

Orioles Bats Boom In 18-7 Victory

The Tahoka Orioles slugged out an 18 to 7 victory over the Post White Sox last Thursday evening in a Pony League game here. The contest went only six innings instead of the regulation seven because of the 7:30 o'clock curfew on first games.

The teams were tied, 1-1, at the end of the first inning, but the Orioles plated seven tallies in the top half of the second, raking White Sox starter Bobby Beard for five safeties.

The White Sox came back with a run in their half of the inning, but the visitors scored three more in the third to go ahead, 11-2. They coasted in from that point, chocking off a five-run White Sox rally in the sixth inning.

Beard absorbed the loss, while F. Rogers, Oriole starter, received credit for the win.

The White Sox managed only six hits off the Oriole pitchers, third baseman Ruben Valdez collecting two of those. The Orioles garnered 16 hits off Beard and his mound successors, R. Valdez and Jimmy Minor.



HEY, WAIT FOR ME! — Jerry Windham of Post is shown climbing from the water after winning third in the free style event for boys 16 and under in the swimming meet at the municipal pool here Friday. Rodney Fulcher of Slaton, first place winner, is partially obscured at the left by one of the timers, and Randy Sanders of Slaton, second place winner, is shown at left center just ahead of Windham. Still in the pool at the lower right is Jay Gurley of Slaton, who finished fourth. — (Staff Photo).

Slaton Wins Swim Meet Title

Slaton swimmers scored 330 points to 207 for Post and 19 for Tahoka to take team honors Friday evening in a swimming meet at the municipal pool.

The Slaton swimmers, showing the skill and training which comes from having had access to pool facilities for many years, completely dominated most events. The Post and Tahoka pools are comparatively new.

Although not as many swimmers showed up as were expected, the meet proved a success, according to Miss Frances Craig, director, and was run off before a large crowd.

An added attraction was a diving exhibition, including clowning antics, by four Lubbock divers.

Miss Craig, who is a lifeguard and swimming instructor at the pool, was assisted in the meet's direction by Gene Young, also a lifeguard; Truett Fulcher of Slaton, and Mrs. Helen Cornish, Joe Cartmill, Pete Maddux, Bill Driver, and others.

Following are the results as compiled by Miss Craig:

**Boys 16 And Under**  
Back Stroke—1. Rodney Fulcher, Slaton. 2. Sammy Wilson, Slaton. 3. Jerry Bragg, Tahoka.  
Breast Stroke—1. Fulcher. 2. Randy Sanders, Slaton. 3. Sammy Martin, Post.

Diving—1. Bragg. 2. Martin. 3. Jerry Windham, Post.  
Free Style—1. Fulcher. 2. Sanders. 3. Windham.  
Free Style Relay—1. Slaton. 2. Post. 3. Tahoka.

**Underwater Breast Stroke—1.** Sanders. 2. Fulcher. 3. Martin.  
Back Stroke—1. Fulcher. 2. Wilson. 3. Bragg.  
**Girls 10 And Under**  
Back Stroke—1. Marilyn McSween, Slaton. 2. Glenda Payne, Slaton. 3. Becky Thompson, Post.  
Breast Stroke—1. McSween. 2. Susan Cornish, Post. 3. Thompson.  
Diving—1. Mary Ann Jones, Post. 2. Thompson.

Free Style—1. McSween. 2. Payne. 3. Linda Driver, Post.  
Free Style Relay—1. Slaton (McSween, Payne, Nancy Smith, Toni Crist). 2. Post (Susan Cornish, Carol Camp, Becky Thompson, Linda Driver).  
**Girls 13 And Under**  
Back Stroke—1. Nita Ward, Slaton. 2. Judy McCullough, Post. 3. Mary Ann Jones, Post.  
Breast Stroke—1. Betty McSween, Slaton. 2. Chris Cornish, Post. 3. Mary Ann Jones, Post.  
Free Style—1. McSween. 2. Tie between Elaine Pickens and Rhonda Pettigrew, both of Slaton. 3. Rita Privity, Slaton.

