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PICTURED is the "Texas Recruit Platoon" recruited from the State of Texas during World War II. During the period of 4 through 25 April, 1951, the Marine Corps recruiting District of San Antonio, which includes the Odessa Recruiting Area, will enlist a "South Texas Marine Corps Recruit Platoon." This platoon, composed of men from South and Central Texas, will be sent as a group from San Antonio to the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif., on April 27.

Men from McCamey, Crane, Rankin and Iraan may make application to become a member of this platoon by applying at the Marine recruiting office in the County Court House in Odessa or may wait for a Marine recruiter to visit their area.

Marine Corps Seeking Volunteers For All-Texas Recruit Platoon

Today marks the opening of a campaign by the Marine Corps Recruiting Service in South Texas to recruit a "South Texas Marine Corps Recruit Platoon," Master Sgt. Boyd Knowles, Odessa recruiter announced today.

The goal of the drive is to have a representative of every city, town and hamlet as a member of this platoon. Applications for this platoon will be accepted from today through April 25 by the Odessa recruiting office.

Men in outlying towns from Odessa should watch their local

newspapers for dates when recruiters will visit their localities to take application. All examinations, mental and physical, will be at San Antonio and the men will be shipped from there on April 27 to San Diego, Calif., where they will train as a unit.

Sgt. Knowles stated that this platoon "will afford a select group of Texans a chance to train with men they know for service with the Marines. These men will enlist together, travel together, train together and return home on leave together.

The age requirements are 17

through 28 and men can enlist at either the Regular Marine Corps or the Reserve. Regular enlistments are for three or four years and reserve enlistments are for an indefinite period. There is no discrimination as to opportunities offered the different types of enlistment.

Interested men may wait for a recruiter to visit their town or may write to the Odessa Marine Office in the County Court House Building for further information and for the necessary blanks for enlistment.

Civil Service Exams Set For OPS Employees

The Civil Service Commission announces an examination for filling vacancies in the position of Investigator at entrance salaries ranging from \$3,825 to \$6,400 per annum. Employment will be with the Office of Price Stabilization establishments located in the states of Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Texas.

Application forms and additional information may be secured from the post office; the Executive Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Office of Price Stabilization, Region 10, 3306 Main St., Dallas, Texas; or from the director of the following U. S. Civil Service Regional Offices: Ninth U. S. Civil Service Region, New Federal Building, St. Louis, Mo.; Tenth U. S. Civil Service Region, Federal Office Building, 610 S. Street, New Orleans, La.; and the Fourteenth U. S. Civil Service Region, 210 S. Harwood St., Dallas 1, Texas.

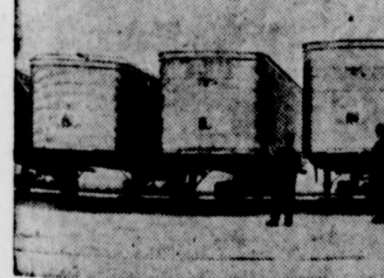
Research Development Company For Gulf Opens McCamey Office

Offices were opened this week in McCamey by the Gulf Research Development Company.

The business quarters are located next to the Fashion Nook in the Halameck Building. John C. Baxter is party chief, and Leo Parker is assistant.

A total of eleven men are with the crew at the present time.

Tire Shortage Idles Trucks



FORT WAYNE, IND.—With plenty of waiting cargos, hundreds of critically needed truck trailers sit idle at Baer Field Municipal airport here for lack of tires. Nearly 1000 Stainless Steel trailers, valued at nearly \$6,000,000 have been stored in Ft. Wayne by the local plant of Fruehauf Trailer Co. for lack of tires to make deliveries to customers throughout the nation. Only a fraction of the plant's production can be delivered because of inadequate tire supplies, and many of those deliveries are made on tires furnished by operators for whom the trailers were built. Fruehauf is the nation's second largest user of truck tires, but the company's tire troubles are being experienced equally by all other U.S. trailer manufacturers. Here plant officials check serial listings.

MISS LA VERNE MONROE HONORED WITH BRIDAL SHOWER WEDNESDAY EVENING

Miss LaVerne Monroe, whose marriage to Don F. Shaw of Corpus Christi will take place in the Methodist Church at Rankin Saturday evening, April 14, at eight o'clock, was honored with a bridal shower on Wednesday afternoon.

