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Bids Asked On Pilot Training

Invitations for bids for civilian contract pilot training at Webb Air Force Base went out Tuesday to 46 prospective bidders who have made inquiry, it was announced by Lt. George Podrasky, base procurement officer.

Bids are due to be opened at 2 p.m. on March 15, in Withycombe Hall at the base.

Lt. Podrasky said, "After bid openings and before awarding the contract the base procurement office will conduct a facility capability report to determine the financial and technical ability of the bidder to perform under terms of the contract."

DISTANT POINTS

He said bid inquiries have come from as far east as New York and as far west as California. There were 19 Texas firms asking about the program.

The contract calls for training of student pilots in the Air Force T-41A (known commercially as the Cessna 172F) for 30 hours before going into training in the T-37 and T-38 jet aircraft.

This is a new phase of the ATC flying training program making use of light propeller planes. ATC officials have said that use of this type of craft in the initial phase of the pilot training program will help increase pilot production at minimum cost.

Pilot training goals went from 1,500 for the government's last fiscal year to 1,900 for fiscal year 1966, and some 2,700 are expected to be trained in fiscal year 1967.

INCREASE VITAL

The increase is regarded as necessary to help offset a serious pilot shortage which looms because of retirements of World War II pilots and the need for highly-qualified pilots in the newer types of aircraft coming into the Air Force inventory.

The new flying training program will be 53 weeks in length instead of the present 55 weeks. Total flying hours for the student will be reduced from 262 to 240 hours.

NEARBY FIELD

This initial phase of pilot training will be conducted at some nearby commercial air field and is scheduled to begin with Class 67-A which begins training here July 29.

Webb AFB is one of eight Air Training Command bases which conducts UPT (Undergraduate Pilot Training) in the Air Force.

Others are: Craig AFB at Selma, Ala.; Laredo AFB at Laredo; Reese AFB at Dalhart; Vance AFB at Lubbock; Moody AFB at Valdosta, Ga.; and Williams AFB at Chandler, Ariz.

The Cessna planes will be purchased by the Air Force and leased to the contractors who will fly and maintain them. It is estimated that some 21 aircraft would be used here.

AT WEBB

Under the new contract program, students will be billeted at Webb and will be transported to and from the training field by military vehicles. Location of the civilian facilities must be within one hour's travel distance.

The runway or landing strip, taxi areas and parking areas may consist of either turf grass sod or pavement. These sodded or paved areas must have sufficient drainage and stabilization to permit flying operations to continue during light rains and to resume flying within 30 minutes following heavy rains. These surfaces must be sufficiently stable to prevent the

formation of dust that would interfere with flight operations during dry weather.

Bidders must show evidence of certified airman agency with minimum rating as a primary flying school for airplanes or have proof that same will be obtained by May 1.

Pooling Law Suggested

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. John Connally's legislative address today contained his first recommendation for an oil and gas forced pooling law.

"Where several different individuals own an interest in oil or gas in a common reservoir, it is often both inefficient and uneconomical for each to drill a separate well in order to recover his fair share of oil or gas from that reservoir," Connally told legislators.

"I support a statute which will authorize the Railroad Commission to provide for pooling of these separately-owned interests in a common reservoir—so long as the correlative rights of each interested owner are protected."

Only Six Vote Absentee For Coahoma Bonds

COAHOMA—Only six absentee votes were cast in the Coahoma Independent School District's bond election set for Saturday, Tuesday was the last day for casting absentee ballots.

Two proposals are at stake. Qualified voters are asked to approve an issue of \$400,000 for school building, equipment and improvements, in the first proposal. In the second proposal they will vote on a swimming pool, estimated at \$50,000.

Persons eligible to vote must own taxable property in the school district and hold a poll tax receipt from last year. Voting places, open from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m., will be at the Coahoma City Hall and at the Baptist Church in Vincent.

The new bonds, if approved, are to be financed out of general tax revenues. School officials estimated that the increased rate would be from 10 to 15 cents above the present rate of \$1.50 per \$100 valuation.

Collision Kills College Youth

DALLAS (AP) — One North Texas State University student from Dallas was killed and another injured gravely today in a collision of their car and a pickup truck.

Jack Cassell, 19, died in the accident. Hospital attendants reported his companion, Everett Garrett, also 19, was in critical condition.

Police said the crash occurred about 12:15 a.m. while the pickup followed a house being moved in the Oak Cliff section.

Governor Airs Teacher Pay Increase Plan

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. John Connally asked the Legislature today to enact a 10-year program for raising public school teacher salaries and to provide local districts with funds for "selective" increases as the district sees fit.

The governor's recommendation differed considerably from the Texas State Teachers Association demand for a \$45 per month across-the-board salary boost this year.

"NOT CONSISTENT"

Quoting principles stated by the TSTA itself, Connally said the immediate \$45 increase in state-backed salaries under the minimum foundation school program would not be consistent with the association's stated objectives.

He noted that average teacher pay scales are above the state minimums because of local supplements in many districts.

The governor said: "Even if local districts would at this time continue their present enrichment levels, the \$45 in '65 proposal would not assure 'maximum salaries that will justify teachers in looking upon teaching as a career' nor give 'recognition for training and service.' On the other hand, it would provide proportionately larger increases for 'beginning teachers at the expense of teachers with long records of successful experience,' thus violating all three of the principles enunciated by the TSTA."

"HIGHER REWARDS"

Connally said his long-range program would "provide higher rewards for the experienced, better-trained teachers."

The governor's plan would raise the state-supported beginning salary for teachers with a bachelor's degree to \$4,500 from the present \$4,014, and for teachers with a master's degree to \$4,806 from the present \$4,239 now paid. Major increase would be in the maximum levels: From \$5,094 to \$6,390 for a teacher with a bachelor's degree and from \$6,075 to \$7,326 for the teacher with a master's degree.

In addition, Connally recommended that the state provide local districts with \$50 per classroom teacher unit, to be matched by the districts "for additional selective salary increases for classroom teachers only to be distributed as the local district may determine." Such increases would be between \$100 and \$1,000 for a nine-month school term.

He also proposed that the present automatic yearly increase be raised from \$108 to \$126 for teaching experience after 1961.

BILL INTRODUCED

Legislation to carry out the Texas State Teachers Association demand for \$45 in '65' already has been introduced in both the House and the Senate.

Rep. George Hinson of Mineola introduced the House measure Monday, with 90 other members signed as co-sponsors. The Senate bill was introduced by Sen. A. M. Aikin and has 11 signatures.

Teachers last got a state-backed salary increase in 1963, when the legislature passed a \$810 a year pay boost.

An alternate plan for lifting teacher pay levels will be offered in the Senate Thursday by Sen. Jack Strong of Longview.

BULLETIN

NEW YORK (AP)—Bethlehem Steel Corp., the nation's second ranking producer, today reported 1964 earnings of \$147,944,000 or \$3.11 a share, a seven-year high.

FULL EXAM

Dr. W. J. Gould, New York throat specialist, was flying to Washington today to join Johnson's personal physician, Rear Adm. George G. Burkley, in giving the chief executive a thorough post-hospital examination. Gould had flown to the President's bedside early Saturday morning but returned to New York Tuesday.

The delay in a decision was creating problems on both sides of the Atlantic. The British lacked definite word on whether they would have to provide for a distinguished U.S. guest at the funeral on Saturday and American officials were unable to nail down solid arrangements for the presidential trip—an undertaking that involves hundreds of individuals in and out of the White House.

Johnson wore a hat and heavy winter overcoat when he

Radical Revision For State Colleges Eyed

Connally Surprise Proposal Offered

Jubilant reaction from some quarters greeted Gov. John Connally's proposal Wednesday for a shakeup in the alignment of Texas universities and colleges. College presidents generally declined detailed comment, pending study of the proposal and consultation with college boards.

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. John Connally, warning against destructive competition among state colleges, recommended today a tradition-shattering regrouping of the 22 colleges under three boards.

The governing board revision, one of the promised surprises in Connally's legislative address, would regroup the colleges—now under 11 boards—into two university systems and a college system with a minimum of seven colleges each.

NEW COLLEGE

A new state college—the 23rd—is proposed for San Antonio.

Accompanying the politically explosive governing board revision proposal are several recommendations, including some made earlier:

1. Creation of a "strong coordinating board" for state colleges to assure the highest educational quality for state spending.
2. Raising teachers salaries to a level about 10 per cent above the projected national average "if the new coordinating board is created to replace the State Commission on Higher Education."
3. Abolition of the state 5-cent ad valorem tax for college buildings, effective Dec. 31, 1967, and a prior allocation of \$10 million yearly for five years beginning Sept. 1, 1965.
4. Submission of a constitutional amendment allowing the governor to appoint an out-of-state resident to each college governing board.
5. Full state financing of junior college teaching and program costs, and transfer of administrative responsibility from the State Education Agency to the proposed coordinating board.
6. Creation of a \$50 million student loan fund.

Connally did not speak on proposals from many sources that college tuition be increased.

Connally's proposal to regroup college boards differs from a similar recommendation by the Legislative Budget Board staff, which based its four-system grouping on geographical location.

THREE SYSTEMS

Connally proposes grouping the colleges by function under three systems: University of Texas, Texas State University, and State Senior College.

Commenting on the recommendation, Connally said, "Our vision has been blurred far too long by concepts which nourish regional provincialism and institutional rivalry."

The state's large size and diversity, he said, "must not be reflected in a fragmented, destructively competitive, narrowly provincial college and university system. Such a system, without question, hampers the drive toward excellence."



Martin County Honorees

Honored at the 14th annual Martin County Chamber of Commerce banquet Tuesday in Stanton were, from left, James E. Wheeler, outgoing president; Jimmy Stalling, outstanding citizen for 1964; Gene Clements, outstanding farmer for 1964; and Dr. Allen M. Fisher, new president.

Outstanding Awards Made During Stanton C-C Banquet

By HARDY PRICE

STANTON—The presentation of the outstanding citizen award and outstanding farmer award highlighted the 14th annual Martin County Chamber of Commerce banquet here Tuesday night.

More than 150 Martin County

residents and guests attended the banquet held in the Cap Rock Electric Auditorium.

Jimmy Stallings, Stanton insurance man, received the outstanding citizen award. A lifelong resident of Martin County, he has served on a past chamber board and is a past chamber director. Stallings and his wife, Louise, have three children, Steve 12, Twila 10 and Susan 6.

The outstanding farmer award was presented to 37-year-old Gene Clements. Clements, his wife Clara and their two daughters, Beverly 16 and Cynthia 14, live on a 160 acre farm north of Stanton. Clements also has ranching property in the east part of Martin County.

New chamber officers were also installed during the banquet. Leading the list of new officers was Dr. Allen M. Fisher, president; Horace Blocker, vice president; and O. C. Turner, secretary-treasurer. New chamber directors include Herbert Jones, B. F. White and Dr. Fisher. Retiring directors were Paige Ellard, R. C. Vest and Dr. J. M. Shy.

Introduced to the assembled group was the new chamber manager, Clelan Atchison, who took over duties as cham-

ber manager Jan. 1. He told the group the purpose of the chamber is to "help enhance the standard of living."

Speaker for the evening was Delbert Downing, Midland. He told the gathering of the advantages a small town offered and that all residents should be proud of it.

"When someone asks where Stanton is, tell them Midland is 20 miles west of Stanton and Stanton is 20 miles east of Midland," said Downing.

Downing spoke of the challenges that all people will face in the coming year, and that they should be met.

Texas Areas Get Freeze

By The Associated Press

Subfreezing temperatures nipped most points over the northwest half of Texas today.

At Dalhart in the upper Panhandle the mercury retreated to 14 degrees above zero. It dipped to 21 at Amarillo and 23 at Lubbock.

Skies were clear nearly everywhere in the state and light north breezes emphasized the chill.

Forecasts called for slow warming and no change otherwise through Thursday. Long range predictions, covering the next five days, looked ahead to another cool spell by the weekend.

Cigarette Tax Hike Sought

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. John Connally proposed today adding another one cent on the 8-cent pack state cigarette tax to balance his 1966-67 budget call for the spending of \$846 in state funds.

The added cigarette tax would bring \$11 million, almost enough to balance spending with a projected 1966-67 income estimate of \$633 million.

Connally proposes meeting the slack by changing the inheritance tax law to put a 15-month limitation from death date to the tax due date, resulting in a one-time gain of \$6 million.

The inheritance tax revision, recommended by the layman-legislator state and local tax policy committee, would put Texas in line with most other states and the federal government, he said.

Connally also spoke on his long-discussed proposal to abandon the state's share of the ad valorem tax, which he told legislators today "is a tangible way to put meaning in our plea for more local self-government."

The ad valorem tax brings the state \$42 million annually, which Connally said amounts to only 2.7 per cent of the state's revenue.

He proposes a plan to repeal the 5-cent tax for college buildings in 1967, the 2-cent tax for state buildings and Confederate pensions in 1969, and the 35-cent tax for the available school fund in 1971.

LBJ Flight To London Hinges On Medical Word

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson awaited a new medical checkup today before deciding whether to fly to London for Sir Winston Churchill's funeral.

Johnson, smiling and winking, walked out of the Naval Medical Center in suburban Bethesda, Md., Tuesday after a 3½-day stay with a heavy cold and sore throat.

Press secretary George E. Reedy said the President was "in very good shape" but that a final decision on whether he would fly to England was being postponed.

emerged from the hospital. Asked how he felt, he smiled and winked.

FACE THINNED

Some reporters thought his face had thinned a bit during his stay at Bethesda.

Reedy said the President still had a very slight cough but that his lungs were quite clear and his temperature normal.

Johnson did not plunge into a regular working routine once back at the White House. He stayed in the family living quarters and made no official appointments.

Doctors still were giving him antibiotics, cough medicine and a decongestant. They said this was not to be taken as a sign that the President's recovery was less than satisfactory. Rather, they reported, they had embarked on a fixed course of treatment the morning he entered the hospital and intended to complete the round of medication regardless of how quickly Johnson fought off his ailment.

221 DAYS Without A Traffic Fatality Drive Safely!

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Barry Ogling Senate Seat?

WASHINGTON (AP) — Barry Goldwater is seriously considering a return to active politics by bidding for either a Senate or House seat.

Goldwater, the defeated GOP presidential nominee, has told friends he would like to go back to the Senate if the opportunity presents itself. He is less enthusiastic about seeking a House seat—but has not rejected the idea.

The one thing he has been emphatic about, in private conversations, is that he doesn't want another presidential nomination even if unforeseen—and he thinks highly unlikely—circumstances should offer him a new opportunity in that field.

PLENTY OF ADVICE

Since his defeat last November, Goldwater has been showered with advice ranging from appeals for him to start a third party to counsel that he move out of Arizona to establish a po-

Thai Premier In Plane Mishap

BANGKOK (AP) — Premier Thanom Kittikachorn, his wife and several Thai officials escaped injury this week when their transport made a belly landing at Pitsanuloke, 250 miles north of here. Unofficial reports said the plane had landing-gear trouble.

Poll Tax Score

Poll Tax Issued 2,423
Exemption certificates 1,223
Total through Jan. 26 3,646
Total poll tax and exemption certificates as of Jan. 25, 1964 6,559
Deadline for payment of poll tax expires Jan. 31.

U.S. Concerned Over Return Of Military Rule In S. Viet

SAIGON, South Viet Nam (AP) — Lt. Gen. Nguyen Khanh took over the government of South Viet Nam again today with another bloodless military coup, charging the three-month-old civilian government had failed to stabilize the chaotic situation in the nation's major cities.

The coup posed new problems for the United States and brought new disillusionment to Americans who had hoped that civilian government could rally the populace behind the war against the Communist Viet Cong.

BUDDHIST TRIUMPH

The military's return to power represented a victory for Buddhist leaders who have been waging a campaign of street strikes against the government of Premier Tran Van Huong.

Informed sources said Khanh claimed he had obtained agreement from the Buddhists to halt their antigovernment campaign indefinitely. They reported Thich Tri Quang and other top Buddhist oppositionists would leave the country.

This report was not confirmed, but two of Khanh's generals spent an hour today conferring with top Buddhist leaders at Buddhist headquarters. The generals did not say they had reached agreement, but the Buddhist leaders met afterward

to decide whether to call off the hunger strike which Thich Tri Quang and four others have been carrying on for eight days.

NO SURPRISE

Khanh's seizure of power was no surprise. In conferences over the weekend, he and his generals reportedly decided that Huong must go and the only question was one of timing.

Khanh issued a communique saying he was taking charge "to resolve the political situation at the present time." He charged that the civilian government of Huong and chief of state Phan Khac Suu "is not able to cope with the supremely important present emergency situation."

litical base in a state that backs a substantially larger electoral college wallop.

Former Vice President Richard M. Nixon was reported to have suggested that Goldwater consider moving either to California or to New York to try his political luck in House or Senate races in one of those states.

