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Car Dealers Are Braced For Car Inspection Rush

Big Spring car dealers and garages are braced to inspect thousands of cars in the next week as drivers move to meet the state's April 15 deadline. Service managers and motor vehicle officials estimate that one half to one third of all the cars inspected during the year will come through the county's 24 inspection sites between now and the deadline. Ten dollar fines may await those who fail to get safety inspection stickers on time. "It really gets horrible the last few weeks," David Hodnett,

shop foreman at Bob Brock Ford said. He reported 1,523 cars inspected at his site so far this year and estimated that 1,000 more would come in for inspection. Justin Holmes, service manager at Shroyer Motor Company, reported 803 cars inspected but said he usually handles 1,500 cars a year for inspection. "The next few days," he said, "we'll probably be swamped." Holmes added that the last minute rush poses more problems than numbers alone.

Col. Edd Mullett Takes Retirement

Lt. Col. Edd Mullett, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Mullett, 800 Willa Street, retired from the U.S. Army Chemical Corps at Dugway Proving Ground, Utah on March 31, after more than 20 years of military service. Col. Mullett is married to the former Billie Marie Harrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harrison, 1809 West 3rd. They have two sons, Bill, 18, a senior at Dugway High School, and Pat, 11. Col. Mullett has accepted a position as a field coordinator for the drug evaluation program of the biomedical sciences division, Parke, Davis and Company, Detroit, Mich. The Mulletts will reside in Jackson, Mich.

He'd Like To Jam Crash Helmets On Legislators

DENISON, Tex. (AP) — A motorcyclist only 72 years old says he'd like to have crash helmets jammed on the heads of Texas legislators who voted for the law requiring the four-pound headgear. "It's the best way I know of to get a broken neck riding a cycle," R. C. Carroll said. He said in his 53 years of riding motorcycles he's been tossed dozens of times. "Back in the old dirt road days you spent as much time off your bike as on," he said. "Everytime you hit a rut covered with dust, you'd go one way and your motorcycle the other." "You need a rubber neck to ride a motorcycle," says Carroll, who instructs interested youngsters on a vacant lot set up with an obstacle course. "Learning to watch the road" is the important thing, he says. "The worst spill I ever had

easier to handle the lighter-weight bike, he said. "Now if they'd just do something about these neck-breaking, heavy-weight crash helmets we gotta wear, I'd be happy."

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TEXANS AT WAR Colorado City GI Helps Repel Reds

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The company-sized force of the 9th Marine Regiment, part of a multi-battalion operation near the Laotian border, was unaware of the enemy. **BIG SURPRISE**
Texan at war Archie Biggers of Colorado City was sitting with the 60mm mortar platoon he commanded. The lieutenant said, "They nearly did take us by surprise. We saw them just moments before they opened fire on us. The men up on the firing line had just enough time to take cover and return fire." The enemy troops had gotten within a few yards of the Marine perimeter when they spotted four men manning an observation post. Thinking they had taken the Marines by surprise, they opened up. But a split second later, the thick foliage hiding the communist troops became a target for the flying lead from Marine weapons. The men in the observation post ran back to the perimeter and two Marine machinegunners brought their fire power on the enemy. **RETREATING**
"Seconds after that, two other NVA squads opened up on us from different sides of our position," Biggers said. But then, Biggers said, as quickly as it had begun, the fight was over. The enemy started retreating. "We were ready with our mortars," he said. "When the company commander gave us a command to fire, we dropped about 25 rounds on them." Next morning, patrols found two dead North Vietnamese and many blood trails indicating the enemy had suffered additional casualties. Biggers graduated from Jarvis Christian College before he entered the Marines. His mother, Mrs. Thelma Lee, lives in Colorado City in West Texas.

Wildcats In Texas

AUSTIN (AP)—Fifteen wildcat gas wells, including five each in the Corpus Christi and Midland districts, were drilled in Texas the past week, the Railroad Commission said Saturday. The commission said four wildcat oil wells were drilled, one each in the San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Abilene and Wichita Falls districts. The other gas wildcats included four in the San Antonio District and one in the Houston District. Oil wildcats for the year total 73, two more than a year ago. Gas wildcats total 201, or 68 more than a year ago. The commission said 107 oil and 54 gas wells were completed during the week, running the oil well year total to 1,274, or seven fewer than a year ago, and gas wells to 768, or 157 more than a year ago. The commission said 150 dry holes were plugged during the week, including 24 dry holes.

Tech To Host UIL Contests

LUBBOCK — Texas Tech will host regional University Interscholastic League contests April 18-19, drawing about 2,000 students from 191 high schools in an area extending from Dalhart to Marble Falls. Winners of district UIL contests in Conferences AA, A and B, the students will be vying in Region I for the right to participate in the state finals May 1-3 in Austin. They will compete in track and field events, tennis, golf, one-act play presentation, prose reading, journalism, ready writing, typewriting, shorthand, number sense, slide rule, science and spelling. Golf play will be at the Meadowbrook Course in Mackenzie State Park, and tennis matches are slated at Coronado High School courts for men and on the Tech campus courts for women. Track and field events will be held at the Tech track south of the Municipal Coliseum; one-act plays are to be presented in the University Theater, and literary events are scheduled in various campus academic buildings.

Don Haney Chosen For Dean's List

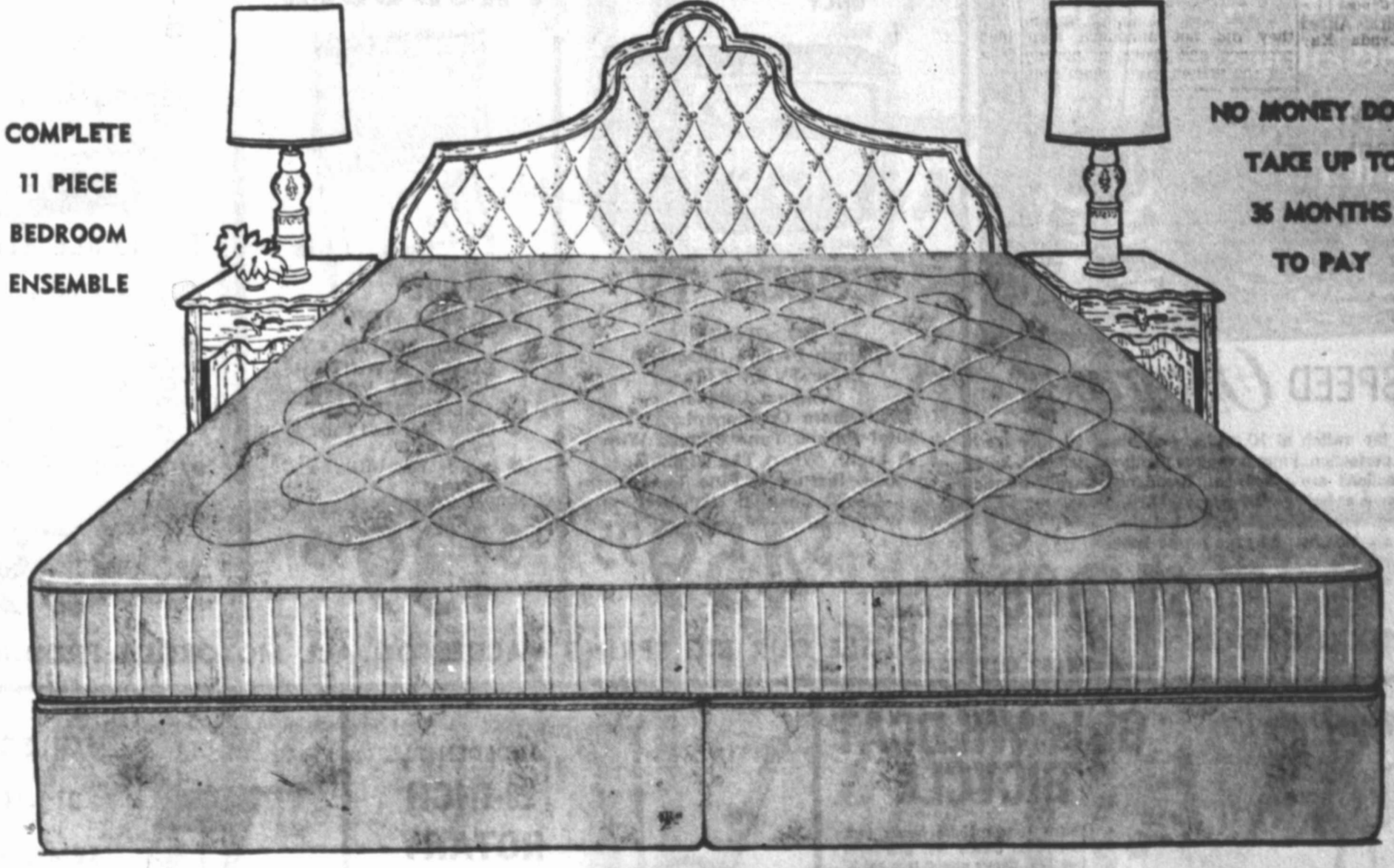
Don Haney, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Haney of Big Spring, earned a grade point average of 3.2 during the fall, 1968 semester at Oral Roberts University, Tulsa, Okla. Don's name was included on an official grade report from the academic dean's office along with other students who earned a GPA of 3.0 or above while enrolled in at least 14.5 semester hours. Haney is a junior, business major on the 21-million dollar campus of ORU, a liberal arts school now completing its fourth year of operation.

