans in the North Side Church of Christ approached us,

asking that we teach them how to read and write," says Mrs. Sam Conley, speaking for an interested group in the Church of Christ.

Before long, materials were being sought and five teachers were lined up for the 11 Spanish-speaking students. Last week, the first two classes were held.

"They ate it up," beams Mrs. Conley.

"At first I was jittery — who wouldn't be—but when I saw how excited they were at learning, I became just as excited over it," she said.

Mrs. Conley taught the first class and Mrs. Stanley Peurifoy stepped in to help with Thursday's instruction. Standing by from now on to help with individual instruction will be Mrs. Charlie Shanks, Mrs. Bolie Sorrells and Mrs. Melvin Turner.

Among others who have given a hand or who will help are Bruce Frazier and the Big Spring Civic Improvement League.

The teachers will go by the Laubach workbook, which the students can buy for \$1.15. Presently they are studying phonetics first during the hour and a half class, and then review during individual attention with symbol recognition, pronunciation, reading and writing.

The only one unable to understand English is the only woman in

the class of 11.

The students are all adults, intensely interested in learning, and seldom ask questions. But how they glow with pride when they give a correct answer.

Mrs. Conley said that, according to the teaching plan, class was to be held only one hour, "but they just don't want to leave."

Although the "administration" had rather get this class well on the road before starting another, a second group is anticipated soon. Anyone wishing to learn to read and write may join the classes.

Any organization, church or individual may help. There's been no financial problem thus far, but who can tell—the way things are progressing, expansion may come.

Bring your own pencil and paper. You may need one of the workbooks.

Class starts at 7 p.m. sharp.

### 'Westerners' Slate Square Dance Here

The Westerners Square Dance Assn. will stage its annual spring dance in Big Spring March 21. The event will be held in the Dora Roberts Student Union Building at Howard County Junior College. Square dancers from a wide area of West Texas are expected.

## Civic Improvement Unit 'Just Interested People'

Recently when a petition bearing some 600 signatures was handed to the city commission asking that it request public housing funds, a new organization came to its first public attention.

It was the Big Spring Civic Improvement League, whose members had unceremoniously prepared and circulated the petition.

Who and what is the Big Spring Civic Improvement League?

It is an informal group meeting without charter, treasury, dues or funds.

"It is just a group of interested people who are trying to find some way to better our home town," explained James Bruce Frazier, one of its members. "So far there are only 12 members, yet each is willing and able to take active part in the work planned. The main object is to encourage effort on various problems and to outline a course of action."

The league sort of grew as people like Dr. Fabian Gomez, a lifetime resident of Big Spring and

familiar with some of the problems peculiar to the northwest area of town, Bo Bowen, city-county health nurse, Frazier and others began talking.

"We don't mean to criticize the North Side of Big Spring," Frazier hastened to add, "for I am fully aware that it is not the only trouble area. But in part of that territory are such problems that it is where we began our efforts."

Some of the objectives set down are:

- HOUSING**—Low rent government housing; a restricted residential area for private home construction; financing plan for homes on the North Side; a building code to be applied to sub-standard dwelling areas to guide future construction; extension of utilities (water, sewer, garbage collection).
  - EDUCATION**—A school for those who want to learn to read and write; training for young mothers in child care; education of mothers in the field of diet, home economy and family health.
  - HEALTH**—A Sunday clinic for working families; tuberculosis surveys in sub-standard areas of town; preventative measures.
- In time the objectives may be broadened, Frazier explained.
- Three things already have been undertaken. For instance the city commission now has under advisement the public housing authority petition.
- A school to teach reading and writing now has a dozen adults enrolled. It is being held at the North Side Church of Christ at 601 N. Runnels with teachers volunteering time and skills. Importance of this is illustrated by such a simple sign as "Stop," for how can a driver obey traffic signs if he can't read, asked Frazier.
- The Sunday health clinic was started two weeks ago and has begun to check children and adults. This is an assistance to the city-county health unit because it reaches parents who otherwise would be working during regular health-unit hours. It helps ferret

### Von Braun To Talk At State Bar Meet

DALLAS (AP)—Dr. Wernher von Braun, considered possibly the world's foremost missile expert, will address the State Bar of Texas at its annual meeting.

The speech will be at the annual banquet July 2 during the July 24 session. About 5,000 attorneys and their wives are expected for the convention.

Von Braun is director of the Army's missile testing program at Huntsville, Ala.

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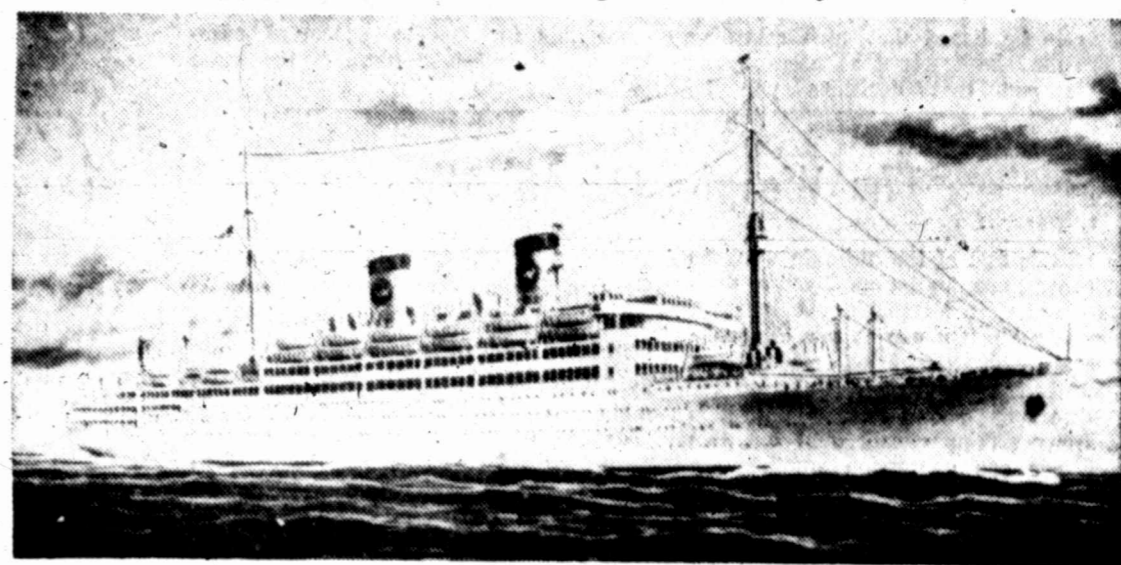
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## A Devotional For Today

Beloved, think it not strange concerning the fiery trial which is to try you, as though some strange thing happened unto you: but rejoice, inasmuch as ye are partakers of Christ's sufferings; that, when his glory shall be revealed, ye may be glad also with exceeding joy. (1 Peter 4:12, 13.)

**PRAYER:** Heavenly Father, by the presence of the Holy Spirit, strengthen us to conquer the trials we face this day. In the name of Jesus Christ our Saviour, who taught us to pray, "Our Father who art in heaven . . . Amen."

## Don't Let It Be A Sleeping Beauty

At the present time the master planning project seems to be sleeping sweetly.

Perhaps this is necessary inasmuch as some agencies are obliged to obtain legal opinions supporting such participation.

It is to be hoped that such retarding factors may be resolved as promptly as possible and that decisions will be

reached as to the extent of sharing in the costs.

When that information is available, final action may be taken to shape the scope and extent of the long-range survey.

The important thing will be not to let this project languish on the shelf. It came this far due to concerted pushing, and it will take more of the same to bring it into reality.

## The Weapon Of An Ally

In all this talk of the ultimate weapons which might one day be employed to decimate civilization, we should not overlook a simple yet potent one at our disposal. It is the innate desire for freedom and human dignity.

If history has shown us anything, it is that iron curtains cannot shut out this dream nor can oppression smother the spark of hope. This is part of the truth about man because it is his eternal spirit.

Thus, the unconquerable yearning for freedom and to walk uprightly as an individual of God's creation is our ally. It may be unexpressed; it may be spoken only in whispers; it may lie dormant in the face of fear. But it is not dead.

Students of World War II tell us that Germany might well have crushed the Russian government had it possessed enough wisdom to come as an understanding liberator rather than an arrogant conqueror. The Russian people had a fierce patriotism and undying fidelity to the motherland, but it was not to be.

government. On occasion after occasion German forces were greeted with wild enthusiasm as though they had brought freedom. But Hitler's forces gave the peasantry and bourgeois the back of a mailed fist. The Russian people in many instances would have abandoned the Red army, but the Nazis stupidly drove them back to it for refuge.

We know from the brave men who barehandedly attacked giant tanks in East Germany a few years back and from the courageous Hungarians who unblinkingly sacrificed their lives before the ruthless might of hardened Russian soldiers that the spirit of freedom still lives.