REJECTS BOTH

Goldwater intends neither to encourage any third-party movement nor to desert Arizona.

The difficulty in Arizona is that there is no political opening at the moment for a man who enjoyed 12 years in the Senate and would like to return to his associations there.

His friend Paul Fannin, the GOP former governor, was elected to a six-year term last fall to fill the seat Goldwater vacated. The term of 86-year-old Democratic Sen. Carl Hayden doesn't expire until 1969.

GOREN ON BRIDGE

BY CHARLES H. GOREN
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Both vulnerable. West deals.

NORTH
 ♠ A J 10
 ♥ A K J 7 5
 ♦ A 2
 ♣ A 4 3

EAST
 ♠ Q 9 8 7 6
 ♥ None
 ♦ K 10 8 5 4 3
 ♣ K 10 8 5 4 3

WEST EAST
 ♠ K 7 5 3 ♠ Q 9 8 7 6
 ♥ 7 5 ♥ None
 ♦ J 9 ♦ K 10 8 5 4 3
 ♣ J 9 8 5 4 ♣ K 10 8 5 4 3

SOFTEN
 ♠ Q 10 8 8 6 4 3
 ♥ Q 7
 ♦ K 7 5
 ♣ K 7 5

The bidding:
 West North East South
 Pass 1NT Pass 4♦
 Pass 4♦ Pass Pass

Opening lead: Queen of ♠.
 South's response of four hearts is his partner's two trump opening bid designates a good six-card suit and about eight points in high cards. South has only seven points; however, the extra heart provides a measure of compensation. There is the further consideration that responder's hand merits one mild try for slam.

Altho North has only the minimum 22 points prescribed for a two no trump bid (counting one extra point for all four aces), his values are gift-edged. His excellent fit for hearts and the wealth of controls fully warrant acceptance of partner's invitation to carry on.

West opened the queen of clubs and declarer won the trick in his hand with the king, taking note that East dropped the ten. Despite dummy's impressive trump holding, the outlook was not very bright, for South found himself con-

fronted with a prospective loser in diamonds and one in clubs. His only remote chance rested in a potential end play, but first he sought to obtain as much information as he could concerning the distribution.

The ace of hearts pulled West's only trump. The ace of spades was cashed, followed by a spade ruff. A club was led in the ace—on which East discarded a diamond—and North's remaining spade was trumped.

The following data was now available: West had started with six clubs, one heart, at least three spades and, therefore, a maximum of three diamonds. East then is known to have at least six diamonds, and the likelihood is much greater that he holds the king of that suit. On this basis, declarer resolved to execute the end position against East.

The ace of diamonds was cashed, followed by a small diamond. East decided that, if he put up the king, his forced return of either a spade or a diamond would enable the declarer to discard a club from one hand while he ruffed in the other. East therefore followed with a small diamond, in the hope that West had the queen of diamonds and would get it to cash his high club. South turned up with the high diamond, however, and he cheerfully conceded a club to West.

If declarer, for some reason, had decided to play West for the king of diamonds, he could—after stripping out the aces—have existed with the ace and another club putting West on lead. Now, if the latter has the king of diamonds, he must surrender a trick on the return.

Sale Of Soybeans To Soviet Okayed

NEW YORK (AP)—Just one year after its controversial wheat sale to the Soviet Union, the Commerce Department has swung a soybean deal with the Russians.

The \$11-million deal—the first big sale of soybeans to the Soviet Union—sent soybean futures prices to seasonal highs on the Chicago Board of Trade Tuesday.

Grain trade sources in New York expressed mild surprise that the Commerce Department granted an export license for the sale, since soybeans are not a surplus product. Wheat was the question posed.

Walker Bailey, Howard County school superintendent, was re-elected as president of the Howard County Employees Federal Credit Union at a meeting of the board of directors Tuesday.

Wayne Burns, district attorney, is the new vice president, and Mrs. Roberta Oldfield, assistant auditor, is the credit union treasurer. Pauline Petty, county clerk, was named secretary.

Directors are Bailey, Burns, Mrs. Oldfield, Mrs. Petty, Mrs. Opal McDaniel, Mrs. Billie Barron, and Bobby West.

The union recently announced a 5.5 per cent dividend, and a 10 per cent rebate in interest charge to borrowers.

government grant more licenses for the Russians want more soybeans?" said one grain company executive.

Some economists anticipate an even bigger demand for the versatile soybean—used in making products from bread and drugs to fertilizers and insect sprays.

At current prices, Continental's sale would represent about 41 million bushels. This season's crop is estimated at about 700 million bushels, with exports estimated to reach 205 million.

Since the soybean price is well above the government subsidy price, the government is not in a position to stipulate the shipping arrangements.

The big wheat deal, concluded with the Soviet Union in October 1963, set off a controversy in the shipping industry, which wanted the wheat to be carried by U.S. flag ships.

DOCKERS BALKED
 Longshoremen at one point refused to load the wheat on foreign ships.

Republicans said the Democratic administration should have obtained some concessions from the Russians in return for the wheat.

The controversy created snags in the negotiations. Then Continental signed the first contract, for \$78.5 million, in early January 1964.

Continental said its soybean deal was for 90,000 tons, shipments would begin shortly and payment would be in cash.

Grain trade sources said shipment would probably be made from the Gulf Coast ports.

Troopers On Standby In Tense Selma

SELMA, Ala. (AP)—A special 12-day voter registration term ends today with many Negroes still waiting to take a literacy test and state troopers standing by to safeguard against violence.

Civil rights leaders planned to keep up the pressure on the Board of Registrars in an effort to get as many Negroes as possible added to the voter rolls in the final day.

The three-member board has been in session three days in each of the past four weeks. Next Monday it will return to the regular two-days-a-month schedule.

Only a few Negroes tried to register in the first two weeks of the special term. The massive civil rights campaign led by Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. got under way nine days ago.

Prospective voters have marched to the courthouse by the hundreds.

Only about 40 Negroes—some of them standing in line for hours—have managed to take the literacy literacy test. The board has not said whether any of them had been registered.

State troopers brought in Tuesday remained in Selma overnight but only on a standby basis. City and county officers patrolled the area around the courthouse Tuesday without calling on the troopers although the city had asked them to come in as case they were needed.

ARRESTED 200
 Sheriff James G. Clark and his deputies arrested more than 200 Negroes last week when they refused to use the courthouse door designated by county authorities.

A federal court injunction issued last Saturday prohibited sheriff's officers from further interference. Since then the campaign has moved along with less difficulty.

However, U.S. marshals enforcing the court order have allowed no more than 100 applicants to wait in line at one time. The injunction by U.S. Dist. Judge Daniel H. Thomas specified that the number of places in line must be assigned to the first 100 arriving each day.

Thirty-four Negroes who reached the courthouse Tuesday after the allotted number had taken their places in line were arrested when they refused to move on.

Ten X-Ray Stars Now Discovered

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—In two short years, scientists taking a new look into the universe have discovered 10 X-ray stars.

These are stars or clouds of gases that broadcast X-rays. Earth people need not worry—the rays are too soft to get through our atmosphere.

The X-ray stars were detected by special Geiger counters on rockets soaring up 100 miles high on quick-look flights.

All 10 are within the Milky Way, our own great galaxy of 200 billion stars.

Their positions imply that most X-ray stars are associated with supernovae—the brilliant, explosive death of stars. Dr. Herbert Friedman of the Naval Research Laboratory in Washington, D.C., said today.

Three of these X-ray sources may be elusive neutron stars, he told the second Texas Symposium on Relativistic Astrophysics at the University of Texas.

A supernova involves the explosion of outer gaseous por-

tion of the star, and an implosion or inward collapse of its core, he said.

Gravitational collapse of the core could concentrate star material into neutrons—a main particle in the nuclei of atoms—at a density of a billion tons per cubic inch. Material as big as our sun could be squeezed into a sphere only 10 miles in diameter, Dr. Friedman explained.

Very hot but tiny neutron stars would not radiate much visible light but could send out

X-rays. Now there is new evidence that they may cool rather quickly, become even dimmer and harder ever to see, he said.

IN 1962
 The rocket peaking—began only in 1962—found X-rays streaming from three points in the heavens where no visible light nor any radio energy can be detected at all, Dr. Friedman reported, so they may be neutron stars.

The powerful X-ray source in Scorpius may be associated with a shell-shaped, radio-emitting nebula encircling the region, he added. It resembles the Cygnus veil nebula which is the remnant of a supernova occurring 50,000 to 100,000 years ago.

Dr. Friedman cited increasing evidence to think that neutron stars exist and can be found.

Tax Payment Bill Offered

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. John Tower, R-Tex., has proposed to make it easier on taxpayers whose pay roll deductions in 1964 will fail to cover their income taxes under the new rate structure.

He offered a bill to allow more time for the payment of 1964 taxes due to withholding tax bills.

The measure would permit an individual up to 12 months for payment of that part of his taxes resulting from too little withholding.

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Clubbers Enter Stock Show

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Ten members of the Coahoma FFA have entered stock in the show, Gerald Oakes, vocational agriculture teacher, has announced.

The 4-H Club members left Tuesday for Fort Worth. Steers will be shown by Martha Robinson, Delores Lanford, Maxwell Barr and Mark Barr. Dixie Coleman is to show three commercial lambs. The steer judging is set for Saturday.

The Coahoma FFA boys who have entered animals in the show are Bobby Lindsey, Ronnie Ward, Jimmy Ward, Troy Fraser, Tommy Messer, Eddie Wolski, Don Gilmore, Danny Bobanannon and Terry Denton.

Man In Two Auto Upsets

TYLER, Tex. (AP)—State patrolman Bobby Miller answered a 6:45 p.m. call Tuesday and found a small sports car overturned beside a rural road.

The driver, Don Henry Brown, 21, of the Whitehouse community, told Miller another car had pulled into his path from one side, he swerved to miss it and his vehicle upset. Miller drove him home.

At 7:50 p.m. the officer received another call. This time he found a compact automobile upside down in another rural road. Beside it stood Brown, who said the car was his sister's and it flipped as he avoided a car halted in the middle of the roadway.

Miller took Brown, unhurt in either accident, home a second time.

Gen. Curtis LeMay Honored At Dinner
 OMAHA, Neb. (AP)—Gen. Curtis LeMay, soon to retire as Air Force chief of staff, was honored at a dinner here in Omaha, sponsored by the SAC Consultation Committee and the Ak-Sar-Ben chapter of the Air Force Association.



Widow's Plea

Mrs. Theresa Butler Dodson, whose husband, Pfc. Freddy D. Dodson, killed in a helicopter crash in South Viet Nam, recently sent a pleading letter to President Johnson to "send what is needed to win the war" so that her husband's death will not have been in vain. She was assured by the White House that the United States had no intention of pulling out of the Asian hot spot. Mrs. Dodson is looking at her husband's medals. (AP WIREPHOTO)

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Excise Tax Cut Plan Supported

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson appears to have considerable bipartisan support for his proposal to cut federal excise taxes \$1.75 billion a year.

Moreover, Chairman Wilbur D. Mills of the House Ways and Means Committee said he has some ideas for handling one of the ticklish aspects of the excise tax cut. That is how to prevent a "buyers strike" of consumers who might hold off purchases of furs, automobiles, appliances or other taxed goods in expectation of cuts to come.

Johnson did not spell out his

excise reduction proposals in his budget message, undoubtedly to prevent just such a reaction which some economists fear might be a drag on the soaring economy.

However, there have been many indications that the administration favors repealing the retail excise taxes, whatever may be done about those collected at the manufacturers' level.

The retail taxes are 10 per cent levies on jewelry, cosmetics, furs and luggage, including handbags. They yield about \$500 million in revenue annually.

Rights Fund Audits Urged

MACON, Ga. (AP) — A Georgia weekly Negro newspaper, the Macon Reporter, has called for an audit of all civil rights funds collected in Macon and says the reports of Negro lead-

ers should be published.

The newspaper said it had experienced difficulty in obtaining audits or reports of civil rights campaigns.

In an editorial last week, the Reporter asked: "Why should these leaders be allowed to act endlessly whether rightly or wrongly without having to render reports to those they represent?"

The newspaper said a number of Macon Negroes felt that many programs were duplicated.

Seven In Family Perish In Blaze

DETROIT (AP) — Seven persons, tentatively identified as members of a single suburban Ferndale family, died here in a fire in their two-story frame house.

Mexican Highway Cost \$11.2 Million

MEXICO CITY (AP) — A new highway costing \$11.2 million is scheduled for construction between Monterrey and Reynosa.

Jingle Elates Stockholders

NEW YORK (AP) — A golden flood of profits is delighting most of the nation's stockholders — and the director of the U.S. Budget.

Each day brings a quota of reports of record earnings, scattered through many industries — and the certainty that even at lower tax rates corporate incomes will yield the U.S. Treasury more revenue than it hoped for only a year ago. The profits also are tied with rising personal incomes — and tax receipts.

The increased profits are re-

ported by major steel, oil, chemical, drug and business machine companies. With few exceptions the utilities are pushing into new high ground. Most of the railroads to report so far show sizable gains in revenues and profits. Aircraft makers are among those reporting increased earnings. So are the farm machinery, meat packing, food, textile, glass and paper industries.

RECORD PROFITS

After-tax profits are adding up to a record \$32 billion to \$34 billion total for 1964, compared with \$26.7 billion netted by American corporations in 1963.

Steel industry gains are outstanding. Republic with \$72 million profit is up 30 per cent. National with a record \$85 million is up 33 per cent. Pittsburgh Steel at \$6 million is up 80 per cent from the year before.

Record earnings by American Telephone & Telegraph's Bell System at \$1.7 billion and International Business Machines at \$431 million delight big families of stockholders. Major motor companies, yet to report, seem sure to report records, despite last fall's strikes.

LEAD PARADE

Leading the parade of oil companies are Texaco with \$577 million up from \$347 million; Socony Mobile with \$294 million, up from \$272 million; Sun Oil with \$68 million, up from \$61 million; and Union Oil of California with \$62 million, up from \$52 million.

Few of the companies reporting so far hint at any decline in gross earnings in 1965, although some complain of rising production costs. And the steel companies stress the threat of rising labor costs from the union negotiations getting underway.

For stockholders, the stock market, and the federal tax collectors, the flood of earnings reports spell little but good news.



Daughter In Mourning
Actress Sarah Churchill, daughter of Sir Winston Churchill who died in London, wears mourning clothes as she arrives by car at the Churchill's Hyde Park Gate, London, residence. (AP WIREPHOTO)

Friend, Foe Mourn Death

LONDON (AP) — Former foe Truman, who succeeded President Franklin D. Roosevelt in mourning the death of Sir Winston Churchill, said "providentially" his intrepid spirit came to the fore and proved decisive in defeating the forces of evil and darkness.

The Germans and Italians, Churchill's great wartime enemies, voiced tribute for the man who sparked the struggle that toppled their fascist rulers.

West German Chancellor Ludwig Erhard said: "The United Kingdom has lost one of the great statesmen of its history, the world a great fighter for the free democratic order."

Italian Prime Minister Giuseppe Saragat said: "The glory which surrounded him in life will continue to shine for him even after death and so long as there is a free man on this earth his name will be remembered with gratitude."

DEEP CONDOLENCES

Japanese Prime Minister Eisaku Satō called the "deepest condolences" of his government and people and called Churchill's death "a great loss for the whole world."

French President Charles de Gaulle, often a trial to Sir Winston during the war, hailed him in a message to Lady Churchill as "my wartime companion and my friend."

To Queen Elizabeth, De Gaulle telegraphed that Churchill "contributed powerfully to the salvation of the French people and to the liberty of the world. In this drama he was the greatest."

The first message to reach the Churchill household after his death came from Queen Elizabeth II, last of the six sovereigns he served, who told Lady Churchill:

"The whole world is poorer by the loss of his many-sided genius, while the survival of this country and the sister nations of the Commonwealth, in the face of the greatest danger that has ever threatened them, will be a perpetual memorial to his leadership, his vision and his indomitable courage."

ALL OVER WORLD

A political foe of Churchill while they served together in the House of Commons, Prime Minister Harold Wilson said: "He will be mourned all over the world by all who owe so much to him. He is now at peace after a life in which he created history and which will be remembered as long as history is read."

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, supreme commander during World War II and one of Churchill's closest collaborators and friends, said:

"His indomitable courage, his indestructible faith in the society of free nations and in the dignity of free men typified our way of life."

Former President Harry S.

Soviet Premier Alexei N. Kosygin hailed Sir Winston's war role and said "the grief of the British people in connection with this bereavement is shared here." But a Tass dispatch castigated Churchill as "the master mind behind the cold war against the Soviet Union."

