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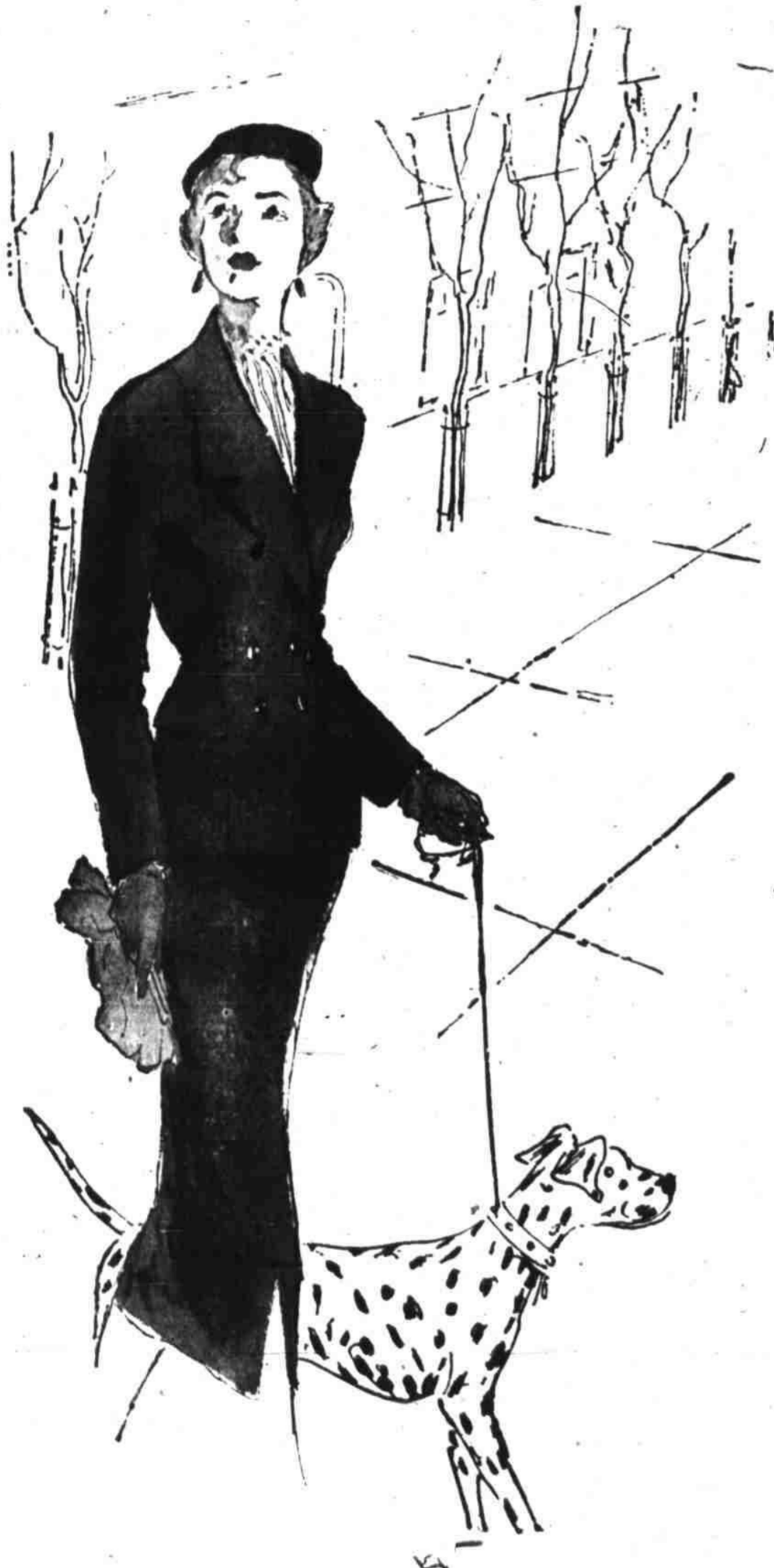
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Graduate Nurses Club Organized Here Last Year

The Graduate Nurses Study club was organized under the sponsorship of Dr. Neil Sanders on May 11, 1949. The purpose of the organization was to promote more interest in the nursing profession and to help raise the standards of nursing as well as to bring about a closer fellowship among the local nurses.

Following the organization, Doris Smith was named president and

Louise Horton was elected recording secretary. Some of the activities of the club include the organization of a new District Nurses association in this area and the sponsorship of a Well Child conference for the Latin American children.

Present officers of the club are Marie Christoffers, president; Miss Ryan, vice-president; Esther Trantham, secretary and treasurer; Bo Bowen, program chairman; Louise Porter, credential and membership chairman; Kathleen Bartlett, publication and press chairman; Naomi Hedrick, nominating chairman; Jewel Barton, legislation chairman; Myrtle Eller, finance chairman and Madeline Trees, official nursing bureau chairman.

Girl Scout Troops In City Number 23

One of the largest youth organizations in the city is Girl Scouts. Girls gain training and experience in agriculture, art, crafts, community life, health and safety, international friendship, homemaking, literature, dramatics, nature study, music dancing, out-of-doors activity, sports and other games.

During 1949, the Big Spring Girl Scout troops opened a scout center with facilities for meetings, study, and handicraft work, at 1409

Lancaster street. Expansion of troops in Big Spring is limited only by lack of leadership.

The 23 Big Spring troops started the year with a total membership of 296 girls. Many others have been slated for registration since the first of the year. There were 18 leaders and eight assistant leaders for the local Girl Scouts.



Principal objective of the organization is training intermediate, junior and senior girls in a variety of fields of work and service. It also offers the opportunity for camping, hiking, and other phases of outdoor life.

Girl Scout activity has flourished and declined alternately in the more than 20 years since the organization was first introduced here.

In 1945, under the sponsorship of the local Lions club, interest in the scouting program boomed and has continued to its present peak. Assisting in promotion of the work is the American Association of University Women and the Federation of Women's clubs.

Among the present leaders of the local troops are Mrs. Zolite Mae Rawlins, Mrs. H. W. Smith, Lawrence Robinson, Mrs. Ross Boykin, Mrs. Leon Kinney, Mrs. H. C. Stipp, Mrs. C. Y. Clinkscales, Mrs. Louis Bradley, Mrs. George White, Mrs. Cooper Brown, Mary Nell Cates, Mrs. W. V. Seals, Mrs. Randolph Mays, Mrs. B. F. Mabe, Mrs. Earl Reynolds, Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Mrs. T. J. Williamson, Mrs. Ray Nichols, Mrs. Joe Bunch, Mrs. W. R. Rogers, Mrs. Inez Brown, Mrs. Mary McIntyre, Mrs. Zolite Boykin, Miss Cates is area field director.

Leaders and assistants for the troops are Mrs. Ray Nichols, Mrs. W. A. Cooke, Mrs. Bill Earley, Mrs. B. F. Mabe, Mrs. George Thomas, Mrs. Ted Darby, Mrs. H. J. Roberts, Mrs. Ted Phillips, Mrs. Inez Brown, Mrs. James McKinney, Mrs. Truman Jones, Mrs. W. R. Rogers, Mrs. Randolph Mays, Lorena Brooks, Mrs. Dee Davis, Jr., Mrs. Hayden Griffith, Mrs. T. J. Williamson, Mrs. Jack Johnson, Mrs. A. J. Cain, Mrs. John A. Berridge, Mrs. Zolite Boykin.

Study Course Is Followed By The Delphian Society

Approximately 34 charter members were responsible for the organization of the Gamma Delphian Society, an affiliate of the National Gamma Delphian, in Big Spring during September, 1948.

The Society follows a three year course of study prepared by the National Gamma Delphian Society. The present course of study is entitled, "The Individual as of the World." Noed educators including Professor J. Barrett Botsford, Columbia University; Chester Kirby; Harvard; Daniel Katz, Princeton others of international reputation, contributed to the preparation of this course.

Mrs. H. M. Garratt served as the first local president. Other charter officers were Mrs. Wayne Pearce, vice-president; Mrs. Alton Underwood, secretary; Marie Haynes, treasurer and Mrs. B. E. Freeman chairman.