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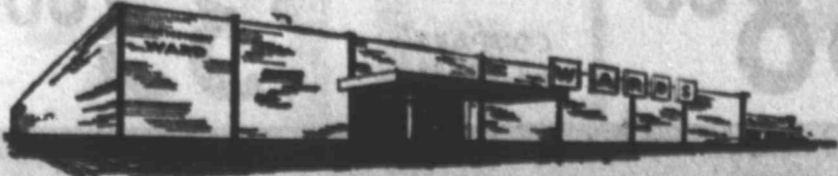
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♠K5 ♥753 ♦QJ54 ♣K752
The bidding has proceeded:
West North East South
1♦ Dble. Pass ?
What do you bid?
Q. 2—You are South, vulnerable, have 60 part score, and hold:
♠AJ95 ♥7 ♦AQ1083 ♣A109
The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
1♦ Pass 1♥ Pass
1♠ Pass 4♥ Pass ?
What do you bid now?
Q. 3—East-West vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠1086 ♥KJ78 ♦53 ♣KJ63
The bidding has proceeded:
North East South
1♦ 1♥ ?
What action do you take?
Q. 4—Partner has opened with one club and you hold:
♠10853 ♥8653 ♦Q75 ♣A4
What is your response?
Q. 5—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:

♥KJ974 ♦QJ863 ♣KQ9
The bidding has proceeded:
North East South West
1♠ Pass 1♥ 1♠
2♥ 2♠ 3♠ Pass
4♥ Pass ?
What action do you take?
Q. 6—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠KQ984 ♥93 ♦KJ4 ♣AJS
The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
1♠ Pass 2♥ Pass ?
What do you bid now?
Q. 7—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠KQ1084 ♦AQ63 ♣AKS
The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
1♥ 1♠ 2♠ 2♠
? ?
What do you bid now?
Q. 8—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠109 ♥KQ842 ♦Q84 ♣AJS
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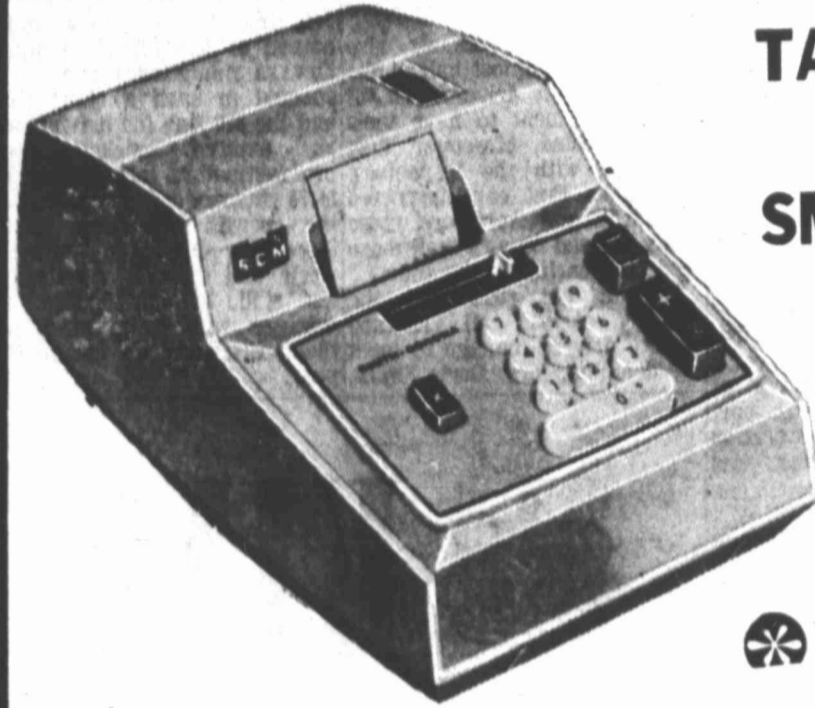
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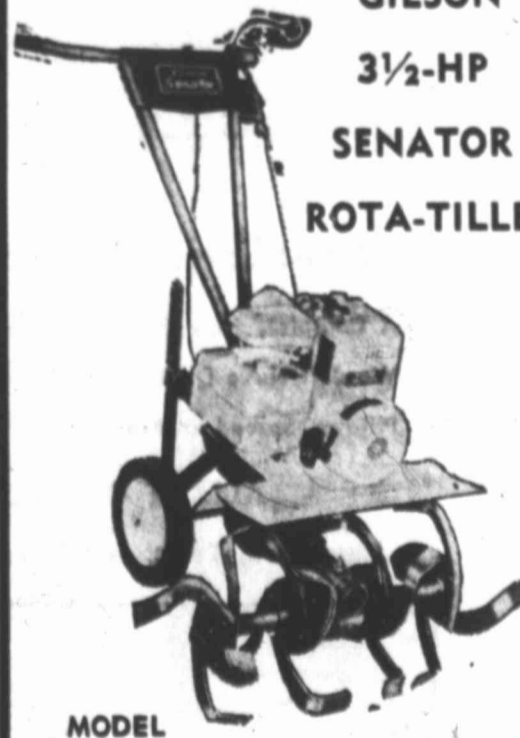


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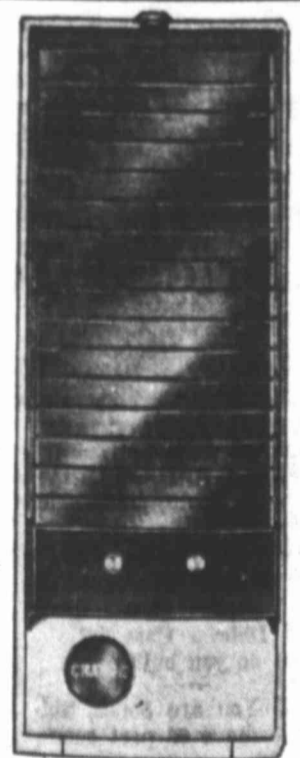
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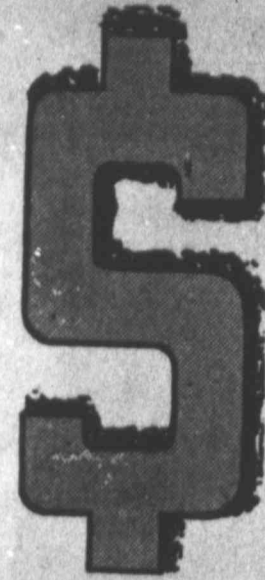
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Steers All—All Trophy Winners

The five boys pictured here are all members of the 1968 Big Spring High School tennis team and all have won trophies in West Texas meets.

Bobby Dyer, Steve Lawlis, Stewart Bunn, Gene Martin and Steve Burnett. Lawlis is a freshman. The others are sophomores.

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Schedule Is Shaken Up

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Like all baseball fans throughout our nation, I am anxiously awaiting the umpire's order to "Play ball!"

Nixon Tosses Out 1st Ball Monday

WASHINGTON (AP) — Ted Williams puts the legend and the huster of his fabled baseball career on the line Monday when he makes his debut as million-dollar manager of the shabby Washington Senators.

Celts Square Off With NY Knicks

NEW YORK (AP) — Now that the Boston Celtics have proved they are not dead and the New York Knicks have proved they are alive,

Sifford Mad At Gallery In Carolina

By OLGA CONNOLLY

With tension mounting in Czechoslovakia again, sports fans around the world are wondering what will happen to Emil Zatopek, the great Czech distance runner of 15 years ago.

Ex-Olympic Great Still Defies Reds

By OLGA CONNOLLY

Zatopek, a hero during the Russian invasion, has since been demoted and muffled. Czechs have always admired Emil-the-Athlete, but Emil-the-Man and Emil-Politically-involved was regarded as an enigma.

Zatopek joined the resolute men in the streets who responded with a display of passive resistance that confounded the Russians and won the admiration of the world.

Snyder Unbeaten In League Play

SNYDER — Snyder remained unbeaten in District 3-AAA baseball play and ran its season's record to 16-2-1 by defeating Lubbock Dunbar, 10-5, here Friday.

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Alcindor's Signing Detonating Woes

MILWAUKEE, Wis. (AP) — Things won't be the same now when Donnie Anderson signed that towering Lew Alcindor has become a Milwaukee Buck.