Hostesses were: Mmes. Hamp Carter, John Christy, Boyd Cox, Sam Holmes, Porter Johnson, Dunn Lowery, Bruce McGill, Pete Pollard, Grim Taylor and Haralson Wheeler.

The party was given in the B. R. Cox home between the hours of three and five o'clock.

Mrs. Dunn Lowery welcomed the guests.

The bride-elect's chosen colors of green and white were carried out in lovely arrangements of white gladioli and stock in the reception hall and party rooms. Mrs. Frank Parr was at the register.

Gifts were displayed on long tables against the large mantel in the living room and background music for the party was furnished by Neva Rae Taylor, Mrs. J. P. Rankin and Mrs. Christy at the piano and by Mary Anderson who sang several numbers during the afternoon.

A floral arrangement centered the table in the dining room which was covered with a white linen cut-work cloth.

Cake, frosted punch, mints, and nuts were served by the hostesses.

White napkins bore the bridal couple's names in gold.

Registering were Mesdames D. S. Anderson, R. H. Johnson, M. O. Wheeler, Clay Taylor, Murray McCain, B. B. Brown, Ross Wheeler, R. R. Calote, E. D. Yates, J. Lane, Ben Frazier, Clint Shaw, A. P. Hill, Don Cochran, Tom Workman, Russell Miller, E. C. Higday, Pat Yocham, Dave Gentry, Calla Henley, W. A. Hudson, J. R. Senner, R. O. White, Walton Harral, M. J. Edwards, Gertrude Smith, Harry Cowden, Grace Zachary, and Misses Neva Rae Taylor, Grace Roach, Mary Anderson and Carolyn King.

13 Hours Devotion Is Observed Sunday At Sacred Heart Church

Thirteen Hours Devotion, short form of 40 hours devotion, was observed at the Sacred Heart Church of McCamey last Sunday, April 1, 1951. This Day of Prayer and Adoration to our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament began with Mass and Exposition at 8 a. m. Throughout the day there was private devotion.

At 7:30 p. m. solemn closing services were celebrated with special prayers by Rev. Herbert Effler, OFM, of San Angelo; a sermon by Rev. F. Hullweg, OMI of Sweetwater; chanting of the Litany of All Saints by Rev. R. Murrey, OMI of Midland, and Rev. B. A. Erpen of Rotan and responses by the rest of the 12 visiting clergy.

At the Procession and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, the Rev. T. Kennedy, OMI of Midland, was celebrant; also taking part in the procession were Fr. Fidelis Albrecht, OFM of Big Lake as cross bearer; Fr. Carol Meyer, OFM as censor-bearer; Rev. B. Reeves, Grandfalls, Rev. Major Stadta, chaplain at Goodfellow Field in San Angelo, Fr. E. Christman of Hermleigh, Rev. Wm. Lensing of Odessa and Rev. Frederic Doeren, OFM McCamey; candle-bearers were John Rogers and Hubert Freeman of Crane; and flower girls were Joan Rogers, Emma Freeman, Lana Sue Bates, Mary Catherine Rush of Crane; Carol Joan Ryan, Katherine Payne and Eloise Zimmerly of McCamey.

The choir, with Mrs. A. Langford at the organ, also assisted with hymns.

At 6 p. m. in the McCamey Park Building, a turkey dinner was served to the 12 visiting priests and several families of the parish.

The ladies of the parish prepared the dinner.

Mrs. Herman Carter of San Angelo was a guest in the Hamp Carter home recently.

Mrs. W. T. Elrod is convalescing in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Walton Poage, after a week's illness.



Miss Marjorie Kennedy

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Kennedy are announcing the betrothal and approaching marriage of their daughter, Marjorie, to Jim Campbell of Winters, son of Mrs. Frances Campbell, who is associated with the Heidenheimer Stores.

Miss Kennedy and Mr. Campbell are both students at Abilene Christian College in Abilene. They plan to be married in June at the completion of the school year.

Mr. Kennedy is district gauger for the Shell Pipe Line in the Benedum Field.

Funeral Service Held For Hardy Infant On Wednesday Morning

Funeral services for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hardy, who died a few hours after birth in the Memorial Hospital at Big Lake on April 3, were held from the graveside in Rankin Cemetery on Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Warren L. Capps officiated. Arrangements were under direction of L. Porter Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy have been residents of Rankin for the past two weeks. Mr. Hardy is a nephew of Mrs. R. E. Olinger of the Yates Hotel.