Officers for the 1949-50 club year are Mrs. Harwood Keith, president; Mrs. S. W. Wheeler, vice-president; Mrs. A. B. Munecke, secretary; Mrs. Ray Clark, treasurer and Mrs. H. W. McCaless, chairman of the Seminar Board. Charter members were Mrs. H. M. Jarrett, Mrs. Marie Haynes, Mrs. James Brooks, Mrs. J. Harold Parks, Mrs. James M. McKinney, Mrs. Joe Eirod, Mrs. A. B. Munecke, Mrs. Ray Clark, Mrs. Roy Satterwhite, Mrs. J. C. Rattliff, Mrs. J. Y. Robb, Mrs. E. J. Hughes, Mrs. F. W. McCaless, Mrs. H. H. Stephens, Mrs. Ray Griffin, Mrs. Harwood Keith, Mrs. J. C. Lane, Mrs. F. A. Talbot, Mrs. Jimmy Mason, Mrs. B. E. Freeman, Mrs. S. W. Wheeler, Mrs. T. J. Williamson, Mrs. C. E. Thomas, Jr., Mrs. M. H. Bennett, Mrs. G. T. Hall, Mrs. M. C. Grigsby, Mrs. A. R. Hamilton, Mrs. H. W. Wright, Mrs. P. W. Malone, Mrs. L. B. Edwards, Mrs. D. B. McKinney and Mrs. Lambert Ward.

Grain sorghums make up the number two money crop in Howard county. Annual production of milo, kafir, begari, sudan, and minor varieties averages 30,000 tons.

Clerks Auxiliary Organized In '42

Objective of the local chapter of the National Federation of Post Office Clerks Auxiliary is to support workers generally in their efforts to secure a higher standard of living.

It was organized to bring together women interested in the work of the N.F.P.O.C.

The Big Spring Auxiliary was chartered Sept. 24, 1942. Officers chosen at that time were Mrs. G. I. Petellah, president; Mrs. Lindsey Marchbanks, vice president; Mrs. Alden Thomas, secretary-treasurer.

Officers of the organization for 1950 are Mrs. Alden Thomas, president; Mrs. W. A. Cook, vice president; and Mrs. Grady McCrary, secretary-treasurer.



Mrs. Alden Thomas



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If you are familiar with HCJC you know the many advantages it offers students enrolled here, the wide choice of subjects offered, the well rounded

athletic program, the night courses, and many, many other features. If you are not familiar with Howard County Junior College—then, we welcome "Get Acquainted Week" as an opportunity to invite you to inspect HCJC. Drop around and say "howdy"—meet our personnel—we are always at your service.

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REFRESH FRIENDSHIPS — While getting acquainted with folks whom we have never seen before is an important part of Get Acquainted Week, old friendships should not be forgotten. It is all too easy to pass by hurriedly, never taking time to stop and visit, to say the kind word we had in mind, or to ask about health and the family. Take time out this week to refresh those friendships — to shake hands and talk over "old times," to express the human touch before it is too late.

Cap Rock Electric Co-Op Now Serves More Than 2100 Members

School teachers and farmers fostered it and a home demonstration agent named the Cap Rock Electric Cooperative.

With Riggs Sheppard, then County school superintendent and now head of an REA unit at Merkel taking the lead, a movement was started in 1939 for an organization to serve Martin county. This was expanded to include Howard, and an early worker was Arsh Phillips, later secretary, another teacher.

Approval of a \$144,000 advance was sighted on Sept. 8, 1939 a little over a year later, a year to the day before the Pearl Harbor attack, the first section of the line was energized north of Big Spring. There were then 325 customers signed for 158 miles of line.

Mrs. Elsa Gilkerson, Martin county home demonstration agent at the time, came up with the name, "Cap Rock." O. B. Bryan, Stanton, was named superintendent on July 8, 1940, and has continued in that capacity since then.

By 1941 Cap Rock had added 40 miles into Midland and in that year the membership had ceased to 342 and mileage to \$168,000. That year brought a loan of \$128,000 for expansion. The next year 106 miles were authorized but war put a crimp in plans. By 1944, with victory in sight, 346 miles were approved.

Today there are 2,186 members served by 1,106 miles. Cap Rock had original REA loans totaling \$1,350,000. Its volume of business in 1949 was 3 1/2 million KWH, a gross revenue of \$125,000, and a payroll of \$54,000 to 18 employees. It now serves in areas of Midland, Glasscock, Dawson and Borden as well as Martin and Howard.

H. W. Davenport, Stanton, was the first president, Reece Adams the vice-president, and Riggs Sheppard secretary-treasurer. Other original board members were Glenn Cantrell, Big Spring, now president, Arsh Phillips, the secretary, C. F. Gray, J. A. Jones, Mrs. Wiley Clements, Mrs. Lee Castle Bryan continues as superintendent and James Elland is electrical advisor.



Glenn Cantrell

Sew And Chatter Third Club Name

The Sew and Chatter club has operated under three different names during the 13 years since it was first organized as the Busy Bee Sewing club.

Charter members of the sewing club were Mrs. R. F. Blum, Mrs. Ralph Towler, Mrs. Garner McAdams, Mrs. Fred A. Mitchell, Mrs. Gladys Craig, Mrs. M. S. Reale, Mrs. Tommy Lane, Mrs. Glenn Hancock, Mrs. Lorraine Freeman, Mrs. L. C. Graves, Mrs. A. M. McLeod, Frances Ferguson, Mrs. C. Y. Clinkscales, Mrs. H. V. Crocker, Mrs. B. C. Barron, Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. Clayton McCarty, and Mrs. Ted Phillips.

First president of the organization was Mrs. McLeod. Mrs. Frances Clinkscales was initial treasurer.

Present members include Mrs. Anderson as president, Mrs. Clinkscales as treasurer, Mrs. Crocker as reporter, Mrs. Blum, Mrs. Norman Holcombe, Mrs. Herbert Johnson, Mrs. McAdams, Mrs. M. A. Cook, Mrs. S. R. Nobles, Mrs. Louis Murdock, Mrs. A. C. Moore, Mrs. W. M. Gage, Mrs. Lizzie Campbell, Mrs. M. Weaver, Mrs. G. L. James, Mrs. H. J. Lightfoot, Mrs. Hollis Webb, and Mrs. Tom Rosson.

The organization was again altered in 1946, this time to Sew and Chatter club.

Name of the organization was changed to Dos Por Ocho, Spanish for Double-Eight.

Members that year were Mrs. B. C. Barron, Mrs. Pat Sullivan, Mrs. Blum, Mrs. R. L. Pritchett, Mrs. O. D. Cordill, Mrs. W. S. Hancock, Mrs. Fred McGowan, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Clinkscales, Mrs. Crocker, Mrs. M. S. Reale, and Mrs. McAdams.

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Trinity Baptists Have Worship Space Problem

In its new building at Eleventh Place and Young only a few months, the Trinity Baptist church already is experiencing need of expansion.

The congregation moved into its new plant Oct. 16, 1949 and dedicated it Jan. 15. With attendance now double three years ago, there is need for more Sunday school room. Plans are underway to add more this year.

Trinity Baptist was organized in 1931 with Rev. H. C. Goodman as pastor. From open-air meetings on W. 2nd street, the congregation moved into a planing mill building at 200 Goliad and a year later built the tabernacle at 4th and Benton. Those were depression years and the unfinished building and services had a special appeal.

Membership subsequently declined until five years ago when Rev. W. C. Best became pastor. Three lots on Eleventh Place were purchased and bid for the theatre at the Army air base. Rev. Marvin H. Clark became pastor in August 1947. The theater was bought for \$3,500, wrecked and stored on site for the new plant.

Meantime, other phases of the work prospered. Two missionaries were adopted for regular support. A 30-minute radio program was booked, subsequently doubling it to an hour on Sunday evening and the daily broadcast at 1:30 p.m. The pastor, now 24, has been preaching since 14. He envisions that someday an entire half block will be required to house the church facilities.

Officers of the church are Thomas M. Yeats, Sunday school superintendent; J. I. Suggs, treasurer; E. A. Nance, Jr., choir director; Mrs. Doyle Turney, pianist. Departmental heads are Mrs. Avery Deal, nursery; Mrs. Marvin Clark, beginners; Mrs. A. L. Medina, primary; Mrs. J. I. Suggs, junior; Weldon Bryson, intermediate; the pastor, young people; A. W. Medlin, adult.