The giant All-American from UCLA signed with the National Basketball Association team Wednesday for a reported \$1.4 million, the largest amount ever given to a rookie in any sport. Strangely, another Wisconsin team paid out the most money

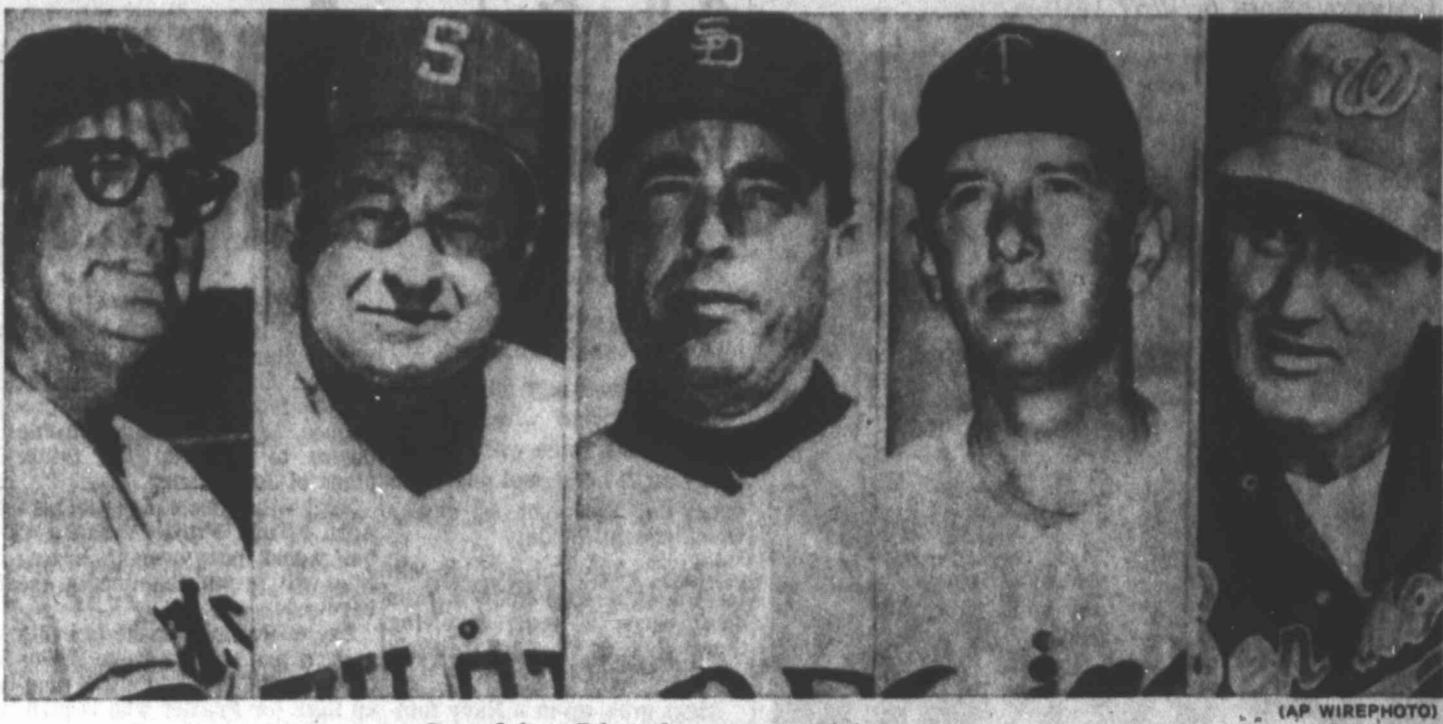
ever given to a football player when Donnie Anderson signed for a reported \$600,000 with the Green Bay Packers of the National Football League.

But, while the Bucks' management and NBA officials basked in the knowledge that the 7-foot-1½ Alcindor was theirs, the signing caused upheavals on other fronts.

The rival American Basketball Association offered Alcindor \$3.25 million after the UCLA star announced his decision to sign with Milwaukee. Alcindor turned down the belated ABA offer, saying he didn't want the negotiations to turn into an auctioning session.

He gave both parties every chance to make their offers under his rules," said Sam Gilbert, a wealthy Van Nuys, Calif., construction man and spokesman for Alcindor. "I'm sure if the first ABA offer had been greater, he would have accepted it."

The ABA's failure to land Alcindor could mean trouble for the league's Minnesota franchise and for Commissioner George Mikan.



Rookie Big League Managers

These are the five brand new major league managers for 1969. From left are Clyde King, San Francisco Giants; Joe Schultz, Seattle Pilots; Preston Gomez, San Diego Padres; Billy Martin, Minnesota Twins; and Ted Williams, Washington Senators. Only Williams has no previous experience as a baseball pilot. All the others have managed in the minors and coached in the majors for varying periods of time.

Five Frosh Managers Await 1969 Season

NEW YORK (AP) — A bumper crop of five brand new big league managers for 1969 includes a rookie from the Hall of Fame, Ted Williams, who never has managed or coached in any league.

The class ranged from Williams, a super star with 521 homers to 2,292 games, to Preston Gomez, a Cuban infielder who played only eight games in the majors. It includes Clyde King, an articulate student of pitching; Joe Schultz, a baldish ex-catcher; and Billy "The Kid" Martin, the fiery little second baseman of Yankee fame.

Williams, of course, will attract the most attention because of his tremendous background, the controversy that always has surrounded his name, his old feuds with the press, his self-imposed exile from the sport and his sudden return as a million dollar manager.

Only Williams has no previous experience. All the others have managed in the minors and coached in the majors for varying periods of time.

In addition to the five brand new skippers there are three others who return to the scene after a lapse. Hank Bauer, fired in Baltimore last year, moves to Oakland. Gene Mauch, ousted in Philadelphia last summer, takes over at Montreal. Joe Gordon, who logged years as a manager at Cleveland, Detroit and Kansas City, returns to Kansas City.

Williams is the boss man at Washington, a club that finished tenth last year and has shown few signs of life this spring. His debut as a manager was watched closely in spring training and will be covered even more thoroughly in the regular season.

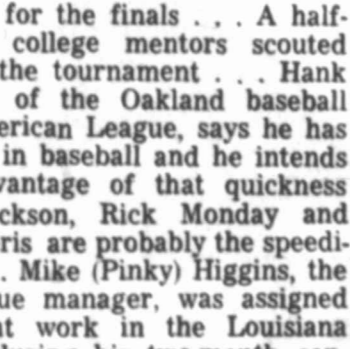
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LOOKING 'EM OVER Panthers Loom As Toughies

By TOMMY HART

Garland Braun becomes the Big Spring High School head track coach when Gerald Loyd leaves for Stanton... Athletic Director Spike Dykes also plans to promote Goliad mentor Jack Gray to a varsity coaching job...



HANK BAUER

Phoenix, Ariz., scored a record 402 points in the recent National Junior College Basketball tournament at Hutchinson, Kan. The big Hutchinson show, incidentally, played to a record 45,000 paying customers, with 8,000 crowding into a gym that seats only 7,000 for the finals...

In that recent junior high track and field meet in Kermitt, Big Spring's Mike McCormick was talked into running in the 660 after he became ill, then turned in the local team's only victory...

The ABA Players Organization Tuesday criticized Mikan and said attempts to sign Alcindor were not realistic.

The class ranged from Williams, a super star with 521 homers to 2,292 games, to Preston Gomez, a Cuban infielder who played only eight games in the majors.

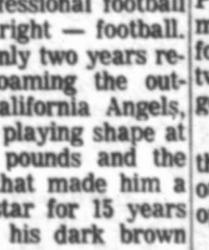
Only Williams has no previous experience. All the others have managed in the minors and coached in the majors for varying periods of time.

In addition to the five brand new skippers there are three others who return to the scene after a lapse.

Williams is the boss man at Washington, a club that finished tenth last year and has shown few signs of life this spring.

Ex-Zany Is At Work With Football Team

NEW YORK (AP) — Whenever the name of Jimmy Piersall pops up you immediately connect it with a zany antic or an acrobatic catch on the baseball diamond.



PIERSALL

But now the colorful ex-centerfielder has switched to the front office as general manager and part owner of a professional football team — that's right — football.

Piersall, 39, only two years removed from roaming the outfield for the California Angels, still remains in playing shape at 6-foot and 185 pounds and the determination that made him a major league star for 15 years still gleams in his dark brown eyes.

And he is equally determined to be a success in his new position with the Roanoke Bucks of the Atlantic Coast Football League — the only organized minor league with affiliations with a National and American Football League teams.

The obvious question, though, was why football, and what do you know about the sport? "I know as much about football as many baseball men know about baseball," Piersall said recently in New York, where the ACFL had a league meeting.

Local Girls Lose In Abilene Meet

ABILENE — In the 18-and-under girls doubles bracket of the Abilene Easter Tennis tournament here Friday, the San Angelo team of Gerth and Powell defeated Ann Talbot and Nancy Tompson, Big Spring, in second round competition, 6-0, 6-0.

All teams drew a bye in the first round.

of now. We have a much better ball club than we did last year. We have better team speed, more consistent hitting from one to eight in the batting order, and very good morale.

Astros' Starting Lineup Is Selected By Walker

HOUSTON — Manager Harry Walker, after waiting four weeks for a final decision on the Staub-Alou-Clendenon trade, finally could sit down Friday and make out the Houston Astros' lineup for the regular 1969 baseball season.

He'll have John Edwards behind the plate with Don Bryant backing him up; Curt Blefary at first base; Joe Morgan at second base; Denis Menke at shortstop; Doug Rader at third base; Hector Torres, Marty Martinez and Leon McFadden as utility infielders; Jesus Alou in right field; Jimmy Wynn in center field; Bob Watson or Norm Miller in leftfield; and Gary Geiger, Sandy Valdespino and Cesar Geronimo as extra outfielders.