Johnson-Heifner Vows To Be Read In Dallas Ceremony On June 1st

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Shipley of Rankin announce the engagement of their daughter, Nancy Johnson, to James Heifner of Dallas. The wedding will take place in Dallas on June 1. Mr. Heifner is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Heifner of Corsicana. He attended the University of Texas and East Texas State Teachers College and is with the National Geophysical Co.

The couple will make it's home in Dallas.

Pluto The Plesiosaur Now In Baylor Museum

WACO, Tex.—"Pluto the Plesiosaur," a 9 foot long porpoise-like creature, has found a new permanent home in Baylor University's Strecker Museum.

Permanent, that is, if anything is permanent. He perhaps thought he was settled for eternity when he curled up to die on the ocean floor some 75,000,000 years ago. He later became imbedded in rock.

Curious scientists found him in June, 1948, however, in shale near Lake Waco dam. They carved out the rock and transported it and Pluto to Baylor. Only recently was Pluto completely re-assembled.

He now lies in the Strecker Museum. Baylor authorities have invited the public to come and view his naked bones.

The plesiosaur skeleton created quite a stir in geological and biological circles at the time of its discovery. Prof. Richmond Bronough, Baylor geologist, and Prof. Bryce Brown, biologist and curator of the Strecker Museum, said the plesiosaur swam in a shallow inland sea which covered much of the area west of Waco, Austin and San Antonio millions of years ago. Other authorities have proclaimed Baylor's "Pluto" the most complete specimen of this particular fossil ever to be found.

Youth Council Plans For First Game Party

The Youth Council met Tuesday night at 7 o'clock in the club room of the Park Building, with President Dee Aun Gamblin presiding. School activities were discussed and it was decided to have a play party on the night of April 17th.

At 7:30 the Council adjourned in a body to the auditorium to attend a meeting of "Friends of the Library." Following this meeting, members of the Adult Council met with the Youth Council and Mrs. Ross Wheeler gave a report on the organization of the Girl Scouts and Brownies, of which she is general chairman. Ted Hogan reported on the older Scout group still in process of organization.

Both groups are affiliated with the "Build Freedom For Youth" study club contest. Hogan also reported for the Ways and Means Committee and Joe Scribner reported on plans for the big benefit party to be held the night of April 28. Included in the plans are a buffet supper, desserts, soft drinks, bingo, dominoes and other games. All will be for the benefit of the youth program now underway.

The public is urged to keep the April 28 date in mind and to support the project. All funds raised from the party will be used in purchasing equipment and for other incidental expenses in connection with summer activities.

'Friends Of Library' Organized In Rankin By The Study Club

Rankin is to have a new organization for the benefit and participation of all persons interested in the Rankin Library, a growing institution of which the town may well be proud. A "Friends Of The Library" such as functions in larger cities and towns is to be organized here under the direction of the Rankin Study Club.

Twenty adults and 18 members of the Rankin Youth Council met at the Park Building on Tuesday night for the pre-organizational meeting. Mrs. W. A. Hudson served as temporary chairman, Mrs. Ross Wheeler temporary secretary, and Mrs. Walton Harral and Mrs. Jack Smith as temporary publicity committee.

Mrs. Carl Keys explained the purpose of the organization and its workings to the group and a nominating committee composed of Mesdames Herbert Hurn, J. Linton Clark and N. I. Hurst was appointed. Officers will be elected at a meeting to be held April 12 at the Park Building.

The purpose of the "Friends of the Library" for which there is but a nominal membership fee, is to give support to the institution and all persons interested in its welfare are cordially invited to join this new organization.

Mrs. J. L. Bodine Has Heart Attack Tuesday

Mrs. J. L. Bodine was taken to a San Angelo hospital by ambulance Tuesday afternoon following a heart attack which she suffered at her home here.

Her condition was reported as being somewhat improved Thursday.

Memorial Books Given To Rankin Library

Memorial Books contributed to the Rankin Library this week include:

In Memory of Stanley Holder: Life Picture of World War II given by Mrs. Zack Monroe.

In Memory of Joan Edwards: The Imitation of Christ, by Thomas A. Kempis, donated by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Eddins of Midland.

Leaves Of Gold, Clyde F. Lytel, given by Mr. and Mrs. J. Linton Clark.

Washington By-Line, Bess Furman and The Dickens Reader, Trumble & Huntington, given by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hudson.

Mahatma Gandhi, Louis Fischer, donor anonymous.