Polish Communist leaders — President Edward Ochab and Premier Jozef Cyrankiewicz — called him "one of the greatest and most indomitable leaders of the anti-Nazi coalition of the second world war." President Tito of Yugoslavia hailed "his fighting spirit, tireless work and big contribution to the (Allied) victory."

President Gamal Abdel Nasser of the United Arab Republic called Churchill "one of the greatest men of our age." Ghana's President Kwame Nkrumah praised his "great mind and generous heart."

Canadian Prime Minister Lester B. Pearson said: "We shall not see his like again."

In New York, the Duke of Windsor, formerly King Edward VIII, mourned the only major political leader who stood by him during the 1936 abdication crisis.

Earl Attlee, postwar Laborite prime minister who unseated Churchill in 1945, said: "He was not a very great peacetime statesman but he was a great war leader. The country has lost a very great man."

The United Nations flag flew at half staff in New York and Secretary-General U Thant called Wilson his "particular grief at the death of one who played such a vital role in the organization's beginnings."

These were other tributes: President Gustavo Diaz Ordaz of Mexico — "A giant of the 20th century" has disappeared. "The cause of human freedom loses thus one of its staunchest supporters."

Premier Theodor Lefevre, Belgium — "A great Englishman and also a great European."

Foreign Minister Friedrich T. Wahlen, Switzerland — "When we think back to the summer of 1940, we realize the debt our country owes to this great man."

Prime Minister Sir Robert Menzies, Australia — "At the height of his power and achievement, he 'betrode the world a Colossus' but, being no tyrant or dictator, he left all men in his debt. So long as men retain their pride in liberty, he will never be forgotten."

GOP Leadership Confab Unlikely, Barry Declares

WASHINGTON (AP) — Barry Goldwater discounted today the likelihood that Republicans will hold a leadership conference this year to restate party principles as a result of last November's election defeat.

Goldwater said in an interview he has no particular objection to the holding of such a conference, as suggested by Republican governors. But the defeated GOP presidential nominee added the technical difficulties of organizing such a meeting seem almost insurmountable.

"Who would pick the people to attend such a meeting?" he asked. "Who would decide on the agenda to be discussed? Who would preside over it? How would the conference be financed? It seems to me these are difficult questions that won't be solved easily."

In a meeting in Denver last month the GOP governors called for such a conference and said it should "sharpen and restate our party's basic principles, develop positive Republican solutions to current problems of the nation and undertake a major strengthening of our national party structure."

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Blaze Destroys Freight Building

FORT WORTH (AP) — Fire destroyed the freight warehouse of the Southern Pacific and Cotton Belt Railroads near the south edge of the business district Tuesday.

Unofficial estimates placed damage at \$100,000. The cause of the fire was not at once learned.

DEAR ABBY

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DEAR ABBY: We plan to be married in June, right after my fiancé finishes college. He is working to put himself through college, and even has had to help with a younger brother's education, so he hasn't enough money saved to pay for the honeymoon trip we've always hoped for. After we marry and he begins his career, it will be years before we will be able to have a trip like that. I am a practicing registered nurse and have money saved. Would it be all right if I paid for part of the honeymoon trip so we could go where we've always wanted to go? Or should we just go as far as his money can take us?

MONEY IN THE BANK

DEAR MONEY: If you want to follow conventional practice to a girl's eyelash, the groom pays for the honeymoon, whether it's to Hawaii or Hoboken. But you've made a special case for yourselves, and admirably, too. So if it takes your "help" to swing the kind of honeymoon trip you've always dreamed of, I say, help. And happy landings.

DEAR ABBY: I am 13 years old (nearly 13) and I have normal looks for my age except maybe I am quite a bit more developed for a girl my age. It bothers me when people make cracks about it. A lot of boys seem to notice me, but not for the reasons I'd like to be noticed. I don't wear my clothes too tight or anything like that. I hear remarks made about me that make me feel like something "dirty." It confuses me to be told that I should be proud of my build because I guess in a way I am sort of ashamed of it. Do you think it is fair for my father to laugh when he sees me with my blouse tucked in my slacks and say, "Are you sure you're only 12?"

CONFUSED AND DISGUSTED

DEAR CONFUSED: You should be proud of your "build" — and even prouder of your wholesome attitude. Just keep wearing your clothes tight enough to show you're a girl, and loose enough to show you're a lady. Don't pay any attention to the "cracks" people make. And your father ought to be ashamed of himself.

DEAR ABBY: I just had to write you about my husband's overly critical attitude. If he isn't criticizing someone he knows, he's criticizing the performers on television. Our sons are teenagers, and they have picked up their father's habit of criticizing everybody. The boys are aggressive, domineering, obnoxious and disrespectful, and have terrible tempers, just like their father. Please, Abby, want you tell me how to

handle the situation, as I don't know how much more of this I can take? Thank you.

BEAT

DEAR BEAT: From your description of the boys' father I wouldn't advise you to become too critical of him. You will have to try twice as hard to influence your sons for the better in order to offset the bad example set by their father.

CONFIDENTIAL TO ELLIE: Most men who have lived alone for 48 years have developed a long list of self-centered habits that would drive any woman to distraction. Don't work too hard to land this one.

House Votes Curb Against Aiding UAR

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House has turned a deaf ear to pleas of administration spokesmen and voted to curb the sales of surplus farm products to Nasser's United Arab Republic.

UAR President Gamal Abdel Nasser has told the United States in effect to take its aid and "go to hell." Nasser's outburst in a Port Said speech last month apparently was triggered by U.S. accusations that he is aiding Congolese rebels.

He told a cheering throng: "We do not accept any words against us and we will cut off the tongue of anyone who uses them. We do not need their money. Anyone who does not like our attitude can drink from the sea." In Egyptian slang, to "drink from the sea" is the equivalent of to "go to hell."

SURPLUS WHEAT

Despite the outburst, the United States announced five days later — Dec. 28 — that it was going through with plans to provide Nasser with \$17 million worth of surplus wheat. Washington has been supplying Nasser with about \$140 million in food yearly under a three-year agreement that expires next June 30.

Tuesday's 294-177 House vote followed a plea by the President's House leaders not to tie his hands in framing foreign policy. The majority consisted of 128 Republicans and 76 Democrats. On the losing side were 177 Democrats. Not recorded either way were 31 Democrats and 11 Republicans.

Because Democrats outnumber Republicans 294 to 141, administration leaders had expected no trouble winning approval of administration legislation or turning back Republican assaults.

BLAME LIBERALS

They blamed the defeat primarily on failure of a large number of liberal Democrats to vote against the amendment to an emergency farm appropriation bill.

A top House leader predicted off the record that the Senate would reverse the House action. The anti-Egypt amendment was offered by Rep. Robert H. Michel, R-Ind., as an amendment to a \$1.6-billion bill providing funds for the Commodity Credit Corp. for the remaining five months of the current fiscal year. The bill was sent to the Senate by voice vote after the amendment was adopted.

Congratulations For LBJ Readied

AUSTIN (AP)—The 149 Democrats and one Republican in the Texas House adopted a resolution Tuesday congratulating President Johnson on his inauguration.

It noted, erroneously, that Johnson was the "first native-born Texan to be elected to the presidency of the American people." Former President Dwight Eisenhower was born at Denison, Tex., but considered himself a Kansan.

The resolution was sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Steel Field Rides Crest

By BOB VOELKER

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The steel industry set a string of records in 1964, the industry's second good year in a row.

Production zoomed to a new mark that was expected to total about 127 million tons when final figures were in. This would easily surpass the old record of 117 million tons in 1955. Output in 1963 totaled 109 million tons. Profits were up for most companies. It appeared some producers would reap record incomes for the year.

And steelmen, who have been spending money on new plants and equipment almost with a passion, reportedly plunked down \$1.8 billion for capital improvements in 1964, another record.

But some steel observers say the significant thing of 1964 wasn't the production record, the profits or the spending, but rather the realization that the once-retreating industry was moving ahead again.

For the first time in years, steelmen said they detected signs of success in a long-term

struggle against competing materials and the steel industry's own old age.

The brightening picture stems from the adoption of a new production and processing ideas through the spending of millions upon millions of dollars for modernization — a vast, research-oriented program that seems destined to carry the industry to sparkling heights in the years to come.

The big surge dates back to 1960, the year the record 116-day steel strike ended. It picked up additional steam following the epic clash with the government over a steel price increase in 1962.

Pushed along by a bustling national economy, steel consumption also was expected to hit a record in 1964 when all figures are in, beating the old mark of 77.8 million tons consumed in 1963.

The five biggest steel companies showed an over-all profit increase of 27 per cent in the first three quarters of 1964 compared to the same period of 1963.

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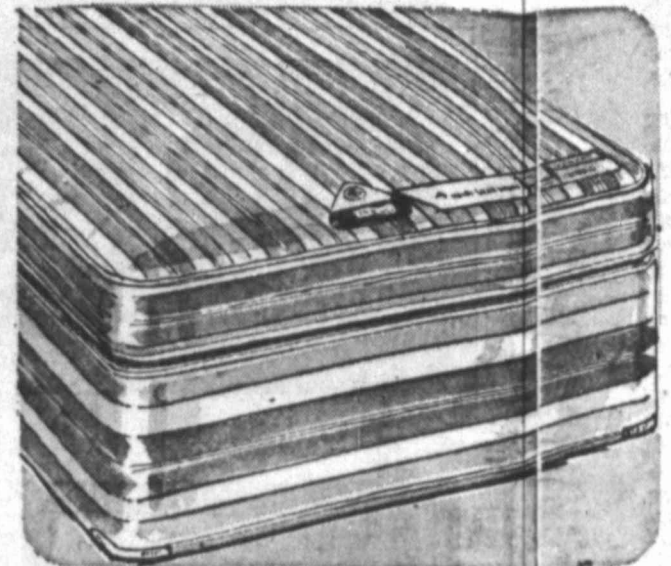
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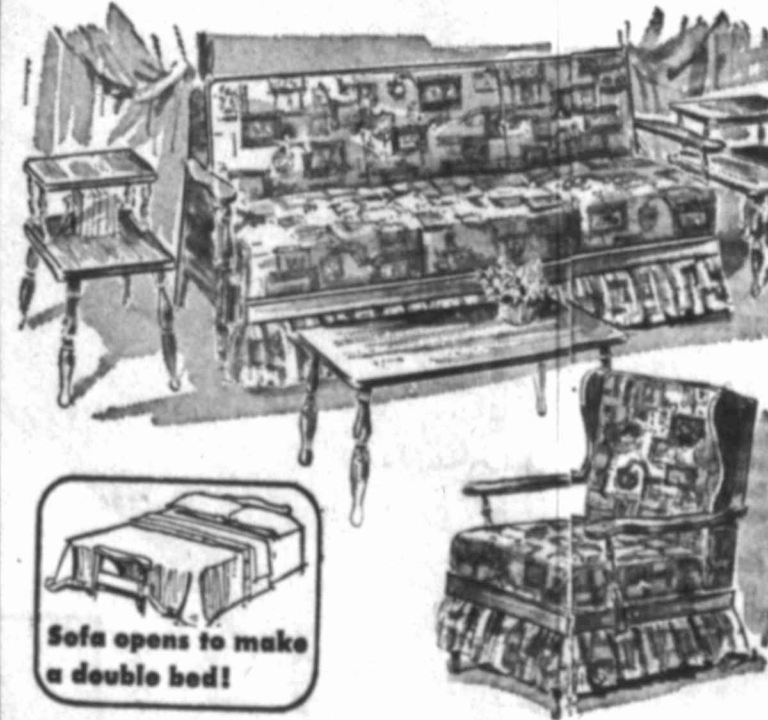
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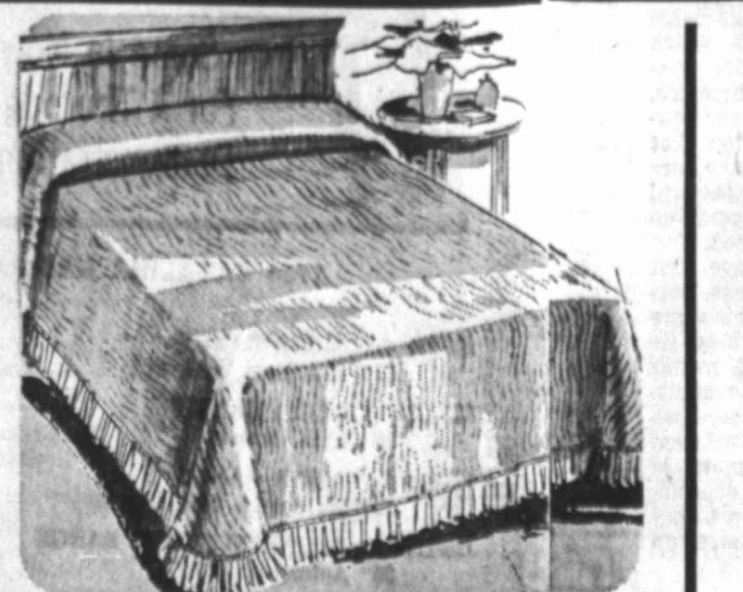
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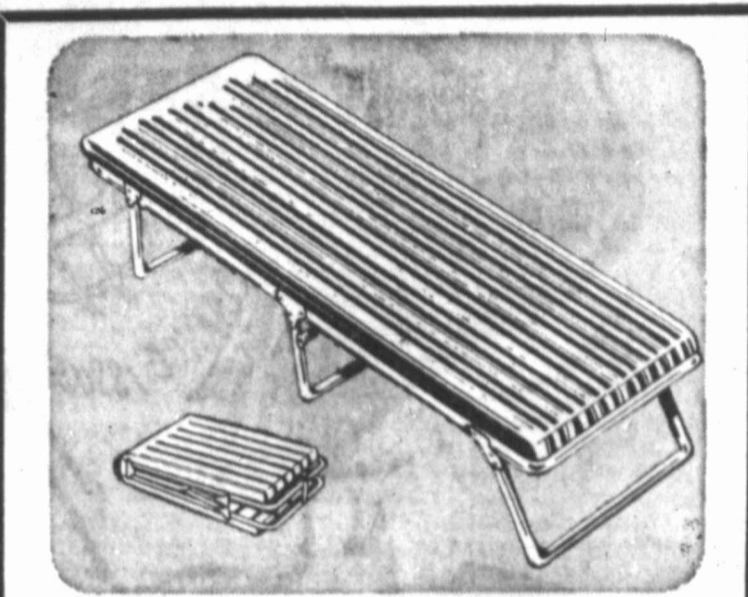
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Line Mourns Sir Winston

LONDON (AP) — Prime Minister Harold Wilson today led a line of mourners past the flag-draped coffin of Sir Winston Churchill, lying in state amid the hushed grandeur of ancient Westminster Hall.

Wilson, his wife and members of his Labor government were the first of many thousands who during the next three days will pass in tribute to one of England's greatest sons.

Outside the hall a steadily growing throng waited for the doors to open to the public.

Churchill, who died Sunday at the age of 90, lay in a closed coffin on a high black-draped catafalque, a few steps from the House of Commons which was his historic stage.

Beneath the silent hall's massive oak roof, officers of crack Guards regiments kept vigil throughout the night, one at each corner of the catafalque and one at the foot. Four candles flickered against the hall's gray walls.

The coffin will lie there under the Union Jack until the state funeral Saturday in St. Paul's Cathedral.

Despite the cold east wind off the Thames, some mourners bedded down all night in sleeping bags on the sidewalk outside the Houses of Parliament, of which Westminster Hall is part.

Through the night Big Ben tolled the hours and the quarters. On Saturday, it will be silent from the moment the funeral starts.

Parking Changes On 2nd St. Okayed

The traffic commission okayed several parking changes for the 200 and 300 blocks of East Second Street in a session at city hall Tuesday afternoon, in addition to approving a four-way stop sign, on a 90-day trial basis, for the intersection of Fifteenth and Settles Streets.

The commission also recommended the city take steps to re-align the intersection in addition to installing the stop signs.

Involved in the changes for the 200 block, north, on East Second were the replacement of the current two loading zones, of two parking spaces each, with a single loading zone of two spaces. The change will add two additional parking meters to the area.

Public Works Director Ernest Lillard read commissioners a memo from traffic Sgt. Sherrill Farmer of the police department recommending a change for the block. Lillard said business and the City-County Health Unit in the block had been contacted and that two loading zones were believed not necessary, with one needed to serve the cleaning establishment in the block.

In the 300 block, south side, of East Second, the commission approved a change from present angle parking to parallel parking. The area is non-metered and the change was voted after comments from commission members on the speed of traffic in the block resulting in a traffic hazard, with cars backing out from the head-in parking spaces.

Two other items were tabled by the commission. A request for a change in the placement of school zone signs around Bauer School was tabled, pending completion of the city's paving program. Ninth Street, which passes the school, will be involved in the paving project, according to Lillard. The request involved placing the school zone signs in cement to avoid being knocked down by cars.