Free Style Relay—1. Slaton (McSween, Pettigrew, Pickens, Privity). 2. Post (Mary Ann Jones, Ann Pennington, Chris Cornish, Judy McCullough).  
Underwater Breast Stroke—1. McSween. 2. Jones. 3. Tie between Cornish and Pettigrew.  
**Girls 16 And Under**  
Back Stroke—1. Linda Lott, Post. 2. Jeannette George, Slaton. 3. Patricia Wheatley, Post.  
Breast Stroke—1. Eunice Wiley, Slaton. 2. Judy McCullough, Post. 3. Sara Bickers, Slaton.  
Free Style—1. Tie between Linda Lott, Post, and Charlotte Bland, Slaton. 2. George. 3. Wiley.  
Underwater Breast Stroke—1. Vickers. 2. Wiley.  
**Boys 13 And Under**  
Back Stroke—1. Ricky Polk, Slaton. 2. Joe Cook, Post. 3. Leslie Acker, Post.  
Breast Stroke—1. Buddy Moreland, Post. 2. Pat Cornell, Post. 3. Cook.  
Diving—1. Cornell. 2. Polk.  
Free Style—1. Polk. 2. Cook. 3. Acker.  
Free Style Relay—1. Slaton

SPORTS

Wood Bees Forfeit To Lubbock Team

The Post Wood Bees were eliminated from the National Baseball Congress district tournament in Lubbock Friday when they had to forfeit to the Lubbock Rangers because of lack of players.

The Wood Bees had lost to the Seagraves Oilers, 3 to 1, in a first round game of the double elimination tournament.

Frank Khrut, Post pitcher, struck out 13 Oiler batters in the Wood Bees' loss. Lefty Faulkner, veteran Seagraves hurler, held the Post nine to four hits.

Seagraves took a 1-0 lead in the first inning. The Wood Bees knotted the count in the top of the third, but the Oilers came back with two runs in the bottom of the fourth. The game went only seven innings.

The tournament was won by the Lubbock Rangers, who will represent the district in the state NBC meet.

Indian Bats Boom In 21-3 Victory

The Post Indians unleashed their heavy artillery Saturday afternoon to defeat the Tahoka Orioles, 21 to 3, in a make-up Pony League game which was called after five innings because of the excessive heat and lopsided score.

Manager Louis Mills' team scored seven runs in the second inning, nine in the third and five in the fourth. All the Oriole runs came in the final frame.

John Valdez, Indian pitcher, handcuffed the Oriole batters on four hits and had a no-hitter going through the third inning.

Billy Davis, the first of a number of Oriole chunkers, absorbed the loss.

**TAXES FOR TEXAS**  
One bona-fide "Texas oilionaire" who never risks "going broke" in the chancy and complicated game of oil-finding is the state. The petroleum industry picks up almost one-third of the state tax bill every year — well over 188 million dollars. This is over one-half of all taxes the state collects from industry. Much of the money goes to build and improve Texas public schools, which, over the years, have benefitted to the extent of some 228 million dollars — \$30 million in 1955, the university fund received more than \$226 million in payments for leases, bonuses, and royalties.

The San Francisco earthquake and fire, in which 452 lives were lost, happened in 1906.

Sante Fe, N. M., was founded in 1610.

(Alan Reasoner, Bobby Harlan, Floyd Elterman, Ricky Polk). 2. Post (Cook, Moreland, Acker, Cornell).

Underwater Breast Stroke—1. Moreland. 2. Reasoner. 3. Larry Smith, Slaton.

Medley Relay—1. Post (Cook, Moreland, Acker, Cornell). 2. Slaton (Polk, Reasoner, Harlan, Elterman).

Loop-Leading Red Sox Clout Tigers, 19 To 5

Behind the five-hit pitching of Larry Shumate and David Nichols, the league-leading Red Sox blasted the Tigers, 19 to 5, Saturday in a Little League game.