A book is a permanent memorial which brings enjoyment to hundreds of people. It may be used over and over again and is one of the most useful memorials ever conceived. A memorial plate bearing your name as donor and the name of the person memorialized is placed in your book at the time it is put into circulation.

VISIT FRIENDS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Yates of Newport Beach, Calif., stopped in Rankin for a brief visit with friends recently on their way to and from San Antonio and Houston. In Houston they visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Priest.

RANDOLPH MOORE VISITOR

Mrs. Randolph Moore and children, Duwain and Becky Sue, met Captain Moore in Midland Tuesday evening when he flew in from San Antonio. Duwain is to have a tonsillectomy in San Angelo Saturday and Moore expects to be with his family until Sunday.

Fabule's Car to Aid Cancer Fight



Buick's fabulous "Old Vienna" sedan, upholstered in needle point and equipped with gold-plated interior fittings, will go to some lucky person for \$1. Buick has donated the Roadmaster Riviera Sedan, along with \$1,000 toward taxes, to the Damon Runyon Memorial Fund. It will be awarded to the person submitting \$1 and the best safety slogan of 10 words or less. The exquisite beauty of the car is illustrated in this photo showing the needle-point panels designed and executed by Mme. Ida Jolles, one of the world's foremost creators of needle point.

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**FULLER-FITZGERALD WEDDING VOWS
 READ IN WEDNESDAY EVENING CEREMONY**

In a candlelight ceremony Wednesday, April 4, at 8 o'clock in the evening, in the First Methodist Church of McCamey, Gail Janice Fuller of Midland, became the bride of Pvt Edgar Paul Fitzgerald, of Fort Hood, Texas. The Rev. Ross T. Welch, minister, performed the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Fuller of McCamey. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. D. L. Fitzgerald of Norman, Okla.

Mrs. Hugh Triskill, pianist, played traditional wedding marches and accompanied Miss Natalie Walton who sang "Because," "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life" and "Malottes, Lord's Prayer."

The couple repeated vows before a background of palm and tall floor baskets containing white gladioli, flanked on either side by tall candelabra with lighted tapers.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white lace with fitted bodice designed with shadow neckline with long sleeves which came to a point over her wrists. Two strands of pearls were worn at the neck. A white satin underskirt of ballerina length was worn under a full overskirt of lace and nylon tulle with lace falling into points all around the skirt. Her finger tip veil of nylon tulle fell from a tier of miniature orange blossoms. Her shoes were white satin ankle strap sandals. She carried a cascade bouquet of white roses. For something old the bride carried a handkerchief belonging to her late maternal grandmother, Mrs. Lou Stearns.

Mrs. A. C. Golden of Houston, sister of the bride, was the matron of honor. She wore a gown of coral nylon net over taffeta, strapless bodice with net stole jacket and ballerina length taffeta skirt with two overskirts of net with handkerchief points falling to the floor. Her hat was shirred nylon net, crownless style. Mits were hand painted nylon net. She carried a bouquet of Talisman Roses with green maline.

Bridesmaids were Miss Lillie Reithmayer, Midland; Miss Pauline Fitzgerald, Norman, Okla., sister of the bridegroom, and Mrs. W. L. Thompson, Andrews. Each wore identical dresses of pale green nylon net over taffeta with crownless hat of shirred green nylon, with matching accessories. They carried bouquets of coral carnations tied with coral maline.

Beverly Sue Fuller of Midland, niece of the bride, was the flower girl. Her dress was fashioned like those of the other attendants. She carried a net basket of flower petals.

Candlelighters were Bert Golden, nephew of the bride of Houston and Danny Fuller, brother of the bride, of McCamey.

Pvt. Ellis Jean Conner of Midland, was the best man. Ushers were Tommy L. Fuller, Midland, brother of the bride; Tony Paul Vaughn, Jr., Borger, and Tracy Joe Cravens, McCamey.

The bride's mother, wore a royal blue crepe dress trimmed in nylon lace with navy blue beads sewed on lace. Small navy hat of metallic taffeta with veiling and rhinestone trim. Accessories were navy with white gloves. Her corsage was white feathered carnations. The bride-



MRS. EDGAR PAUL FITZGERALD

groom's mother wore a navy suit with white blouse, with pink accessories. Her corsage was white feathered carnations.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the McCamey Park Building. In the receiving line with the bridal couple were the bride's parents, the bridegroom's mother, matron of honor, bridesmaids and flower girl.