A traffic signal light request for the intersection of Second and Goliad Streets was tabled, after commissioners commented they did not believe the traffic flow was heavy enough to warrant a light. No traffic count has been made at the intersection, Lillard said.

Stock Market Active, Higher

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market was higher in active trading at the opening today. Gains of most key stocks were small.

An exception was Eastman Kodak which rose 1 1/4 to 151 1/4 on 1,200 shares.

Two Activities Set Thursday

Two March of Dimes activities have been scheduled for Thursday, according to Wade Choate, chairman. Big Spring restaurants and drive-ins will donate profits made from sale of coffee in their restaurants, and Lindsey Marchbanks advised that his service station at 702 West 3rd will donate all profits from merchandise sold that day.

Average Earnings Per Farm At Peak

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's agriculture as a whole experienced a fair sort of year in 1964 from a financial standpoint. Many individual farmers, however, ran into hardships caused by sharp declines in prices of some commodities and by drought.

The government estimates that the total realized net income, including government payments, was about the same as 1963's \$12.5 billion. The realized net income is the amount left after deducting production costs. These earnings were far below the record of \$17.8 billion in 1948.

MORE FAVORABLE

But the 1964 earnings were more favorable than a comparison with the record indicates. Because there were fewer farmers in business than in 1948, the average earnings per farm have been estimated by the Agriculture Department to have been a record high of \$3,600 in 1964.

Agriculture continued to have troubles with overproduction and the question of stabilization of prices and supplies. The role which the government should play in helping farmers obtain stability continued to be political and economic issues. The pendulum appears to be swinging in the direction of limited federal controls over production and prices.

Nevertheless, government money continued to contribute heavily to farm income. Payments to producers for complying with federal crop stabilization programs totaled about \$2.2 billion, a record high and half a billion dollars more than in 1963. The crop production volume in 1964 dipped about 3 per cent below 1963's record high. Poorer growing weather in some important farming areas was the major cause of this decline. Nevertheless, supplies — including reserves and surpluses accumulated from previous big crops — assured plenty to meet all anticipated domestic and export needs.

RED MEATS

But production of livestock products — red meats, poultry, dairy products, eggs and wool — turned out to be 3 per cent larger than 1963's very high level. Much of this increase was in the form of beef, reflecting heavy sales of meat animals during a period of rather sharp price declines during the first half of the year.

Prices received by farmers in 1964 averaged close to 3 per cent below those of a year earlier. Most of this decline was in livestock. But most of this price setback was offset by an increase in the volume of farm marketings.

A bright feature of agriculture was the fact that its exports during the marketing year ending July 1 was at a record high of \$6.1 billion. This was an increase of a billion dollars over the previous year. A factor in this increase was the heavy sale of wheat to Communist East Europe, a victim of short crops.

In reports looking ahead, the agriculture department has said that 1965 appears likely to become a repetition of 1964 insofar as farm income, prices and possibly production are concerned. But exports are expected to ease off a little because of the likelihood that the European Communist countries will not repeat last year's grain purchases.

A Devotional For The Day

You yourselves are our letter of recommendation, written on your hearts, to be known and read by all men. (II Corinthians 3:2, RSV)

PRAYER: Heavenly Father, I thank Thee for the privilege of serving as Thy witness in the world today. Help me to be a good letter of recommendation from Christ. In His name I pray. Amen.

(From the 'Upper Room')

Plight Of College Libraries

Success of Texas' drive toward excellence in higher education will depend in large part on accelerated development of college and university libraries. Library facilities and materials are second only to faculty in determining the quality of advanced education.

The Governor's Committee on Education Beyond the High School recommended that library operating expenditures in state institutions be increased from the current \$11.8 million for the current 1965-66 biennium to \$20 million in 1965-67 and \$25 million in 1967-69. That is a critical part of the over-all program, but there is danger the Legislature will slight it.

Gov. Connally two years ago recommended much higher spending on college libraries, but the Senate-House appropriations conference committee cut that item drastically. Connally has endorsed his higher education committee's proposal for more than doubling library spending over the next four years, but the Legislative Budget Board's recommendations run much lower. We believe the committee's proposal is the essential

minimum, not an extravagantly ambitious aim.

The American Library Association's minimum standard for college library collections is 50,000 volumes for 600 students, with 10,000 volumes more for every additional 200 students. Only half the senior colleges in the United States meet that minimum, and less than a fifth of the junior colleges do. Nationally, college library spending has increased 67 per cent in the past five years, but because of soaring enrollments, volumes a student have declined from 51.9 to 48 per cent during the same period. And we believe a current survey would show Texas colleges lagging behind national averages.

President Johnson in his special education message to Congress, urged federal aid to college libraries, both in buildings and in materials and library training. This likely will be approved, but it cannot solve the problem for Texas, for even with this help Texas has a long, long way to go for most of its colleges. The legislature should not try to skimp on library appropriations.

Limits Of Lawful Protest

The United States Supreme Court will be engaged for some time in marking out the allowable limits for peaceful civil rights protests and demonstrations, protected by the constitutional rights of free speech, assembly and petition.

The latest effort was the reversal of the conviction of a civil rights leader for leading a demonstration near the Baton Rouge, La., courthouse in 1961. Cause for reversal was that the local law did not define clearly enough the line between legal and illegal demonstrations.

The court conceded that the right of peaceful protest can be reasonably restricted or regulated in the interest of public order and safety. But the court added this guideline: "There is an equally plain requirement for laws and regulations to be drawn so as to give citizens fair warning as to what is illegal."

That seems fair enough. Vague and loose regulatory law is an open invitation to local officials to allow broad leeway for demonstrations they favor and arbitrarily restrict protests with which they are not in sympathy. Such law condones discrimination—and often has been purposely designed for that—and cannot be tolerated under constitutional principles.

Undeniably the civil rights movement has at times abused the right of peaceful protest. Equally unquestionably, state and local governmental power to regulate the exercise of that right has also been abused. All the Supreme Court can do is to try to define and prohibit both types of abuses through rulings on the facts of individual cases brought before it. And in the process it is unlikely to please fully or consistently either side in such controversies.

Holmes Alexander

The Arkansas Doubter

WASHINGTON — Senator William Fulbright of Arkansas, chairman of Foreign Relations, could be the swingman in the Battle of Viet Nam that rages on Capitol Hill.

He is, if I understand him, uncommitted to the doctrine of forces which are forming ideological queues to the Left and Right. As usual, the international Leftists are on the side of International Communism. They are peace-mongering for a pullout in Viet Nam. As usual, the nationalist Right Wingers are believers, rather than doubters, concerning the American cause. They are agitating for a win-the-war escalation in Viet Nam.

FULBRIGHT, though he leans Liberal, yearns to be a believer. Like the Disciple Thomas who wanted to see the nailprints before hailing the Resurrection, Fulbright wants palpable evidence of a chance for victory in Viet Nam before he takes out his papers as a booster. Specifically, he tells me, he would believe in our Viet Nam venture if he beheld the flags of more Southeast Asian countries in the anti-Communist ranks, and heard the tread of Filipinos, South Koreans, Thais, Australians and New Zealanders marching with the Yanks. This would prove to him that our Southeast Asian policy is on the right track.

AS TO THE "More Flags" program in our fight to whip the Viet Cong, it is admittedly a fledgling. It needs the tonic of American leadership from Washington and more American victories in the field. The non-Communist Asians, especially the English-speaking ones, are all for us in spirit. But the Down Under commonwealths have a war of their own in Malaysia, the Filipinos have a presidential election in progress, and only the North Koreans and the Nationalist Chinese could be brought to action in force

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EMPTY SACK RACE

James Marlow

Foreign Field Beckons To LBJ

WASHINGTON (AP) — By a freak of history a president of the United States for more than a year has been able to concentrate almost entirely on home problems because foreign ones weren't boiling.

Thanks to this, President Johnson, little disturbed from outside, was able to establish his administration, and after the presidential election, to prepare the budget and programs now going to Congress in a steady flow.

But time is running out for him in the foreign field. The comparative tranquility he enjoyed can't last and, although he has proved himself a master politician at home, he still has to prove himself in the foreign field where he is least experienced.

He has left foreign problems so much in the background all this time by saying so little about them that they seemed minor. Just recently he skipped over them lightly in his inaugural and State of the Union speeches.

YET, THEY haven't been minor even when they seemed dormant and Viet Nam, certainly, has been a steady problem, getting worse, and is now reaching a crisis. Today's Saigon coup raises new problems.

How did it happen, then, that under Johnson domestic affairs dominated American thinking almost completely?

Johnson, if only through his natural way of doing things, has directed public interest along the path he wanted by the twin policies of negation and affirmation.

THAT'S THE affirmative method. It's constructive, creative, and can expect popular support, which he always seeks, for hardly anyone can oppose a greater prosperity in which ev-

everyone is intended to share. Foreign problems, except for direct or immediate threat to the United States, always seem a little remote. Johnson has made them seem more remote, and perhaps less important, by saying little about them.

That's the method of negation. And the best example of it in operation is Viet Nam where the American-backed war against communism has been disintegrating.

Johnson hasn't said much publicly about Viet Nam. The problem there would be far higher in the American consciousness now if he had emphasized the crisis by pronouncements or warnings or by stating American policy there

unmistakable terms. As it is, even with disaster just around the corner unless there is a sudden turn in policy or events, that vital little country in Southeast Asia seems more a mish-mash than a crisis.

IT IS getting so out of hand, and this country has such a stake in it, that Johnson cannot delay much longer in getting involved in it up to his neck. Whether he does it publicly or quietly is up to him.

How he does it should reveal much of the way he will handle foreign policy for the rest of his presidency, or the way he'd like to handle it. He can get tough, quietly or publicly, or he can be wishy-washy.

Hal Boyle

Bank Always Wins

NEW YORK (AP) — The bank and I play a little game. They try to catch me in a mistake and I try to catch them in one.

So far the bank has won every time. It doesn't seem quite fair, though. There are so many of them and only one of me. They have all those adding machines and computers. I have only 10 fingers and — in an emergency — an equal number of toes.

THE CONTEST can't stay this one-sided forever. Any month now they'll forget to subtract 10 cents for a check, or ignore the service charge, or even make 6 from 13 come out 8, like I do.

I'm not exactly the one that aptitude tests would pick to balance a checkbook. But my husband's talent along those lines is even less awe-inspiring than mine. So I became the family accountant.

In the beginning I had a fighting chance. We have the type of account whereby you pay 10 cents for each check used. At the time I embarked on my banking career the customer purchased a book of 20 checks in advance for \$2. They were mine, outright. All I had to do was concentrate on subtracting the amount of the

check from the previous balance, adding the sum of a deposit now and then.

THE BANK decided it was making things too easy for me and tried to live up to the game. They started giving out the checks free. The 10 cents was charged after the check cleared. I had to dig out the old family abacus to come to terms with that system but I finally mastered it.

Whereupon the gleeful bankers devised a new scheme. The statement showed that the face value of cleared checks had been subtracted. But for some reason the dime charges weren't taken off until the next month. That did it! From then on their figures and mine differed violently — always in multiples of 10.

Apparently they had a few other outraged patrons who didn't have master's degrees in higher mathematics. Just as I was about to hide my money under the mattress a new ukase came through. The 10-cent charge henceforth would come off along with the check. I was back in the game.

(Today's feature article by Mrs. Joy Stille substitutes for Hal Boyle, who is ill).

To Your Good Health

Quitting Smoking Doesn't Bring Weight Gain

By JOSEPH G. MOLNER, M.D.

Dear Dr. Molner: My husband quit smoking a year ago. He weighed 215-218, but has gained to 222. It's too much to diet and give up smoking at the same time.

He has a good appetite but doesn't eat as much as some of our friends who are average or skinny. (I've cut down on preparing rich foods.)

Sometimes he craves a cigarette so much that he can hardly bear it. How much longer is this craving likely to last, and will he continue to gain weight on a regular diet?

A friend who quit smoking at the same time said several weeks ago that he had the habit licked. He has gained weight, too, but he needed to — MRS. B. D.

It seems to me that you may be losing your perspective a bit. True, some people gain weight when they quit smoking. Others don't. The gain is usually because (a) the cigarette-giver-up starts nibbling candy or other food instead of reaching for a smoke, or (b) before quitting, he has developed a habit of smoking when he really should

have been eating. If, when one stops smoking, his eating habits remain unchanged, then so does his weight.

From your letter, your husband has gained either four pounds, or 10, or something in between in the last year. I can't tell which. But in any event, it doesn't look to me as though he had done any reducing BEFORE he stopped smoking, and he hasn't accomplished anything since, either.

I'd suggest that you do more than cut down on rich foods; cut them out entirely. Your husband can be well-fed and still reduce his weight, a few ounces a week, if he will stick to a diet that can include meat and potatoes, vegetables, fruit and some milk, if he avoids sweets, pastry, gravies, and most of the fats—which means fried foods of all kinds.

Dear Dr. Molner: Is it normal for adults to take naps during the day? My mother is 44 and takes a nap every afternoon. She never has any trouble sleeping at night.—T.M.

Naps are relaxing and it would probably be a good thing

if most adults got in the habit.

Dear Dr. Molner: My daughter, just turned 17, gets her period every 20 or 21 days and has been this way for over a year. She refuses to go to a doctor. Is this serious? She seems to be in good health otherwise.—MRS. D. G.

It is not unusual, and if this 21-day cycle has become established, it could continue some time. The familiar 28-day cycle is only an average, anyway. Other cycles, longer or shorter, can be perfectly normal.

"Tips on How to Stop Smoking," by Dr. Molner, will help you give up the habit. To receive a copy of the booklet, write to Dr. Molner in care of The Herald, enclosing with your request 10 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Dr. Molner welcomes all reader mail, but regrets that due to the tremendous volume received daily, he is unable to answer individual letters. Readers' questions are incorporated in his column whenever possible.

Around The Rim

Powdery Prognostication

It would have been so much better if Golden Press Inc. of Poughkeepsie, N.Y. had sent me our copy of the annual Ford Almanac a mite sooner.

OF COURSE, most of the information in the almanac is helpful anytime, particularly if you are planning on a bit of farming or livestock raising. But I always depend upon the almanac for a preview of the year's weather.

Here I had gone out on a limb and predicted that 1965 would be an improvement over 1964, particularly as regards the prospects for moisture. I did it without any scientific charts or electronic computer runs, relying purely upon the law of averages. Last year was a critically short year with only about 10 inches of moisture, hence it seemed plausible to predict that odds were against us having another bad one on the heels of it.

ALAS, FORD'S charts from Weather Surveys Inc. have dusted me out of the saddle, so to speak. The outlook, according to the almanac, is bleak when it comes to rain. It's not that there's a rain shortage in 1965—Ford just doesn't see it for this corner of the vineyard.

For instance, the prognostication is for a wet season extending the length of the Pacific Coast area in a narrowing band slanting gradually upwards toward the Great Lakes. The lower side of this band touches the Texas Panhandle. There is a cross-hatch band on the map, extending from the Big Bend to the Red River Valley, just where it contacts the Panhandle. The legend explains that this cross-

hatch means "driest area," and sob, we are in it.

THE SITUATION for the spring forecast is somewhat similar except that the band pinches down more sharply as it leaves the Pacific Coast and then bulges slightly as it approaches the Great Lakes. Similarly, the lower cross-hatch ("very dry," remember?) spreads from the southern half of Arizona eastward over most of Texas and on up through Tennessee and Kentucky.

Summer brings an altogether different picture. The wet belt shifts suddenly along the northern border with two bulges down to lower Nevada and upper Oklahoma, arching up to upper Illinois and back down to Alabama. The cross-hatch area ("driest areas," remember?) comes up from the southern tip of Texas and ascends to the middle of the Panhandle.

AUTUMN WITNESSES something of a return to the two earlier seasons with the wet band extending northeastward in a narrowing band and flaring out again as it approaches the Great Lakes and swings down across Illinois and on the Eastern Seaboard. The Mid-Atlantic states, plus most of Florida, and a band along the Gulf coast clear to Brownsville also are in this wet area. Guess where the cross-hatch (still "driest areas") is situated? In an arch from lower mid-Arizona through Oklahoma and into Missouri and back down below the Texas Big Bend, that's where. Try and find consolation in that. We can only hope that Weather Surveys, like the Weather Bureau, sometimes misses.

—JOE PICKLE

J. A. Livingston

Johnson Handicap—High Prosperity

In the last generation, only Eisenhower was inaugurated President under the same handicap as President Johnson.

President Johnson takes office as an elected President in the sweep of an economic boom.

Industrial production in December moved imperiously upward 2.2 points on top of a 3.4-point advance in November. These gains more than made up for the drop in October caused by the automobile strikes. At 137, the Federal Reserve Board index stands 10 points and 8 per cent higher than December 1963.