While we should seek to encourage this hope in all sincerity and faith, we should also include in our plans the means by which we might exploit it. God forbid that we should ever be brought to another major war, but if in honor that day should come, we must be ready to help those who will help us because they too believe in freedom.

## David Lawrence

### Firmness On Measures 'Short Of War'

WASHINGTON — Common sense is more important than the wiles of diplomacy, and that's why President Eisenhower's remarks deploring excessive talk about war and threats of war could have a sobering effect just now on international relations.

The President had ample opportunity at his press conference to be blustering and accusatory, but he dealt with Khrushchev's peculiar tactics in the Berlin crisis by using the mild words of restraint. As Mr. Eisenhower sees it, the United States has certain responsibilities in maintaining, under treaty rights, the present status of Berlin. He welcomes negotiation and discussion by the four foreign ministers.

More and more it is becoming apparent that the Kremlin dictatorship would like to see the West into some form of abject submission and that behind its every move is propaganda designed to assure the Soviet people that the Kremlin rulers are winning big victories.

To some extent Khrushchev has succeeded in scaring some members of Congress, as they are already calling for partial or total mobilization in this country. To yield to this sentiment would be a mistake. Mr. Eisenhower thinks, because there is no telling how long such an uncomfortable posture would have to be maintained. In all likelihood the Kremlin would be glad to inflict a costly and prolonged incense of this kind on the American people.

Modern war doesn't require any large-scale mobilization if it's to be nuclear. Airplanes are in readiness, both in the United States and at Western bases in Europe, to inflict severe punishment on an enemy if war comes. But if the military moves are confined to ground action in the vicinity of Berlin, then it is reasonable to suppose that the forces of NATO are already mobilized for this.

Also, it is likely that, long before any such steps were taken, the intentions of both sides would be made plain and the United Nations would have an opportunity to vote to intervene.

What seems to have been generally overlooked is that there are steps "short of war" which can be taken by the West. These could be far more effective than actual threats of war.

One course of action could be the cutting off of all diplomatic relations between the West and the East. This could be followed by simultaneous discontinuance of all commercial intercourse, as

well as other forms of communication by air or by sea.

If, for instance, all ports of the Western nations were closed to Soviet shipping, it would be difficult for the Communist empire to maintain its commercial relations with points in the Middle East and Asia. The trans-Siberian railway is not equipped to carry all the freight to Red China that goes to that country, for instance, from the Eastern European satellites.

A total embargo would serve notice that the West means to stand on its treaty rights and that any imposition of barriers to free communication with Berlin would result not in a contest of military force but in a cessation of all traffic with East Germany and the other areas now controlled by the Soviet government.

To impose an embargo would require Allied agreement, and this is by no means easy to effectuate. But it is a better plan than to try to resolve the differences between the East and West by military force.

President Eisenhower keeps emphasizing that the United States is not wedded to any single formula in trying to solve the problems raised by Moscow in connection with the status of Berlin. It had been hoped that, by means of free elections, a solution could be achieved. But since the Soviets do not wish to permit free elections in East Germany, the United States has taken the flexible position that some other solution might well be examined. This does not mean it will necessarily be accepted but simply that there is a readiness at least to talk about any plan.

One point that has not been given much attention is that, when Moscow breaks the inter-Allied treaty giving the Western military forces access to Berlin, this makes a "scrap of paper" out of a solemn agreement. Of what value, it will then be asked throughout the world, are any other agreements or pledges given by the Soviet government?

The Western nations, therefore, are waiting for the deadline in May when the Soviet government, if it carries out its published threat, will have announced to the world that, acting entirely on its own, it is deliberately breaking an international agreement. This, in turn, could invalidate all other agreements between the East and West and lead not necessarily to war but to a "quarantine" by the West against the Soviet dictatorship such as President Franklin D. Roosevelt proposed in 1937 against the dictatorship of Hitler and the Nazis. Had this plan been agreed to then by our Allies, it is conceivable that World War II might have been prevented. That's why firmness now on measures "short of war" could avert a third world war.

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## Doctor Double

MADISON, Wis. (AP) — Mr. and Mrs. Clement M. Silvestro became the first husband and wife team to receive doctor of philosophy degrees from the University of Wisconsin at the same time.

Silvestro is from New Haven, Conn., and his wife, Betty, from Bangor, Maine. They received their doctorates in history.

## 84 Proof

BUTLER, N. J. (AP) — Barmaid Nettie McCormack is 84 years old, owns her own tavern, and specializes in making manhattans. Among her customers were Babe Ruth and the late "Uncle Don" of radio fame.

Nettie says customers today are more polite. They are also ordering more mixed drinks. Drinkers who order a "shot and a beer" are dwindling in number, she says.



All That Goes Up Doesn't Come Down

## J. A. Livingston

### Growth Pattern Can Be A Weapon Against Communism

In the postwar cold war, one of America's greatest victories was won right here at home. This victory ranks with the Marshall Plan in propping up the ailing economies of Italy, France and other western European countries against the political assaults of Communist leaders. It ranks with the successful defense of Korea and the hold-fast policy of Quemoy.

This strategic victory is the repulse of recessions—in 1948-49, in 1953-54, and just recently. It is proof to the world that the American system works, that it is not inherently unstable.

The other day, perchance and unexpectedly, I ran into one of the leaders of the American Communist Party. As soon as he learned that I was a writer on economics and business, he said portentously: "This country is heading into a great bust—a grand depression."

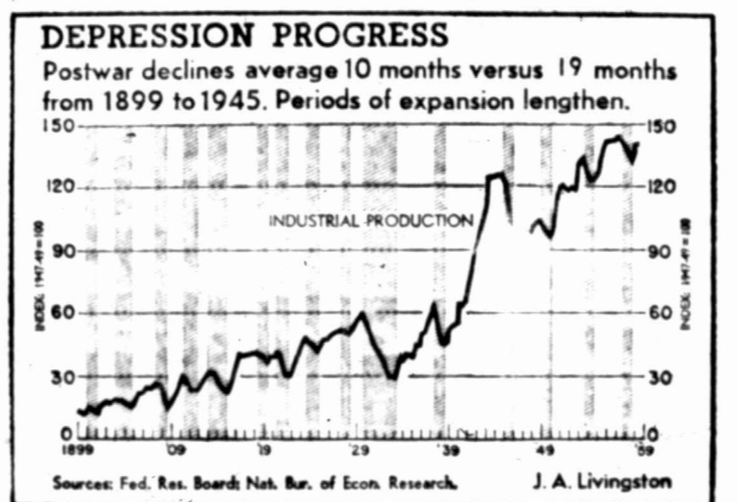
I pointed out that that has been a Soviet theme song since the end of the war. I noted that Eugene Varga, Stalin's pet economist, had predicted an American catastrophe at the end of World War II. I noted that each time we've had a business decline, Soviet economists beat the doom drums.

Yet, never did the dire doom come. The last decline, though deeper than the two previous ones, lasted only eight months, as against 13 months for the 1953-54 contraction and 11 months for the 1948-49 drop.

Compared with recessions in the past, the postwar recessions have been mild, averaging 10 months. From 1899 to 1945, the declines averaged 19 months (see chart). Even more disconcerting to Soviet propagandists is that the periods of expansion of prosperity, have lengthened. The postwar average is 39 months as against 31 months from 1899 to 1945.

But now that we have established that our system works, the Marxists have another propaganda point. Premier Khrushchev boasts that by 1970 Soviet output will "advance to first place in the world, both in absolute volume of industrial output and in per capita production. This will mark the history-making victory of socialism in peaceful competition with capitalism in the world arena." This is his refined way of saying, "We will bury you."

Result: At a hearing before the Joint Economic Committee, Richard V. Gilbert, chief OPA economist during World War II, de-



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flected an entire session from the question of growth and stability to fear of Soviet expansion by declaring that "Russian rates of overall economic growth and industrial production are more than double our own and in the key areas on which warring depends are three or four times our own." America isn't growing-fast enough has become a common phobia.

Yet, a nation's economy can't always run at top-speed any more than does a mile runner. Economics is an eternity, not a 60-yard dash.

Sure, we could produce more. The government could order 500,000 automobiles it doesn't need from the Detroit factories. It could buy textiles, stockpile lead, and issue orders to the machine tool industry. It could fill freight cars with sand and shunt them back and forth across the country to create activity. It could force companies to work overtime. But would that be growth?

Or we could build schools, highways, low-cost housing—projects which fill an obvious social need. But would additional schools and roads help Detroit? Would they generate a demand for machine tools? Moreover, how would they be paid for?