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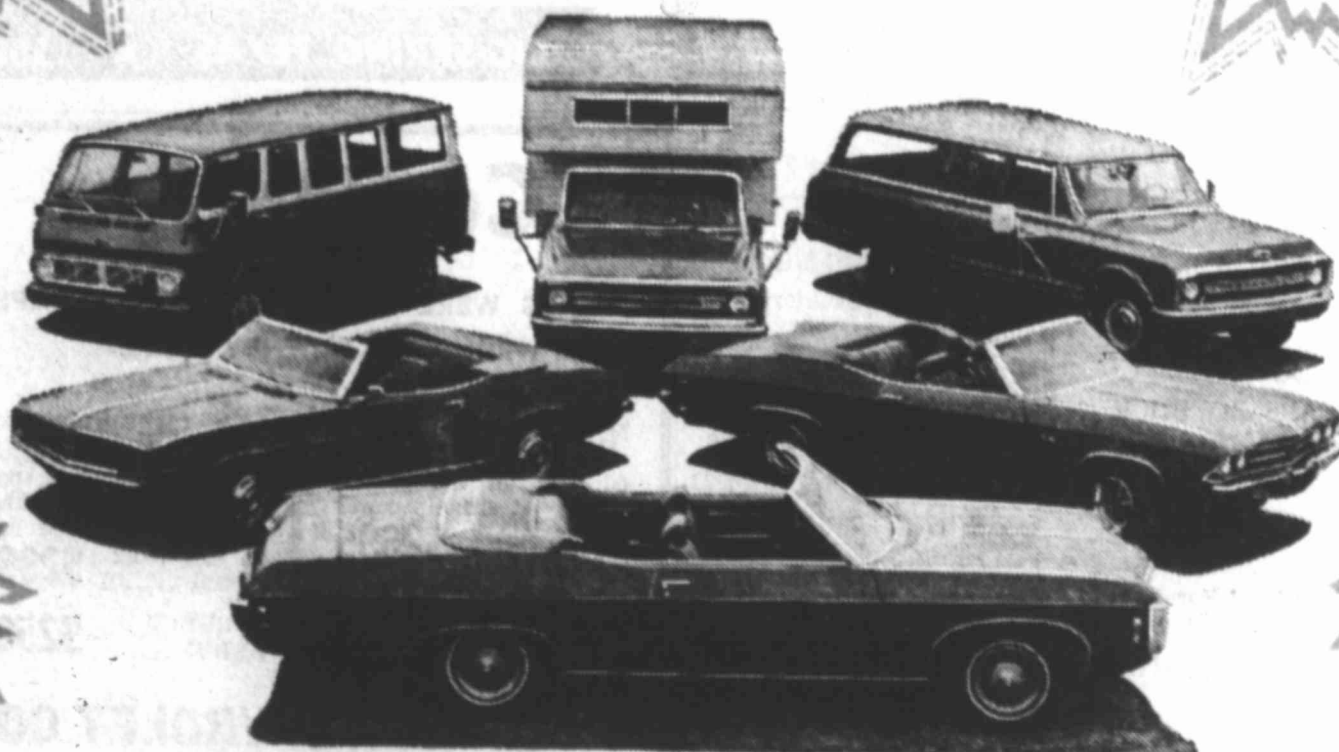


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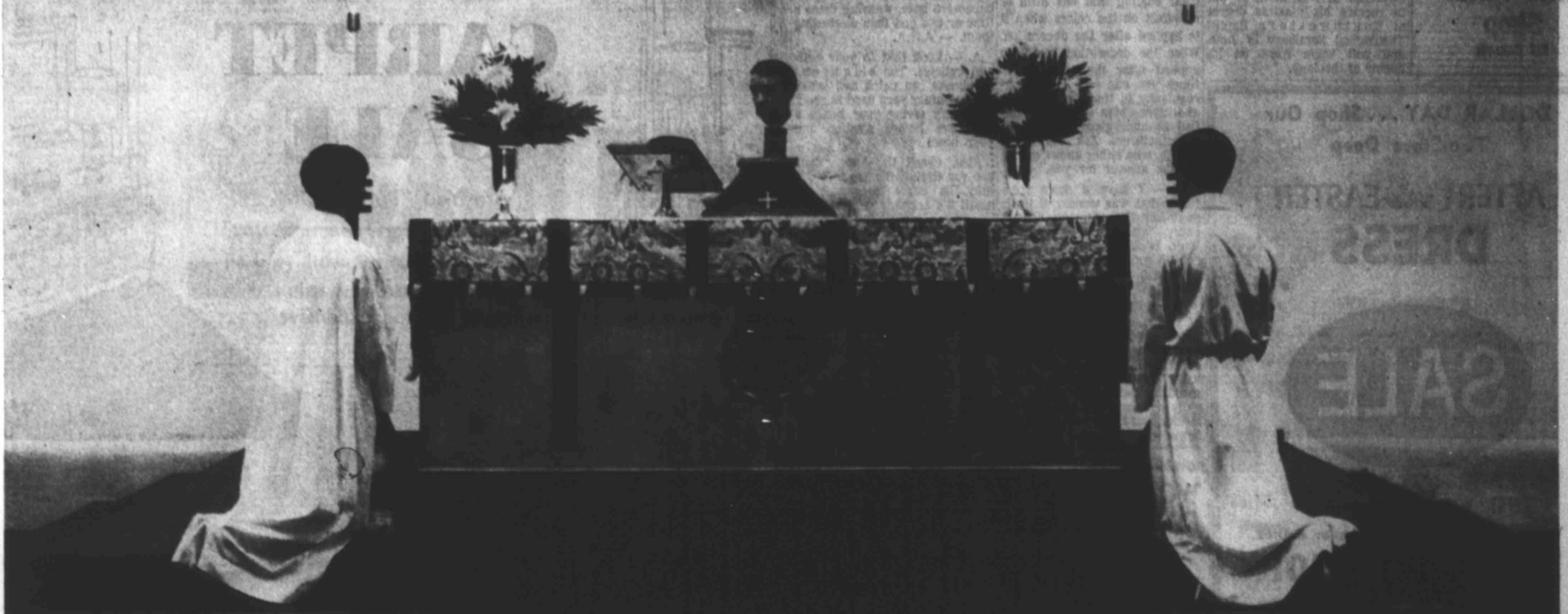
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(Rom. 6:4-5)



The Altar of St. Mary's Episcopal Church, the Rev. Harlan Birdwell, rector; acolytes are Scott Birdwell and Smith Swords Jr.

(Photo By Frank Brandon)

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SECTION C — WOMEN'S NEWS
BIG SPRING, TEXAS, SUNDAY, APRIL 6, 1969

Miss Palmer Weds In Baptist Sanctuary



MRS. WILLIAM DOUGLAS AUSTIN

Miss Elizabeth Lee Palmer became the bride of William Douglas Austin Saturday evening in Phillips Memorial Baptist Church.

The Rev. Dan Sanford read the double ring ceremony as the couple exchanged vows before an altar centered by a large basket of white gladioli, chrysanthemums and stock, flanked by candelabra holding cathedral tapers entwined with emerald fern.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Philip Palmer, 1416 Stadium, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Austin of Sanford, Fla. James Kinman sang "The Lord's Prayer," and "I Love You Truly," accompanied by Jerry Oliphant, organist.

The bride was attired in an A-line gown of peau de sole and raschel lace, designed with self bow at the Empire waistline. Scallops enhanced the neckline and bell sleeves, and the chapel-length train was appliqued with lace and seed pearls. Her only jewelry was a strand of heirloom pearls belonging to her mother. She carried a cascade bouquet of white carnations and English ivy centered with a white orchid.

Mrs. James E. Toombs of Fort Worth, matron of honor, wore a street-length green Empire dress of peau de sole with bodice and bell sleeves of raschel lace. She carried a colonial bouquet of pink carnations.

was best man. Ushers were James E. Toombs and Mike Goslen, both of Fort Worth, who lighted the altar tapers.

SCHOOLS
The bride, a graduate of Big Spring Senior High School, was a member of the National Honor Society, Steer Band and the Latin Club. She graduated from Howard County Junior College where she was a member of the Baptist Student Union and on the Dean's Honor List. She works for the National Educator's Life Insurance Company of Fort Worth.

The bridegroom graduated from high school in Seminole, Fla., and has completed four years in the Air Force. He is sales manager for Construction Parts Warehouse in Sanford, Fla.

RECEPTION
A reception was held in the fellowship hall. Miss Kathy Sanders of Fort Worth presided at the guest register, and others in the house party were Mrs. Wallace Napper, Mrs. W. I. Fenley, Mrs. Ray Parker, Miss Dallas Crawford, Miss Phyllis Ruman and Miss Rebecca Palmer.

The refreshment table was laid with a white linen cloth and overlay of lace accented with lace swags around the table edge caught with miniature nosegays of stephanotis. The centerpiece was the bouquets of the bride and her attendant, placed on a crystal base. The three-tiered wedding cake was decorated with white roses and topped with a miniature bridal couple. Appointments of crystal and silver completed the setting.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Palmer, Chester, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carter, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bartlett, Sulphur Springs; Mrs. Lloyd Kleen, Wayne, Neb.; Miss Diane Ducey, Haddam, Kan.; and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wilburn of Weatherford.

WEDDING TRIP
The couple left on a wedding trip through the southern states. For traveling, the bride chose a linen cape dress of yellow and green plaid with white accessories. She wore the orchid corsage from her bridal bouquet.

The couple will be at home in Sanford, Fla.



To Marry

Mrs. Ruby Fowler, 1808 Hamilton, and M. V. (Gene) Fowler of Andrews are announcing the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Linda Darlene, to William K. Davis. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mrs. George R. Davis of Fort Worth and the late Mr. Davis. The ceremony will be held June 14 in the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Leo K. Gee as officiating minister.

Enters Lions Club Queen's Pageant

STANTON (SC) — The Stanton Home Demonstration Club will sponsor Diana Mims in the Lions Club queen pageant. It was announced at Wednesday's meeting in the home of Mrs. Jim Webb. Mrs. James Eiland, Martin County Home Demonstration agent, gave the program, "Focus on Home Furnishings." Mrs. James Mims of Canyon was a guest.