The Tigers got off to a four-run lead in the first inning when they collected two of their five hits, both singles by Gonzales and Vardiman. The Red Sox counted three in their half of the first, then broke lose against starting pitcher Pat Cornell for seven runs in the second. They scored five more in the third, one in the fourth and one in the sixth.

Leroy Demming, Red Sox third baseman, clouted a lead-off homer in the fourth. John Bland, who started at shortstop then relieved Cornell on the mound, tripled for one of his team's hits.

**YANKEES**  
Cross, 2b-p . . . 2 4 1  
D. Odum, ss-p-cf . . . 4 0 1  
Mayfield, ss . . . 4 1 1  
Wheatley, lb . . . 3 2 1  
Perez, cf . . . 3 0 0  
R. Villa, lf . . . 4 2 1  
Daugherty, p-lf . . . 3 1 0  
Solis, rf . . . 3 1 0  
Byrd, 3b . . . 4 1 1  
Totals . . . 30 16 8

**TIGERS**  
A. Gonzales, lb . . . 4 2 1  
De. Odum, ss-p-cf . . . 4 0 1  
Bland, p-ss . . . 4 3 2  
P. Cornell, c . . . 4 3 2  
Fogarty, 3b . . . 2 2 1  
Vardiman, 2b . . . 4 1 2  
D. Cornell, rf . . . 2 0 0  
Hamilton, p . . . 1 1 1  
E. Gonzales, lf . . . 1 0 0  
Braddock, if . . . 2 1 0  
Pierce, cf . . . 1 0 0  
R. Bustoz, p . . . 2 1 0  
Totals . . . 31 14 10

Dodgers Pin 9 To 3 Defeat On Yankees

Scoring three runs in each of the first, fourth and sixth innings, Manager Punk Peel's Dodgers overcame Manager J. P. Parnell's Yankees, 9 to 3, Saturday evening in a Little League game.

The Yankees rallied for two runs in the fourth and on in the fifth, but never came in striking distance of the Dodgers.

Shortstop Dennis Huntley, with two hits out of three official trips to the plate, scored three runs to lead the Dodger attack.

D. Odum, D. Perez and R. Villa scored the Yankee tallies.

David Lee went all the way for the victory, while Ken Rankin was charged with the loss.

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SUGGESTS PRECAUTIONS FOR HOLIDAY SAFETY

"Are Others Safe In Trusting Their Safety To You?" County Sheriff Asks

"Are others safe in trusting their safety to you?" This question was asked today by Sheriff Carl Rains, speaking in behalf of the Texas Safety Association's summer Slow Down and Live campaign which is a part of the 1957 Back the Attack on Traffic Accidents program.

"Many persons," the sheriff said, "seem to forget that every time a driver gets behind the steering wheel of a car, literally hundreds of people will depend upon his good judgment for their safety."

The sheriff also asked drivers to recall the traffic accidents which took the lives of 12 Texas drivers in 1956, on the Fourth of July.

"With Independence Day coming on Thursday this year," he said, "it means that many people will have a four-day holiday. And, if statistical-history repeats itself, we can expect more than thirty traffic deaths and 1,200 injuries in our state during the long weekend."

Rains pointed out that this doesn't include accidental deaths or injuries from other causes, but they will match the traffic figures with a few extras thrown in for good measure.

For an all-around, safer Fourth of July and holiday weekend, the sheriff suggested the following precautions be taken:

1. First of all, a good health helping of common sense with a constant awareness that there is danger in nearly everything you

are likely to be doing.

2. If you will be on the highways, limit the miles you plan to cover in one day's driving and be prepared for heavy holiday traffic.

3. Get an early start and pause for rest occasionally.

4. Keep your speed down, but don't be a slow poke and, of course, don't drink and drive.

5. Be courteous on the road — courtesy is a sign of intelligence.

6. If you have fireworks around, be very careful—they are extremely dangerous.

7. Follow the safety rules of swimming, picnicking and sunbathing. Don't over-do.

BITS-OF-NEWS

Jack Taylor entered Methodist Hospital in Lubbock for surgery.