The guest register was presided over by Miss Natalie Walton of Midland. The table, laid with cut work lace cloth, was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake topped with wedding bells and decorated in flowers of coral and green to carry out the bride's chosen colors. A crystal bowl holding coral gladioli centered the table, with white tapers in silver candle holders placed on either side. Jewel Garrett, Midland served the cake and the coral punch was served by Mrs. Wayne Russell of Denver City.

For traveling the bride wore a mauve gabardine suit with mauve satin hat and navy veil, navy velvet shoes with matching purse and gloves.

Mrs. Fitzgerald was graduated from the McCamey High School, attended North Texas State College, Denton and graduated from Hine Business College, Midland. She has been employed by Shell Oil Company, of Midland.

Mr. Fitzgerald was graduated from Norman High School, Okla., attended University of Oklahoma. He was in the employ of Halliburton Oil Well Cementing Co. before entering the Army in November. He is now stationed at Fort Hood, Texas.

Mrs. Fitzgerald was transferred by Shell Oil Co., to Houston where she will reside with her sister, Mrs. Golden. Mr. Fitzgerald will be stationed at Fort Hood.

Among out-of-town guests attending the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Noll Oates, Miss Jewell Coston, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Peterson, Billy Nickels, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Chaney, Jesse Mason, Natalie Walton, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Kessler, Mrs. W. N. Keisling, Earl Montiel, A. J. Simmons, Miss Thelma Lettwich, Miss Lilly Marie Gibling, all of Midland.

From Odessa were: Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Johnson, Mrs. Carol Bullard, Ralph Bullard, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Green, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thompson, Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Russell, Hobbs, New Mexico.

**CATHOLIC WOMEN
 HOLD DISTRICT
 D.C.C.W. MEETING**

At a district meeting of Diocesan Council of Catholic Women held in Midland on April 2, Mrs. R. M. Zimmerman of McCamey was elected president. Mrs. A. V. Langford, McCamey, was re-elected secretary.

Other officers were Mrs. Ralph Geisler, Midland, vice president; Mrs. J. E. Healy, Odessa, parliamentarian.

The officers will assume duties May 1. Serving on the nominating committee were Mrs. E. O. Kempner, Odessa; Mrs. L. D. Jenkins, Big Spring, and Mrs. James Chapple, Midland.

"Peace In Our Time" was the theme of the meeting which was presided over by the district president, Mrs. W. B. Gunn, of Crane.

Mrs. Agnes Whittman of El Paso was the guest speaker. She discussed the crusade of prayer, penance for peace, block Rosary and appeals to Our Lady of Fatima.

Talks also were given by Rev. William Lensing of Odessa, and Mrs. Earl Drerup, diocesan president of the DCCW. Reports were heard from the eight cities which make up the district and from individual parish organizations.

Other members attending from McCamey were Mrs. J. R. O'Callaghan, Mrs. F. W. Payne and Mrs. J. Rike.

Most drug stores could sell twice as much malted milk if they would only fill the glasses.

Some day somebody is going to come up with a parking meter for a phone booth and make a lot of people happy.

Phil-lum-en-ist



In plain English, James Arnold, 8, is a match book collector. He's a member of the Washington (D. C.) Boys Club, one of scores of clubs in the country adopting this fastest-growing, truly American hobby. It's a fascinating activity, club leaders claim, which costs members little or nothing and acquaints them with geography and U. S. business and industry.

**Shell And Phillips To
 Drill Deep Wildcat
 North Of McCamey**

Shell and Phillips have staked location for a deep wildcat in the McCamey multipay field in SE Crane County, nine miles NW of McCamey.

Projected to 9,000 feet with rotary and beginning at once, the firms' No. 1-E Shell-Phillips-H. T. Sapp will be 4,000 from east, 2,000 feet from most westerly south line of sec. 6, GC&SF survey.

Four wells on the 529.5-acre lease are producing from the Grayburg-San Andres at around 2,220 feet.

No. 1-E Shell-Phillips-Sapp will be half mile west of the Upton County line and 4 1-4 miles east of the Eppenauer San Andres field. It will be 9 1-2 miles NW of Gulf No. 28-E Shirk, active Ellenburger project in the McCamey field in Upton County.

Gulf No. 28-E Shirk is 2 miles NE of TP Coal and Oil Co. No. 63-E-A J. F. Lane, lone Ellenburger producer in the pool and west offset to the operator's No. 62-D Lane, which discovered Ellenburger production in the spring of 1948.