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Credit Education Furthered By Women's Club In B'Spring

Big Spring's Credit Women's club was organized for the purpose of studying credit problems, exchanging ideas and promoting credit education and interest.

Membership is composed of women who are credit authorities for their firms and who are connected with firms dealing in retail credit. Executives of local Credit associations and the Velma O'Neil Lone Star Council of Credit Women, and locally with the Big Spring Federation of Women's clubs, the club holds regular

meetings at the First Methodist church on the first and third Thursday of each month at noon for a luncheon business program.

Although the club was organized primarily for educational purposes, it has taken further steps and has joined other clubs of Big Spring in aiding civic projects which are promoted for the betterment of the community. Among organizations which the club has contributed are the Red Cross, Community Chest, Cancer fund and the VFW Iron Lung fund.

Among civic projects that the club has had an active part in are the Girl Scout building program and the Northside park for colored children.

At the present time, the club still has an interest in the Northside project and plans to assist as need arises. The club has also

assisted in the raising of an educational fund for Jimmie Lee Pitts, Negro singer.

One of the outstanding successes of the club was the conducting of the "Sisters of the Swish" campaign during the Centennial celebration last fall.

The club has been hostess for the district convention of the Retail Credit Executives of Texas on two occasions, in 1946 and 1948. Attendance at both conventions reached about 125.

The club has sent its president to the State Convention of the Retail Credit Executives of Texas on three occasions. In 1946, Marguerette Wooten went to Houston. In 1948, Veda Carter was sent to San Antonio and in 1949, Faye Coltharp was sent to Dallas. Two of the club's members are officers

of the District Retail Credit Executives. Marguerette Wooten is president and Pauline Sullivan is secretary-treasurer.

Present officers are Mrs. Velma O'Neal, president, Mrs. Marie Parker, vice-president, Mrs. Doris Lane, treasurer.

Organized in April, 1944, the club held its first regular meeting on May 9, 1944. First officers were president, Alice Craven, vice president, Dorothy Swartz, and sec-

retary-treasurer, Pauline Sullivan. Charter members were Alice Craven, Ollie Kubanks, Edith Hatchett, Katherine Homan, Ruth Lederman, Florence McNew, Serena Tate, Velma O'Neal, Virginia Schwarzenbach, Pauline Sullivan, Sue Wasson and Helen Williams.

The club has 34 active members.



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Washington Studied Rules Of Friendship

George Washington had many friends, who were at times true to him and then again false, just as are any man's. He didn't need a Get Acquainted Week to bring peo-

ple to him for they flocked to him constantly for all reasons. His statement on friendship is therefore of value: "Be courteous to all but intimate with few, and let those few be well tried before you give them your confidence." True friendship is a plant of slow growth and must undergo and withstand the shocks of adversity before it is entitled to the name. This might well be a guiding principle for those who seek new friends this week and afterwards.

HISTORY OF CIVIC PROJECTS

From Agriculture To Blood Plasma, Record Of Kiwanis

Extend Your Hand, Make A Friend

A testimony to the value of friendship for man is to be found in the writings of Donald Culross Peattie, one of America's foremost students of nature.

"Lonely, hopeful, mortal, the spirit of man inhabits a billion bodies, and in the dark journeys and crashing catastrophes of life it longs for fellowship. We are all strangers to each other until one of us puts out his hand—and makes a friend."

Civic and welfare projects sponsored by the Big Spring Kiwanis club have ranged from instituting a blood plasma bank in local hospitals to promotion of a progressive agriculture program during the local organization's 21-year history.

The Big Spring Kiwanis club was chartered on April 16, 1929. Since that date, the club, as one of over 3,000 embracing 200,000 members in the United States and Canada, has been associated with dozens of community projects while sponsoring many others of its own.

Among Kiwanis projects here that are well-known are the wading pool and bridge at the City park, the blood plasma bank, sponsorship of Boy Scout Troop No. 3, and sponsorship of the Key club, an organization for high school students with objectives similar to those of the Kiwanis groups.

The Big Spring Kiwanis club sponsored a number of programs, minstrels, the old Jubalaska and other attractions to raise funds for underprivileged children.

The club's agriculture committee is particularly active, and is planning to sponsor an educational program of lectures for farmers and ranchers in Howard and adjoining counties. Subjects will be agronomy and animal husbandry. In addition, the club plans to start a competitive animal raising and farming enterprise among the county's youth.

The inter-club relations committee, headed by Nat Shick, makes visits to other clubs in the district. One of the Big Spring club's members, H. W. Smith, is now serving as lieutenant governor of the district.

Other active committees include the group for boys and girls work, with D. M. McKinney chairman; the underprivileged children's committee, headed by Troy Harrell; the education committee, with Walter Reed and H. E. Clay, co-chairmen; the membership committee, with the Rev. Alsie Carleton chairman; the Key Club committee, headed by Dr. Jeff Hanna; the committee on churches and special aims, with John Coffey chairman; and the public relations committee, headed by Herbert Feather.

Dr. R. B. G. Cowper is president of the Kiwanis club, while Raymond L. Tollett is vice-president and Bernie Freeman is secretary-treasurer. The board of directors is composed of Nat Shick, immediate past president; Grady Duling, Dr. Hanna, Troy Harrell, Lloyd Brooks, H. E. Clay, Jack Roden and Rev. Carleton.

Fellowship, Cultural Pursuit Among Aims Of Junior Forum

"Ignorance is the curse of God; knowledge wherewith we fly to heaven," is the motto of the Junior Woman's Forum in Big Spring, organized at the meeting of the Modern Woman's Forum November 8, 1946.

Purpose of the club is to encourage friendship through constructive reading and membership association.

Mrs. Don Burk was elected the first president of the club, with Mrs. Clyde Johnston as program chairman. Other officers included Mrs. Burke Summers, vice-president; Mrs. Omar Jones, secretary; Mrs. W. L. Hawkins, treasurer. Cecil Colings of the sponsoring forum was chosen to serve as the Junior group's sponsor and advisor.

Study topics through the years included "The Modern Home—The Basis For Child Education"; "How the World Lives"; and "Know Your United States."

Big Salt Deposit Beneath The City

Salt, probably one of the most bountiful minerals in Howard county, is one resource that has never been developed.

The city of Big Spring is located directly above a dome of the substance that is at least 464 feet in thickness.

A water well, drilled on the courthouse lawn in 1886, revealed the presence of salt from a depth of 660 feet down to 1,064 feet below the surface. A salt stratum has also been touched on the H. C. Read farm, just north of Big Spring, at a depth of 1,020 feet.

One company has capitalized on salt water from wells in the county to convert it into caustics for all well purposes.

Water Usage Jumps

Water consumption in Big Spring has increased approximately 600 per cent in the last 20 years while population has doubled.

Prior to 1936, average annual consumption of water was estimated at 162,000,000 gallons. In 1936 the consumption was 184,500,000. Last year some 981,627,000 gallons were used.

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Jack Irons
Manager



Charles Nelson
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Contributions To Pythian Home Among Projects Of Local Temple

Chief interest of the Pythian Sisters of Sterling Temple No. 43 is the Pythian home at Weatherford. The organization makes contributions to the home each year. Each month sheets and pillowcases are given to a needy family with funds raised by rummage sales and bingo parties. Temple officers assisted in the institution of a new temple in Odessa last year and participated in the district convention held at Lamesa in October.

Officers of the local temple are Maurine Chrane, past chief; Anne Darrow, most excellent chief; Juanita Fanna, excellent senior; Evelyn Johnson, excellent junior; Rilla Medlin, manager; Janet Lilly, protector; Ellen Loftin, guard; Verna Martin, captain of degree staff; Catherine deGraf, secretary; Bonnie Bennett, secretary; and Mildred Vaughan, Estelle Cross, and Beatrice Verge, trustees; Estelle Gross, pianist; and Frankie Tucker, press correspondent. First officers were Arbutus Lawson, sitting past chief; Frankie Tucker, past chief; Ruby Rainbolt, most excellent chief; Maurine Chrane, excellent senior; Marguerette Thompson, excellent junior; Delores Norred, manager; Op-



Mrs. Paul Darrow held at Lamesa in October.