Mrs. Betty Webb Peden and children, Janette Lee and Everett Jo are spending the week in San Antonio with her brother, T-Sgt. C. E. Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson of Albuquerque, N. M., have been visiting the Lester Nichols and Henrietta Nichols, Mrs. Johnson, Lester Nichols' sister, left Wednesday for the Baptist Encampment at Giorietta, N. M.

Homer McCrary left Friday to visit friends, the Don Cox family, in Quinton, Okla.

**VISITS BROTHER**  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moore spent Sunday with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Moore, of Ralls.

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RETURN SUNDAY

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ALDO RAY

### Mrs. Della Morgan Attends Funeral Services For Her Brother In Hart

Everyone enjoyed the visiting minister last Sunday.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. T. Nixon are visiting his father and family in Oklahoma, we hope to have him back next Sunday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Morgan recently were their children and grandchildren: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russell and children of Happy; Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Morgan of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. George Mize, Cheryl, Dana and Roger of El Paso; and Sonny Bevers.

J. K. Russell returned home with his parents after spending several days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Morgan.

E. A. Morgan has been ill in Scott and White Hospital in Temple but is much improved and is back home.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Bevers recently were Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Bevers of Pleasant

Valley community; Mr. Hershel Bevers and daughters, Sherry and Peggy of the Gordon community; Mrs. Albert Bevers and boys; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bevers, Jr., and Sonny; Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Dorman, Betty and Sammy; and Mrs. Bevers' brother, Henry Skipper of Midland.

Betty Dorman and Skipper Bevers spent several days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Bevers.

Albert Bevers was in San Angelo last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mize and children, Cheryl, Dana and Roger visited Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Bevers Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Ainsworth and Sharon accompanied her mother, Mrs. Della Morgan, to Hart, Tex., to attend the funeral services for Mrs. Morgan's brother, Tom Smith.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mize recently was her mother, Mrs. Timmons of Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Key and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joe Page and son, Joe Key, spent the weekend in Big Lake with Mr. and Mrs. Comer Liles and son, Don.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cornett of Hobbs, N. M., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cris Cornett, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cornett and children of Gail visited the Cris Cornett family Friday night, also there were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Chilton and daughter, Connie Sue, of Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hancock and children of Seminole spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Etta Clarkston. Dell Ross stayed this week with his grandmother.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson and children last Saturday were his mother, Mrs. Sam Johnson, and his sister, Mrs. Sammy Chisum, and children of Jayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harn Pettigrew and daughter, Patsy, of Slaton spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. Etta Clarkston.

Mrs. Cecil Smith and Mrs. Mason Justice and son, Dee, spent Monday shopping in Texaco and Clovis, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Elkins of Seminole visited his father Mr. Sam Elkins.

Staying for an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mize and daughter are her brothers, Melvin and Jimmy Timmons of Andrews.



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### VA Questions And Answers

Q. My husband, a World War II veteran, bought a house with a GI loan. Shortly afterward he died of a service-connected condition. As an unmarried widow, would I still be entitled to a GI loan, even though he used his benefit before his death?

A. Yes. The service-connected death of your husband would entitle you to a GI loan, even though he obtained one before he died.

Q. A friend of mine died without choosing a method of settlement of his GI insurance policy. But he did name his wife as beneficiary. How will she receive the insurance proceeds?

A. She will receive the proceeds in 36 monthly installments. But she does have the right to choose any other installment option of payment. She cannot, however, receive the money in one lump sum.

Q. I was in military service for one year when I was wounded in Korea and had to be discharged for disability. How much vocational rehabilitation training would I be entitled to?

A. Vocational rehabilitation training does not depend upon your length of service. You may train for as long as is necessary to restore your employability, up to a maximum of four years and in some cases even longer.