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**MIDLAND
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**Mother of Two
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Mrs. Elmer Hise, 3225 2nd Ave., Council Bluffs, Iowa, is a good mother, and like all good mothers she keeps a careful watch for the welfare of her two young children.

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- Post Binders, Storage Binders
- Desk Baskets
- Stamp Pads and Inks
- Order Books—all sizes
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- Markwell RX Featherweight Stapler and Staples
- Markwell RF Staple Master Stapler and Staples
- Markwell Dry Pens and Ink
- Fidelity Onion Skin Paper
- Canary Railroad Manila Paper
- Clip Boards
- Bates Staplers and Refills
- Scotch Tape and Dispensers
- Bound Ledgers—standard sizes
- Oakville Gem Clips
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- Parcel Post Scales
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Report to the People

BY J. T. RUTHERFORD



I was defeated by a very slim margin. I don't know just how much I can rely on this, but several members have assured me that they will be able to put the compact back into the bill when it gets in the conference committee.

Several people have asked me what I think will be the situation when all the smoke clears away on Congressional redistricting. Well, I may be off, but to me it looks like this. Texas now has 21 congressmen and by population is entitled to 22 at the next election. Everyone agrees that Harris County, with Houston in it and nearly a million population, should get the additional representation, and that there will be very little change in the other districts.

However, I do believe that two districts which are unpopulated will be changed. They are the districts of Speaker of the House Sam Rayburn and Omar Burleson of Anson.

The House Redistricting Committee has finally agreed on one redistricting bill. Rough going is predicted on the House floor. However, as the bill now stands, it reshapes our 16th Congressional District to include only these counties: listed here from west to east:

El Paso, Hudspeth, Culberson, Reeves, Loving, Winkler, Ector, Jeff Davis, Pecos, Presidio, Brewster, Terrell, Ward and Crane.

So far I have received only three letters discussing the realignment of our district in any way. I would sincerely like to hear your requests concerning the new arrangement. It is a vital and far-reaching matter, and I would appreciate a card or letter saying whether you approve or oppose the plan which has been passed by the committee, or simply a statement whether you think we should adhere to the only yardstick we have, which is the constitutional directive that we redistrict according to population. It is up to you, for you are the ones who elect the Congressmen.

MIDLAND LIVESTOCK MARKET

Cattle receipts were light at Midland Livestock Auction Co. sale Thursday, March 29. Market was steady at 340 head.

Fat calves and yearlings auctioned for \$32 to \$34.50, mediums \$29 to \$32. Fat cows drew \$25 to \$28.50, mediums \$23 to \$25, canners and cutters \$18 to \$23. Bulls sold for \$26 to \$29.

Stocked calves, both steers and heifers, were bid to \$40. Buster Cole of Midland got \$40 cwt for six choice quality heifer calves that weighed 455 pounds. Yearling steers drew \$35 to \$37.50.

Walton Haral of Rankin was a consignee at the sale.

We feel better every time Eisenhower refers to our future generation. For awhile we doubted if there would be any.

KEN REGAN IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, D. C.—A wide "diversity of views" exists within the Democratic Party, Rep. Ken Regan of Midland said here this week in addressing a report to the approximately 400,000 people in the 16th district which he represents. He said there are two main divisions in the party.

Regan has begun a series of radio reports to his constituents, during which he will discuss the state of the nation as he sees it and primarily what affects West Texas.

"As you know, I am a Democrat, and was selected, but right here I want to say that I have found a wide diversity of views within the Democratic party. Many of us from the South and West are not in accord, nor do we share some of the views of other members of our party from the North and East. Therefore, it has been my opinion for some time that we have two major classifications within the Democratic ranks, to-wit: the Conservative Democrats and the Socialistic Democrats.

"During my brief term here (Regan is now in his third term) many socialistic proposals have

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been advanced and might easily now be the law of the land and a part of our centralized government had it not been for the opposition of the conservative Democrats of the South and West.

"One was socialized medicine, a scheme that would permit the government to control the health and well-being of our people, direct them to a doctor, dentist, surgeon, oculist, or other professional service without choice of selection by the patient, or a personal interest on the part of the doctor. A sort of assembly plant operation, or a plan akin to sheep dip-

ping. "England has tried this wild scheme under their labor government for the past several years with appalling and tremendously expensive results. I do not believe the people of West Texas wish to be so regimented and I have opposed, and shall continue to oppose, socialized medicine.