We talk of this as a free-choice economy. People—consumers—buy what they want. The government doesn't dictate how much of what shall be made and at what price, as in the Soviet Union. When the federal government runs in the red, it means that we, the people, are buying things that we, the taxpayers, aren't paying

for. In New York State, Governor Rockefeller is having a hard time selling his new tax program. The State of Michigan ran out of money and had to ask corporations to pay taxes in advance. These are evidences of inability or unwillingness to pay.

Certainly, we could use more schools, roads, hospitals, etc. Plenty of teenagers would welcome more automobiles. Plenty of families would welcome second cars. Our problem is to decide what we want, what we are willing to pay for.

We won one victory in the postwar period—preventing deep depressions. We can't speed our growth, reduce hours of work, raise wages, expand defense outlays, and maintain stable prices, all at once. In the Soviet Union, Khrushchev would decide what's what, but here, we don't want to win one victory only to lose a greater one—our system.

## Around The Rim

### Just Make The Valley Another State

Assuming that Hawaii will become the 50th state in the Union, I have ready for nomination an area that could qualify as the 51st state.

This would be the lower Rio Grande Valley region of Texas, described generally by its inhabitants as the "Magic Valley"—a suggestion that is not entirely exaggerated.

I qualify as the customary expert after poking around the Valley for a couple of days.

In suggesting that here is an area for statehood, I do not take the position that Texas would want to cast off this southern appendage, but after all, you know there are provisions whereby Texas could divide itself into five states, and if there is a territory standing pretty much as an empire in itself, it is this valley area. And this admission does not come easy from a hard-bitten West Texan who regards our own area as one of the prime principalities of the earth.

But there is a difference about the Valley, and this is quick to detect. We'll just skip the item that it is about as remote from the center of things as Alaska or Hawaii. You might as well brave the Alcan Highway as to speed for uncountable miles across barren flat lands that have to be covered before you reach the Valley gateway.

One difference is that it is in a sharply defined, compact area. The entire Valley area could be described as Cameron, Wilbrey and Hidalgo counties, and you could throw in a portion of Starr County if you wanted to.

This geographical limitation is set, I suppose, by areas which can be reached by irrigation water, both that from the Rio Grande and that from underground. It must be, roughly, 20 miles by 75 miles; but no matter. Once the water availability starts, here springs up one of the richest agricultural regions in the world.

It looked to me that if land wasn't planted in citrus groves or vegetable acreage, then it was given over to towns or to palm trees.

You know, of course, about the grape-

fruit and the oranges that are so prolific and so high in quality in the Valley. And there's that record cotton yield. But right along with these, the flat-land is turning out carrots and cabbages, tomatoes and potatoes, and I don't know what all. If we could use cabbage heads for ammunition, we would have the Russkys backed off the map right now, with just the supply from Hidalgo County.

I don't know how come so many communities up and down the Valley, unless some were offspring of land promoters; but the places are shoulder to shoulder, so that you scarcely can identify them; and the mesh of highways seem like one tremendous shopping center.

The great agricultural output has brought many kindred industries, like packers and fertilizer distributors and water pipe people, and many, many others. Produce trucks are so thick that you could be run down by one and not be pulled out from under the parade of wheels for seven days. There are more farm equipment houses than there are oil wells in Howard County.

There is a strong Latin-American impact throughout the Valley, as is to be expected. This, too, gives the region a distinctive cast. The Valley is certainly not Mexico; it moves too fast. But the Mexican atmosphere is strongly prevalent.

And so is the tourist atmosphere. If those Valley people aren't cutting cabbages, or boxing grapefruit, they are building modern motor hotels. There are more of these than there are implement dealers.

The Valley is astir. The people are good horn-tooters, and they don't let you forget for a minute that here, indeed, is the magic country. They have the land, they have the water and the climate; they have the yield to show for it. And they have the spirit to sell their Valley to the world. By golly, that big-toe part of Texas could just be a state of its own. If so, the Royal palm would certainly be the official tree. There are more palms than cabbages.

—BOB WHIPKEY

## Norman Vincent Peale

### It's Never Too Late To Succeed

I am indebted to Mr. W. Alton Jones, chairman of the board of the Cities Service Company for the biography of a "failure." This is how it reads:

- Failed in business '31
- Defeated for Legislature '32
- Again failed in business '33
- Elected to Legislature '34
- Defeated for Speaker '38
- Defeated for Elector '40
- Defeated for Congress '43
- Elected to Congress '46
- Defeated for Congress '48
- Defeated for Senate '55
- Defeated for Vice President '56
- Defeated for Senate '58

Obviously, this is the story of a man who, although his successes were few compared with a long record of failure, didn't stop trying. And his efforts were rewarded, because one entry should be added to his biography:

"Elected President '60."

His name was, of course, Abraham Lincoln and, only last month, on his birthday, people all over the world honored the memory of a great American who knew that failure should not bring about the loss of faith or hope—and that it's never too late to succeed.

This principle of action is true because your failures can make you as well as break you. It all depends on how you take hold of them and what you make of them. James Russell Lowell once wrote, "Mishaps are like knives, that either serve us or cut us, as we grasp

them by the blade or the handle." So, grasp it by the blade and you cut yourself; grasp it by the handle and you can use it to get what you want in life.

And the Russians have a proverb I have always found worth remembering: "The hammer shatters glass but forges steel." If you are brittle and delicate in your mind, your failures will shatter you and take away from you the strength to rise and fight again. But, if you have the stuff of steel in you, your failures will hammer out in you new strength and determination to win your way to success.

Success, after all, is the path of courage. James Barrie, in his famous essay on the subject of courage, quotes an old Scotch ballad that makes the point another way:

"Fight on, my men," says Sir Andrew Barton.

"I am hurt, but I am not slain;

I'll lie me down and bleed awhile, And then I'll rise and fight again."

The important thing to remember is that failure is a fact of life. None of us is able to succeed every time he tries. I believe that God faces each of us with failure for a purpose. His purpose is to make men of us, strong men, even great men. And manhood, strength and greatness are achieved by learning to handle failure, learning to rise from it, learning to try again, learning that it's never too late to succeed.

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## Marquis Childs

### Iran—Laboratory Of Trial And Error

WASHINGTON — Military aid versus economic aid to underdeveloped countries is one of the most troublesome problems American policy-makers confront, and there could be no better illustration of what this means than in Iran.

The Russians are breathing fire at their neighbor, Iran, threatening the direst consequences if the Shah and his government conclude a mutual defense treaty with the United States. Back of this is a curious tragicomedy involving the unhappy Baghdad Pact and the fears and sensitivities of a country with an ancient tradition of greatness.

Three years ago, with a stable government in power after the ouster of the volatile Mohammed Mossadegh, Iran became a member of the Baghdad Pact. Even among those glad to see Mossadegh go this caused concern, since Iran with a 1,200-mile border with the Soviet Union has long maintained a policy of neutrality.

Last summer when Iraq blew up there were nervous tremors in Teheran. As the Communist infiltration in Iraq increased so did the fear in Teheran. From the neighbor on a third border, Afghanistan, came similar reports of extensive Communist infiltration.

In response the pressures on Washington grew to provide more military aid, more budgetary aid, more aid of every kind. And when it was not forthcoming in a quantity considered sufficient there was an intimation that if Washington couldn't provide security then perhaps the Soviet Union might be interested in negotiating a neighborly pact of friendship and non-aggression with Iran.

A team of Russian negotiators went to Teheran ostensibly to work out such a pact. While much is unclear they certainly did not go on their own initiative to look at the beautiful mountainous scenery that surrounds the capital. Then after the Shah had retreated into a diplomatic illness for a week the whole thing was called off and the Russian negotiators went home, with Moscow charging that Washington had forced the Iranians to pull out.

What makes this fairly characteristic mess all the more distressing is that it can disrupt, if not destroy, a sensible economic program that has made marked

progress. A law backed by the Shah provided that between 1955 and 1962 a billion dollars of Iran's oil revenues should go into building railways, highways, irrigation and flood-control projects, schools and hospitals. The money was to be spent under the direction of an independent agency, the Plan Organization, headed by Abdool Hassan Eftehaj who has a high reputation for forcefulness and honesty.

The Plan Organization hired the Development and Resources Corporation of New York to carry out one of the largest of the projects, the Khuzestan development program. In a region with untapped resources 362,000 acres will be irrigated and transmission lines will bring electricity to people still living in the primitive simplicity of ancient Persia.

At the head of the New York firm are David Lilienthal and Gordon Clapp, both former chairmen of the Tennessee Valley Authority. For underdeveloped countries everywhere TVA has been a model of how to raise the standards of a whole region. Clapp and Lilienthal, both of whom are in Iran now, have included in their planning means to train Iranians and give them the operation of the project. They have brought in Italian, Dutch and British as well as American firms to do the work.