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al Wooten, protector; Hazel Manuel, guard; Johnnie Morrison, secretary; Estelle Gross, pianist; Rilla Medlin, captain of degree staff; and Anna Darrow, press correspondent. There were 52 charter members to the organization.

Several Projects On Hyperion List

Mrs. Robert Parks served as the first president of the 1930 Hyperion club, which was organized in the summer, and had its first meeting in September, 1930.

One of the largest community projects ever undertaken by the 1930 Hyperion club was the sponsorship of a reading room at the West Side Recreation park. Members bought and collected as gifts several hundred books, magazines and furnishings for the room. They helped pay a salary to a supervisor and served as story tellers each week. This work continued until those books were donated to the county library.

During the war years, the 1930 Hyperion club served as hostesses at the USO, helped with the bond drives and contributed to other war activities.



Mrs. R. W. Thompson Other first officers included Clara Pool, vice president; Mrs. Tracy Smith, recording secretary; Jena Jordan, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Walter Glenn, treasurer; Mrs. C. K. Bivings, parliamentarian; Ada E. Lingo, critic and reporter. A few of the charter members along with the charter officers were Mrs. J. A. Coffey, Mrs. Harry Hurt, Mrs. Hubert Stipp, Agnes Currie and Dorothy Jordan.

Since 1946, when all the local Hyperion clubs were merged into one organization, the 1930 department has participated in the community projects of the larger club. Two of the main projects for this year include the beginning movement toward a woman's club house in Big Spring and the entertainment of the Eighth District convention of the Texas Federation of Women's clubs to be held here in April.

Mrs. R. W. Thompson is serving as the current president of the club. Other officers include Mrs. J. M. Woodall, vice president; Mrs. Maurice Koger, secretary; Clara Secrest, treasurer; Mrs. B. L. LeFever, parliamentarian; Mrs. Ted Groehl, critic; Mrs. Carl Blomshied, federation counselor; Mrs. W. B. Hardy, reporter. Other members in the club are Mrs. Chester Barnes, Mrs. M. H. Bennett, Mrs. R. B. G. Cowper, Mrs. Horace Garrett, Mrs. T. E. Helton, Mrs. J. M. McKinney, Mrs. Pat Murphy, Mrs. Morris Patterson, Mrs. Omar Pittman, Mrs. J. Y. Robb, Mrs. Champ Rainwater, Mrs. Hubert Stipp, Mrs. Ira Thurman, Mrs. Elmo Wasson and Mrs. Arch Carson.

Two T&P Stations

Big Spring, a division point on the T&P railroad is one of two T&P stations in the county. The other is Coahoma.

The railway company has 33.08 miles of track in Howard county. The railyard in Big Spring has a capacity of 1,100 cars, a large repair shop, and a 23-engine roundhouse.

Many Relics In Local Museum

Historical relics contributed by practically every pioneer family in the Big Spring area are among the collection of the West Texas Historical museum.

Guns and equipment from two world wars, Indian relics, and mementos of early West Texas life are

on exhibit in the museum at City park. The Big Spring B&PW club maintains the collection and furnishes workers to keep the museum open each Sunday during the summer months.

Mrs. Mary Bumpass, teacher in the high school for many years, started the West Texas Historical museum with articles collected by her Current Events History club more than 20 years ago.

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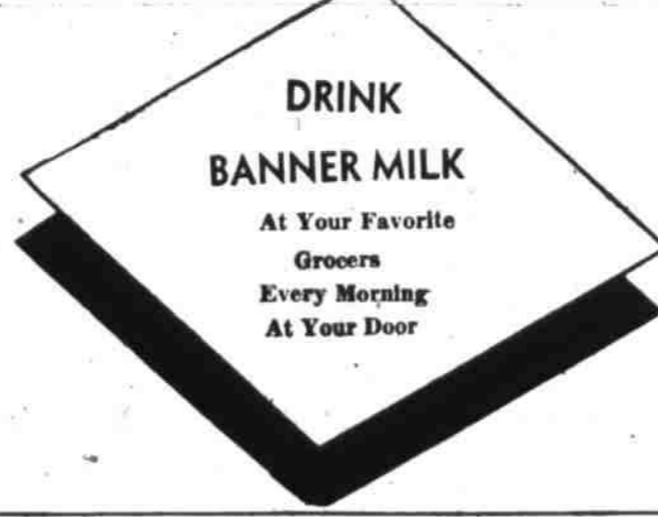
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Bricklayers Union Grew Up With City

Local No. 35 of the Bricklayers, Masons and Plasterers International Union of America has sort of grown up with Big Spring and West Texas.



R. H. Porter

Charter for the local was issued on Oct. 18, 1909, some 41 years after the international union was set up. Ben Miller was elected president and served in that capacity until Jan. 3, 1948. His remarkable record of service earned him the rarely conferred title of president emeritus. It was recognition for having carried the burden of the organization alone at times over those years. Other first officers were J. F. Carnatt, vice president, and John Gooch, secretary.

The local has around 100 journeymen in 15 West Texas counties, including those in crafts of bricklayers, plasterers, cement finishers, stone masons, marble masons, tile setters, terrazo workers, cement block layers, caulkers.

Concerned with the welfare, working conditions, scales, etc. of its members, the union is proud that strikes and work stoppages among its members are practically unknown. It takes pride also in having furnished Harry C. Bates, Dallas, as the international president for the past 20 odd years and a respected labor counsellor in Washington. Another point of pride is in stepping the ratio of apprentices to one and eight to meet heavy demands, and an arrangement whereby veterans may earn a card in three years.

The union does not limit the number of brick a man can lay in a day's time, rather that he lay as many as it is possible to lay. It points out, too, that cost of brick

work is negligible to the total, having run only on a per cent on one major job.

Present officers are Fred S. Crow, Odessa, president; Buford Shelton, Odessa, vice-president; T. J. Montagna, Midland, deputy; R. E. Porter, Big Spring, secretary; treasurer, a post he has held since 1937.

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Acquaint' Comes From English, Romans

Of special interest during Get Acquainted Week is Webster's definition of the word "acquaint" as "to make one's self know by introducing one's self." The definition is an exact statement of the purpose of the gift week, when Big Spring's citizens will all be making themselves known by introducing themselves.

Friendship and acquaintance were important to the people of old England from whom we get the modern word. The English of the middle ages used the form "acquaint" with essentially the same meaning. The word also has its origin in the Old French form "accointer" and beyond that in history in the Latin word "cognoscere."

Friendship and acquaintance are as old as the word and have been valued highly through the centuries.



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MEET NEW BIG SPRINGERS — Why not go calling this week on those people down the street who have just moved to Big Spring. Get acquainted with them and help them get acquainted with Big Spring. Take them to a movie, take them to church Sunday, invite them to your club's next meeting. This is Get Acquainted Week.

WORLD WAR II HEROES HONORED IN NAMING OF LOCAL VFW POST

The Christensen-Tucker Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, was organized in Big Spring in 1932, with the late W. G. Hayden serving as the first commander.

At first the post was known simply as the Tucker Post, in memory of Edward Christensen, who became known during World War II, the name was changed to Fuller Post, honoring a pioneer as the Ray E. Christensen-Big Spring post, mail pilot.

U. G. Powell and Sterling Tucker who were killed in action in that war.

The post owns its own club house at 910 Gollad street, which includes approximately five acres of land. The building was formerly the ranch home of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Birdwell.

Past VFW commanders here include W. G. Hayden, Ike Faust, James T. Brooks, Raymer Brown, Dr. C. W. Deats, T. C. Thomas, J. D. O'Barr, Joe Jacobs, Leon Barber, H. L. Bohannon, J. A. (Buck) Hull, J. A. Thurman.

Major activities of the post are Buddy Poppy sales and sponsorship of the iron lung fund. The post sponsored one fund drive that resulted in the purchase of an iron lung for Big Spring, and recently was co-sponsor with the Junior chamber of commerce in a campaign for a second iron lung. Proceeds from the sale of Buddy Poppies are used for charity and for the VFW orphans home.