NOR IS THAT the whole of Johnson's burden. New orders received by manufacturers of durable goods shot up 5 per cent in December over November, an indication that the boom in capital goods has not lost momentum.

Housing starts, which have been lagged, spurred. Apparently, builders are not deterred by the 7 per cent level of vacancies of rentable quarters. And, with the general increase in employment, payrolls, profits and dividends, personal income has climbed to an all-time high.

IN SHORT, President Johnson has prosperity going for him. But, by the same token, he has the responsibility of keeping prosperity going for all of us. A big job.

IT'S harder to keep a top spinning than to start it spinning. An economic expansion 47 months old has the law of probabilities working against it.

THE IDEAL TIME to take the presidency is during a slump. In this regard, Franklin D. Roosevelt was the most fortunate of modern Presidents.

He turned despair, brought on by the Great Depression, into hope and strength to meet discouragements still to come.

President Kennedy was also fortunate. He was inaugurated in the very month in which the industrial production index hit bottom. In his State-of-the-Union message of January 30, 1961, he said:

"The present state of the economy is disturbing. We take office in the wake of seven months of recession, three and one-half years of slack, seven years of diminished economic growth, and nine years of falling farm income.

"BUSINESS bankruptcies have reached their highest level since the Great Depression . . . Of some five and one-half million Americans who are without jobs, more than one million have been searching for work for more than four months . . ."

The economy suffered three declines under Eisenhower: The first of nine months from July 1953 to April 1954; the second of 14 months from February 1957 to April 1958; and the third of eight months from May 1960 to January 1961.

THIS LAST setback gave Candidate Kennedy his economic slogan: "To get the country moving again."

In his stirring, poetic inaugural address, President Johnson put his legacy in words which can be paraphrased: "The judgment of God is harsher on those who are most favored."

As Herbert Hoover discovered, the judgment of the electorate is harsher on a President who is most favored by prosperity when he takes office.

David Lawrence

Military Cannot Remain Static

WASHINGTON — While the outline of proposed defense policy which President Johnson gave to Congress a few days ago is the formal advice and recommendation of a chief executive, it is the duty of Congress to pass judgment on whether the safety and security of the United States can be preserved either by arbitrarily limiting expenditures for national defense or by allowing any factors other than national security to receive priority in the expenditure of public funds.

THE PRESIDENT frankly admits that he sees ahead a "leveling-off in defense expenditures." He says that outlays for defense will "constitute a declining portion of our expanding annual gross national product." He recommends that over the next several years — barring "a significant change" in the international situation — approximately the same amount of dollars should be spent annually for our national defense as is being appropriated today. He predicts that then "an ever-larger share of our expanding national wealth will be free to meet other vital needs, both public and private."

BUT WHO IS to be the judge of whether the defense program is adequate and whether it can be measured primarily by the desire to spend more money on the "great society"? Some of the top men in America's military establishment do not believe that such a rigid rule can be applied to defense expenditures. They do not wish to leave a single stone unturned to obtain the most efficient armament that scientific minds can develop. Nor do they agree that, because America has a superiority in military power today, this will continue in the next several years.

ON THE CONTRARY, military men say that, unless the Soviets reveal their secret plans — which is most unlikely — the United States cannot take for granted that it will continue

to maintain superiority. In fact, there is a distinct undercurrent of apprehension concerning the clandestine tests being conducted by the Soviets which may have a great deal to do with the increased effectiveness of their apparatus in the future and perhaps reduce the strength of America's defense against some categories of weapons.

THERE IS a feeling here, for example, that the manned bomber should be modernized and further developed because it is not vulnerable to certain enemy operations which can be conducted against our missiles. The manned bomber, therefore, provides an alternative delivery system. Military men point out, too, that further tests are needed to make sure that some of the new missiles will actually be able to become operational and will detonate as planned.

President Johnson's message last week told of additional weapons, particularly certain missiles which are to be used from our submarines. He also recommended that more money be spent to improve strategic bombers. There is a serious question, however, as to whether the Department of Defense will be able to maintain superiority in equipment if expenditures are to be limited on the theory that America has enough strength already.

MILITARY MEN generally are not happy about what they consider to be an arbitrary reduction in expenditures for military needs. They feel that military spending should not be conditioned upon or related to the size of welfare expenditures, particularly when the issue could involve survival itself. As the late Winston Churchill, in his first broadcast as Prime Minister, said to the British people on May 19, 1940: "The interests of property, the hours of labor, are nothing compared with the struggle for life and honor, for right and freedom, to which we have vowed ourselves." (Copyright, 1965, New York Herald Tribune, Inc.)

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OIL REPORT

Mitchell Wildcat To Test At 4,200

A Mitchell County wildcat location has been staved six miles southwest of Westbrook to test the Wichita-Albany at a contract depth of 4,200 feet.

Anisral Oil Co., Inc. of Houston has completed its No. 1-25 J. Reithmeyer at a total depth of 8,829 feet in the Ackerly (Dean) field five miles northwest of Ackerly.

DAILY DRILLING

DAWSON

Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 1-2 E. Dallas-12 miles southwest of Lamesa was making hole at 9,940 feet.

MARTIN

John L. Cox No. 1 Sole, a half mile south of Stanton on an outcrop in the Martin County section of the Sprberry was still pumping lead with no gauges reported.

STERLING

W. A. Manrell and Champion Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Foy Hidebrand, 11 miles southwest of Sterling City, was drilling ahead at 2,971 feet in time, sand and shale.

COMPLETIONS

MITCHELL

C. W. Guthrie No. 8 Ning Graber, in the East Texas field, was producing 29 barrels of 29.4 gravity oil, with no water, from perforations at 50,000 gallons.

STERLING

Socoma Mehl Oil Co. No. 4 W. W. Weston, in the East Texas field, was pumped 96 barrels of 29.4 gravity oil, with no water, from perforations at 1,200-1,310 feet.

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Flames Damage Cleaning Firm

A fire shortly after 10 a.m. this morning caused heavy damage to several rooms of the Deluxe Cleaners, 500 Scurry. Fire Battalion Chief H. W. Clawson said the blaze started in a large vat containing cleaning fluids, in the rear room, and spread quickly.

Up To People, Solon Asserts

WASHINGTON (AP) — The people should have the right to say how they shall be represented in their legislatures, says Rep. James Harvey, R-Mich.

He has reintroduced a resolution which would amend the Constitution to guarantee the right of any state to apportion one house of its legislature on factors other than population.

"If the people of a state want to give weight to area or other factors in establishing state legislative districts, they should be allowed to do so," Harvey said.

"Who is the ultimate source of power? The people," he asked. "In disagreeing with the Supreme Court's decision of last year, Harvey said he did so not because the court laid down the principle that population shall be the guideline for setting up state legislative districts, but because it denied the people the right to say how they shall be represented in their legislature."

The change was announced Tuesday by Dr. Felix Gear, moderator of the general assembly.

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Meet Site Shifted By Presbyterians

ATLANTA, Ga. (AP) — The general assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S. will hold its 1965 meeting at Montreat, N.C., instead of at the Second Presbyterian Church in Memphis, Tenn., where Negroes were turned away.

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Bitter Cold Grips Midwest

Extreme cold stung the Midwest today, adding more burdens to the thousands of families in northern Illinois driven from their homes by power failures.

The cold also swept into the Northeast, accompanied by strong winds.

Texas dust was blown by strong winds as far away as the weather bureau called "an extremely unusual phenomenon."

The dust billowed over Tennessee, Ohio and Pennsylvania, apparently the remnants of a huge dust storm in Texas and Oklahoma Monday.

A heavy snow struck northern Illinois Tuesday, measuring eight inches in some areas, and hampered repair work on power lines felled by ice which had formed Saturday.

The temperature dipped near zero in the Chicago area. Winds measured at 70 miles an hour moved across western New York, toppling trees, disrupting electrical service and causing minor damage.

Frigid air crossed the Canadian border into the north central states, sending temperatures well below zero.

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School District Will Sell Large Bond Issue Thursday

The second \$2 million installment of the Big Spring Independent School District's Master Plan bond issue of \$3 1/2 million, will be sold at 7:30 p.m.

T. B. Moore Rites Thursday

LAMESA (SC) — Services will be at 3 p.m. Thursday at the First Methodist Church for Thurgood Moore, 71, who died at 4 p.m. Tuesday at his home at 709 N. 21st.

A farmer, Mr. Moore had moved to Lamesa in 1924 from Colorado City. He was a member of the Methodist Church and born Nov. 7, 1893, in Stewart, Miss.

Services will be conducted by the Rev. E. D. Landreth, pastor of the First Methodist Church, with burial in Lamesa Memorial Cemetery under direction of Bronson-Phillips Funeral Home.

Survivors include the widow; one daughter, Mrs. B. E. Dudley; Lamesa; one son, T. B. Moore, South Houston; two sisters, Allie Moore and Carrey Moore, both of Lamesa; two brothers, R. C. Moore, Lamesa, and J. B. Moore, Kingsville; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

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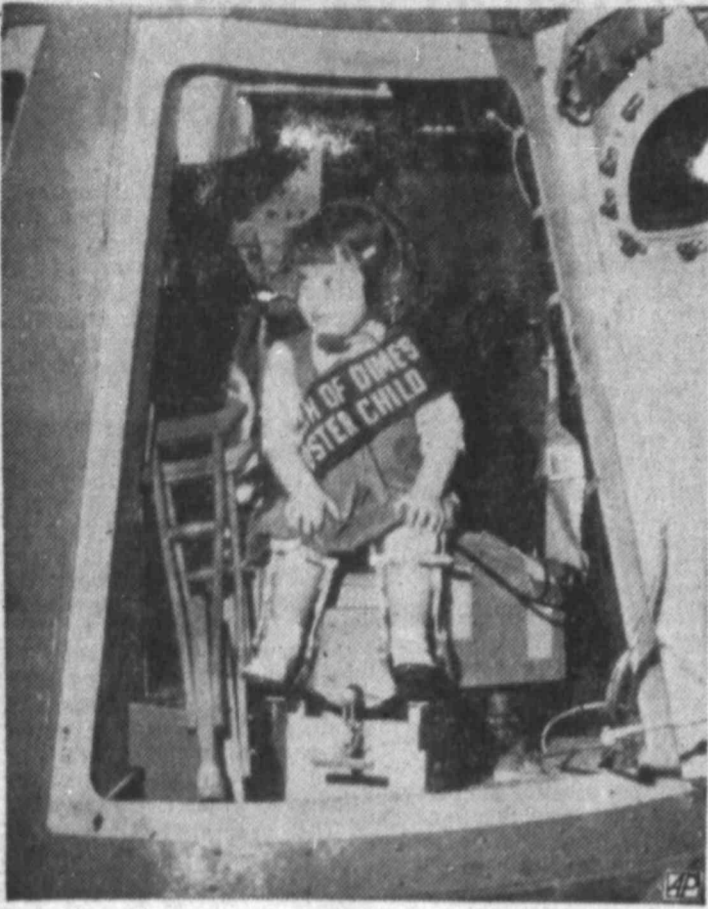
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Thursday, if bids on interest rates are not too high. The sale will bring total bond sales to \$4 million and enable the board to let a contract, possibly in March or early April, for the high school enlargement and remodeling program.

Under state law, the district must have the contract cost of the construction estimated at \$3 1/2 million, in hand when the contract is let. The \$4 million will also permit the district to begin work on the second phase of the five-year building and enlarging program.



Tries Out Spacecraft

Michaeline (Mickie) Heinicke, 4, National March of Dimes poster girl, started a national tour at the Manned Spacecraft Center in Houston. Here she sits in a Gemini Spacecraft simulator. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Heinicke of Denver, Colo. (AP WIREPHOTO)

Lengthy Inquiry Likely In AF Cadet Cheating

AIR FORCE ACADEMY, Colo. (AP) — Fidgety cadets continue to parade before a special board of officers at a secret hideout in the investigation of cheating at the U.S. Air Force Academy. The probe may stretch into weeks. Rumors and counter-rumors fly over the picturesque 18,000-acre campus at the foot of the Rocky Mountains. Administrators have clamped a tight gag on everyone connected with the school. A Colorado Springs newspaper reported that a faculty member was involved in the case. More than 100 cadets, including 30 members of the football team, have been implicated. "No member of the faculty or the coaching staff is in any way involved," said Col. Richard Haney, chief of the information office. "We can't do it tomorrow but this is a planned program," Watkins said. "We feel we should begin planning over possibly a five-year period." Watkins told the commission the parks board was requesting consideration for additional funds for capital improvements

Commissioners Approve Plans For New Reservoir

Engineering plans for a one million gallon water reservoir, part of the city's Master Plan, for location on Scenic Mountain were approved by the city commission Tuesday night. Ernest Clements, a representative of Froese and Nichols, Dallas engineering firm, told commissioners the cost of the reservoir would be about \$85,000. Master Plan bonds voted for the storage facility were \$90,000. The approval given for the engineering plans, allowing the preparation of final specifications, are contingent upon the granting of an easement for use of State Park land. A request for use of the land is pending with the Texas Department of Parks and Wildlife in Austin. The site of the proposed reservoir was moved 100 feet from the original location, Clements told commissioners, due to terrain problems. The size of the storage res-

Plan Approved To Regulate Signing

The city commission approved an ordinance regulating signs on IS 20 bypass routes and FM 700, heard a detailed report on parks development plans and appointed three members of a tax advisory committee Tuesday night. The approval for the ordinance on signs came after discussion of what types of signs would be allowed. City Attorney John Burgess pointed out that the ordinance would require the signs to involve "a use or service available within the city of Big Spring." Burgess said this would prevent general advertising signs from being placed on the routes. The ordinance also limits the size of signs and requires a setback distance of 15 feet from a front property line. Jack Watkins, chairman of the parks board, reviewed parks developments under the Master Plan. Plans for joint city-school development of the Lakeview School area as a park, water for the back nine of the golf course, renovation of the old City Park reservoir, a dock and pavilions at Moss Creek Lake, improvement of Westside Park, the tree farm started by the city and the overnight camp site at City Park were pointed to by Watkins as achievements in the parks system. "We feel there should be a park area in the Kentwood section," he said in pointing to plans of the board for future development. He also detailed improvement of the amphitheater to upgrade its appearance and increase its use, development of the "big spring" area as a park, a future community center and an additional softball field as among possible future projects. "We can't do it tomorrow but this is a planned program," Watkins said. "We feel we should begin planning over possibly a five-year period." Watkins told the commission the parks board was requesting consideration for additional funds for capital improvements

Officers Installed By Credit Group

Edward D. Moren was installed as president of the Consumer Credit Association last night, when the organization met at the Big Spring Country Club. Other officers include Richard Hughes, vice president; Mrs. J. B. Apple, secretary-treasurer; Duke Baker and Mrs. Lloyd Wooten, directors. J. B. Apple was installing officer and emcee for the program, at which 27 attended. Moren, in a brief talk, reminded the club that the city has the possibilities for a good credit organization and urged all members to pitch in to make it possible. He said programs through the year would be geared toward vocational programs, designed to help the members in their business.

Postal Service Cost To Exceed Revenue

WASHINGTON (AP) — Costs of the postal service will exceed revenues by \$714 million in fiscal 1966, but President Johnson is seeking more advice before calling for another postage rate increase.

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in the parks program. The \$75,000 in bond money allocated under the Master Plan has been almost fully earmarked, he told commissioners. "What has been started in the past 18 months is what should have been done 20 years ago," Commissioner W. L. Thompson said of the work done by the parks board. "You've given us something to think about," Mayor George Zachariah told Watkins. The commission appointed three members to the tax advisory committee which was organized as part of the joint re-appraisal program undertaken by the city, county, schools and junior college. Named were Larson Lloyd, to a one-year term; E. P. Driver, two years; and George Elliott, three years. Speed limits for north and south access roads for IS 20 north of the city were approved, as recommended by the Texas Highway Department. The speed limits are from SH 350 to SH 176. On the north access road, the limits were approved for 40, 50, 45, 50 and 55 miles-per-hour and on the south road, for 40 miles-per-hour. A second reading approval was given by commissioners for an on-premises beer and wine consumption permit for the Western Restaurant, 1101 Gregg. In an item not on the agenda,

Variance Gets Board's Okay

The zoning board of adjustment approved a variance to the maximum lot coverage ordinance, requested by Harvey Hooser, for a business building planned for 1602 Scurry, in a session at city hall Tuesday afternoon. Hooser told the board he planned to build a business building adjacent to the present structure at 1600 Scurry. A common wall will be used to join the two buildings, he said, and the new structure will be constructed as a duplicate of the existing one. The maximum lot coverage according to city ordinance, for the property is 6,160 square feet of building. The planned structure will contain 6,584 square feet, or 424 square feet more than the maximum. The square footage over the maximum involves 6 1/2 per cent of the total building space. Hooser said that adequate parking would be available with the added structure, including head-in parking on Scurry Street and on Sixteenth Street, with some additional parking space on the south side of the lot. The planned structure will be of masonry construction, Hooser said, and will contain space for offices. No opposition has been expressed on the additional building by property owners in the area, he said.