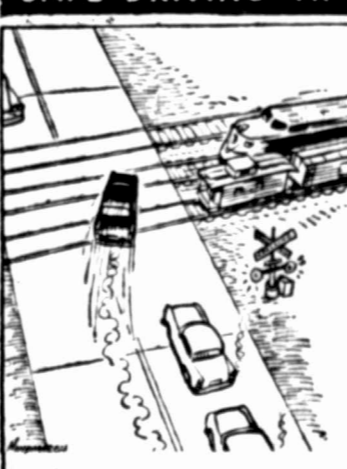
But the complete project depends on a loan from the International Bank. Investigators for the bank age beginning to be doubtful because of the rapidly rising Iranian defense budget.

This raises some deeply disturbing questions. Did membership in the Baghdad Pact give the Iranian military unreasonable ambitions for advanced military hardware? What is the utility of a large military establishment in the defense of primitive Iran against the challenge of its mighty Communist neighbor? Does the military feed on its own ambition for larger tanks and newer planes?

There are no simple answers to these questions. Pride and prestige are deeply involved. But if the committee that President Eisenhower named to examine the foreign aid problem is really interested in the facts they have in Iran a complete laboratory of trial and error.

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## SAFE DRIVING TIP



Grade crossings are a particularly dangerous kind of highway intersection.

Many grade crossing accidents are the result of carelessness, inattention, and excessive speed. In the illustration the motorist has started across a multiple track crossing only seconds after a train has passed. He has forgotten about the other track completely, and a collision is unavoidable.

The Chicago Motor Club advises that in the interest of saving their own lives, drivers should: Watch for and obey all grade crossing signs and other warnings; approach crossings at reduced speeds; look both ways before crossing; and, under adverse driving conditions, stop completely to make sure the crossing is clear.

## Hopeful Request

GRANDE PRAIRIE, Alta. (AP) — When County Secretary Russ Bowe missed a recent council meeting to go moose hunting, council members agreed to overlook his lapse on condition he supply 100 pounds of moose meat to each.

## Claim To Fame

WINCHESTER, Va. (AP) — Kathy and Lee Wolf have at least one claim to fame. They have a grandma Wolf and a grandpa Bare.

## Bible Words for Today

ROMANS 12:6 — "Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them." (RSV)

In an age so marked by conformity, it is good to remember that God prefers variety. Indeed, He has ordained it to be so! No two flowers are the same, no two sunsets are identical, no two snowflakes are of similar design.

In like manner His human creations abound in dissimilarities. No two of us are exactly alike. God makes no "carbon copies" in His intricate work of creation.

Yet, in the amazing economy of God, nothing is wasted. The gifts of each one are essential to His kingdom and glory. To you only have been given the talents to produce that which God wishes from you. If you fail to use these gifts of skill and personality that are uniquely yours, the world will be poorer, for no one else can contribute your share exactly as God intends. Let us consider well, then, the stewardship of the talents He has given to each one. Release fully into the stream of life the measure of the gifts God, through His grace, has accorded you.

Richard C. Norberg  
Eden Congregational Church  
Hayward, Calif.





**Anthony Managers From Big Spring**

The local C. R. Anthony Co. store has been an effective "training ground" for store managers. M. C. Grigsby, who has operated the store in Big Spring since its inception, has developed six other men who went on to units of their own. They all got together for this picture during a recent Anthony convention in Oklahoma City. Front row, left to right: Bill Yoss, now at Okmulgee, Okla.; Grigsby; Jim Gilbert, Bethany, Okla.; Jack Norrell, Midland. Back row: Olan Griffith, Snyder; Leo Norrell, Colorado City; and John Latham, Crane.

**Story Of Modern Japan Told In Terms Of Passing Ricksha**

By KENNETH ISHII  
TOKYO (AP) — The story of modern Japan is neatly swathed in the story of the ricksha man.

Only one among thousands of his kind, he is today a rarity. His fragile vehicle, for many years a symbol of the Eastern world, is vanishing from the streets of Tokyo.

A Westerner might scoff, but to the ricksha man the passing of his long-established tradition and way of life holds both melancholy and nostalgia.

Here, in his own, artless words, is the story of a ricksha man speaking for his dwindling tribe: My name is Juhel Takahashi but they call me "Nao." From way back, us (sic) ricksha men never used our real names. Just like geisha.

I'm 52 but this doesn't make me old. There are some of us 70 years old and still pulling rickshas.

There used to be tens of thousands of rickshas in Tokyo alone, but now there are barely a hundred. Now we're unwanted, practically.

I figure I'll be lucky if I can stay in business another 10 years — "cause that's as long as the ricksha business will probably last.

Times were before the war when everybody wanted to ride rickshas. We had nice new shiny

ones with lacquered bodies and chrome-plated mudguards, and we'd go running through the streets as fast as we could because the more passengers we carried the more money we'd make.

The only customers who ride rickshas now are the geishas. Maybe they do so because they feel sorry for us. Maybe because geishas are part of the traditional Japan and because we're part of tradition, too.

"Everybody else seems to think we're nuisances. Taxis honk impatiently because they can't get ahead of us soon enough.

The geishas ride only to and from work, and since they live close to the restaurants and tea houses our trips are pretty short, about a mile or two. We average between 60 and 70 yen a ride (roughly between 16 and 19 cents).

We earn around 7,000 yen (about \$19) a month which is less than what the lowest paid Japanese laborer makes. So many of us take on odd jobs to support our families.

In another 10 years rickshas will cease to exist altogether. You see, there aren't any more ricksha builders in Japan. With so few riding them it just doesn't pay any more to be a ricksha maker.

Today there's only one ricksha repairman left in Tokyo. And he's 75.

Spare parts they don't make either. Even tires. When we need a new tire what we do is buy several large-size bicycle tires and piece them together.

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**FOR HOOT LEONARD Water, Fertilizer, Poisons Tell Story Of Farm Success**

By JESS BLAIR  
STANTON—The story of Hoot Leonard is almost like the old rags-to-riches yarn.

Only Leonard never was in rags, and he isn't rich yet. However, a few years ago as a dryland Midland County farmer he often had to take outside jobs to make a living. Then irrigation came to the county and he started raising bumper yields of cotton. Now he ranks among the top two or three farmers of the area.

Leonard lives just east of Midland, but much of his land is a few miles southwest of Stanton in the Greenwood community. This last year he bought another farm which will increase his irrigated cotton allotment to over 500 acres. He should raise 1,000 bales or more on this land. If he doesn't get hailed out as he did last October, his 1958 average was only a bale and a half, but he lost about a third of the crop to hail. His top yield has been two and a fourth bales on 120 acres.

"It's been a question of water, fertilizer and insect control," he said. "This is not a fertile soil, so we've learned to use a lot of fertilizer."

**FOUR APPLICATIONS**  
This year he will apply 100 pounds of potash per acre, 250 pounds of 0-46-0 and then two 200-pound applications of 21 per cent ammonium sulphate to provide the nitrogen.

"It's not always the amount that counts," he said, "for it must be balanced. I learned this by accident last year when my field hands accidentally skipped four rows on that last nitrogen fertilization."

The cotton stalks turned sickly along in the summer and those four rows averaged only a quarter bale per acre—less than the dryland land. Discounting the hail, the rest of the field would have averaged over two bales."

Leonard puts down most of his fertilizer in the winter time. He flat breaks the land about 10 inches deep every year, but about every three years goes down 12 to 14 inches.

Irrigation starts early and never stops. In these deeper sands he waters about every 12 to 14 days and pays no attention to any extra moisture except the very heaviest rains.

Poisoning likewise goes by a regular schedule. Along about July he starts his spray rigs and covers the field at five to seven day intervals until fall. At one time Leonard hired airplane contractors to do the work after cotton became tall. Now he has two tractor sprayers which will navigate

**Clergymen Must Apply Soon For Social Security**

Clergymen who have not previously exercised their option to obtain old-age, survivors and disability insurance coverage under the provisions of the Social Security Act, and wish to do so, must act by April 15, 1959. They have until then to file Waiver Certificate Form No. 2031 with the Department of Internal Revenue.

Any minister, priest, rabbi, Christian Science practitioner, or member of a religious order who has been duly ordained, licensed, or commissioned, and has not taken a vow of poverty, who files the Form 2031 with the Internal Revenue Service by the above date will be mandatorily covered. This will begin with the year 1956, as well as for subsequent years for which he may have net earnings of \$400 or more any part of which is from the exercise of his ministry.

In figuring the amount of his net earnings, the clergyman should include his regular remuneration received from his church, fees which he receives from the exercise of his ministry, the rental value of his parsonage or rental allowance he received as part of his compensation, and the value of meals and lodging furnished him for the convenience of his employer.

If the clergyman does file the Form 2031 Waiver Certificate on or before April 15, 1959, he will also have to file amended federal tax returns for 1956, and 1957, to include reporting his earnings as self-employment income for social security credits for those years, as well as pay the social security self-employment taxes.