STORK CLUB

WEBB AFB HOSPITAL
Born to Airman L.C. and Mrs. Dennis V. DiGiovanna, 305 E. 15th, a boy, Joseph Anthony, at 8:20 a.m., March 24, weighing 8 pounds, 14 ounces.
Born to Capt. and Mrs. Nicholas Scromeda, 13-A Albrook, a girl, Nicole Angele Heidi, at 6:55 p.m., March 24, weighing 7 pounds, 11 ounces.
Born to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Mark J. Farneau, 63-B Chanute, a girl, Shari Lynn, at 9:04 p.m., March 25, weighing 6 pounds, 15 ounces.
Born to Sgt. and Mrs. Elton V. Farmer, 604 Runnels, a boy, Thomas Garry, at 6:33 p.m., March 27, weighing 7 pounds, 4 ounces.
Born to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Dennis A. Dokken, 1317 Stadium, a boy, Troy Dennis, at 5:20 a.m., March 29, weighing 6 pounds, 4 ounces.

Born to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Henry P. Fulmer, 1501-B Wood, a girl, Jeanette Marie, at 11:38 p.m., March 29, weighing 6 pounds, 13 1/2 ounces.
Born to Sgt. and Mrs. Myron Humeny, 4107 W. Hwy. 80, a boy, Robert Myron, at 1:38 p.m., March 30, weighing 6 pounds.
Born to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Edwin G. Webb Jr., 800 Marcy No. 10, a girl, Meredith Dianne, at 2:07 p.m., March 31, weighing 6 pounds, 10 ounces.
Born to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Darryl J. Klein, 403 E. 5th, a boy, Sean David, at 4:25 p.m., March 31, weighing 7 pounds, 6 ounces.
COWPER CLINIC & HOSPITAL
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kenneth White, Lenora, a boy, David Glen, at 10 p.m., April 2, weighing 7 pounds, 6 1/2 ounces.

HALL-BENNETT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Powell, Garden City, a girl, Stacy Lee, at 6:36 a.m., April 1, weighing 8 pounds, 1/2 ounce.
MALONE AND HOGAN FOUNDATION HOSPITAL
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lynn Myrick, 1207 Benton, a girl, Sherri Lynn, at 3:33 p.m., March 29, weighing 8 pounds, 3 1/4 ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. David S. Hector, 305 E. 23rd, a boy, Gene Allen, at 10:44 p.m., March 28, weighing 8 pounds, 2 1/4 ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tommy White, 701 E. 15th, a boy, James Lee, at 2:05 p.m., March 29, weighing 6 pounds, 11 1/4 ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Walker Jr., 1305 Dixie, a boy, Paul Bryan, at 4:16 p.m., April 2, weighing 7 pounds, 15 ounces.
MEDICAL ARTS CLINIC-HOSPITAL
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cruz Juarez, 1010 NW 2nd, a boy, Frankie, at 7:43 a.m., April 1, weighing 8 pounds, 6 ounces.

Forsan Families Take Area Trips

FORSAN (SC) — Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Fairchild were Mrs. Larry Digby and Teresa of Odessa.
The L. T. Shoultz are visiting in Desdemona with the Jim Huffs.
Susan Elrod of the University of Texas is spending the Easter holidays with her parents, the Hamlin Elrods.
Mr. and Mrs. Tony Brons and children are visiting friends in Alpine.
The Bill Barneses are visiting their parents in Tye and Hawley.
The David Redwines are spending the holidays with the Heston Redwines and the Arthur Carters.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Holquin and children are visiting in Imperial.

Mrs. C. Blocker Presents Program

STANTON (SC) — Mrs. Charles Blocker presented the program on thought at Thursday's supper meeting of the Rho Xi Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, in her home. Mrs. Bill Terry, president, gave a study on BSP, and final plans were made for the spring banquet. Mrs. David King, a member of the Tall Talker's Toastmistress Club in Big Spring, will be guest speaker. Linda Holder was selected as the chapter's entry in the Lion's club queen pageant.

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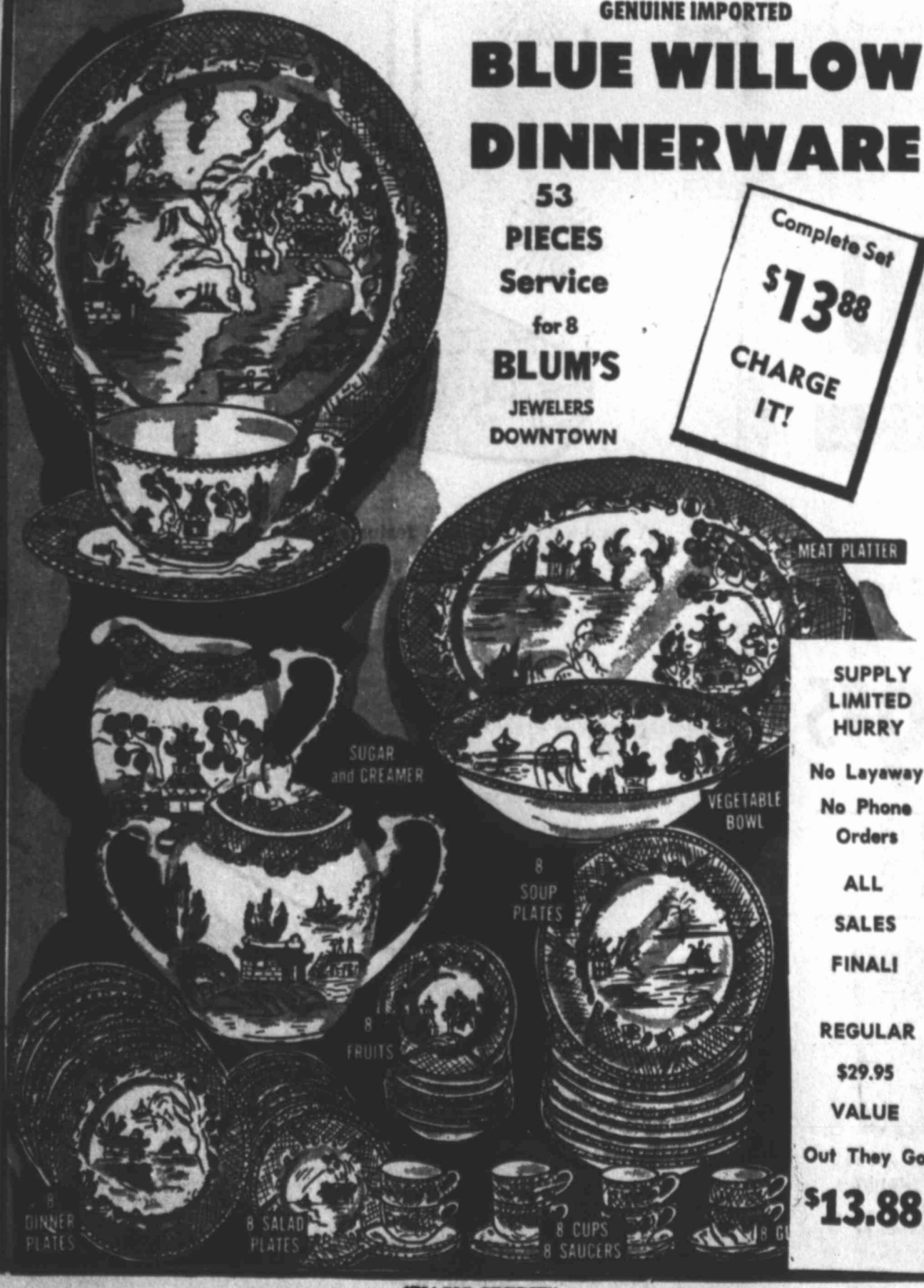
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Reviews Book By Imprisoned Russian

Mrs. R. B. G. Cowper reviewed the book, "The First Circle," by Aleksander I. Solzkeinstyn, at Thursday's meeting of the 1948 Hyperion Club in the home of Mrs. Z. M. Boykin, Silver Heels. Mrs. Hayden Griffith was cohostess.

The book, an auto-biography, told of Solzkeinstyn's imprisonment, along with other

professional men, engineers and mathematicians during 1962, when they were ordered by Joseph Stalin to develop a telephone communications system. They were unable to complete the project, and were sent to another prison camp, Mavrino, near Moscow.

New officers elected were Mrs. Jack Irons, president; Mrs. H. W. Smith, vice president; Mrs. John Hodges, secretary; Mrs. Merle Stewart, treasurer; Mrs. Boykin, recording secretary; Mrs. R. W. Whipkey, reporter; and Mrs. M. M. Edwards, parliamentarian.

Mrs. Edwards presided, and Mrs. Irons introduced the guest speaker.

Socks Gain Favor With Spring Shorts

Socks, no longer the province of teenagers and college students, have been gaining favor with miniskirt wearers who want some kind of leg covering, but don't want to risk showing their stocking tops. Manufacturers say they expect a similar sock surge with the summer pants suit featuring Bermuda-length slacks.

Buckles On Toes

After several seasons of low-heeled, high-fronted horrors, the pumps on parade this year are refreshingly feminine and feature bows, buckles and gold ornaments.