Q. I am going to a trade school under the Korean GI Bill, and I understand I am allowed up to 30 days of absence a year. Do legal holidays count as absences?

A. No. Legal holidays do not count as absences.

**FROM CALIFORNIA**

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Dent visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dent, and his sister, Mrs. E. H. McCampbell, and family here recently. Woody Dent retired from the Navy two years ago and is now connected with an aircraft plant in San Diego. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sanders and daughter of Lubbock visited them while they were in Post. While in Texas, they also visited his sister, Mrs. Carl Hughes, and family of Monahans, and his grandmother, Mrs. S. A. Morrow, of Fort Worth.

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### Kitchen Shower In Home At Slaton Honors Recent Bride Of Southland

Mrs. Donald Sikes of Slaton entertained in her home with a kitchen shower honoring Mrs. Don Kelly (Kay Anderson). Mrs. Sikes was assisted by Karen Gale Pennell. Pink punch and cake were served to 24 guests. The event took place Thursday night, June 27.

Mrs. Jesse Moore is visiting her daughter and family in Kerrville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Loveless of Fort Worth were here last week visiting friends and relatives. They visited her brother and family, the Earl Lancasters, the Buck Lovelesses and others.

Mrs. Don Eugene Kelly, the former Kay Anderson, was accompanied with a bridal shower Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Jack Hargrove. Hostesses for the occasion were: Mmes. L. C. Halliburton, Sam Ellis, Hub Haire, F. W. Callaway, Harley Martin, Earl Lancaster, Aubrey McNeely, Kenneth Davies, Clyde Haire, J. C. Leake, and Ed Mosely. The table was decorated with summer flowers. Mrs. Ed Mosely registered the guests and Miss Karen Gale

### Time To File For Gas Tax Refunds

Garza County farmers are reminded by County Agent Lewis C. Herron that they may now apply for a refund on the three-cent federal tax on gasoline used for farming. The amount claimed must be based on the quantity of fuel used for farming purposes on individual farms and ranches during the period from July 1, 1956, to June 30, 1957.

Herron says that all claims must be submitted to the District Director, Internal Revenue Service, and claims for the past year must be in by Sept. 30, 1957.

Each farm or ranch operator who applied for tax refunds in 1956 will be mailed Form 2240 for filing the 1957 claim. An instruction sheet for preparing the application will also be provided, says Herron. For new fuel users or those who failed to file last year, copies of the filing form may be obtained at the county agent's office.

### Garza Rural Mailmen Help On Stock Count

Rural mailmen in Garza County are among the hundreds being asked to help V. C. Childs of Texas A&M College in the biggest job in the nation — counting every head of livestock on Texas farms and ranches.

Childs mailed 46,000 postcards to farmers and ranchers all over the state. He makes an annual survey of the cattle population.

The survey is the basis for state and national inventories of livestock and poultry as of the first of each year. It covers cattle, hogs, sheep, goats, horses, mules, chickens and turkeys.

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### DEDICATED DOLLARS

Every minute of the day ticks off more than 300 oil-industry dollars spent on research and development — well over 100 million dollars a year. A study by the American Petroleum Institute shows that out of each research dollar spent by the industry, 52 cents goes to develop new products and processes, 37 cents to improve existing ones, and 11 cents to fundamental research. Competition, born in the research laboratory, brings more products and conveniences for improved living to our doors every day.

The world's largest amphitheater, the Rome Colosseum, was once a marble quarry.

### Post Man's Mother Is Buried Tuesday

Mrs. J. R. Polk, 73, of Tahoka, mother of T. C. Polk of Post, died about 4 a. m. Monday in Lamesa General Hospital following a four days' illness.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p. m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church at Tahoka, with the Rev. Clifford Harris, pastor, and the Rev. D. W. Copeland of Wells Baptist Church officiating. Burial was in Tahoka Cemetery.