The maximum amount of self-employment income to be reported for 1956, 1957 and 1958, is \$4,200 per year; the self-employment tax rate for 1956 is 3 per cent and 3 1/2 per cent for 1957 and 1958. Beginning with 1959, the maximum earnings amount is increased to \$4,800 per year; and the self-employment social security tax rate will be 3 1/4 per cent.

**Protestants Set Preaching Mission For Webb Chapel**

The annual Protestant preaching mission will be held on March 15-18 in the Webb AFB Chapel. Ministers and choirs of several churches in Big Spring will participate.

Services will be held on Sunday March 15, at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. and each evening, Monday through Wednesday, March 16-18 at 7:30 p.m.

All Protestant personnel of Webb AFB and residents in the Big Spring area are invited to attend the mission.



**Starting New Crop**

Hoot Leonard turns on the irrigation pump for the start of a new cotton crop on his place southwest of Stanton. This well will be hooked onto the same sprinkler pipe with three others to provide a bigger flow of water.

through high cotton. He used them last year and saved enough money to pay for both.

**MECHANICAL HARVEST**  
"I don't get after the fleahoppers and aphids as early as I once did," he said. "I pick all my cotton mechanically now, and those big machines just won't get down to the lowest bolls."

Leonard differs with some farmers about the date for shutting off irrigation water. He says from Aug. 20 to Sept. 1 is a good time to stop the pumps.

"This gives you earlier maturity," he said, "and a quicker harvest. The first crop always brings you most money. If you water too long and then get a wet September or October, you'll have a lot of small, knotty bolls that won't bring anything."

Several farmers in this area, including H. C. Tubb, the Golladay brothers and others have increased yields from a bale an acre to over twice as much. But now some fields are going down. Yields are dropping on land that has been in irrigated cotton several years.

**ORGANIC MATERIAL**  
"We've got to put some organic matter back into the soil," he said. "Maize and small grain won't do it, so we'll use legumes or some heavy residue crop."

Leonard says he learned this lesson when he plowed up an irrigated pasture and planted it to cotton. For two or three years he made two and a half bales per acre on this field.

He has several irrigation wells, which average from 100 gallons per minute up to several hundred. He now ties all the wells in one field onto a central line, which gives more pressure on the sprinklers.

Right now he is trying an experiment that may prove interesting to farmers who have well troubles. One of his wells gets sand-locked, so he has run a small pipe from another well down beside the casing. He thinks the water will agitate the sand and it can be pumped out. After a few treatments he hopes the well will give no more trouble.

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**BREEZING ALONG**—A ski enthusiast at Garmisch, Germany, tries a "ski pony," a propeller-driven gadget, which can pull skier at speeds up to 30 miles an hour.



**CLOSE TALK**—Soviet Deputy Premier Anastas Mikoyan and Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko huddle at talk with British Prime Minister Macmillan in Moscow.



**THE WATCH ON THE HAN**—South Korean fishermen, bundled against the cold, huddle on wooden seats as they fish through ice under Han River bridge at Seoul.



**MANAGEMENT TALK**—Manager Fred Haney chats with new general manager John McHale before Milwaukee Braves opened spring training at Bradenton, Fla.



**TOYS WITH A WHIRL**—Among new toys displayed at international fair held in Nuernberg, Germany, are hula-hooping dolls. Hoops can circle dolls for ten minutes.



**TO HEAD BAR**—John D. Randall of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, was nominated in Chicago for the presidency of the American Bar Association. He takes office in August.



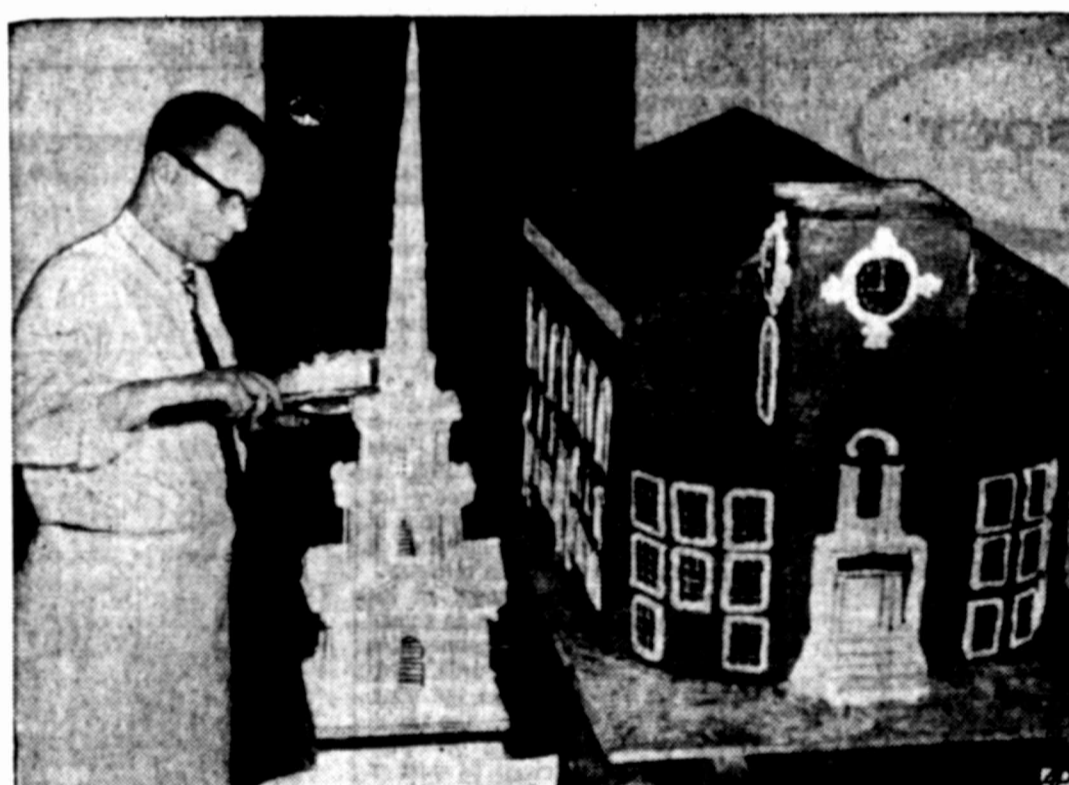
**CAN YOU TOP THIS?**—Even long-time residents can't say why small house is atop main house in Hagensbuchbach, West Germany. It was built 40 years ago.



**COLD CLEANUP**—After a wearying battle with blaze in freezing weather in Milwaukee, fireman Ed Schultz has task of clearing his engine of its ice coating.



**SPRING STRAW**—Among new hat fashions is this white straw trimmed with bands of turquoise silk velvet on rippled brim and two bows on squared crown.



**TOUCHING THE TOP**—W. Russell Crosby Jr. puts finishing touches on spire of half-ton cake, replica of Park Street Church, for its 150th anniversary in Boston.



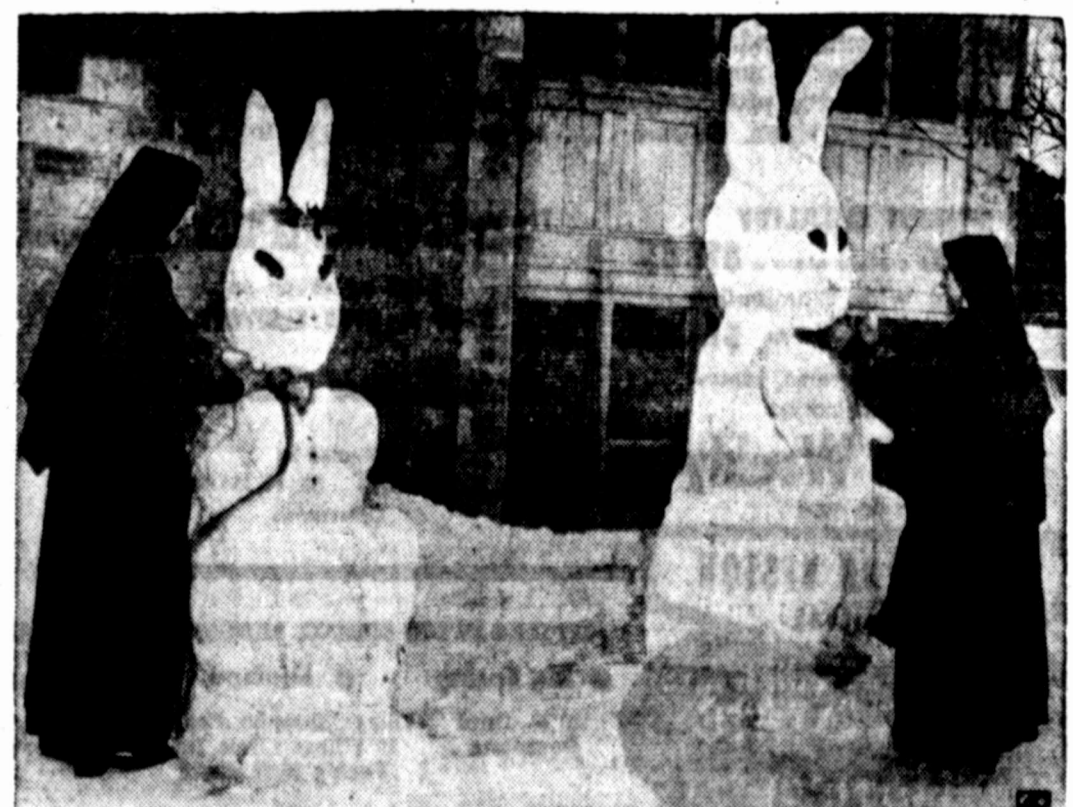
**EASY DOES IT**—Tommy Anderson, 2, takes a swig of milk and holds his trusty gun as he gets a haircut in Kingsport, Tenn. Barber is careful with every clip.