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LETTER

Asks Help In Schedule

To the Editor: The winds are beginning to blow now, and it won't be long until the small fry begin to get out the old ball and mitt to get ready for baseball season.

As a newcomer to this wonderful city, I would like to express my appreciation to the men who gave of their time and talent to help my two boys in Little League last year. They will want to play again this year. There is one problem I hope the schedule makers will help me with, and all other fathers who have religious convictions about attending their Wednesday night church services. Several families have already asked me about this. Please, can you help by not scheduling games on Wednesday night?

May God bless all you good men, and thanks again for helping the youth of our town. Sincerely, L. D. GREEN, Pastor East Fourth St. Baptist Church

Larger Meeting Area For Trustees

Big Spring school board members will soon have a new and larger meeting room available, with nearly twice the floor space of the old room. School carpenters are busy this week remodeling the rear of the administration building, at the corner of East Tenth and Rannels, where the book storage room had been for several years. Books have been moved to Kate Morrison Elementary School where there is plenty of room at present. "We are just rearranging partitions to make needed room available," Noel Reed, director of personnel services, said Tuesday. "We need the present board room for personnel and pupil accounting offices, and will make two rooms of that one. The new board meeting room will be 16 1/2 x 27 feet. Fifteen persons would crowd the present room."

Patman In Hospital, Said Recuperating

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Wright Patman, D-Tex., is recuperating at Bethesda Naval Hospital from what his office called "a cold just like the President's."

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Lay Leader To Speak At H-SU

ABILENE—Fred Smith, business management consultant and Christian lay leader from Cincinnati, Ohio, will be speaker for the 1965 Lois and Lee Davis Lectures at Hardin-Simmons University Feb. 15-18. Smith is management counsel for Mobil Oil Company, Genesco, Printing Industry of America, and the New Idea Division of Avco. He formerly was operations vice president of Gruen Watch Company, also has served as vice president of Powell Valve Company and for eight years was head of industrial relations for General Shoe Corporation. He established his own management firm, Fred Smith Associates, in 1955. He is a member of the board of trustees for Christian Men, Inc., has worked for several years with the Howard Butt Evangelistic Program, and was chairman of the Billy Graham Evangelistic Crusade in Cincinnati. He has appeared twice in the West Texas area as a speaker for Texas Electric Service Company. He will speak at 10 a.m. daily at H-SU during the Davis Lectures, established in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Davis, church and civic leaders in Texarkana and the parents of two H-SU graduates.

Operator Dead

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — C. G. Glascock, an independent operator who had a hand in bringing the first offshore oil drilling rig to this area, died at a hospital Monday night. He was 68.

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Draped Evening Beauty

With glamor as his forte, Jean Louis, who designs for Hollywood stars, introduced this graceful navy and white evening dress to the fashion press in New York this month. The waistline is tied with white cord. Louis is one of two dozen designers previewing their spring collections month during an American Designer Series program arranged by Eleanor Lambert. (AP WIREPHOTO)

Rebekah Lodges Set Grand Lodge Plans

The Rebekah lodges met Tuesday for business sessions and to make plans for Grand Lodge Assembly to be held in Dallas March 14-16. A school of instruction was conducted and an initiation held.

JOHN A. KEE LODGE
Mrs. LaVerne Rogers, noble grand, announced her project for the coming year in the John A. Kee Rebekah Lodge will be to secure a new piano for the Lodge Hall. Mrs. Morgan Martin, lodge deputy and musician, who had started the project as a benefit for the birthday fund, spoke on the need for this project.

Mrs. Martin conducted a school of instruction and presented a certificate of perfection to Mrs. C. L. Lumpkins. Mrs. W. E. Rayburn reported the March of Dimes coffee held in her home Tuesday netted \$43.

A letter from the state president, Mrs. Georgia Woods, told of the assembly to be held in Dallas. Members voted to secure banquet tickets for the lodge representative, Mrs. Jones Lamar. Announcement was made that Mrs. Ray S. Doty had been named on the bills and resolutions committee of the assembly.

Resolutions of sympathy were read for the late Mrs. Stella Williams, sister of Mrs. O. G. Burns, and the late Roy L. Neff, brother of Mrs. Mary Jane Lamar, first lodge mother.

Mrs. Rogers named Mrs. Rayburn on the program committee for February stating that a special Valentine program is planned. Refreshment committee members are Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Clanton, Mrs. Everett

Hood and Mrs. Lois Stewart. Visits to the sick were reported, and 33 members attended.

BIG SPRING LODGE
A candlelight initiation service was conducted for Mrs. Gene Schafer and Mrs. Ivan Collins Spring Rebekah Lodge. Mrs. A. J. McCall, noble grand, presided.

A certificate of perfection was presented to Mrs. J. E. Brown by the district deputy president, Mrs. L. A. Griffith.

A letter from Mrs. Woods was read telling of the Grand Lodge meeting in Dallas.

Seventy visits to the sick were reported by the 43 members attending. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Griffith, Mrs. McCall and Mrs. Wayne Moore.

MEET TUESDAY

Mission Book Studied By East Fourth Circles

Circles of the Woman's Missionary Union of East Fourth Baptist Church met in individual sessions Tuesday to study the book, "Winds of Change," by Gerald Palmer. The groups will meet jointly next week at the church for a Royal Service program.

ANITA LOWE CIRCLE
Mrs. Arnold Tonn, 2311 Roberts, was hostess to 12 members of the Anita Lowe Circle. Mrs. Elmer Rainey was named as a new member, and Mrs. Ira Raley presented the Bible study. Mrs. Billy Budd and Mrs. B. D. Rice worded prayers.

JUDY BURDETTE CIRCLE
Mrs. David Rhoton, 2801 Lawrence, served as hostess and conducted a business session at the Judy Burdette Circle meeting. Mrs. Pete Sanderson read the calendar of prayer, and Mrs. Monroe Casey led the discussion of the mission study book. Refreshments were served to seven members.

KATE MORRISON CIRCLE
Mrs. Elmer Dickens lead the mission study when the Kate Morrison Circle met in the home of Mrs. K. T. Downs, 242-A Langley. The opening prayer and prayer calendar were presented by Mrs. Jim Barrett for five members.

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Spoudazio Fora Told Of Decor Influences

Mrs. E. L. Cochran spoke of the cosmopolitan influence in American decor at the Tuesday meeting of Spoudazio Fora when the group met in the home of Mrs. H. O. Hudgins, 1008 Howell.

Provincial influences from Spain, France and Italy were paralleled with the classic styles of those countries, and details were given on Mexican and Indian influences. Special emphasis was made on the proper arrangement of furniture and accessories, and tips for saving

money on home furnishings were given.

Mrs. Bill Lansing presided at the business session when plans were made for a Valentine party and dance Feb. 12 in the home of Mrs. J. W. Dickens, Silver Hills. Mrs. James C. Jones announced the party for the special education class at Lakeview School will be Feb. 12 at 1:30 p.m. Those who will assist Mrs. Jones are Mrs. Hudgins, Mrs. Don Farley and Mrs. Cochran.

Mrs. Coleman, co-chairman of the joint forum luncheon scheduled March 20, announced plates will cost \$2 per person.

Mrs. Charles Neefe was accepted as a new member and Miss Susan Bean was a guest. The attendance prize was won by Mrs. Bill Coleman.

Refreshments were served to 12 at a buffet decorated with an arrangement of orange spider chrysanthemums and red berries. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Charles Lusk.

Horticulture Interpreted

Changes in the interpretation of horticulture were detailed by Bruce Frazier Tuesday morning for 15 members of the Rosebud Garden Club who met with Mrs. Walter Wheat. Mrs. Tip Anderson was cohostess.

Frazier said that as people become civilized they develop their own types of horticulture and that each nation may be distinguished by having its own special variation of a type. As an example, he explained that the French people prefer formal gardens, and that the German people were influenced by the French but their gardens are even more severely planned because of their military history.

The speaker believes that the coming thing here is floral road signs such as those already being used in England and Scotland. They serve the purpose well while beautifying roadsides.

Mrs. Dwaine Leonard presided during the business session when the women bought a YMCA youth membership, and were told that the federation flower show would be May 1.

A letter was read from the state hospital thanking the club for assisting with decorations during the holiday season.

The club specified the meeting as an MOD coffee and each member contributed to the fund. The coffee was served from a silver service on a polished table where the centerpiece was an arrangement of tulips, daffodils and iris.

Retiree Honored At Dinner Party

Mrs. Oma Anderson was honored at a dinner Tuesday upon her retirement from the Veterans Administration Hospital where she has been employed for 15 years. The celebration was held in the home of Mrs. Harold Bell, 2402 Allendale Road.

Approximately 25 guests attended, and a special guest was Mrs. John S. Atchley, Hatfield, Ark., who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred Winn. The honoree was presented a carnation corsage.

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The circle will hold a party at the state hospital Feb. 5 with Mrs. Raymond Hamby and Mrs. Parmenter serving as hostesses. On Feb. 26, a party will be given at the Westside Recreation Center, and Mrs. Noel Stuller and Mrs. Born will serve. Prayers were worded by Mrs. Hamby and Mrs. Bob Cozart.

The next meeting will be Feb. 2 in the home of Mrs. Don Campbell, 2700 Larry.

New Group Will Head Cotillion

Mrs. Harrol Jones became president of the Cotillion Dance Club when new officers were named at the Wednesday evening dinner and business meeting at Big Spring Country Club. Mrs. Harold Davis is vice president, and Mrs. Pete Cook will serve as secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Carl Marcum, retiring president, presided as the slate was presented by the chairman of the nominating committee, Mrs. Kimball Guthrie. The new president conducted the business session as Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Adams were accepted for membership to fill the only vacancy available.

Mrs. Jones named an executive committee to include Mrs. Paul Shaffer, Mrs. Jimmy D. Jones and Mrs. James Tidwell. At a later date the committee will announce the new dance schedule and arrange for the new yearbook to be printed.

ANOTHER SCHEDULED

Altar Society Hears Of Family Night Success

Mrs. L. D. Jenkins reported a successful family night project to members of the Altar Society of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church when they met Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in Parish Hall. The next family night will be Feb. 14 when Mrs. C. C. Choate will be hostess.

The Rev. Francis B. Beazley worded prayers, and it was announced that Mrs. J. E. Engel's group will be responsible for the altar care in February. Mrs. Bill Sneed read a letter of appreciation from the Veterans Administration Hospital for services which the society has performed there.

The Rev. G. Maillean, C.S.S.R., of Odessa, will be the speaker for the mission scheduled here during the Lenten season. The date will be announced.

The society will meet again Feb. 9, and the Rev. John Holland of Webb Air Force Base will be the speaker.

Weekend Visitors

COAHOMA (SC)—Visitors in the Herbert Love home over the weekend were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Love, Abilene.

Family To Move

COAHOMA (SC)—Mr. and Mrs. Lane Garner are moving her from Alexandria, La. Garner will teach school in Big Spring.

RAINBOWS SET TEA

A Mother-Daughter Tea, sponsored by the Order of the Rainbow for Girls, will be held Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m. in the home of Judy Daniel, 1310 Johnson. All Rainbow girls and their mothers are urged to attend.

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The less said about the weather these days, the better. Wouldn't you know the sand that blew here the last of last week and Monday would all be credited to Texas when it got up as far as Pennsylvania? That's probably a Taste of Texas that part of the country could do without. And in green Tennessee I hear the world took on an orange cast when the sand reached that fair state.

Wouldn't it be nice if some of the rain and snow of those states could come here on an exchange program?

Enough of sand... let's talk of the fun some of our former residents are having in their new home in Minnesota. The GRANVILLE GLENNES have recently received some pictures of their granddaughters, CHRISTI and PATTY STEVENSON, daughters of MR. and MRS. DEWIE STEVENSON, playing in the snow on Christmas Day. They had a new sled and were having a gay time in the fluffy stuff which became much deeper before the fall ceased. The family lives in St. Paul and when they want to ice skate they simply flood the back yard.

Other former residents who are enjoying the winter sports in New York are members of the BOBO HARDY family who have learned to ski, ice skate and are getting so they stay warm, according to word from them during the holiday season.

The JONATHAN LANCASTER family came over from Kermit Tuesday evening to join other members of the family in cele-

brating with their father, J. B. PICKLE, who observed his 89th birthday anniversary. Mr. Pickle received a birthday greeting by telephone from his son, CONGRESSMAN J. J. PICKLE, in Washington.

MRS. OMAR JONES is in Sulphur Springs to be with her mother who is ill.

MRS. VERNON SMITH is visiting her daughter, MRS. RAY ABEL, and her family in Fort Worth.

BETTIE ANDERSON, a senior student in the University of Texas, visited her parents, MR. and MRS. OLLIE ANDERSON, over the weekend.

Winners Named In Duplicate Play

Six tables were in play for master points at the Big Spring Country Club Tuesday. The team of Mrs. B. B. Badger and Mrs. Fred Lurting won first place. Other winners were Mrs. Jack Irons and Mrs. Hudson Landers, second; Mrs. J. J. Havens and Mrs. Ward Hall tied with Mrs. J. Gordon Bristow and Mrs. Don Newsom for third and fourth; and Mrs. E. L. Powell and Mrs. Ty Allen were fifth.

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It's hard to fight scientific facts!

NANCY

WE'RE ENJOYING YOUR PARTY, NANCY

THERE GOES YOUR PHONE

OH, HELLO BETTY-- SURE

HAVE A GOOD TIME, KIDS-- I'VE BEEN INVITED TO ANOTHER PARTY

LIL' ABNER

ALL THAT EXPENSIVE STUFF IS BEING SENT TO UNDERPRIVILEGED FOREIGNERS, NO DOUBT!

WRONG, DAD!! IT'S BEING GIVEN TO UNDERPRIVILEGED AMERICANS!!

THAT'S UNAMERICAN!!

LATER--DOGPATCH

IT'S ALL YOURS-- COMPLIMENTS OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT!!

OH, HAPPY DAY!! US HERE U.S. CITIZENS IS BEIN' TREATED AS NICE AS FURIN SAVAGES!!

BLONDIE

HAS MY HUSBAND BEEN HERE, DANWOOD?

I DON'T KNOW, MRS. DITCHEM-- I JUST GOT HERE

HE HAS BEEN HERE-- THESE ARE HIS HAIR CLIPPINGS

DON'T KNOW HER HUSBAND BUT I HAVE THE FEELING HE DOESN'T GET AWAY WITH MUCH

ORPHAN ANNIE

WICKER WANTS BECOMES O' APE, HAVEN'T SEEN HIM AROUND SINCE--

SINCE HE TRIED 'MURDER YOU'!

APE'S BEEN IN TH' INFIRMARY GETTIN' OVER WHAT TOUGH OLD FANG GAVE HIM! BUT HE' BE BACK! HERE'S DOC'S LUNCH, KNOW WHERE HIS OFFICE IS?

SURE!

OH, HELLO, APE!

YOU KEEP AWAY FROM ME, KID! I DON'T WANT NO MORE TROUBLE WITH YOU! NOT NEVER!

SNUFFY SMITH

I WENT DOWN TO TH' SETTLEMENT TO GIT YE A BIRTHDAY PRESENT, MAW

PAW!! YOU'RE GOODER'N ARY ANGEL

HOWSOMEVER-- SOME FELLERS WUZ BEHIND TH' FEED STORE SHOOTIN' DICE AN' UH--

WHAT DID UNK SNUFFY GIT YE FER YORE BIRTHDAY?

SNAKE EYES!!

KERRY DRAKE

A MOMENT BEFORE MIDNIGHT, DRAKE SEES VINCE SLIP OUT OF THE HOTEL'S REAR EXIT...

NOBODY IN SIGHT!... MADAM ADAM BETTER SHOW... OR MY PRICE GOES UP!... MAYBE I OUGHTA HOLD OUT ANYHOW?... HALF A GRAND IS CHEAP FOR--

PSST!... OVER HERE, VINCE!

BEEBLE BAILEY

SMILE, MEN! A CHEERFUL SPIRIT MAKES THE LOAD LIGHTER!

EVERYTHING THE CHAPLAIN SAYS SOUNDS LIKE IT HAS QUOTES AROUND IT

THAT ONE WAS IN PARENTHESES

PEANUTS

ANGRY HE TRUTHFULLY SNOOPY?

HAVE YOU BEEN DOWN TO THE RINK SKATING WITH A GIRL BEAGLE?