Mrs. Polk was born March 28, 1884, at Killen. She and her husband moved to Tahoka about nine years ago. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Besides the son of Post, she is survived by her husband, two

daughters, Mmes. Ruth Killen and B. O. Lubbock; six other sons of Lubbock, Bill Polk, Mason Polk of Levelland, nie. Dave and D. L. of Tahoka, one son, Vey Bacon; 16 grand-children and 15 great-grandchildren.

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## Mothers Should Start Thinking About Getting Youngsters Ready For School

Although summer has hardly started in Texas, school days are practically around the corner and it is time that mothers should start thinking about getting the young ones ready for school again. Special consideration should be given to the thousands of Texas youngsters who will be starting school for the first time.

Most school districts have certain requirements which must be met before a child may be entered in school. Foremost in nearly every school is proof of birth.

If you do not have a copy of your child's birth certificate, a certified copy may be obtained from the Texas State Department of Health for a one dollar fee.

Write to the Bureau of Vital Statistics, Texas State Department of Health, Austin, Texas. Be certain to include the child's name, birth date and birth place, and the name of his parents. Also enclose \$1 cash (at your own risk) or money order. Do it now and avoid the rush.

Every child should have a pre-school health examination. Height, weight, posture, vision and hearing should be checked. Often school beginners' problems can be traced to faulty vision and hearing.

Have your dentist go over your child's teeth again. With the excitement and challenge of school, new physical—and emotional—demands are made on him and to get the most out of school, he

needs to be physically ready for it.

With school come more chances for exposure to communicable diseases. This isn't the school's fault—it's because your child is becoming a part of a bigger world.

To help prevent illness, check up on immunizations, especially your school district's requirements. See that your child is still protected against diphtheria, whooping cough, tetanus, smallpox, and by all means have his polio series started if you have not already done so.

Going to school will be all new to your child. It means new children, a new place, new adults, new things to do. It's the same child, but one who is changing physically, mentally, and emotionally.

If he is healthy and you keep him healthy, his adjustment into school life will be made much simpler, and he'll be happier.

### CALIFORNIA VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph R. Dean, Bobby and Theresa have just returned from a two weeks' vacation in California where they visited in Los Angeles with Mr. and Mrs. Eiford McCrary, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. (Pokey) Ammons and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jackson and children. They also visited in Cocoran, Calif., with Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Harrison, Mrs. Dora Payne and Mr. and Mrs. Jones and children, Dennis Ammons, the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Ammons accompanied the Deans back to Texas where he will spend a few weeks with relatives.

### LEAVE FRIDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Irby Metcalf will leave Friday for a two week's vacation in Las Vegas.

### BITS-OF-NEWS

Jack Evans and daughter, Jacqueline, of Amarillo, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boone Evans this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Taylor of Wolforth spent Sunday evening in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boone Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Lobban, Jr., of Midland, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Lobban, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dye.



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### RECORD 1957 CONSTRUCTION IS PLANNED

## Growth Of Southwest Reflected In Telephone Company's Annual Report

The growth of the Southwest and the operations at General Telephone Company of the Southwest are reflected in the 1956 Annual Report, just released. During 1956, the company added 13,639 telephones which represented a record high for any previous year. The total number of telephones in service at the end of 1956 was 197,175. Local and long distance traffic increased 5 per cent last year making 1956 the biggest year yet.

Progress in the Southwest is also shown in the fact that 77.7 per cent of telephones in service at the end of the year were dial operated compared to only 4 per cent in 1946. Gross construction hit an all time high of \$10,673,000.

Uncle Sam came in for a big bite last year in the way of a 15 per cent increase in taxes. Taxes for the year were the equivalent of \$21.60 per telephone or over \$1.80 per month per telephone, excluding customer excise taxes collected by the company and paid directly to the federal government.

The report cites 1956 operating revenues as increasing 13 per cent over 1955 and net earnings for the year up 24 per cent over 1955. The report also shows the Company to have \$60,801,000 invested in telephone plants at the end of 1956 compared to \$53,495,000 last year. It paid \$9,711,000 in salaries and wages during 1956 as compared to \$8,285,000 paid in 1955.