At one time the local post sponsored a softball team that entered national competition and was sent to Buffalo, N. Y.

Present officers of the VFW are U. G. Powell, commander; R. L. Evans, adjutant; J. A. Thurman, chaplain and poppy chairman.

Airport Busy Spot

Civil Aeronautics administration facilities has made Big Spring's Municipal airport a hub for West Texas aviation.

Practically every branch of the CAA is represented here. Communications, electronic maintenance, traffic control, safety, weather, and airport engineering is handled at Municipal field. Many of the Federal services are regional in scope.

School Organ, Basketball Uniforms Among College Heights Objectives

Project for the College Heights P-TA during the current school year includes securing an organ for the musical education department and purchase of basketball uniforms for fifth, sixth, and seventh graders.

Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Jr. is president of the organization. Mrs. Bob Evans is vice president. Mrs. Howard Stephens is secretary, and Mrs. Relfee Jones is treasurer. Since its formation in Mrs. Clyde E. 1938, the P-TA Thomas, Jr. has bought a piano for the school, provided shrubs for the school grounds, purchased a couch for the girls' lounge, furnished bicycle racks, bought furniture for the lunch room, built a fence around the grounds, secured a water heater, stove and ice box for the kitchen, purchased a duplicating machine.

W has also bought a ditto machine, films, and other visual education materials, and provided a back stop for the baseball fields. The College Heights P-TA was organized on Oct. 22, 1938, shortly after the College Heights building was completed. Mrs. Hayes Stripling presided at the first meeting while Mrs. Alma Blount was chosen temporary secretary.

First officers of the P-TA were Mrs. Wayne Pearce, president; Mrs. R. E. Blount, vice president; Mrs. A. R. Collins, secretary; and Mrs. Hank McDaniels, treasurer. There were 85 charter members.

Throughout the years since its founding, the organization has provided baskets of food for needy families at Thanksgiving, and has assisted a number of school children in securing daily lunches and clothing. During the war, it collected scrap metal and paper for the war effort and assisted in the sale of defense stamps.

One of the highest honors to be received in P-TA units has gone to three members of the College Heights unit. They have been awarded life memberships in the organization.

Mrs. H. G. Keaton, Mrs. G. E. Brigham, and Mrs. Hayes Stripling have been designated as members for all concerned in the unit. At present, there are 212 members in the organization.

Home Meetings Started Local Church Of God

From cottage prayer meetings to a congregation with six charter members, the Main Street Church of God has grown into a sturdy religious institution in Big Spring.

The church had its roots in prayer meetings in 1924 in the neighborhood of W. 4th and Galveston streets. Among the early pastors were a Rev. Rich and Rev. Koker. Later W. S. Hancock, one of Rev. Koker's converts assumed leadership and is an evangelist for the denomination today. Rev. C. Johnson, now at Gorman, was a pastor of the early church.

Several ministers have been developed in the church. Rev. Loyd Taylor is at the First Church of God in Dallas; Dr. A. Leland Forrest, son of one of the charter members, is dean of the Methodist University at Upland, Indiana. Rev. Elra Phillips is pastor of the Methodist church at Sylvester and is studying at McClurry. Rev. N. C. Dalton is pastor at El Campo. Two of the youngest called are Roy Ut and Eddie Hickson, who are preparing to enter the college at Anderson, Indiana in the autumn.

Charter members of the church were Mrs. D. Forrest, Mrs. J. W. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Spears Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Young. First officers were William Martin, D. Forrest and William Spears. Current members of the board of trustees are W. P. Young, C. S. Harrington, Richard Reagan, Pete Hickson, J. W. Anderson.

Rev. John Kolar is pastor and Mrs. Kolar is Sunday school superintendent. Mrs. Truett Thomas is missionary society president. The church gives 10 per cent of its budget to its world service fund and supports benevolences in addition.

Membership gains of 15 per cent were reported last year, and 10 per cent in Sunday school. If possible, the congregation hopes within a year or so to sell its present property and build a new church plant.

Eight Oil-Bearing Formations Tapped

Eight oil producing formations have been tapped beneath Howard county's topsoil since the initial discovery well was drilled in on April 18, 1926.


The Mississippian, reached last summer, was the eighth producing lime to be discovered in the county. Other formations now producing are the Grayburg, Yates, Clear Fork, San Angelo, Canyon, San Andres, and Seven Rivers.

Possibility of production from the Strawn, a ninth lime, underlying the Canyon is the Pennsylvanian series, is regarded as good by some operators in the Howard-Glasscock field.


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Civic Beautification First Project Of The Garden Club

On Wednesday, October 15, 1947, a small group of women met in the First Presbyterian church for the purpose of organizing a Garden Club. Mrs. J. T. Brooks served as chairman and appointed a nominating committee.

Attending that first meeting were Mrs. Harry M. O. S. Gomez, Mrs. Royce Satterwhite, Mrs. John A. Coffee, Mrs. Dee Davis, Mrs. H. W. Wright, Mrs. Cecil Collins, Mrs. J. M. Morgan, Mrs. J. D. Benson, Mrs. Cliff Wiley, Mrs. R. L. Tollett, Mrs. J. Gordon Bristow, Mrs. Roy R. Rickner, Mrs. J. C. Daugherty, Mrs. B. L. LeFever, Helen Wolcott, Mrs. R. T. Piner, Mrs. Dewey Colburn, Mrs. Marvin Sewell, Mrs. Preston Sanders, Mrs. Roy Reeder, Mrs. Olin Puckett, Mrs. James T. Brooks, Mrs. W. D. Wilbanks and Mrs. Dwaln Leonard.

At a meeting during the following week, Mrs. J. Gordon Bristow was elected president, Mrs. R. L. Tollett, first vice president, Mrs. H. W. Smith, second vice president, Mrs. B. L. LeFever, recording secretary, Mrs. H. W. Wright, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. John A. Coffee, treasurer.

The Big Spring Garden Club became affiliated with the Texas Fed-

eration of Garden Clubs, Inc., as soon after this meeting as possible. In December of the same year, the club sponsored a Christmas out-door lighting contest and has continued the sponsorship since that time. On April 28, 1948, the Garden Club joined the city federation of club women and during the same month, the club's first iris and shrub show was held. The first garden pilgrimage to various homes and gardens was made in June.

The club moved fall flower show from November as originally planned, to October in order that it might be held in connection with the Howard County fair. The success of this show was instrumental in helping the members to decide to hold a flower judging

show in May, 1949.

The club float to the Santa Claus parade in December won first prize, which was used in beautifying the grounds of the Girl Scout hut on Lancaster street. The second iris and spring flower show was held in April, 1948, and this took the form of a silver tea, the object of which was to help defray the expenses of the flower judging school to be given the following month.

With June came the second garden pilgrimage and at this meeting a life membership was conferred on Mrs. J. M. Morgan, who organized the first Big Spring Garden club in 1928.

Gifts of bulbs, seeds and other supplies were given at Christmas to the Westside playground.

ORGANIZATION 10 YEARS OLD Women Active In B&PW Projects

In just 10 years, the Big Spring Business and Professional Women's club has grown into one of the most active organizations in the city.

Aided by five members from the Colorado City club and two from San Angelo, organization of a B&PW unit here was first discussed at a meeting held Sept. 30, 1929, and the local club's charter was presented on Feb. 11, 1930.

There were 12 charter members including Jeannette Barnett, president; Gene Harrington, vice-president; Edith Gay, second vice-president; Gladys Smith, recording secretary; Ina Mae Bradley, corresponding secretary; Lillian Rhoads, treasurer; Mary Whaley, Helen Daley, Anita Bonds, Stella Flynn, Maurine Word and Merle Grace Haygood.

Present officers are Mamie Mayfield, president; Betty Canning, first vice-president; June Asbury, second vice-president; Lina Flew-ellen, corresponding secretary; Faye Coltharp, recording secretary; and Ina Deason, treasurer.

Past presidents, in addition to Jeannette Barnett, include Gladys Smith Hutchinson, Mary Helen Donnell, Myrtle Jones Stoutenburg, Mary Watson Jones, June Matson Asbury, Jewel Barton, Lillian Hurt Rockwood and Moree Sawtelle.