HAVE I BEEN DOWN TO THE RINK SKATING WITH A GIRL BEAGLE? THAT'S A GOOD QUESTION

HAVE I BEEN DOWN TO THE RINK SKATING WITH A GIRL BEAGLE?

WOW! HAVE I EVER!!

OH, NO!

DICK TRACY

FINALLY-- A BUS DRIVER STARES, UNBELIEVING, THROUGH THE THICKENING STORM.

A DUEL? YE GADS! ARE THEY AFIRE?

MARY WORTH

I REALLY MUST GO IN, HUGH!-- I HAVE A VERY FULL DAY AHEAD-- GETTING READY FOR MY SHOW AT WILSBORO-- MY LAST PROGRAM FOR YOU!

THAT'S WHAT I WANT TO TALK ABOUT, LADDIE!

WE-- ALL OF US-- THE TWINS AND I-- HAVE ENJOYED YOUR STAY IN PLAINVILLE AND I-- WE-- MUST YOU MOVE ON-- RIGHT AWAY?

'FRAYD SO!-- I HAVE A SERIES OF BOOKINGS IN NEW ENGLAND, TO START NEXT WEEK!... 'NIGHT, HUGH!

GOT CAR TROUBLE, MR. STARR?

NO!... NOTHING WRONG, BROPHY!-- I WAS JUST-- SITTING HERE-- THINKING!

REX MORGAN

DR. HARDY SAID HE'D BE RIGHT DOWN, MISS DONATELL!

THANK YOU!

WELL, I SEE YOU'RE BACK ON DUTY, ERIC

YES, LIZ... AND I WANT TO KNOW IF YOU HAD ANYTHING TO DO WITH IT?

I DIDN'T HAVE A THING TO DO WITH IT, DARLING... BUT MY FATHER DID! IT JUST TOOK ONE LITTLE PHONE CALL TO DR. FARNSWORTH!

STOP LOOKING SO DISTURBED! YOU'RE OLD ENOUGH TO LEARN IT'S NOT WHAT YOU KNOW... BUT WHO YOU KNOW THAT COUNTS!

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YOU'RE NOT A BAD TYPE-- YOU LIKED THAT LAST SONG? I WAS A WEEK OLD BABY GIRL RABBIT TO FALL IN LOVE WITH YOU MYSELF...

ANYWAYS, I SEE YOU APPRECIATE DEEP STUFF... I'LL GIVE YOU ONE THAT'S REALLY WAZ DOWN...

ON WHO'S HIT PARADE?

These here lines which I pen, are every one for the men, for the little female thinkers. Take the hook, the line, the sinkers.

SEIZE AND DESIST!

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH THAT ONE?

IT SOUNDS TOO FISHY FOR A FISH TO SING!

GRANDMA

ROY JUST BUILT THAT IN THE BASEMENT, GRANDMA

HE'S TRYING TO FIND A WAY TO FEED LITTLE LEROY

WITHOUT GETTING SPLATTERED!

TERRY

MUST BE HOW THE VIET CONG GOT THESE 'RED DRAGON SPIRIT' RUMORS STARTED. TUI TAM-- BY TERRORIZING OLD WOMEN.

MUST BE, MAJOK TERRA-PAL, BUT PEOPLE SURE SPIRIT COME IN PERSON TONIGHT ON ACCOUNT OF YANKEE VISIT. SEE!

SMITTY

YOU HEAR TH' BEEB NEWS?

YES! MEESTER BAGS CATCH GIANT FISH!!

NOBODY EVER SEE SUCH A BEEB FISH!

YES, THEY'RE WEIGHING IT NOW! IT'S A RECORD!

YOU'RE GOING TO BE THE TALK OF THE SPORTING WORLD, MEESTER BAGS!

OH, THAT'S RIGHT! A GUY WITH THE PHONY NAME OF 'BAGS' GETS THE CREDIT INSTEAD OF ME!

MOON MULLINS

WOW! REAL NEW ORLEANS COOKIN'!

WATCH YOURSELVES, WE DON'T WANT AN OVERLOADED PLANE.

WE CAN DANCE IT OFF ON BOURBON STREET, PAPA.

LEAVE NOW? BUT-- PROFESSOR-- I'M JUST GETTIN' STARTED!

COME ON! OUR YUCATAN PLANE'S GASSED UP!

ALOFT AGAIN! HOW'S IT FEEL TO BE FLYING AWAY TO ADVENTURE MOON?

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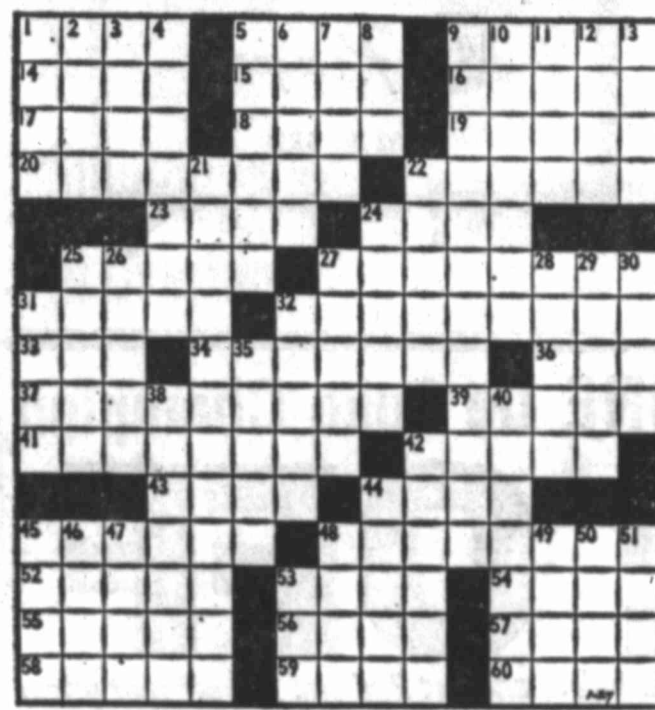
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CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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 - 40 Feminine accessory
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 - 53 Passing fancy



Puzzle of Tuesday, January 26, Solved



Penney's Headquarters Moved To New Skyscraper

Heralding an era of continued growth and development, J. C. Penney Company has moved its New York central office to a new skyscraper home to implement further its program of expanded merchandise lines and customer services.

The new 45-story J. C. Penney Building at 1301 Avenue of the Americas is unique as a building especially designed to serve a retail chain, according to Paul Hathaway, manager of the Penney store here.

The centralized operation now provides a more efficient base from which to fill requirements of the nearly 1,700 Penney department stores and through them the wants of millions of customers. The move also signals Penney's determination to broaden the facilities of its department stores to make them "one-stop shopping centers" with a greater variety of merchandise to meet the needs of every member of the family.

Formal dedication of the building was to be held today. When the Penney Company literally outgrew its former 18-story headquarters on West 34th Street, office furniture and equipment there valued at more than \$500,000 were donated to the New York City Board of Education for use in city schools.

The J. C. Penney Building is the tallest welded building in New York and the third largest in the world.

To the merchandise-oriented Penney building is one of the wonders of our time. On 12 merchandise floors, a huge assortment of goods is displayed

for evaluation by a buying staff of approximately 350. Display and storage facilities, many automatic and created by Penney associates, provide easy access to a wider range of sample merchandise. As an indication of the magnitude of the display area in the shoe department alone, there are racks capable of holding 40,000 to 50,000 pairs of shoes.

Examination of this merchandise to determine whether it meets the rigid standards of Penney's "Always First Quality" is the function of the 12th floor Merchandise Testing Center, one of the country's best

equipped consumer product testing facilities. Equipment in the electronic testing section is similar to that used at U.S. Government installations, including Cape Kennedy. The section is so complete it even has its own closed-circuit television station, capable of broadcasting signals in both black and white and color.

In the center, a Tropic-Arctic Chamber can simulate weather conditions from minus 30 degrees to 130 degrees Fahrenheit, from bone dry to sopping wet, to evaluate products ranging from refrigerators and air conditioners to snow blowers.

New devices have even been created in the continued testing of soft goods, of which Penney is the nation's leading retailer.

GOODS BY ELECTRONICS Modern electronics have been harnessed in the 38th floor Data Processing Center to speed a constant flow of merchandise to Penney stores. Here, tons of sales information received from stores are automatically transferred onto punched cards and quickly translated by computers into stock orders and statistical reports. To the customer, the operation helps assure a full selection of merchandise when it is wanted.

The past has not been neglected in construction of Penney's new headquarters. Company mementos, highlighted by the counter which founder James Cash Penney used in his first store in Kemmerer, Wyo., in 1902, are on permanent display in a second-floor historical exhibit.

Redistricting Shift Sought

AUSTIN (AP) — Rep. Red Berry of San Antonio plans to introduce a legislative redistricting bill giving the state's four big metropolitan counties 20 more House members.

Berry has been circulating among representatives copies of a map showing how his plan would change their districts. "Most of them are satisfied, but there's a few that are not," he said.

The plan would give Houston eight more representatives, Dallas six more, San Antonio four more and Fort Worth two more. A Senate reapportionment plan is not included.

Singing Star Laid To Rest

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — The body of singer Jeanette MacDonald now lies in a crypt at Forest Lawn Memorial Park in suburban Glendale.

A small group of family and intimate friends attended her final funeral services this week. Her bronze casket then was sealed between those of two other Hollywood stars — Alan Ladd and Gracie Allen, both of whom died last year. Miss MacDonald, 57, died of a heart ailment Jan. 14 in Houston, Tex.

Red Ambassador And Rusk Confer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Soviet Ambassador Anatoly F. Dobrynin conferred with Secretary of State Dean Rusk for 15 minutes today on several questions including the Soviet underground nuclear test of 10 days ago.

A. E. SUGGS

Retires From Building Trades

After half a century in the building trades, A. E. (Arlie) Suggs is retiring, temporarily, he hopes.

Suggs, who has been active as a general contractor for more than four decades, will auction all of his building equipment, together with his holdings at the juncture of IS 20 and FM 700 east of town.

Once the property is liquidated, Suggs plans to take a rest of approximately a year in order to regain his strength.

"I'm feeling better now," he said, "but I think it would be better to get clear out from under it all for about a year and really get my strength back. Then, if I feel like it, I might go back into business."

He began his connection with the construction business around 1912 as an apprentice bricklayer. This was about the same as being a day laborer at the outset, but he became proficient as a journeyman bricklayer and did some limited contracting in this field. In 1921, however, he became a partner in the concern of Dunlap and Suggs.

Approximately 30 years ago he became sole owner and moved his headquarters to Big Spring. In the interval, Suggs

has built scores of buildings in this area.

The sale has been set for Feb. 11-12 and will be handled by Dub Bryant Auction Company. Included will be everything from real property to trucks, uncrated gunset buildings, cement mixers, hoists, welding equipment, cement finishers and a host of other building equipment as well as considerable stores of building materials, office supplies, etc.

Pause To Pull On Boot Fatal

BATH, N.Y. (AP) — A pause to pull on his overshoes before he fled from his burning mobile home apparently cost a 74-year-old man his life, says Bath fire chief Gerald Stabel.

Lyman Wilson was burned fatally Monday when he stopped in a wood frame addition of his 40-foot trailer to pull on boots before escaping the flames, Stabel said.

Wilson had one boot on when firemen reached him.

Wilson's wife escaped without injury.

Princess 'Needs Study On Acting'

ROME (AP) — Michelangelo Antonioni, a prize-winning director who directed one of three episodes in a new picture starring Princess Soraya of Iran, says the princess has done well but still has a lot to learn.

"Soraya must study acting and mimicry to become a good actress," Antonioni said today in an interview.

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Agency Fails To See New Bomber Need

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Air Force has failed to convince Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara that the country needs an expensive new manned bomber to replace the present B52s and B58s in the 1970s.

Since the Air Force has made exhaustive studies and presented its strongest arguments, it would appear that its chances of eventually winning over the Pentagon chief are slight.

AGAINST IT "I don't see today any requirement for the expenditure of \$10 billion for that purpose," one Defense official said of an Air Force proposal to develop and buy about 200 advanced strategic aircraft.

The two major factors working against the Air Force in this are the cost of a new bomber project and the reliance on a growing force of land-based and submarine-launched missiles.

In discussing the bomber question, officials noted that 793 intercontinental ballistic missiles were on alert as of last Friday, together with 304 Polaris missiles in the tubes of submarines.

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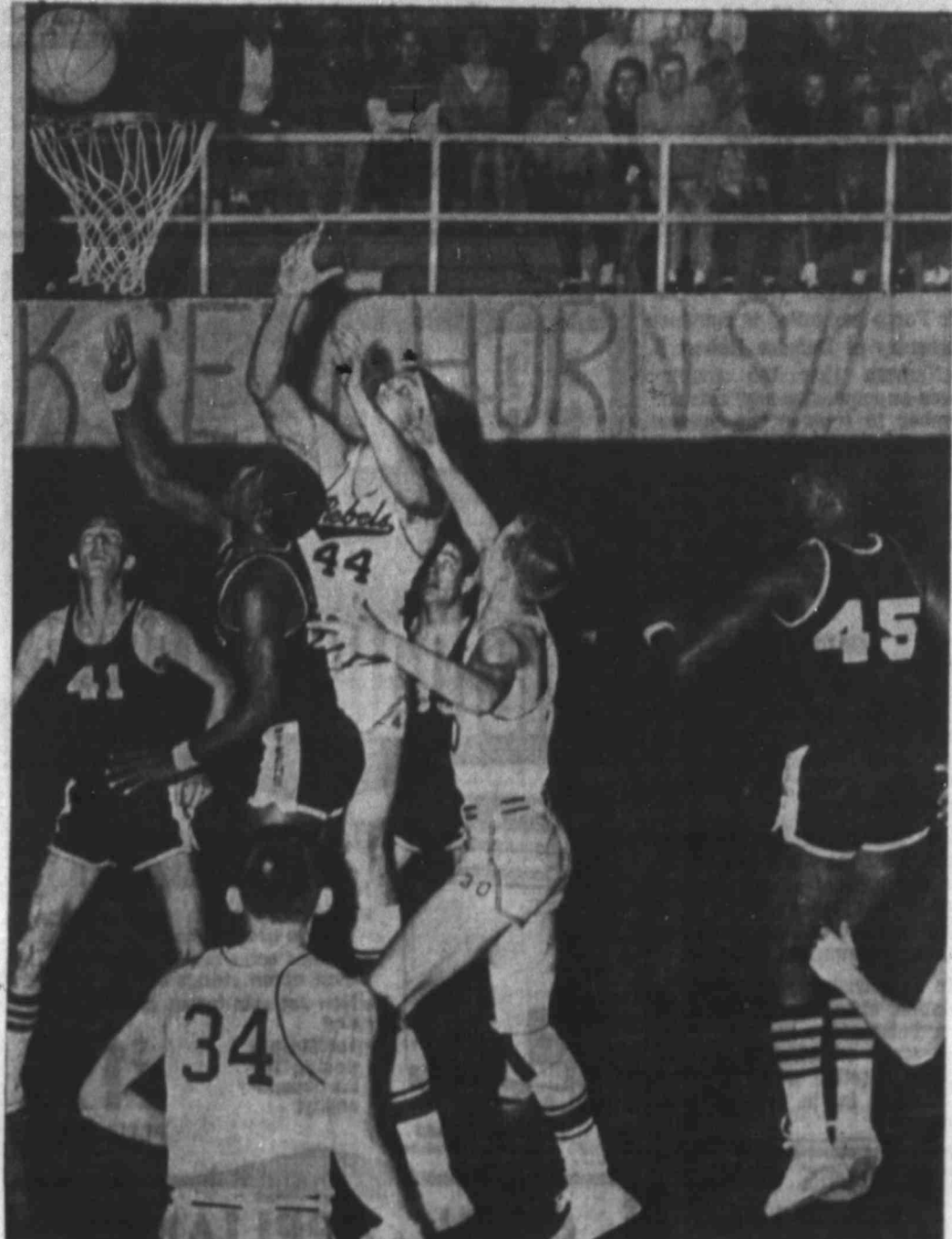
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Texas Tech Alone Atop Standings

By The Associated Press
Texas Tech sits atop the South-west Conference basketball standings today after a big victory over Southern Methodist. The Red Raiders roared like a West Texas sand storm in a 107-89 triumph over SMU Tuesday night in Lubbock as a partisan crowd screamed deliciously. A total of 9,625 persons jammed the Tech coliseum and 1,200 more watched the game via closed circuit television in an adjoining auditorium. The triumph left Tech with a 3-0 conference won-lost record and dropped SMU into second place at 2-1. Baylor, Arkansas and Texas A&M are bunched in a tie for third with 2-2 marks, while Tech as Christian, Texas and Rice bring up the rear. All were idle Tuesday night. Tech never trailed, leading 59-47 at halftime and building up a 28-point margin once in the second period. The 107 points was just three short of the conference record of 110 amassed by Arkansas against TCU in 1955. Credit for the Tech victory goes to a blistering shooting attack. The Raiders hit 71 per cent of their shots from the floor and wound up with 61 per cent for the game. SMU shot 40 per cent over all. Big boy for the Raiders was Dub Malaise who poured in 30 points, one more than teammate Norman Reuther's 29. The Mustangs' Jim Smith had 15. Arkansas is the next conference team in action. The Razorbacks play Mississippi State in Jackson, Miss., Thursday night, then fly to Atlanta, Ga., for a Friday night meeting with Georgia Tech. In the next round of conference games, Tech meets TCU at Fort Worth Saturday afternoon, the Mustangs face Texas in Dallas that night. Three non-conference games are on tap in Houston this weekend. The University of Houston hosts Baylor Thursday and then Texas A&M Saturday. Rice entertains Trinity Saturday.