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Linda Taylor Weds Melvin Hunt Connor

The wedding of Miss Linda Kaye Taylor and S. Sgt. Melvin Hunt Connor was solemnized Saturday evening in the sanctuary of Wesley United Methodist Church. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Elra Phillips. Morris Herrin III organist, accompanied Joe Bill Wennick as he sang "The Twelfth of Never."

The bride is the daughter of Kenneth Taylor, Hilltop Road, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coyte Connor of Claremont, N.C.

The altar was arranged with candelabra, greenery and arrangements of lilies and chrysanthemums. Pew candles were tied with greenery and white satin bows.

The bride's gown was of white peau de soie overlaid with silk organza, and the yoke and wrist-length belled sleeves featured scalloped edges. The train of the formal gown was of silk organza bordered with lace appliques, and the elbow-length veil of illusion was held by a cluster of satin roses and tiny blossoms sprinkled with seed pearls. The bride carried a bouquet of miniature mums and white carnations centered with a white orchid and tied with white streamers.

ATTENDANTS
Mrs. Jerry Paul Nichols, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a floor-

length gown of white voile with short puff sleeves, modified Empire bodice trimmed with lace and tied with a green satin sash. Bridesmaids were Miss Barbara Taylor, sister of the bride; Mrs. Joe Bill Wennick and Miss Linda Jones. Their apricot voile dresses featured small white polka dots and were tied with green satin sashes. Each carried a bouquet of yellow miniature chrysanthemums showered with green satin ribbons.

The best man was John Anthony Taegel, and groomsmen were Fred Von Moss Jr., Dennis Bruneau and Ken Ptak, who also served as ushers.

The bride, a graduate of Big Spring Senior High School, is employed at State National Bank. Sgt. Cooper, who is stationed at Webb Air Force

Base, is a graduate of Bunker Hill High School in Claremont and was formerly employed by Montclare Furniture Company in that city.

RECEPTION

Receiving guests at a reception in the church parlor were the honored couple, the bride's father and her aunt, Mrs. Lillian Bowen. The three-tiered white cake, topped with wedding bells, was placed on a refreshment table covered with a white lace cloth and the bride's bouquet served as the centerpiece. Silver and crystal appointments completed the setting.

Miss Wynelle Collins presided at a registry decorated with the bridesmaids' bouquets, and members of the house party were Mrs. Lillian Bowen, Mrs. Alice Kayser, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nielsen and Mr. and Mrs. Rod Spargo. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Kinman of Mason and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Taylor of Knott.

For a wedding trip to an undisclosed destination, the bride wore an orange two piece suit; the long jacket styled with stand-up collar. The couple will be making their home at Lakenheath, England.

Leather Dresses Have Smart Belts

Smooth, suede or antiqued, the leather dress gains a new dimension for spring with the return of the waistline. On some frocks a sash, fringed, beaded or in a contrasting color, adds a smart style note.

A LOVELIER YOU Spring Legs Feature Subtle, Neutral Look

By MARY SUE MILLER
There's a subtle change in the look of the leg. Stockings complement the subtleties of clothes. To ignore the point is to miss the point of fashion. Let's not!

Let's get with the news: First off, stockings trend toward the sheer, the better to underscore soft and sheer dresses. Some panty hose are sheer clear to the waist with little bikini panties sewn in from waistbands. Body stockings and the shoulder-high bodice stockings come in super sheer and sheer opaque. Panty girdles, with detachable stockings, feature light, lace and shimmering sheers.

Slated for universal wear, knee-highs follow the sheer line too. Even slightly denser weaves are smooth or gently ribbed, but never bulky.

Often sheerer weaves take to a wet look and so keep step with luster leathers in shoes. Almost indiscernible designs thread through late-day stockings. As you now may gather, the look of the leg has become sophisticated in the true sense. There's nothing blatant.

Colors are mere hints of pastels and classic neutrals — apricot and lilac, dove gray and sun brown. White still goes with us, particularly when worn with white shoes. Otherwise, dead white stockings are a bit de-



mode. At times, neutrals are teamed with matching shoes. But a contrast is the "in" deal — i.e., coat and shoes of brown, the stockings of palest apricot. New? You bet!

LEGLINE TRIMMERS
If your individual problem is heavy legs, send for my new leaflet, "Legline Trimmers," which contains spot reducing exercises that will meet your individual needs, whether fat thighs, knees, calves or ankles, or for contouring your entire legline. Write Mary Sue Miller in care of the Big Spring Herald, enclosing a long stamped, self-addressed envelope and 10 cents in coin.

Webb Windsock

By MRS. JACK HALLETT
Air Base Group daytime bridge was played Monday at the home of Mrs. Russell Burroughs. Winners were Mrs. Burroughs, high; Mrs. Owen Wormser, second; and Mrs. John Oshant, low.

Mrs. John Shriver of Pennsylvania is visiting 1st. Lt. and Mrs. Mark Farjeau, to help celebrate the birth of their daughter.

Capt. and Mrs. Gene West have returned from leave where they visited Mr. and Mrs. T. F. West in Norman, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brinkley in Cress.

Visiting Capt. and Mrs. John Buchholz are her relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith of Dayton, Ohio.

Capt. and Mrs. Terry C. Isaacson have returned from leave to Hawaii where they visited with her parents, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Ronald Allen, who are stationed at Hickham AFB, Hawaii.

Couples bridge will be played at the Officers Open Mess Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. Officers interested in playing are asked to bring another couple to complete the table.

All officers wives who are interested in a purse-making class, please contact The Hobby Center at 263-8241. The class is scheduled to begin shortly and will include basket and box type purses. Knitting classes are continuing at the center every Friday from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. Plans are also being made to begin a decoupage class, so if you are interested in any of these activities, contact the center.

The OWC spring formal and "Presentation Ball" will be held at the Officers Open Mess June 14. This will be the first time that officers daughters are to be formally presented at Webb.

Pastel Shoes Are Springtime News

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Bo Bowen Gives Talk On Children

Miss Bo Bowen, director of nursing service at Big Spring Nursing Inn, spoke on "Why Children Don't Understand Their Parents" at Thursday's meeting of TOPS Plate Pushers. The group met in Texas Electric Reddy Room.

Confusion is caused in the home when parents won't back each other up, and the child does not know where he stands," said Miss Bowen. "A child depends and expects guidelines and he wants them enforced. "In my opinion, a mother should not work outside the home unless there is a necessity, and if she works she should make a special effort to make the child feel loved and wanted.

"A child's questions should be answered readily and candidly. The truth should always be told, and it is preferable if both parents are there when the questions are answered."

Mrs. J. J. Herbert, president, appointed Mrs. E. C. Casey chaplain. Miss Juanita Hamlin received the weight loss prize. Mrs. Harry Burns led the pledge, and Mrs. Lowell Shortes won the bowl of fruit. The next meeting will be in Pioneer Gas Flame Room.

Joins Airline

Miss Judy Stocks, a graduate of Big Spring Senior High School and Weaver's Airline School in Kansas City, Mo., has joined the reservations department of American Airlines in Fort Worth. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stocks, 2387 Roberts.

Decorating Essentials Stressed By Speaker

"The first essential in furnishing a room is to consider the flow of traffic," said Mrs. Delaine Crawford in a talk on home furnishings at Tuesday's meeting of College Park Home Demonstration Club. The group met in the First Federal Community Room.

Mrs. Crawford suggested considering the size of furniture in relation to the space in the room, and she stressed adequate lighting, either natural or artificial. She emphasized planning a "conversation" grouping where people are not more than eight feet apart and gave pointers on room balance and the use of area rugs and accessories.

Mrs. Royce Miller, president, appointed Mrs. Jerry Phillips to the telephone committee. An Easter egg hunt was planned for member's children Thursday

afternoon in Birdwell Park. The next meeting will be at 9:30 a.m. April 15, in the planetarium.

Violet Club Will Enter Flower Show

The Texas Star African Violet Club met Thursday to make plans to enter the Planter's Garden Club flower show Nov. 1 in the YMCA. The group met in the home of Mrs. R. P. Kountz, 202 Washington.

Mrs. J. B. Knox, a national flower show judge and member of the Big Spring Garden Club, explained the flower show schedule, and Mrs. A. C. Moore, president, showed how to groom flowers for show.

The "plant for the month" will be presented to the Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center.

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Easter Bonnets Blossomed In Cowtown Millinery Shop

GAIL — A less likely place than a booming cowtown around the turn of the century for Easter bonnets to blossom could hardly be imagined.

But when Easter rolled around, Borden County, which hadn't even got around to organizing itself into a county, sported as gay an array of beautiful ladies hats as could be found anywhere. The ladies had Mrs. Berry's Millinery Shop to thank.

An account of this delightful oasis of fashion on the frontier is contained in the current issue of the Borden Citizen, a publication of the Borden County Historical Survey Committee.

The account was written by Pauline Clark from material gathered from Nora Berry Nelson, Ludie Locklear Clark and others.

Mollie Berry and her husband, J. H. (Jim) Berry, had left Joplin, Mo., in the spring of 1894 bound for West Texas. They arrived in Gail, Dec. 29, 1894, then settled six miles west on the old Lamesa road. Later the family moved into Gail, and Mrs. Berry set up her shop on the northwest corner of the square, about where the Texaco station is today.

"Mrs. Berry made a trip to Dallas twice a year for training in making and trimming hats," wrote Pauline Clark. "While in Dallas she would buy all of her supplies for the ensuing season. These consisted of brads, wire, ribbons (both narrow and wide), and of velvet and silk, plus flowers of all kinds and colors; malines, chiffons and laces (black and white). These supplies were shipped to Big Spring in big wooden boxes and were hauled in freight wagons to Gail by Mrs. Berry.