**A HELPING HAND**—Long arm of Anthony Quinn reaches past face of Sophia Loren as they lunch near Tucson, Ariz., where they're filming "Heller With A Gun."



**FOR POSTERITY**—Boris Gordin eyes his completed portrait of former House Speaker Joseph Martin (R-Mass.) in Washington. It will be shown in U.S. Capitol.



**SNOW SURPRISE**—Nuns add ribbons to snow rabbits in school yard as surprise for pupils on holiday in Austin, Minn. Rabbits were modeled after new snowfall.

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CAMPUS CHATTER

Faculty, Administrators Attend TJCA Gathering

By BOBBY HORTON Faculty administrators and instructors of HCJC did their share to complete the program of the Texas Junior College Assn. and Texas Junior College Teachers Assn. conventions, held simultaneously in Fort Worth Friday.

lege, and previously served the TJCTA as English secretary-treasurer. Representing Howard County Junior College's foreign language and biology department in programs of those sections were Mrs. E. A. White and Gene Powell, respectively.

leyball, archery, lacrosse, deep breathing, and refereeing. He says prohibit automobiles for students. Next, disband fraternities. He tops the dose of medicine by suggesting offering a two-year university curriculum, crowned with an associate-in-arts degree for those who pass it successfully.

HI TALK

Seniors Planning Contest To Spur Ticket Sales For Play

By PAT ROGERS The month of March came in like a lamb, but suddenly it seemed to have turned into a lion. The present sand storms and the ones to follow aren't very good on the students' sinuses or dispositions; however this weather is easier to take when there is a holiday like last Friday.

tested. There is a possibility Bill could be awarded a Merit Scholarship. James Howard Stephens, Celia Grant, Bill Engle, and Larry Moore will serve as representatives to the Texas Assn. of Student Councils which is to be held in Brownsville. The group will leave Wednesday and will take part in such activities as discussion groups and a problem clinic.

second presentation. An admission of 15 cents was charged, and a third went to Runnels student council while the remaining two-thirds went to the junior class. BSHS is scheduled to have a nationally recognized Champion Highway Safety Program. It is to be presented around the entire nation as a means of combatting highway accidents.

RUNNELS REPORT

Supplement For Annual Planned

By DIANE BAKER The yearbook staff announced that this year a four-page supplement to the annual will be issued in September. In years before, explained Katherine Hepper, editor, only the activities from September to March 1 were pictured in the yearbook.

awards assembly; the ninth grade picnic. The 1959 Senior High Follies were presented Wednesday at Runnels. Some of the acts included the "Kingston Trio," a modern dance, a Latin-American trio, and many other attractions.

GOLIAD NEWS

Public Sees New Jr. High Building

By PAT ARMSTRONG Last Sunday was an important day for Goliad. It as the day Goliad was formally dedicated and also open to the public. From 2 p.m. until 6 p.m. citizens of Big Spring looked over the newest addition to the Big Spring public school system.

The Tumbleweed went on sale Tuesday during fifth period. If you didn't get a copy this week be sure and have a nickel for the next issue. You'll always get your money's worth. Steve Wilman heads up the staff.

Also on Monday the Runnels volleyball teams will play Lamesa here. The seventh grade plays at 5 p.m., the eighth at 6 p.m. and the ninth at 7 p.m. Good luck to all the girls.

Just Look At All The Bargains In Today's Herald



MILLIONS OF WOMEN EVERYWHERE LOOK FIRST TO THEIR NEWSPAPER FOR NEWS ABOUT BUDGET-BOOSTING VALUES...

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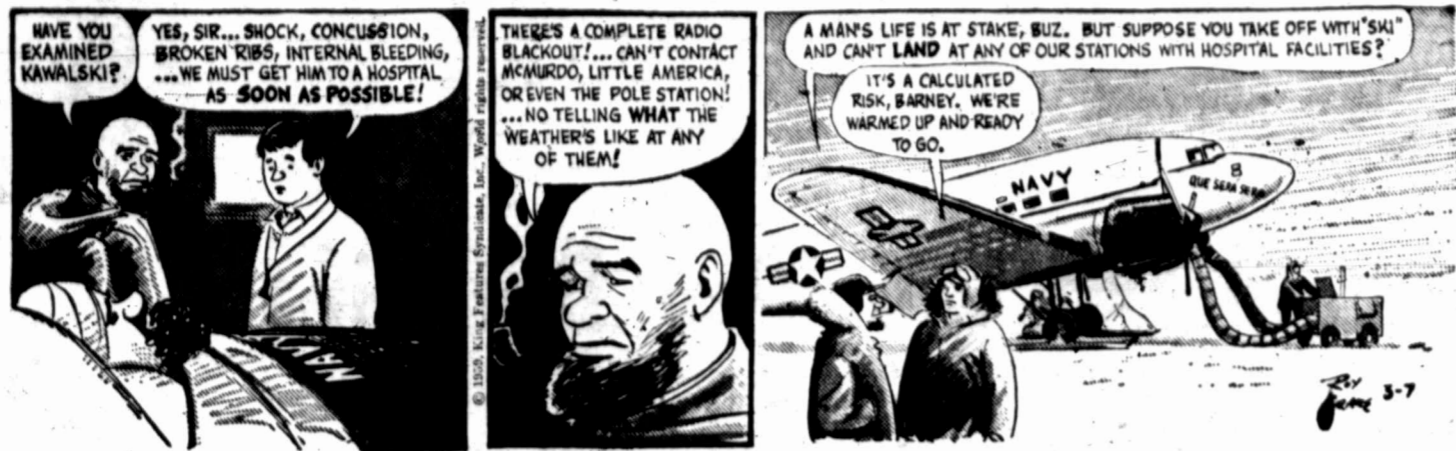
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Japanese Students Want Correspondents

Two more letters requesting that school children in the United States correspond with them have come from Japanese youths. They are Kazuo Oasato, a 14-year-old boy in the eighth grade and whose address is 5-8 Terajima-Machi, Sumida-ku, Tokyo, Japan; and Toshiko Mizuno, No. 8 Gokencho-Kanda, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, Japan.



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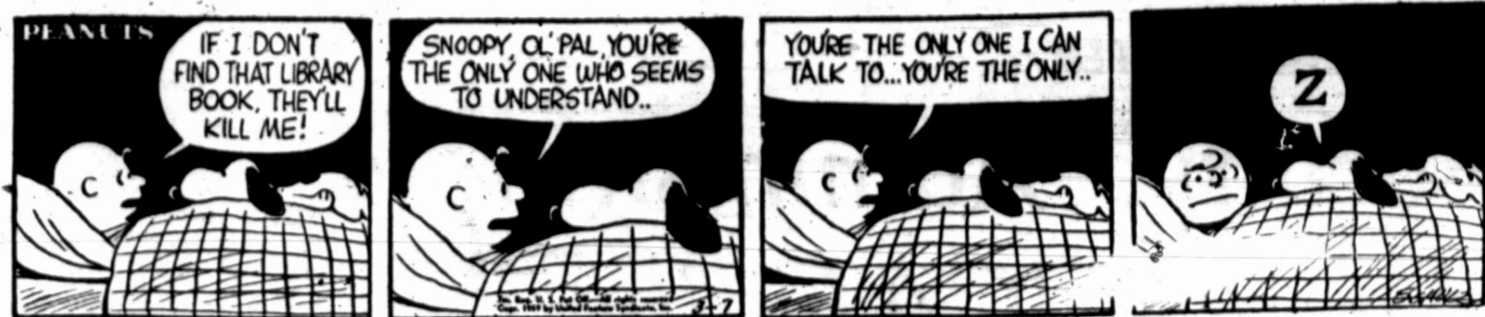
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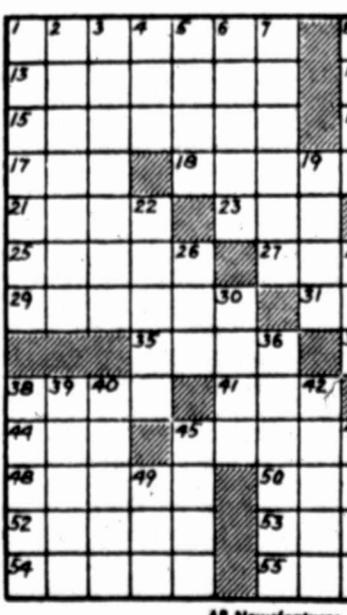
"The house in a mess and a television program I want to see! ... My intuition tells me we're going to have company, Smedley!"