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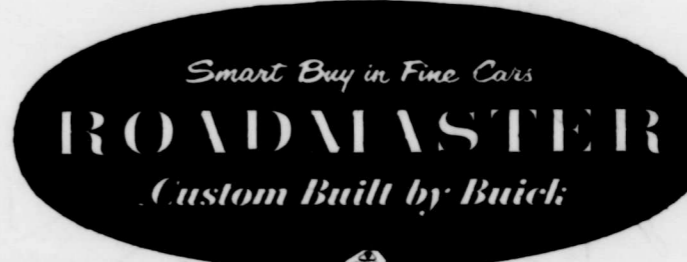
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New Foundation Forms Link Between Education and Industry

NEW YORK—To promote understanding of the principles of democracy and freedom of opportunity in our free enterprise system, the Samuel Bronfman Foundation, established by the affiliated Seagram American companies with an initial contribution of one million dollars, entered into an agreement with the Graduate School of Business at Columbia University to provide funds annually for the following:

1. Establishment of the Samuel Bronfman Professorship in Democratic Business Enterprise; and an assistant professorship.
2. Establishment of the Bronfman Fellowships.
3. Research in the essential characteristics of democratic business enterprise.
4. Research which will create a better understanding of democratic business enterprise on the part of students, teachers and business executives.
5. A reference center, publications and other means of disseminating information about democratic business enterprise.

The Samuel Bronfman Foundation was established as a tribute to Mr. Bronfman who is president of the parent company, Distillers Corporation—Seagram Limited. The program at Columbia University was accepted by Dr. Grayson L. Kirk, vice president and provost, who said that the agreement between the University and the Foundation was a new milestone in industry-education cooperation. He also expressed his pleasure in "this further evidence of the common goals of the United States and Canada." Mr. Bronfman is a Canadian. "Time will, I am confident, confirm our conviction that the foundation of the Samuel Bronfman Foundation, by embarking on this project with Columbia University, have created a means of furthering democratic ideals," he said. "Never in our history was there a greater need for an understanding of democracy."

Mr. Bronfman, in his response, asserted:

"I am particularly pleased that one of the first dispositions of this foundation is to be for the establishment at Columbia University of a department devoted to the study of the system of democratic opportunity under which we live; its advantages, its humane philosophy and its creative purpose, its superiority over all other systems of government or economic organization. "For here at this great center of learning, students will be trained to participate in the march of progress which our system fosters. Here research will be undertaken so that whatever is improvable, whether in our policies or our technique, may be improved. Here leaders of industry and men eminent in their fields will be heard, giving of their experience and their knowledge. Here the people of this country and this continent will be shown in striking detail what they already know and feel in general outline—the blessings that stem from our system; and hence will issue to all corners of the globe the truth, the magnetic and compelling truth about our way of life."

The Bronfman Foundation's objectives in establishing the program are as follows:

1. To study and teach the essential characteristics and techniques of democratic business activity and to promote and disseminate such knowledge to the maximum number of present and future students, teachers, and business executives.
2. To study the problems of overall management of business and of the administrative processes which facilitate innovation and growth.
3. To make a significant contribution to the progress of industry; to advance the thinking of the community as a whole; and to make it clear to an enlarged section of the free world that individual enterprise plays a vital role in the modern economy.

Dean Philip Young said the Bronfman Professor of Democratic Business Enterprise would be named shortly and would assume his post on July 1. The program as a whole will be instituted next fall.

The details of the Bronfman Fellowships have not yet been determined.

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Robert Beane Killed In Hit-And-Run At Carlsbad, N. Mexico

Robert J. "Bob" Beane, 46, was killed near his home in Carlsbad, N. M., last Saturday night by a hit-and-run driver.

He was the son of Mr. J. O. Beane of McCamey, also he has a brother, E. N. Beane, who resides in Crane.

Funeral services were held in the West Funeral Home in Lamesa at 10 o'clock a. m., by the Rev. Hinton, minister of the Baptist Church, followed by another service at Lamesa on Monday, conducted by Rev. A. R. Vaughn of McCamey. Burial was in Lamesa Cemetery.

Those attending from McCamey were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weddie, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Rains, Mrs. J. W. Fincher, Mrs. G. F. Barfield, and Rev. and Mrs. Vaughn.

Following is a story published in the Carlsbad newspaper, giving details of the accident:

Robert J. (Bob) Beane, 1007 W. Church, was instantly killed early Saturday night in what Richard Robinson, assistant district attorney, termed a "hit and run" accident.