The increased cost of doing business is well illustrated by the fact that the company has an investment of \$243 at the end of 1956 for every telephone in service as compared to \$121 at the end of 1946.

General operates in Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana and is the largest of the 590 independent non-Bell Telephone Companies which operate within that five state area.

This report does not contain figures concerning the merger of the Texas and Oklahoma Telephone Companies with General because the merger officially took place April 1 of this year. However, it should be pointed out that General Telephone Company of the Southwest is now serving over 244,000 telephones in its five state area and has become, following the merger, the fourth largest company in the number of telephones served in the General Telephone System and the second largest company revenue wise. This higher revenue ranking is the result of the relative large toll network owned by this company.

In conclusion, the annual report states that the company plans a 1957 construction program which will exceed the record breaking expenditures for expansion and improvement last year in order to meet the continuing demand for more and better telephone service.

### TOUR CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Durbin, accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Durbin, of Tulsa, Okla., have returned from a three weeks' tour of California. While there they visited Mrs. Durbin's sister, Mrs. A. R. Gray, and family of Torrance, Calif. The elder Durbins returned to their home Monday.

King Frederik of Denmark is 58 years old.

### Eight Post Students Attend Band School

Eight students from Post were among the 258 junior high and high school students who attended the three-week Texas Tech Band School which ended Friday.

The Post students who attended along with their director, Robert Meisch, were Butch Bowen, Judy Clary, Boyd Dodson, Billy Hamilton, Emma Ruth Miller, Alton Spinks, Wanda Williams and Beverly Young.

Instructors included Dr. A. A. Harding, director-emeritus of the University of Illinois band, and Mark H. Hindsley, present Illinois band director and president of the American Bandmaster's Assn.

Dr. Harding, regarded as the dean of American bandmasters, is one of the foremost authorities on Sousa. Hindsley has gained a wide reputation as an arranger of classical music for concert band, particularly in the field of contemporary music literature.

Prof. D. O. Wiley, Tech bands director, was in charge of the school.

### NOW AT HOME

Mrs. Bob Collier and daughter, Di Anna, are now at home after having been patients in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Collier who brought them home Sunday reports that they are in satisfactory condition.

### COTTON INSECT SITUATION REPORT

## Increase In Insect Activity Is Observed In Area Cotton Fields

Some increase in insect activity has been observed in a number of area cotton fields, according to the current Cotton Insect Situation release from the Extension Service at Lubbock.

Aphids were observed in light infestations in Floyd, Hockley, Lynn and Lubbock counties.

Thrip populations increased on cotton in areas where rainfall was light during the week of June 20-27. Although infestations were reported as light in a majority of fields, somewhat larger numbers were found in some fields in Briscoe, Floyd, Hale, Parmer and Terry counties, with heavy infestations reported in Hale County.

Fleahoppers were reported in light infestations through the southern part of the area or in fields where cotton had reached

the fruiting stage. Cotton is yet too small to attract the insects in many fields.

Garden webworms damaged stands of cotton in isolated fields in Mitchell and Scurry counties.

Cabbage loopers have been reported in small numbers on cotton throughout the area. Ordinarily these insects have been present in light infestations at this date in previous years.

Frequently taking journeys on his rail lines in 13 states, President Harry A. DeButts of the Southern Railway Company carries a notebook for complaints from both passengers and trainmen.

British railways will carry three dogs free of charge for each paying passenger.

## Sorry Folks-

I can't tell you just yet what my plans are, but I should be able to do it by next week sure.

Rest assured I'm working on those plans.

But it is taking a little longer than I had anticipated.