Major activities during the past year are sponsorship of a movement to establish a park for Negroes, organization and sponsorship of the In-Door Sports club for physically handicapped persons, operation of the museum at City park, a "bosses' night" banquet, a bazaar and a dinner honoring the state B&PW president, Mrs. Charley Ward.

The B&PW club also worked the Centennial Association during the celebration last fall, made Christmas contributions to aged men and women, contributed to the Iron Lung fund, contributed to the Jim-

mie Lee Pitts voice study fund and the Minnie L. Maffett fellowship fund. At present the club is sponsoring the sale of Easter seals and a series of radio programs on civic development.

In earlier years the B&PW club assisted in purchasing uniforms for high school band members, helped underprivileged children, contributed to Chinese relief, Chinese nurses training, sponsored Brownie and Girl Scout troops, contributed to mobile feed units and helped in bond and welfare drives.

The organization helped to provide recreation for soldiers before the USO was established and then participated in the USO functions and helped sponsor a Red Cross hospital visitation program.

The club motto is "Better business women for a better business world."

Get better Acquainted with YOURSELF. It's ironic that after all is said and done, we never take a good look at ourselves, and sometimes we really don't know ourselves as we ought. This week is a good time to double check with the idea of individual betterment. When we ask ourselves how we may correct some fault or make some self improvement, then we may be on the way to some real improvement.

Four Baseball Parks Have Served City

Four baseball parks have served Big Spring in its history. First was erected at W. 2nd and Lancaster (Jack), where the mighty T&P and Elks teams held forth. Later one was raised immediately east of town and first professional ball was played in it. Next one was constructed at W. 5th and San Antonio, and West Texas-New Mexico league games were played there. In 1947 Longhorn league ball came to Big Spring and fans raised most of the funds required for a \$35,000 plant and gave it to the schools.

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THE GIRL SCOUTS. Basically, the objectives of the Girl Scouts are not much different from that of the boys' organization. Girls are trained so they will be better women, self-reliant and equipped to better serve their homes and country. In Big Spring the Girl Scouts are very active. They carry on many projects, have day camps and go to summer camps. They also have a Girl Scout hut in the 1400 block of Lancaster.

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Chamber Of Commerce Work Dates Back For 41 Years

The Big Spring chamber of commerce and its forerunner, the commercial club, have been identified with local civic and business development for 41 years. Among major projects which the chamber of commerce has been associated with are erection of modern hotels, an up-to-date airport, the state hospital, several miles of city paving, highways and lateral roads, water development, agricultural and livestock development, the Veterans Administration hospital, the Howard County Junior college and many others. Those are only a few of the larger projects. The chamber of commerce participates in dozens of civic projects and other events each year, and sponsors many of them itself. Probably the greatest project of its kind was the Centennial celebration last fall, in which the chamber of commerce played a major role.

There are, of course, many routine activities which the chamber of commerce handles for the community, such as furnishing information to business firms interested in locating here, helping new residents locate housing, answering hundreds of letters and many other tasks required by tourists, educational institutions, industrial and business concerns.

The 1939 officers of the chamber of commerce are Adolph Swartz, president; William L. Cox, vice-president; G. H. Hayward and R. W. Whipkey, West Texas Chamber of Commerce directors. The executive committee is composed of Swartz, Cox, Douglas Orms, Joe Pickle, K. H. McGibbon, Walter Phillips and Fritz Wehner.

Members of the professional staff are J. H. (Jimmie) Greene, manager; H. J. Morrison, assistant manager; Edith Gay, secretary and Joy Johnston, receptionist. For Striplin and E. Reagan took the lead in organizing the commercial club which began early in 1900. In 1919 the organization became known as the chamber of commerce, with J. E. Mundel serving as the first president.

Success in organizing presidents have been W. W. Rix, M. J. H. Morrison, R. L. Price, B. Reagan, S. R. Weaver, Shine Phillips, E. A. Kelley, Dr. E. O. Ellington, Joe Edwards, T. W. Ashley, Wendell Bedichek, Dr. W. B. Hardy, G. C. W. Webber, George White, G. C. Dunham, Bob Schermerhorn, Dr. P. W. Malone, Cal Boykin, Ted O. Groehl, R. W. Whipkey, Ben LeFever, Willard Sullivan, A. S. Darby, R. T. Piner, Joe Pickle, K. H. McGibbon, Elmo Wason, Douglas Orms and A. Swartz.

Lutheran Laymen In Organization

The year 1949 is an important one for St. Paul's Lutheran laymen. Meeting at the home of F. G. L. Snow with their pastor in April, they organized a men's club. Threefold purpose is to benefit the government, home, and church. Snow was elected president, John Foster, secretary-treasurer; and M. W. Rupp and Joe Radanoff as program committee. Programs have developed along the lines of the purposes. Last autumn the group entertained the Laymen's League of Midland. This year a project is sponsorship of a two-day camp meeting at the park for Lutherans from over West Texas. Snow, Albert Hertz and G. Oppgard are on the organizing committee for this activity. Eventually the unit plans to affiliate with the Lutheran Laymen's League, an international organization which sponsors the Lutheran hour broadcast.



13 Members Started Church Of Nazarene

The Church of the Nazarene, 4th and Austin streets, will attain its 22nd birthday in Big Spring on April 15.

For two years after it organized as a congregation with 13 charter members, it did not have a permanent home. One was acquired at 500 Young in the spring of 1930. The present building at its location was secured in 1937 and a three bedroom parsonage was constructed in 1943.

Charter members were Mrs. Bob Reynolds, Mrs. Tom Reynolds, Mrs. J. E. Smith, Mrs. J. C. Zell, Mrs. B. H. Henderson, Mrs. B. Y. Dixon, Vera Dixon, Anna Dixon, Ida Bell Smith, Louise Smith, Cyna Henderson, Frank Henderson, Mrs. Keith.

Today the Rev. Lewis Patterson is the pastor of the church. Present officers of the church include Lowell Holland, chairman, J. H. Turner and Earl Bohannon, trustees; Mrs. Curtis Hood, chairman, Mrs. J. H. Turner and Mrs. J. D. Patton, board of stewards. June Patton is secretary-treasurer.

Mr. Turner serves as Sunday school superintendent; Mrs. E. E. Holland, Women's Foreign Missionary Society president; Mrs. Lewis Patterson, Nazarene Young People's Society president. The church schedules a full calendar of activities by months, stressing youth, giving, doctrine, Sunday school, mission, choir, membership and special activities such as vacation Bible school and camp meeting. It also sponsors the "Showers of Blessing" radio program over KTXC each Sunday at 9 a. m.

Lincoln Admirer Of True Friendship

Lincoln was the great friend of thousands of people, often doing deeds of great merit for unknowns without their realizing it. Countless stories have been told of his high regard for his fellow men and his actions proving this belief. As a wartime President he was faced with the tasks of considering thousands of applications which came to him from soldiers involved in military discipline cases. The pleas often came with letters from influential citizens seeking help for the soldier. Once Lincoln found such a plea alone on a single sheet of paper, with recommendation letters attached. "Has this man no friends?" he asked? "No sir, not a friend," replied his adjutant. "Then," said Lincoln, "I will be his friend. This is the spirit for the people of Big Spring to imitate during Get Acquainted Week.

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Methodist Ladies Had Early Task Of Helping Furnish New Building

The Ladies Aid society of the First Methodist church was formed shortly after organization of the church in 1883. One of its first tasks was to help in furnishing the new building.

Since that time it has sponsored socials, bazaars and other fund-raising programs with proceeds going to welfare work and church improvement. It became the Woman's Missionary society about 1925 and continued its programs for raising funds for furnishings for a new parsonage, and another new church building. During that year, the organization earned around \$3,000 by serving functions for service clubs, the chamber of commerce, and other organizations.

In 1940 the society became the Woman's Society for Christian Service, and today it has five circles of 130 members. It carries on work in fields of spiritual life, missionary education, work, literature and publications, children, youth and student work. The organization maintains an annual budget of approximately \$3,000, half of which goes toward carrying on home and missionary work and the other half used to carry on local activities.