Jackie Dean Brown, 19, Artesia, was booked at the sheriff's office on a charge of involuntary manslaughter in connection with the case. Robinson said that Brown was the owner of the car which struck Beane. Brown is being held in jail.

An inquest will be held at 4 p. m. Monday at the court house.

The accident occurred near Ash and Church, only a few steps from Beane's home, about 7:40 p. m.

Police said that Beane was struck by a car traveling east on Church Street. The car was said to have been occupied by three boys and two girls at time of the accident.

Robinson said that police and sheriff's deputies had located all five, and all but Brown were juveniles.

Others said that Brown was found at the Legion Hut about an hour after the accident. The car was found abandoned on Luckey Street.

A city bus driver said he let Beane off his Legion Hut bus at the Ash and Church corner around 7:40 p. m., police said. The driver reportedly told officers that a few moments later he saw a car traveling "at a high rate of speed" east along Church and seconds later heard the sound of a car striking Beane's body.

Brown allegedly reported his car stolen to the sheriff's office around 8:45 p. m. Saturday night.

Missouri Man Advises Folks Who Feel Bad

Carl Schaffrin, 217 Perry St., St. Charles, Mo., says there are some folks in this old world who feel good and there are other folks who feel bad. The folks who feel good he wants to congratulate, but for the folks who feel mighty bad he says he wants them to read what he has to say and then take a word of advice—take HADACOL.

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Upton County Gains Two More Wildcats

Upton County has gained locations for two wildcats.

Cities Service and others have staked location for an 8,500 footer 10 miles south and slightly west of Rankin. The group's No. 1 Noelke will be 667.28 from south, 660 ft. from west line of sec. 4-A-MK&T survey. It will be 1-2 mile north of Crockett County line and 2 miles east of Crockett field.

1 and 1-2 miles SW of Weiner-Floyd-Sprabery field in extreme NE Upton County, A. A. Cameron and Jay Simmons of Oklahoma City No. 1-29 F. F. Elkins will be 660 ft. from north and west lines of sec. 29-37-5s-T&P survey. Permit is for an 8,500 ft. rotary test 20 miles SE of Midland.

Sinclair No. 1 McElroy Ranch, indicated major Ellenburger strike in W C Upton County, was running 7 in. casing, with total depth 12,432 ft.

Sinclair No. 3 McElroy Ranch, east offset to operator's No. 1 McElroy Ranch, major Ellenburger strike in W C part of county,

will be 660 ft. out of SE corner of sec. 129-D-CCSD&RGNG survey. It will ninth outpost to the discovery.

Magnolia No. 1 Virgil Powell on south side of Pegasus (Ellenburger) field has been completed for a 24 hr. flow of 55.35 barrels of 49 gravity oil. Gas-oil ratio was 718-1. Production was thru a 3-4 in. tubing choke and open hole between 12,970 ft., where 5 1-2 in. casing was set, and 13,223 ft., total depth. The section was acidized with 5,000 gallons. Location is in sec. 48-41-4s-T&P.

Magnolia No. 5 Dr. Roy Glass of San Angelo, well on the Midland County side of the Pegasus pool in sec. 30-40-4s-T&P, was completed in 24 hrs. for 577.8 barrels of 53.6 gravity oil. Gas-oil ratio was 140-1. Production was thru 13-64 in. tubing choke and open hole between 12,830 ft., where 5 1-2 in. casing was set, and 12,076 ft., total depth. This is Dr. Glass' 7th well in the field.

Upton County wildcats, Gulf No. 1-H McElroy was making hole at 10,817 ft. in lime and chert. Humble No. 1 Tippet at 12,495 ft. in lime after recovering the 1-

324-ft. water blanket and 90 ft. of drilling mud on a 20 minute drill-stem test from 12,405 ft. to 12,462 feet.

Trials Of O. Henry Are Added To Baylor

WACO, Tex.—A copy of what is believed to be the most important document available concerning the trials of O. Henry has been added to the Texas Collection at Baylor University. Prof. G. B. Harrison, curator, announced it is a 38-page photostatic copy of O. Henry's appeal to the U. S. Court of Appeals at New Orleans of an earlier trial which convicted the famous author of embezzlement. Records of the first trial were destroyed by fire. The treasured document was secured from the Harvard University Library by Dr. E. H. Long, biographer of O. Henry and professor of American Literature on Baylor faculty.

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