"There also was a dress-making shop in the building. The furniture consisted of an old fashioned lounge, sewing machine, a few cane-bottomed chairs, and a counter that extended from front to back on the north side with show cases to display hatpins, buckles, candy, etc.

"Miss Mary Leake and Miss Lula Cathey were employees, and you could hear the most beautiful singing of ballads and sacred songs as they went about their work.

"In the back of the store there were some small tables for serving ice cream. The ice was hauled from Big Spring, and youngsters turned the crank on the old-fashioned freezer. The cream was sold for five cents a bowl.

"Nora Berry Nelson recalls her mother making the most beautiful dresses and hats to match for Mrs. R. N. Miller, who lived on a ranch northeast of Gail. Ludie Locklear (Clark) remembers visiting her sister, Eliza Locklear Clayton and brother-in-law, Ab Clayton. When she came into town, a must stop was the millinery shop. There she must have seen that beautiful brown wide-brimmed straw hat with the big striped ribbon on one side, and casually mentioned it to her sister. Her brother-in-law sold a load of wood to Mrs. Berry for two dollars and bought the hat for her.

The presence of the millinery shop presented some problems for the rough-and-ready frontier town. There were several saloons in Gail, and one was just down the street.

He announced to the cowboys: "Now boys, watch your language and carry on as quiet as possible, for there is a lady in business a few doors up the street. While you are here you will have to respect her." And they did.

"The millinery shop was a meeting place for ladies to visit after they had finished their shopping and while waiting for their husbands to attend to their business," said Mrs. Clark. And when they went home with a hat, as Miss Ludie had, the "horse must have been stepping high and proud . . ."

Arrangement Of Furniture Shown

Furniture arrangements with scale models was the program presented by Mrs. Delaine Crawford, Howard County Home Demonstration agent, at Tuesday's meeting of Airport Home Demonstration Club. Mrs. Omer Decker, 1402 Harding, was hostess. Mrs. James Finley presided and announced a May program on weddings. The hostess brought the devotion, and the next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. James Finley, 2604 Clanton, on April 15.

'Quotable Quotes'

By The Associated Press
Some quotable quotes from women during the week:

"My vitality, frankly, is not all that it was."—Ballerina Dame Margot Fonteyn, 49, in an interview on her 35th anniversary as a dancer.

"As true as I'm sitting here, I never had to nag him about his music. In fact, we had to do some nagging to get him away from the piano so he could eat."—Mrs. Samuel Bernstein, commenting on the youth of her son, conductor and composer Leonard Bernstein.

"The nice thing about being a character actress is that you get a chance to play such fascinating parts."—Actress Helen Hayes.

"She was most gracious and full of memories of their life together." Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson after a 15-minute visit with the widowed Mamie Eisenhower.

"I don't know for sure where I want to go. What's more important than where I go is the process of getting there. Every second is worth something, whether it's happy or sad."—Actress Ali McGraw, starring in the new film, "Goodbye, Columbus."

"You feel like hell if things don't go right, every sentence is clumsy and everything written by everyone else is shining, but despite this misery you're not flying if you're a writer and not writing."—Novelist Jessamyn West in an interview.

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GIMME THAT!

HEY! DON'T YOU DARE SLAP SUSAN!

GASOLINE ALLEY

It's just a slight sprain, but I'd keep her off of it for a few days!

I'll do my best, Doc!

Fixing the place up a bit I see, Nina!

Not before it needs it!

Don't spend too much money on it!

The way the town is moving out this way, it could be flattened out for a parking lot in a few years!

NANCY

DO YOU STILL SEND MESSAGES BY SMOKE SIGNALS?

NO

WHAT MADE YOU QUIT?

HELP FIGHT AIR POLLUTION

L'I'L ABNER

STOP FIDDINK THEM PATRIOTS!!

TOO LATE!! THEY LOVE 'EM!!

AND THAT MAKES 'EM LOVE HAMERICA!!

BUT NOW WHO THEY GUNG HATE?

C-COULD BE US!!

WE LOVE JOHN WAYNE... KATE SMITH... JOHN WAYNE CAN LICK ANY TOM COMBES!

ART BUCHWALD YES!! TOLSTOI NO!

THY THY IS NICER THAN AMMA HARBIN!

BLONDIE

MR. BUMSTEAD, MAY WE SAIL OUR BOATS IN YOUR BATH WATER?

NO

WE'LL GIVE YOU ONE OF OUR BOATS TO PLAY WITH

THE ANSWER IS STILL NO!

HOW ABOUT IF WE GIVE YOU TWO BOATS TO PLAY WITH?

I'LL BET I COULD HAVE HELD OUT FOR THREE BOATS

RICK O'SHAY

BY DOGIES, I WOULDN'T BELIEVE IT! EVERY SETTLER IN THE VALLEY HAS SIGNED THIS PETITION!

OR MADE HIS MARK.

AND IT'S ALL BECAUSE OF YOU, CLARION, AND YOUR NEWSPAPER.

IT'S YOUR NEWSPAPER, RICK... IT ALWAYS WILL BE.

I'LL TAKE THIS STRAIGHT TO THE GOVERNOR AT CAPITAL CITY... HE'LL KNOW WHAT T' PO.

GOOD IDEA.

GO WITH MY GRATITUDE, RICK... FOR HELPING ME TO BELIEVE IN MYSELF AGAIN.

SNUFFY SMITH

I'M GITTIN' HUNGRY, MAW--

WHAT WOULD YE LIKE TO HAVE FER SUPPER, HONEY POT--

-- BESIDES TH' PARSON?

KERRY DRAKE

WHY WOULD A HEALTHY KID LIKE YOUR BROTHER GO TO BED WITHOUT HIS DINNER, HINDY?? HE WORKED HARD, HELPING ME PUT UP THE SCREENS!

JIM IS PROBABLY DEPRESSED BECAUSE HE CAN'T FIND A JOB, DEAR!

"MAYBE WE SHOULD TALK TO HIM, KERRY... AND TRY TO CHEER HIM UP?"

IT SOUNDS AS IF HE WERE WALKING AROUND IN THERE!

JIMMY! ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?

BEETLE BAILEY

GARGE, DO YOU KNOW YOU'VE BEEN GONE AN HOUR ON YOUR COFFEE BREAK!

COULDN'T HELP IT, SIR.

I FOUND BEETLE LOAFING AND I GAVE HIM A GOOD TALKING-TO!

THAT TOOK AN HOUR?!

30 MINUTES FOR THE TALK, 30 MINUTES TO REPLACE THE CALORIES I LOST

PEANUTS

WE PRAIRIE DOGS ARE VERY AFFECTIONATE

DICK TRACY

THE BOY IS STILL OUT HERE, TRACY.

HE'LL SEE YOU IN FIVE MINUTES.

NOW STAND RIGHT THERE.

I CAN SKETCH YOU EVEN WITHOUT SEEING THE PAPER.

BEATS ANYTHING I EVER SAW!

KID, WHAT DO YOU DO FOR A LIVING?

MARY WORTH

ATTENTION, MISS VARDEN! MAY I SAY, ON BEHALF OF THE SCHOOL MOTHERS' CLUB, THAT YOUR NAME IS AMPLY JUSTIFIED! YOU ARE INDEED AN ANGEL!

THERE ARE SOME HOLLYWOOD DIRECTORS WHO WOULD DISAGREE WITH THAT STATEMENT, FRANK!-- BUT WHAT PROMPTED IT?

EVERY SEAT FOR YOUR CONCERT IS SOLD!-- AND WE'RE PUTTING AS MANY FOLDING CHAIRS IN THE BACK AS THE FIRE MARSHALL WILL ALLOW!

OH! BY THE WAY, WHEN I CALLED SETH EDSON TO GIVE HIM THE NEWS OF THE SELL-OUT, HE SAID TO TELL YOU HE'D HAVE A BIG SURPRISE FOR YOU-- AFTER THE SHOW!

REX MORGAN

I THINK SHE WAS ABOUT TO TELL US HER COMPLETE NAME WHEN SHE FELL ASLEEP, DR. MORGAN.

SHE FELL ASLEEP BECAUSE I PUT HER TO SLEEP, DR. DAVIS!

YOU PUT HER TO SLEEP?

YES! YOU WERE DEMANDING THAT SHE TELL US HER LAST NAME-- AND WHETHER SHE WAS MARRIED--

HER BEING MARRIED OR NOT MARRIED IS OF NO CONSEQUENCE-- EXCEPT TO YOU, DOCTOR, I DON'T WANT YOU SEEING THAT PATIENT AGAIN WHILE SHE'S IN THIS HOSPITAL!

I'M ASKING THAT SHE BE TRANSFERRED TO THE PSYCHIATRIC SERVICE!

TERRY

MR. CUE, YOU HAVE NOT SLEPT THIS NIGHT.

THAT'S A FACT, SPORT... LET'S GO HAVE A LOOK AROUND MY DAUGHTER'S ROOM.

BLASTED IDIOT! HER BAG AND MONEY! SHE COULDN'T EVEN BUY GAS-- IF SHE COULD FIND A STATION OPEN IN THE BLASTED BOONDOCKS.

...YES... MY APOLOGIES TO THE INTERIOR MINISTER FOR CALLING AT THIS HOUR, BUT I MUST SPEAK WITH HIM.