Present officers of the society are Mrs. Herbert Keaton, president; Mrs. Royce Satterwhite, vice president; Mrs. Frank Powell, secretary; Mrs. H. M. Rowe, treasurer; and Mrs. S. R. Nobles, Mrs. Merle Stewart, Mrs. M. E. Ooley, Mrs. Clyde Johnston, Mrs. A. F. Johnson, Mrs. Bernard Lamun, Mrs. A. C. Moore, and Mrs. Lucille Hester, department secretaries. Circle leaders are Mrs. Albert Smith, Mrs. C. R. Moad, Mrs. H. H. Stephens, and Mrs. C. E. Shive.



Mrs. H. G. Keaton

Park Methodist One Of City's Newer Churches

Next to the newest church in Big Spring is that of the Park Methodist church, 1401 W. 4th St. It grew out of a mission effort launched by the First Methodist church committee on evangelism, headed by Mrs. W. D. McDonald, Lt. Edwin Wade, stationed here at the bombardier school during the war, supplied as pastor, Henry D. Norris also filled the pulpit for several months. Other instructors in the mission project were Mrs. B. E. Winterrowd, Mrs. G. C. Graves, Mrs. Gould Winn, Mrs. W. A. Laswell, Mrs. Joe Faucett, Mrs. R. A. Eubanks.

In one respect, the history was unique. The church plant was dedicated on July 17, 1948, a modern and attractive building in every respect. At the same time, a parsonage was provided.

Actual organization of the church did not come until Aug. 1, 1948, with the Rev. J. A. Smith as the first pastor. He still serves the Park congregation.

Cost of the plant, parsonage and equipment approximates \$36,200—all raised. Membership of the church has grown from 40 charter members to 83 at present. J. W. Bryant is present chairman of the board of stewards. Mrs. Abbie Anderson is president of the Women's Society of Christian Service. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Guthrie are sponsors of the Youth Fellowship, headed by Alice Mae Dorton. Mrs. Gould Winn is in charge of the children's department. Church school enrollment is 78. Four services, including two regular worship periods, are held on Sunday and mid-week prayer on Wednesday.



Rev. J. A. Smith

City Officials

Big Spring has had five city managers and 14 mayors since it was incorporated 42 years ago. Mayors of the city have been George D. Lee, L. T. Deats, James T. Brooks, O. T. Lacy, W. R. Purser, Clyde E. Thomas, R. D. Matthews, C. W. Cunningham, J. B. Pickle, C. E. Talbot, R. V. Jones, G. C. Dunham, R. L. Cook, and G. W. Dabney. City managers have been Will V. Montin, Vernon R. Smith, E. V. Spence, B. J. McDaniel, and Herbert Whitney.

24 Co. Officials

A total of 24 men have served as Howard county attorney since the first election was held in 1882. Clyde E. and George Thomas are the only father and son combination that ever served as the county's attorney. Clyde E. Thomas held the office from 1919 to 1922. George Thomas was county attorney from 1947 to 1949. He was also elected to the office in 1943, but remained only a short time before going to service.

The 'Thomas Flyer'

The first motorized fire engine in Texas was put in service in Big Spring on Sept. 22, 1909. Old Engine No. 1, which cost the city \$6,000, served until 1925 when it was replaced by a more modern vehicle. F. E. McCrary was first driver of the 'Thomas Flyer.'

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Many Projects On Calendar Of East Ward P-TA

Charitable and welfare work has been the principal activity of the Eager Beaver club since it was organized four years ago.

Members of the club have sent baskets of food and clothing to needy families here at Thanksgiving and Christmas each year since 1946.

A considerable quantity of clothing was given to flood relief at Fort Worth last year, and Eager Beavers have also contributed liberally to the European Relief program.

The group made gifts to the Community Chest here, and contributed to the Iron Lung fund and the March of Dimes. A chair was given to needy people at the Big Spring State hospital.

In addition to its welfare work, the club has entered a booth at the county fair each year it has been in session, exhibiting handicraft of members. The organization also won two prizes on floats in parades here.

The Eager Beavers won first place for floats in the rodeo parade last year, and won third prize in the 1948 Christmas procession.

When the club was organized on August 8, 1946, Mrs. Dick Hooper was chosen president, Mrs. H. D. Bruton was named vice president; Mrs. V. C. Barber was elected secretary-treasurer and reporter; and Mrs. A. B. Jernigan and Mrs. Dalton Johnson were chosen for the social committee. The organizational meeting was held in Mrs. Bruton's home.

Members of the Eager Beaver club at present include Mrs. Bruton, Mrs. Jernigan, Mrs. J. D. Kendrick, Mrs. Elgin Jones, Mrs. Hooper, Mrs. Barber, Mrs. R. I. Findley, Mrs. Richard Grimes, Mrs. Bryant, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Denver Yates, Mrs. W. O. Washington, Mrs. M. W. Rupp, Mrs. LeRoy Findley, Mrs. J. E. Freeman, Mrs. Roy Spivey, Mrs. Joe Mitchell, Mrs. Grady Burnett, Mrs. W. L. Clayton, and Mrs. A. F. Johnson.

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Getting acquainted might be worth a crisp \$5 bill to you any day this week.

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As a part of Get Acquainted Week, The Herald this week is sponsoring a new adventure in meeting people. This is the way it will work:

Each day there will be a mystery Mr. Get Acquainted or Mrs. (Miss) Get Acquainted. These individuals will be known only to one Herald staffer.

Moreover, they will be relative newcomers to Big Spring.

They will be on the lookout for the first individual to walk up to them on their particular day and make their acquaintance.

For instance, today probably at one of the Big Spring churches someone will shake the hand of a relative stranger and say: "My name is Jones. We're mighty glad you came to worship with us." Maybe he or she will add that "we hope that you will come back and be with us as often as possible, and place your membership with us," or even an old-fashioned, "won't you have dinner with us?"

If that's the first time it has happened to the Get Acquainted newcomer for the day, he or she will hand an envelope to the person extending the greeting. That envelope, presented to the Herald, will be worth \$5 on Monday.

And so it will go throughout the week.

Monday there will be a different individual who is the mystery Get Acquainted individual. Tuesday it will be somebody else. They

may be in stores; they may be on jobs; they might even be on street corners. But every day there will be a different person who is wanting to meet people and is ready to hand a note worth \$5 to the

first person who obliges them. The only tip you have is that the person will be a rank stranger or relative new comer.

Even if you don't pick up the \$5, you can't lose, for you'll be mak-

ing friends. That's fun and profitable in the things that money can't buy.

So don't let any strangers go unnoticed and un-greeted this week.

There's A Wrong Way On This Getting Acquainted Business

It seems there is a wrong way to go about this get acquainted business, and despite the fact that some of the methods not generally recommended get results occasionally, there is usually a high price to pay.

An example is the old story about the world-wise gent who went down the street asking each pretty girl he met for a kiss. "I'll bet you get your face slapped lots of times," an acquaintance speculated.

see a young lady you are particularly anxious to meet walking down the street, the odds against success are terrific if you walk up and announce, "Pardon me, but your slip is showing and since I have been just dying to meet you I thought I would just stop

and tell you about it."

Another approach that is frowned upon is to walk up and casually exclaim "Honey Child, where have you been all my life?" That immediately types you as a gallant man - about-town

of two or three decades ago. Then, too, it suggests the travelling salesman's technique, and there are too many jokes about salesmen to make it sound sincere.

That approach is also overworked, having lost most of its punch from monotonous repetition.

A cheery "What's Cookin' good lookin'?" was effective in some cases a few years back, just as "Hi Toots" attracted some attention during an earlier era. But Emily Post probably would tell you it simply isn't done by the 400-

Now, that it has been called to your attention, you can surely think of something a little more subtle and certainly a bit more modern.

Then, you may be tempted from time to time, to simply say "Pardon me, but haven't we met somewhere before?" The odds are about a million to one that she can tell by your uncertain grin that you know darn well you have never even seen her before, although she may be aware that you truly regret that circumstance.

If you insist on using that ancient technique, let us exhort you make the supposed meeting place somewhere besides Atlantic City. Make it something original, like the T&P depot in Coahoma.