The Herald's Entertainment Page Of Top Comics

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Crossword Puzzle

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# Tom Ewell Heads Misfits In Amusing Bank Job Farce

A NICE LITTLE BANK THAT SHOULD BE ROBBED, starring Tom Ewell. Produced by Anthony Muto. Directed by Henry Levin. Screenplay by Sydney Boehm from an article by Evan Wylie. At the State Sunday and Monday.

There's a nice little bank in town, and there are three not very nice but rather laughable misfits who think it should be robbed. Tom Ewell thinks so, and he's not willing to allow the pros to muscle in on his job; so, he takes care of it himself. The slapstick result is the gold-durndest and most befuddled bank heist in many years. But don't let the slapstick scare you off. There's also a healthy mixture of sly humor supplied by Ewell, who is generally credited with the championship of that department. Someone slipped Ewell a couple of Mickey's as supporting stars. Mickey Rooney, with a highly developed sense of timing, gives more evidence that the former child star may make it back into

the big time. The other Mick, a guy named Shaughnessy who said "Beep!" in "Don't Go Near the Water," is the bumbling third partner. It's long on title and almost as long on laughs. Other viewing: "The Trap." Excellent photography, good acting, poor direction and inexcusably thin scripting make this one worth seeing only if you happen to be a personal fan of one of the stars: Richard Widmark, Lee J. Cobb, Tina Louise, or Earl Holliman. It's a loosely manufactured yarn about a criminal trying to escape across the Mexican border, and with a little tightening up of script and direction, it could have been a stunning film. "Rally Round the Flag, Boys." Back again. This Max Shulman story, one of his funniest, purports to be about the loose sexual morality of Suburbia, but when the characters become bored with the whole thing, it turns into an hilarious farce. Paul Newman and Joanne Woodward are slightly out of

their medium as comics, although funny enough, and it is veteran Jack Carson that carries the most laughs. "The Fiend That Walked the West." The walking fiend got flit feet. Remember "Kiss of Death," where maniac Richard Widmark pushed an old lady in her wheelchair down a flight of stairs? Well, that suspenseful and excellently-made drama has been dug up, transported to the Wild West, and turned into a combination of western and horror movie—a combination of two money-making ingredients which the producers doubtless thought would bring in twice as much money. The monster turns out to be more a youngster mugging at Halloween than a psychopathic killer. "The Cosmic Man." Now, this is more like it. Unlike most horror films that disguise themselves as "Science" fiction, this one really is. The cosmic man, a visitor from you-know-where, elucidates differing reactions from a scientist and a military martinet. Since the visitor is obviously a superior being from a highly advanced civilization, the scientist hopes to learn from him, but is unwilling to use unethical methods to extract the information he wants. The martinet has no such compunctions. It comes to Big Spring as a Friday 13th midnight movie, and I hope it comes back for a regular showing.



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## CRITIQUE

By BOB SMITH

### Come On, Now, Let's All Tootle

It hasn't hit here yet, but the latest craze is the playing of recorders.

I don't mean tape recorders; the new fad involves a flute-like instrument that, when well-made, produces the most uncannily soft music this critic has ever heard. Chicago is now in the midst of a recorder boom, where my colleague, movie critic Sam Lesner of the Daily News, conducts classes of instruction on the playing of the recorder. The instrument is finding wide popularity in other sections, and promises to replace the hula hoop.

Aside from its sweet music, the most beautiful thing about the recorder is the fact that there are four types, corresponding to the human voice—soprano, alto, tenor and bass. The 16th Century instrument was played by Good Queen Bess and the Pilgrim Fathers. Gradually, it was shoved aside by the modern flute as a concert hall instrument, and it wasn't until about 20 years ago that the recorder came into its own. There are chapters now in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Memphis and Chattanooga, plus dozens of smaller cities. And the trend is spreading south and west, as note the newly-organized Chicago group, which now numbers some 3,000.

The recorder is not a toy. It's a genuine musical instrument. The price tags are not those of toys, ranging from \$7.50 for the soprano to \$75 for the bass. And anybody can learn to play a recorder. Lesner contends, "You don't blow a recorder, you just sigh into it." Maybe we need a recorder society here, instead of a symphony which seems nigh unto impossible at the present stage.

**Lubbock Group Schedules 'Firsts'**

Presenting a trio of "firsts," the Lubbock Symphony Orchestra, under the leadership of its founder-conductor, William A. Harrod, will present a special benefit concert for the Counseling Service of the Blind of Lubbock in the Lubbock Municipal Auditorium at 8 p.m. Monday, March 16. The benefit marks the first time the 26-member, all-volunteer orchestra will devote its services for the benefit of a South Plains welfare agency, the first of a plan to hold a fund-raising concert annually for deserving local agencies.

Two guests will appear on the benefit program. George Shearing, the widely-known blind pianist, will perform the Mozart Concerto in A for piano and orchestra in the first half of the program, being joined by members of his famous quintet on stage for a typical Shearing session of modern arrangements in the second portion. A double "first" will be marked when Dr. John Vincent, professor of music at the University of California at Los Angeles, director of the Huntington Hartford Foundation and eminent American composer, conducts the Lubbock Symphony Orchestra in the first Southwestern performance of his "Symphony in D." A festive will be the orchestra's first guest conductor in its 13-year history.

"Porgy and Bess" has already been filmed, but it's being delayed another few months. The producers want to make absolutely certain that the musical's sound track is beyond criticism.

—BOB SMITH

**Held For Battery**

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Police booked singer Helen O'Connell's 225-pound husband on two battery charges when she said he beat her and pulled her hair.

"Bold Journey," the unique TV series that was commercially sponsored, but was widely used in educational circles, will be dropped from the ABC Network. After July, some of the best of the series will be re-run.

A letter from the sponsor states the show is being dropped because of "a diminishing of the special kind of material" which was used on the show, the strictly actual reporting by an amateur or semi-amateur traveler who filmed his unusual trip.

Only a few local people with extra high antennae have been able to receive ABC, but these few will keenly feel the loss.

"The undiscovered country from whose bourne No traveller returns." Thus Shakespeare has Hamlet refer to the Great Beyond. And, on the basis of real life, Shakespeare was right. But in the field in which he was the undisputed master—the theatre—he was as wrong as could be.

In plays it is a very frequent thing for people to return from death to earthly activity. One instance is the comedy called "Heaven Can Wait," coming to the BSHS Auditorium Theatre next April 9 and 10, in which, through a mistake of Heavenly Authorities, a man has been summoned to the "nearly Gates" before his ordained time, and so is allowed to return to life, but in a new guise (to the consternation of quite a lot of people).

"Blithe Spirit," "Our Town," "Outward Bound" and many other such plays—including all the ghost stories from earlier history—have entertained many audiences with the same theme. Even Shakespeare, right in "Hamlet," has a ghost come back to tell his son how he had been untimely murdered.

**Dahl, Lamas May Patch Troubles**

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Arlene Dahl says she and Fernando Lamas are dating and their broken marriage may be saved. It was just a week ago that Miss Dahl, 33, sued the 42-year-old actor for divorce, charging cruelty.



The Bank

It was a "Nice Little Bank That Should Be Robbed," and these three misfits did just that. They are Mickey Rooney, Tom Ewell and Mickey Shaughnessy, whose capers in the movie of the above title may be seen Sunday and Monday at the State. This filmed farce of financial foolerism won the gold prize at the International Humor Festival, and it'd be a crime to miss it.



The Trap

Brothers in conflict are portrayed by Earl Holliman and Richard Widmark in "The Trap," showing Sunday through Tuesday at the Ritz. This makes the third time the two actors have portrayed brother roles, the first two being in "The Broken Lance" and "Destination Gobi."

## Goldwyn Is Miffed At Ustinov's Joke

By JAMES BACON

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Producer Samuel Goldwyn Thursday night got miffed at an introduction which touched on his famous Goldwynisms and scolded Britisher Peter Ustinov.