UP AND IN FOR JOE JAURE
Steer has tape on shooting wrist

(Photo by Danny Veldt)

Lee Rebels Hang On To Nudge Longhorns

Coach Allen Simpson of Big Spring put it best following Tuesday night's basketball game here between the Steers and Midland Lee when he remarked: "What do you do when you're snake bit?" Before the largest and the loudest crowd of the season, Simpson's club fought the District 2-AAAA league leaders to a standstill before losing 67-45. The Steers deserved a better fate. Big Spring, winner of only one league contest this year, beat the visitors badly from the field, hitting 25 baskets to 20 for the Rebels, but the Lee gang

Klondike Cougars Upset Sands Mustangs, 64-58

KLONDIKE — The Klondike Cougars moved into first place in District 87-B basketball standings by defeating Sands, 64-58, here Tuesday night. Klondike now has a 4-1 league record while Sands is 4-2. The Mustangs play Flower Grove in Ackerly Friday night. Oren Lancaster scored 17 points while Eddie Herm 16 for Sands. In the girls' game, Sands finished on the sunny side of a 47-38 score. The win was the fourth in six conference starts. Robbie Brown set a fast pace for Sands, scoring 29 points. Benson had 23 for Klondike. The win was the fourth in six 87-B games for Sands.

Koy Signed By NFL 11

HOUSTON (AP) — Texas halfback Ernie Koy Jr., star of the recent Orange Bowl game, has been signed by the New York Giants of the National Football League rival under the noses of the rival American Football League Houston Oilers. No one is more pleased about the transaction than Frank (Pop) Ivy, former Oiler head coach and now Southwest scout for the Giants. "Pop handled it," said Wellington T. Mara, Giant vice president, Tuesday. "I came down to be blamed if I lost Ernie." Terms of the one-year contract were not announced, but guesses went as high as \$35,000. Koy said the terms of the offer by the two teams were similar. "If he got a one-year contract from them, then I don't think the offers were similar," said an Oiler spokesman, implying the Houston proposal was for several years. Ivy was assigned four players in the Southwest and signed or received commitments from every one — Koy, North Texas State tackle Carl Lockhart, Oklahoma tackle Glen Congden and Texas linebacker Olen Underwood. Koy was asked why he chose a club which drafted him in preference to one that took him in the third round. "I can answer that," interrupted Ivy. "Nobody in the NFL drafted him high because of Houston's reputation for spending money for players. A lot of teams are reluctant to take on the chore of competing with the Oilers for a Texas boy." "Maybe Houston's reputation is beginning to slip," he said. "The NFL is established and the Giants have been playing a long time," said Koy, explaining his decision. "Dad played baseball in New York and I've always had an inkling to get back there."

Bobcats Stay In 2-4A Race

MIDLAND — The San Angelo Bobcats stayed in the race for the District 2-AAAA basketball championship by edging the Midland Bulldogs here Tuesday night, 63-62, in a game that went into overtime. Earl Barnes of Midland dropped in 26 points to be the leading scorer for the night. Ralph Sheffy of San Angelo was high man for his squad with 16 points. ODESSA — With near perfect shooting from the free throw line the Odessa High School Bronchos defeated the Abilene Cooper Cougars, 78-73, in a District 2-AAAA basketball game here Tuesday night. High point man for the evening was Max Brownlee of Odessa with 32 points. Gary Mattox of Abilene was high for his team with 16. ABILENE — The Abilene Eagles ran away from Odessa Permian here Tuesday night in a 2-AAAA basketball game, winning by a score of 72-55. Raymond Wray hit 15 points for the winners and Jimmy Johnston hit 16 for the Panthers.

CAGE RESULTS

Providence 73, Rhode Island 54
West Virginia 76, Pittsburgh 75
Boston U. 67, Dartmouth 65
Furman 81, South Carolina 66
Michigan 103, Michigan State 98, overtime
Texas Tech 107, Southern Methodist 89
Stephen F. Austin 106, Southwestern, Tex. 77

LOOKING 'EM OVER

With Tommy Hart



L. L. (Red) Lewis, the Howard County Junior College track coach, was invited to lecture at a coaching clinic at Highland Park in Dallas next month but apparently won't be able to make it. Lewis has to go to Dallas sometime in February to accept a plaque as the Texas Junior College Coach of the Year but the dates don't coincide and he has too many other irons in the fire to accept the clinic invitation.

Scott Appleton, who came here last year with Tommy Ford to speak at the University of Texas Ex-Students Association banquet, is now undergoing Air Force training as an airman basic at Lackland AFB. Later on, he'll move to Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, and Barksdale AFB, Shreveport, La., but will be out in plenty of time to resume his career in pro football with the Houston Oilers.

He's going to marry a Centenary College sophomore named Sandra Ruffin. The date has tentatively been set for next New Year's Eve.

Appleton said recently Tommy Nobis, the Texas line-backer, is the best football player he's ever seen and should win the Heisman Trophy next year. That would be something. Only line-men ever to win that coveted award was Larry Kelley of Yale.

Incidentally, tickets are available to the general public for that UT Exes' banquet featuring ace back Ernie Koy, which will be held here March 2. The ducats are priced at \$3 each.

It's being noised around that the Texas Longhorns had strict orders not to tackle Joe Namath, Alabama's star quarterback, below the hips during their Orange Bowl game. Millions of viewers saw the Steers consistently tackle Namath up around the shoulders — and almost lose a ball game as a result.

Terry Dill, the Muleshoe linkster, plans to rejoin the pro tour in Palm Springs, Calif., the first week in February. He dropped out of the tour in September to return to the University of Texas for the fall semester and is now within three hours of completing work on his degree. He will take that by correspondence.

George Clark, new golf pro at the Midland Country Club, was a teammate of ex-Big Spring Bobby Maxwell when both were in North Texas State University.

You know, quite probably, that the University of Kentucky ranks first in all-time Southeastern Conference basketball ratings. But do you know which school is second in that august league? That would be Alabama, a school which very much emphasizes football now.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Norman, formerly of Big Spring, now are neighbors in Wichita Falls to Tom McBride, who formerly played big league baseball with the Detroit Tigers and the Boston Red Sox.

McBride now is a football official and is affiliated with SFOA. He injured a leg while calling a game in Commerce and had to undergo surgery. Another neighbor to the Normans is Bill Stevens, the former Big Spring High School coach.

Frank Leahy, the one-time Notre Dame football coach, now is associated with an insurance firm in Portland, Oregon.

Coahoma Bulldogs Shade Rotan Quintet, 54-45

COAHOMA — The Coahoma Bulldogs pulled away in the third quarter and went on to topple Rotan in a District 6-A basketball game here Tuesday night, 54-45. The win enabled the Bulldogs to tie the Yellowhammers for first place in the league. Each has a 6-3 record. Tony Butler paced the Coahoma attack with 15 points while Travis Reid accounted for 12. Joe Kelley kept Rotan in contention with a 25-point effort. In the girls' game, Coahoma won by a score of 47-24.

COAHOMA (23)—Butler 43-15; Reid 12-12; McHugh 6-11; Williams 2-0-1; Allen 2-2-4; Dugan 6-1-1; Pharis 1-1-3; Gibson 3-2-4; Hossley 1-0-2; Lepard 1-0-2. Totals 20-12-52.
ROTAN (43)—Garcia 1-0-2; Heathington 3-1-7; Joe Kelley 12-25; Long 4-0-4; Rough 1-0-2; Sorrell 6-1-1. Totals 21-4-4. Score by quarters: 9 15 21 37. Coahoma 54; Rotan 45.

Ken Hodge Hurt

WACO, Tex. (AP)—Baylor end Ken Hodge got only a few bruises playing football last fall, but he has a broken ankle today. He suffered the fracture when he fell during a choose-up basketball game Monday night.

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Freeman Will Keep His Post

WASHINGTON (AP)—Orville Freeman will continue as secretary of agriculture for the foreseeable future.

A course high in the Johnson administration emphasized this Tuesday in discussing future farm policies. There had been reports in recent weeks that Freeman might take another government post.

Freeman has made it clear to the White House, and to farm leaders, that he would take the initiative and resign if he became convinced he could no longer contribute to a solution of agricultural problems.

The Johnson budget report to Congress said one million farmers out of the present 3.4 million is about all that will be needed, the report said, to produce all the farm products that can be

sold at home and abroad. The informant said the administration has no intention to force anyone to leave the land. He said it wants to help create off-farm job opportunities for the low income producer who would like to quit farming.

This source emphasized that the administration believes commodity stabilization programs, including price supports and some payments to farmers, will be needed for some time to ensure adequate farm income.

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Rice Marketing Quotas Remain

WASHINGTON (AP)—Rice growers have voted overwhelmingly to continue for an 11th straight year federal marketing quotas designed to avoid overproduction.

Unofficial returns Tuesday from the nine states where most rice growers operate showed 6,833 for controls and 680 against, a majority of 91 per cent. A two-thirds majority was needed.

Producer sales this year will be limited to production on 1,818,638 acres allotted eligible growers. Prices will be supported by the government at a rate of \$4.50 a hundredweight, 21 cents less than last year.

The vote by states: Louisiana 2,730 for, 210 against; Texas 1,117 to 228; Arkansas 2,270 to 55; California 542 to 190; Mississippi 145 to 5; Missouri 18 to 1; South Carolina 6 to 0; Tennessee 4 to 0; Oklahoma 1 to 0.

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Answer: This can be highly infectious among the young—A GIGGLE

Red Chinese Depend More On Capitalists

HONG KONG (AP)—Communist China, despite its constant castigation of capitalism, is becoming one of capitalism's best customers.

The Peking regime is depending increasingly on the Western capitalist countries — except the United States — for food and for industrial machinery and supplies to build its own industry.

Sixty per cent of Communist China's imports this year came from the Western bloc. Nine years ago 95 per cent came from Communist countries, 75 per cent from the Soviet Union alone.

Western trade experts here expect Communist China's trade with the West to increase, regardless of political fluctuations.

BIG SWITCH
Although they agree that the initial reason for the big switch to the West was the Chinese-Soviet split, they do not believe that Red China will ever again put all its trading eggs in a single Communist basket.

"It is reasonable to assume that China's foreign trade will be divided between the two different trading systems of the world," says Stewart Ross, secretary for the British charge d'affaires in Peking.

This view was supported by a recent article in the Polish trade magazine Polityka, which gave a comprehensive rundown on Communist China's foreign trade.

Based on the trend shown this year, Polityka said, a further growth in trade with the West appears inevitable.

Australia occupies first place in Communist China's foreign trade. Its wheat accounts for half Peking's imports. Since 1969, it has sold eight million tons of wheat to Peking for more than \$450 million.

Canada is second with wheat again the main commodity. Since July 1963 Canada has sold China 85 million tons at more than \$150 million.

BRITISH SALES
Included in Britain's sales this year are fiber and ammonia plants.

Ninety thousand Chinese visited the British industrial exhibition at Peking in November, the biggest ever staged in Red China. Exhibits were worth \$33 million and the Chinese bought at least three-fourths of them on the spot.

France had sales worth \$340 million the first half of 1964. Much has been heavy industrial equipment but the French are also offering grain to Peking and so far this year has sold nearly half a million tons of wheat.

Red Infiltration Grows In S. Viet

WASHINGTON (AP)—The war in South Viet Nam may be entering a new tactical phase with a growing infiltration of fighters from Communist North Viet Nam to beef up guerrilla forces battling the U.S.-supported South Vietnamese.

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DIRECTLY INVOLVED
To the extent that the intelligence estimates reported Tuesday night by U.S. officials are correct, and they are said to be accepted by top officials here, they indicate a deeper direct involvement of North Viet Nam in the struggle in the south.

U.S. officials say the increase in North Vietnamese pressure may be accounted for at least in part by a drop almost to the vanishing point of South Vietnamese Communists available for training in the north.

Authorities here do not rule out, however, the possibility that the North Vietnamese may believe they are approaching a Communist victory in the south and intend to intensify their efforts to take over the country at a more rapid rate.

RATHER RECENT
Another new element in the situation is that U.S. officials who until recently had played down the infiltration of native northern troops now stress this development as having taken place over the past year.

Their explanation is that in the last few months much better intelligence information has become available through improved methods of compiling and analyzing prisoner of war reports.

The latest figures released by officials here and also put out earlier Tuesday in Saigon appear certain to figure in debate on U.S. policy toward Viet Nam.

Group Pushes Cotton Trade
HOUSTON (AP)—The Cotton Council, which represents all segments of the industry, has called again for maximum use of normal trade channels in the marketing of U. S. Cotton.

Less government participation in marketing is desirable, states a resolution adopted at its 27th annual convention, which ended Tuesday.

Fellow council members elected G. C. Cortright, a Rolling fork, Miss., cotton farmer, president. He succeeds Aubrey Lockett of Vernon, Tex.

At the final session, members were told that unless administration labor policies are changed, cotton production costs will rise sharply.

This warning came from Banks Young, Washington representative of the council.

The Labor Department is imposing a minimum wage on agriculture through its regulations on the use of foreign labor, he said.

Under present regulations, cotton farmers who harvest with hand labor face a cost of \$80 a bale for picking. Chopping of cotton would run \$40 to \$65 a bale, Young said.

This is based on a wage of \$1.15 an hour, which is the rate ordered by the Labor Department for foreign workers.

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State Dinner To Honor Woman Political Leader

SEGUIN (AP)—A dinner attended by state bigwigs, past and present, Friday night will honor Mrs. Hilda Weinert on the campus of Texas Lutheran College.

Mrs. Weinert, often a Democratic national committeewoman and a political leader for three decades, has served on the Texas Lutheran board for 27 years, 12 as chairman.

About 500 persons are expected.

Captured Flag Recovery Eyed

AUSTIN (AP)—Rep. W. H. Miller of Houston wants Texas to recover the battle flag captured by Mexican troops as the Alamo fell in 1836.

His resolution introduced Tuesday would authorize a seven-man committee to negotiate with the Mexican government for the banner's return.

Speaker Ben Barnes referred the resolution to the House State Affairs Committee.

The azure flag, bearing the slogan "God and Liberty," is displayed in the Mexican National Archives Museum at Chapultepec Castle.

Flint Quarries Bill Tried Anew

WASHINGTON (AP)—Both senators from Texas have proposed establishment of the Allabates Flint Quarries National Monument near Amarillo.

Sen. Ralph Yarborough introduced the bill Tuesday for himself and for Sen. John Tower. It is identical to one introduced in the last Congress by Rep. Walter Rogers, D-Tex.

The bill is intended to assure recognition and preservation of historic Indian flint quarries.

Orleans Dock Accord Seen
NEW ORLEANS (AP)—Negotiators predicted the New Orleans dock strike would be settled today as they sought accord on the key remaining issue, the money package.

New Orleans is considered a pivotal area in the Maine to Texas strike, now in its 17th day.

After daylong bargaining Tuesday, Asst. Labor Secretary James Reynolds said tentative agreement had been reached on all chief topics except wages and fringe benefits.

LOCAL SETTLEMENT
Both sides show determination to reach a local settlement, Reynolds said. They are aware, he added, that they are "holding up the interest and economy of the entire country."

In New York where dock workers ratified a new contract last Thursday, shippers warned of legal action if idle longshoremen there maintain "the senseless and needless" tieup.

Reynolds, who twice forecast settlements which never came about here last week, predicted agreement today. Shippers and representatives of the International Longshoremen's Association expressed hopes for a settlement by nightfall.

The union declaration was a change of tone for Alfred Chittenden, president of ILA Local 418. He told newsmen earlier he wouldn't be rushed or pressured into signing a contract.

PAY GAP
New Orleans longshoremen are asking elimination of a 6-cent hourly difference between their pay and that of New York dock workers.

Chittenden said New Orleans longshoremen could be called on to ratify the contract Thursday.

After a heated session Tuesday, shippers and union representatives issued a joint statement that they had worked out most contract problems except the money issue and those dealing with grain crews.

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