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4 OZ. TIN

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SUN VALLEY, 6 OZ. LEMON JUICE 25c  
GERBER'S, BABY FOOD 3 Cans 28c  
HUNT'S, BARTLETT HALVES, NO. 300 PEARS 29c

NEW, HUNT'S, NO. 300 CAN POTATOES 13c  
LIBBY'S, SLICED, NO. 1 1/2, FLAT CAN PINEAPPLE 20c  
RIPE, LIBBY'S, CADET, NO. 1 TALL CAN OLIVES 29c

LIBBY'S, YELLOW CLING, HALVES OR SLICES, NO. 2 1/2 CAN **PEACHES... 27c**

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CALIFORNIA, SUNKIST, LB. ORANGES 15c GREEN, FRESH, BUNCH ONIONS 7 1/2c

**FIRM HEADS OF LETTUCE . LB. 10c**



**SALAD DRESSING 39c** SALAD BOWL QUART  
**PRESERVES 29c** BAMA, RED PLUM 20 OZ. DECORATED TUMBLER

**FRYERS 39c** FRESH DRESSED WHOLE LB.

SWIFT'S PREMIUM, CANNED BONELESS, 5-LB. CAN **HAMS \$4.79**  
BREADED, BLUE PLATE, 10 OZ. **SHRIMP 59c**  
BOOTH'S, 10 OZ. PKG. **FISHSTICKS 33c**  
MELLOW, KRAFT'S, CRACKER BARREL 8 OZ. PACKAGE **CHEESE 39c**

**SLICED BACON 59c** SWIFT'S, SWEET RASHER, LB.  
**FRESH GROUND BEEF .Lb. 33c**

BALARD'S, CANNED **BISCUITS 2 Cans 25c**  
U.S. HEAVY, CHOICE BEEF, LB. **LOIN STEAK 89c**  
SHOULDER, U.S. HEAVY CHOICE, LB. **ROAST BEEF 49c**  
U.S. CHOICE, HEAVY BEEF, LB. **BEEF RIBS 19c**



COASTAL, FROZEN, 6 OZ. CAN **LEMONADE.. 10c**

FROZEN RITE, 24 COUNT BAG **FROZEN ROLLS 39c**  
LIBBY'S, BUTTER FROZEN, 10 OZ. PKG. **BEANS 19c**

POLAR, FROZEN, 9 OZ. PKG. **BROCCOLI SPEARS ... 2 For 29c**

FROZEN, ORE-IDA, 12 OZ. PKG. **POTATO PATTIES 15c**  
FROZEN, FRUIT, SWANSON, 5 1/2 OZ. **PIES APPLE or PEACH (2 PER PKG.) 29c**

LIBBY'S, NO. 300 CAN **SPANISH RICE 19c**  
NABISCO, LARGE BOX **RITZ CRACKERS 38c**  
WISHBONE, 8 OZ. **SALAD DRESSING 39c**  
REAL PRUNE, 24 OZ. **PRUNE JUICE 29c**  
7 OZ. **SKINNER'S MACARONI \$1.25**  
WHITE SWAN WITH BACON, NO. 300 CAN **BLACKEYES 12c**

GREEN, RENOWN, WHOLE **BEANS**  
SWEET, ALMA, CUT & WHOLE **POTATOES**  
ALUMINUM FOIL 25 FT. ROLL **REYNOLDS WRAP**  
PAPER, 60 COUNT, CELLO **COLORS OR WHITE**  
**NAPKINS**  
NORTHERN, 3 ROLLS **TISSUE**  
ROOM, FLORIENT **DEODORANT**

**5¢ GREEN STAMPS**  
WITH EVERY PURCHASE  
**DOUBLE ON TUES.**

BAYERS, 15c TIN **ASPIRIN 10c**  
NU-WAY, QUART **BLEACH 15c**

QUART **WESSON OIL 67c**  
CAMPFIRE, NO. 1/2 CAN **VIENNAS 10c**  
KOUNTY KIST, NO. 303 **PEAS 15c**  
LIBBY'S, SWEET, 22 OZ. JAR **PICKLES 49c**

DENTAL CREAM, 50c SIZE **COLGATE... 33c**

LUSTRE CREAM, 1.00 SIZE **SHAMPOO . 69c**

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