Ustinov, one of the masters of ceremonies at the annual Golden Globe Awards dinner of the Hollywood Foreign Press Assn., called upon Goldwyn to present one of the awards.

"Mr. Goldwyn," said Ustinov, "has enriched the silver screen as much as he has enriched the English language." Goldwyn, always sensitive about the many malaprops attributed to him, responded "I would like to come see you some time. Should I bring a dictionary? I've got a lot to learn. I know, but so do you too."

At the end of his speech, Goldwyn cooled and shook Ustinov's hand. The Coconut Grove audience included almost every big name in the movies.

Two stars—both past the 70 mark—stole the show. Maurice Chevalier and Sophie Tucker gave out with a rock 'n' roll duet on "Some of These Days" that brought down the house.

Top popularity awards went to Rock Hudson and Deborah Kerr, who were voted current film favorites of the world. Miss Kerr, presently in Switzerland, cabled her thanks.

In the best acting categories were Susan Hayward, David Niven, Rosalind Russell, Danny Kaye, Burl Ives and Hermoine Gingold. Television performers honored were Ann Sothern, Loretta Young, Red Skelton, William Orr, Ed Sullivan and newsman Paul Coates.

Los Angeles (AP)—Smiling and relaxed, Debbie Reynolds is off for Spain to make a movie. Accompanying her as she boarded a plane at International Airport were dancer Camille Williams, her companion and secretary; and Agnes Roth, Romanian refugee who has been nurse to Debbie's two children.

The actress had nothing to say about Eddie Fisher, from whom she has been granted a divorce. She said she would be in Spain for about four weeks.

**Linda Cristal, Oil Husband Break Up**

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Actress Linda Cristal and oil executive Robert Champion have separated after 11 months.

The Argentine-born actress, 25, and Champion, 35, of Venezuela, were married April 24, 1958. She blamed the breakup on her career and his job in Venezuela which kept them apart.

## WEEK'S PLAYBILL

**Ritz**  
Sunday through Tuesday "THE TRAP," with Richard Widmark and Tina Louise.  
Wednesday through Saturday "RALLY ROUND THE FLAG, BOYS," with Paul Newman and Joanne Woodward.  
**State**  
Sunday and Monday "A NICE LITTLE BANK THAT SHOULD BE ROBBED," with Tom Ewell; also, "KILL HER GENTLY," with Griffith Jones and Maureen Connell.  
Tuesday and Wednesday "HOT ANGEL," with Jackie Loughery and Edward Kenmore.  
Thursday through Saturday "THE FIEND WHO WALKED THE WEST," with Hugh O'Brien and Dolores Michaels; also, "KING CREOLE," with Elvis Presley.  
**Jet**  
Sunday through Tuesday "THE RESTLESS YEARS," with John Saxon and Sandra Dee.  
Wednesday and Thursday "HARRY BLACK AND THE TIGER," with Stewart Granger and Barbara Rush.  
Friday and Saturday "APACHE TERRITORY," with Rory Calhoun and Barbara Bates.  
**Sahara**  
Sunday through Wednesday "THIS HAPPY FEELING," with Debbie Reynolds and Curt Jurgens; also, "THE NAKED AND THE DEAD," with Aldo Ray and Raymond Massey.  
Thursday through Saturday "CATTLE EMPIRE," with Joel McCrea and Gloria Talbot; also, "HELL'S FIVE HOURS," with Stephen McNally and Colleen Gray.

## Bob Hope To Quit Movies For Awhile

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Back home from New York, where physicians assured him he would not have to submit to eye surgery, comedian Bob Hope says he is quitting the movies for a while.

Hope, who appeared tired, said the medics told him he'd have to stay out of the klieg lights until a blood clot in his left eye clears. The doctors said the clot was caused by high blood pressure.

"I've had to knock out a couple of personal appearances," said Hope. He is going to complete a television film within a few days, then rest for a while.

## She's Going To Sue Somebody

NEW YORK (AP)—Blonde Brazilian singer Rosina Pagan said she placed her 6 1/2-carat diamond ring, valued at more than \$7,000, on the window sill of her Manhattan apartment while she polished her fingernails.

Along came a pigeon, she said, and whisked the ring away.

She said the ring was a gift from a Texas oil man.

"I'm going to sue the city, I'm going to sue somebody," she said, adding that pigeons never do things like that in Brazil.

## Drama To Dublin

NEW YORK (AP)—Anew McMaster, co-star with Fay Bainter on the national tour of "Long Day's Journey Into Night," is going to present the drama next in Dublin.

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**DEAR ABBY**

**HESITATE NO MORE!**

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

**DEAR ABBY:** A little neighbor girl who is friendly with my daughter comes by every morning to get a ride to school. This girl is 15 and has a bad case of asthma. Her mother doesn't allow her to smoke but the minute she gets in my house she lights up a cigarette and she smokes all the way to school in the car. It hurts me to see this child coughing and wheezing and smoking. She has the habit so bad it's pitiful. My daughter won't let me tell her mother because it will get the girl in trouble and that would be cruel. Since she's not my daughter I have no right to tell her not to smoke. How would you handle this, Abby?

**DON'T KNOW**  
**DEAR DON'T:** If this child were your own daughter, wouldn't you want to know? Sometimes we have to be cruel to be kind. Tell her mother.

**DEAR ABBY:** Am I ever in a pickle? I like two guys very much. One (let's call him "Taller" because that's what he is) likes me and is very good looking but sort shy. The other ("Shorter") is shorter than I am but he is a living doll and is the most popular kid at school. My parents think "Taller" is a little on the "hoody" side because when they met him he needed a shave and a haircut, but he isn't. I wish you'd help me make-up my mind. Am I?

**DEAR IN:** Why must you make up your mind about one or the other? At age 16—the more the merrier. I wouldn't say this was a "picklement." I'd say it was a good "dill."

**DEAR ABBY:** Our son, who is trying so hard to bring his grades up, told his father at the dinner table last evening that he got an "A" in a test. All his father answered was, "How about cleaning up that plate before leaving the table?" I could just see the sunshine go out of the child's face. What does one do with such a husband?

**DEAR MOTHER:** If your husband is thoughtless, give him a gentle kick under the table. If he's heartless, explain (when you get him alone) how much a little encouragement and praise would mean to the boy.

**DEAR ABBY:** I am very serious about a young man and I know he feels the same way about me. I am 28 and he is 26. He has never been married but I have been married twice. He is ideal for me but he told me that a few years ago he had had a few visits with a psychiatrist. My mother said if he has seen a psychiatrist he is a "mental case." Would you say he was a poor risk? IN DOUBT

**DEAR IN:** A few visits to a psychiatrist does not make one a "mental case." If this bothers you

find out more about those "visits" and possibly have a talk with his doctor. You could be a greater risk than he.

**CONFIDENTIAL TO END OF ROPE:** The time to start correcting children is before they start correcting you.

For a personal reply, write to ABBY in care of The Big Spring Herald. Enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

**Dawson Teacher Banquet Slated**

LAMESA — A representative of the Texas State Teachers Assn., John H. Lovelady, is scheduled to speak at the annual banquet of the Lamesa Classroom Teachers and the Dawson County Teachers Assn. to be held at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Lamesa High School cafeteria.

Lovelady's subject will be "The TSTA Legislative Program for 1959." A former teacher, coach, principal and assistant superintendent before becoming a member of the headquarter's staff of TSTA, Lovelady is acquainted with all phases of public education. He is a graduate of the University of Texas and received a master's degree from Texas Western College in 1948.

Music for the banquet is to be furnished by students in the choral department at Lamesa High School. St. Patrick's Day decorations will be used to set the theme for the evening.

Approximately 150 reservations have been made, according to Mrs. Jacqueline Subl, secretary of Lamesa Classroom Teachers.

**Texas Economy Termed Good**

AUSTIN (AP)—The Bureau of Business Research views Texas economy near the end of the first quarter of 1959 with "considerable grounds for optimism."

"Not all areas of the economy have completely recovered from the effects of the recession, but there is a general upward direction to nearly all important indicators," the University of Texas agency said Saturday.

"The indicators which are holding steady or giving ground slightly are still at high levels, and their most probable direction of movement is upward. There is nothing in the outlook for the rest of the year to cause any discouragement."

The bureau said the general index of business activity in Texas in January was 210 per cent of the 1947-49 level and less than one-half of one per cent below the December level, highest on record.

"The one sector of the economy that is likely to cause concern from time to time is crude oil production," the report said.

"Although the index is moving upward now, it is still below its pre-recession and pre-Suez highs. The golden years of flush production and high demand in a market almost totally free from foreign competition lie behind us. In the future a high volume of foreign production will pose a constant threat to domestic producers, particularly to the largest producer, Texas. Weakening prices and curtailed production will result in the decline of exploration and discovery that could mean the end of the domestic industry."

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