SMITTY

HEBY, MIND MY STORE FOR A FEW MINUTES AND I'LL GIVE YOU A DIME

WELL, I'M BACK-- AND HERE'S YOUR FRY--

AW-- JUST FORGET IT, NO BROWN (URP)

MOON MULLINS

LET'S STOP IN THE DIME STORE-- MY BIRTHDAY'S COMING UP...

GOOD THINKING, EMMA...

BIRTHDAY CAKE CANDLES, PLEASE-- 3 DOZEN WILL BE AMPLE.

OH, EMMA-- NOW, REALLY...

WELL, YOU MADE ME PROMISE TO ECONOMIZE!

DENNIS THE MENACE

WHY ARE THOSE PLANTS OVER THERE?

I'M TRYING TO GET SOME GOOD OUT OF MY ABSENT-MINDEDNESS

GRANDMA

THAT'S THE WINDOW I ALWAYS FORGET TO CLOSE WHEN IT RAINS.

"ARE YOU SURE THAT'S A MANICURE SET? IT LOOKS MORE LIKE A TOOL KIT!"



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Qualified To Attend National Meet

Pictured here are three Howard County Junior College students along with their sponsor, who are qualified to go to the National Youth Leadership Conference in Atlanta, Ga., May 5 - 8. They are, from the left, Shelton Ashley, Mr. Doyle Holder, Executive Management Club sponsor, Ron Lindsey, Billy Anderson.

Aggies To Sponsor Western Activities

By FRANK GRIFFIS
Howard County Junior College's Aggie Club is sponsoring the annual Western Week activities to be held April 21-25. One of the activities for Western Week will be a beard growing contest. Any student may enter. To enter, the student must be clean shaven and register with the cashier at the pool tables in the SUB. A panel of judges will select the champion beard and a trophy will be presented. Other activities planned for the week will be announced at a later date.

The library staff was in Houston March 26-29 for the Texas Library Association's annual convention. Two assistant librarians, Mrs. Burnsed and Mrs. Brown, attended the convention along with Mr. Kenneth Roach, head librarian. During the meeting, the staff members discussed problems, heard speakers, and organized ideas for better services to the students and the public in general.

WESTERN DRAMA
The college drama department, in conjunction with Western Week, will present "Go West Young Man," a three-act western play. The performance will be held April 25 at 7:00 p.m. in the college auditorium.

Assembly Held In Goliad Gym

By JANET POBST
Thursday, preceding the dismissal of school for the Easter holidays, an assembly was held in the Goliad Junior High gymnasium, with the choir and band providing the entertainment. The choir included the advanced, boys', and girls' choirs. The four numbers performed by the band were "Larghetto," "The Lord's Prayer," "Green Leaves of Summer," and "Songs of Faith." The band received a number two rating at the Andrews Festival. It was judged on performance in concert and on sight reading ability.

HCJC will use a new method of enrolling and registering students next fall, according to Mr. L. L. Lewis, registrar. "Next year at enrollment students will be given class cards at the business office. They will give them to their instructors on the first day of classes. Students without class cards will not be allowed to enter class, and if the card is lost it will cost a dollar to replace it," Lewis explained.

MR. HCJC CONTEST
The proposed date for the second annual Mr. HCJC Contest has been set for April 11, during activity period, at the college auditorium. The contest, sponsored by the Press Club, is purely for fun and enjoyment as the men model various styles common to the gangster era of the gay 90's and homemade swimsuits.

Buffs Take Third In Grandfalls Meet

By SHIRLEY COBB
FORNSAN — The Forsan Buffalos track team, coached by Oscar Boeker, placed third in the district track meet at Grandfalls last weekend. The team is made up of Terry Wooten, Clayton McKinnon, David Yeats, David Myers, Larry Tolson, Bobby Rodman, Garry Irwin, Alton Callihan, Leon Hobbs, Darrow Cobb and Lee Doyle Whetsel.

Events for the week. The nominees for student council president have been posted and announced. The nominees are Alton Callihan, Steve Yeats and Gloria Dodd. Campaigning will be done Friday and the results will be announced at the all-school picnic Friday evening along with the cheerleader election results.

BARREL RACING
Debby Wills won second place at the monthly West Texas Barrel Racing Association meet at Hamlin Sunday. She joined the association that day and went on to win second out of 29 entries. She rode Cousin Cleo. Other entries from Gall were Delores Lankford and Connie Ogden.

BS Grad Named To Fraternity

COLLEGE STATION — Scott C. Porter of Big Spring, has been selected for membership in Phi Eta Sigma, freshman scholastic honor fraternity, at Texas A&M University.

He is one of 199 students from A&M's fall freshman class of 2,349 invited to join Phi Eta Sigma. Only students with a 2.5 grade point ratio (based on the 3.0 GPR system) are eligible.

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Eliminations Made For District Meet

By SUSIE WISENER
COAHOMA — Wink will be the site of the district University Interscholastic League meet, April 12. Eliminations were made this week to choose students to compete for top spots at the meet.

The CHS track team will travel to Wink Friday, April 11, for the district track meet. The Honor Roll has been announced for the third nine weeks. Freshmen who received the honor were: Susan Balzer, Linda Beistle, Sheila Kinstley, Pam Patterson, Mischa Read, Nan Whittington, Terri Wolf, Robin Headrick, Robert Lynn and Tommy Whiddon. Sophomores included Arlene Milliken, David Brady, Leslie Woods, Dick Stone, Billy Don Fishback, Larry Gross and Dicky Stone.

HCJC Trio Wins State Recognition

The Executive Management Club at Howard County Junior College has qualified three men to go to the national meeting in Atlanta in May.

Ron Lindsey took first place in the sale management contest and placed third in decision-making merchandizing. Ashley also won third place in sales management competition. He trains at T. G. & Y. Family Center, while Lindsey trains at Goodyear Service, and Anderson at Sears Roebuck.

Sands Girls Clinch Volleyball Crown

By BRENDA INGRAM
SANDS — The girls' volleyball team clinched the district championship last Thursday night by defeating Dawson and then throwing Klondike a defeat in two consecutive games 15-13 and 15-10. The girls will travel to Imperial Monday for a 7 p.m. game with Imperial to determine which of the two will go on to the Regional Tournament April 12 at Levelland.

CHENEY, Wash. — A Big Spring sophomore at Eastern Washington State College, Sandra A. Smith, has been named to the EWSC winter quarter honor roll. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Thompson, and a graduate of Cisco High School, Mrs. Smith has not yet selected a major area of study but is working toward a bachelor of arts in education degree at EWSC.

Borden Cast Wins Second In District

By BOBBY LUDECKE
GAIL — The Borden High School one-act play cast ranked among the top as members brought home a second in district competition at Tahoka last week. "Mooncalf Muford" was edged by a splendid performance from Meadow. Out of the nine all-star cast places, Borden captured three. Mary Anderson was awarded best supporting actress. Paula Smith and Mike Toombs were also honored for their performances.



ELIZABETH MOORE
Senior Wins National Title

PLACED IN MEET
The following students placed at the district literary meet last Saturday at Dawson: Paula Woods, second in informative speaking; Paul Hopper, third in informative speaking; Lana Lloyd, third in shorthand; Larry Shaw, first in persuasive speaking and second in poetry interpretation; Robert Herren and Kelly Gaskins, third in debate; Brenda Ingram and Shara Dee Hambrick, first in journalism; and Alberta Durant and Johnny McGregor, fifth in spelling and plain writing. Lana Lloyd, Shara Dee Hambrick and Brenda Ingram will go to regional April 19 at Lubbock.

By SHARON SWIM
Elizabeth Moore, a BSHS senior, won the Ten Key Adding Machine Competition in the National Office Educational Association in Kansas City, Mo. To qualify for national competition, she won area competition, and placed second in state. For winning the national title, Elizabeth will receive a trophy, among other things. Elizabeth learned her skill in VOE class and uses it on her job at the Webb Credit Union. "We are very proud of Elizabeth. She is the first national champion we've ever had," said Mrs. Vonna Swim, VOE instructor. Elizabeth is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Moore of 2603 E. 24th. She was accompanied to Kansas City by Mrs. Swim.



Goliad Volleyball Squad
Pictured here are members of the Goliad Junior High School girls' volleyball team. They are, from the left, Nan Crawford, Brenda Thomas, Darlene Jones, Debra Irwin, Sandy Williams, Clarice Ringener, Valerie Gambie, Susan Smith.

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He was born in an obscure village, the child of a peasant woman. He grew up in still another village, where he worked in a carpenter shop until he was thirty. Then for three years he was an itinerant preacher. He never wrote a book. He never held an office. He never had a family or owned a house. He didn't go to college. He never visited a big city. He never traveled two hundred miles from the place where he was born. He did none of the things one usually associates with greatness. He had no credentials but himself. He was only thirty-three when the tide of public opinion turned against him. His friends ran away. He was turned over to his enemies and went through the mockery of a trial. He was nailed to a cross between two thieves. While he was dying, his executioners gambled for his clothing, the only property he had on earth. When he was dead, he was laid in a borrowed grave through the pity of a friend. Nineteen centuries have come and gone, and today he is the central figure of the human race and the leader of mankind's progress. All the armies that ever marched, all the navies that ever sailed, all the parliaments that ever sat, all the kings that ever reigned, put together, have not affected the life of man on earth as much as that

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