Of course, if you have your accident insurance paid up and are in excellent physical condition, you can use the back-slapping

Tipping The Hat: How It Originated

In the ancient tournaments in which knights combated against one another, not to display hostility but to prove their prowess or for practice, the knight after winning over an opponent would ride up to the amphitheater and raise the armored protective mask from his face as a gesture. If his head were covered by his armored helmet, the entire helmet would be removed as a gesture to his lady. From such the tipping of a gentleman's hat to a lady originated.



Six Tennis Courts

For a city this size, Big Spring has an average to better number of tennis courts. There are four asphalt courts at the city park. In addition, there are two at the stadium area, and these may be increased with removal of the high school to its new location. Tennis has been an active sport here for 50 years.

Unfortunately, however, this method is not indicated in many cases. It is normally reserved exclusively for men. There is a chance for humiliating embarrassment if you decide to try it as a method for meeting a woman. She may be a physical education instructor, or a female athlete and turn the tables on you.

The examples set forth heretofore are some of the DON'TS which we feel merit special attention during "Get Acquainted Week." They are not to be interpreted as material designed to complicate the process of getting acquainted. Consequently, there is another story in this issue dealing with the DO'S and how to put them into effect.

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MISSION IN STANTON

Catholic Worship In City Dates Back Almost 70 Years

History of formal worship services by those of the Roman Catholic faith in Big Spring goes back almost 70 years—back to the time the faithful were served by missionaries out of Mariensfeld (now Stanton).

Carmelite Fathers had established a mission point at Stanton in Aug. of 1881, and less than two years later the Rev. P. A. Peters was conducting Holy Mass in private homes here. Among them were those of Godfried Peters, cousin of the father, Anton Weeg whose brother Rev. Simon Weeg was a priest, and Theodore Scholz.

By 1888 a permanent meeting place for the St. Thomas Catholic church had been erected, and it sufficed until the present structure was erected in 1910. The original building then became a mission point for Latin-Americans and was dedicated a score years later as the Sacred Heart Church. The severe drought of 1888-87 rendered the Carmelite work at Stanton untenable and by 1906 the Oblate Fathers, working out of San Antonio, became responsible for the Big Spring work with the Rev. Isadore Tresh—as the first OMI priest of the mission.

In 1927 St. Thomas ceased to be a mission, and the Rev. Stephen Kistner became the first full time priest of the parish. The Rev. Theo Francis came

here originally in 1930 and was on hand in 1934 when both the church and the rectory, which had been erected in '30, became debt free. He returned in February 1940 for his second ministry with St. Thomas, and last year was honored with a silver anniversary observance of his consecration as a priest. Under his ministry, the Sacred Heart church has been enlarged with acquisition and remodeling of a chapel building from the Army post.



Rev. Theo Francis



'OH! I almost forgot. I can't be leaving yet, daughter. It's 'GET ACQUAINTED WEEK.'

Lions Club Really Got Started After District Meeting In 1936

Lions made a false start as the first international service club organization in the city and ended up as the third to establish a permanent club.

P. G. Stokes was president of the club chartered originally in 1925, but a year later the Lions folded and gave way to the Wednesday luncheon club. Four years later San Angelo Lions reorganized the club with Cecil Collings, now associate justice of the 11th district court, as first president.

been its work with the Latin-American groups, particularly Boy Scouts and the school children whom the club always entertains with a Christmas party, and with other youth groups. These include the high school band, to whom the Lions gave \$1,000 for more uniforms, and the Girl Scouts. It has done other things such as contribute to a fish pond in the park, a flag pole on the city hall lawn, conduct sanitary surveys, and stage annual minstrel shows.

President of the organization is Avery Falkner, 23rd man to serve the club in this capacity.



Avery Falkner

Until the club entertained its first district convention in 1936, it had its ups and downs. Since then membership has climbed until today it has more than 110 members. It had the honor also of holding the last convention before district 2-T dissolved into two districts in 1947, and of furnishing two district governors—Scheley Riley and Joe Pond.

Its projects have been many, with a dominating thread of emphasis on sight conservation and blind work. Also stressed have

Methodists Of City First As Formal Church

First church in Big Spring to perfect a formal organization was the First Methodist church. Although the First Christian congregation was first to assemble, the Methodists presumably were first to perfect details of organization under the J. B. H. Thomas, Thomas, the first pastor.

Charter members listed were Dr. D. W. MacIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Zinn, Mr. and Mrs. G. Carleton and David Black.

Organization took place in a school house but by 1884 a small frame building was erected. Thirteen years later a larger frame edifice was raised and added to in 1907. This served until 1928 when a rapidly expanding congregation had the plant bursting at the seams. The present building was erected at a cost of \$55,000.

Through the years, membership has grown until now it totals 1,685. Sunday school enrollment is 921. Rev. A. H. Carleton has served as pastor since 1948.

The church parsonage was erected during the pastorate of the Rev. Ben Hardy. Last year the church acquired lots in Washington Place as a site for a future parsonage because the ground on which the present one is located is to be utilized in an expansion program. Plans call for a \$250,000 program to provide a new sanctuary, and to remodel the present building into a modern educational unit.

The First Methodist church, through its local missions, was responsible for organization of the Park Methodist church and invested approximately \$25,000 in it. Currently, the church is supporting two missionaries in Japan.

Officers of the church are H. G. Keaton, chairman of the board of stewards; D. F. Bigony, chairman of trustees; Mrs. H. G. Keaton, president of the Women's Society of Christian Service; Mrs. H. N. Robinson, superintendent of Sunday school; and Loren McDowell, chairman of the building committee.



Rev. A. H. Carleton

School District Nears 50-Year Mark

Next year the Big Spring Independent School district will be 50 years old. It is due to celebrate the occasion by completion of a three-quarter million dollar high school.

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Current president of the Sheriff's Posse is Dr. M. H. Bennett, well-known horseman and polo player. Membership in the organization is composed of ranchers from throughout the county and business and professional men in Big Spring.

The Posse sponsors numerous sporting races for horsemen throughout the Southwest, and maintains excellent facilities at a site Southwest of the Municipal airport.

They have a modern race track, with stables, feed storage, tack rooms, etc., on the grounds.

Greatest single event sponsored by the Sheriff's Posse was its first annual Futurity held in April of last year. Many outstanding colts performed in the event, competing for purses totalling over \$9,000.

The second annual Futurity will be held this spring.

The Posse also has a parade unit within its main organization. The parade outfit is composed of Posse members who have pledged themselves to participation in parades of all types in the Southwest. They wear uniforms during such events and carry their mounts with them wherever they go.



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Handshaking Is Friendship Symbol

Grasping hands appears in antiquity as a legal act symbolic of the parties joining in compact, peace or friendship. In marriage, the hand grasp was part of the ancient Hindu ceremony, and was the "dextrarum junctio" in Rome which passed on into the Christian rite and became a mere salutation.



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THE DOCTORS. Maybe if we knew doctors better and understood their problems, we wouldn't be quite so impatient when we have to wait our turn in the ante-room—or lie on a sick bed at home awaiting a house call. Each patient is a personal problem and different ones can't be sorted willy-nilly. It's a methodical job—and one that sometimes goes 24 hours a day for the weary "doc."

West Side Baptists To Have 20th Anniversary

This year marks the 20th anniversary of the West Side church. Started in 1930 as a mission point of the First Baptist church, it soon flourished into a church in its own right. The present location at W. 4th and Galveston was secured by a committee, which also acquired an old store building on Third street and moved it in for a place of worship.



Rev. Cecil Rhodes

Nine years from the start, ground was broken for the present building. It was a pure act of faith—for members didn't have any sizeable amount in sight. They just worked and built as funds were provided. By 1942 the structure was completed and occupied for regular services. At the outset, a committee named by the First Baptist W.M.U. consisted of D. C. Maupin; financed and pulpit supply chairman; Mrs. Tot Stalcup, pianist and teacher; Mrs. J. C. Douglass, worker; Mrs. Cora Holmes adult teacher.

First pastor of the mission was Rev. Emmett Whittaker. Other ministers to serve the church were the Rev. H. C. Reddock, B. G. Richbourg, Rev. H. B. Naylor, Rev. C. T. Merritt, Rev. E. E. Mason, Rev. Dee Carpenter, Rev. L. E. Frazier, Rev. A. A. Watson, and Rev. Cecil Rhodes, who has been with the church for five years.

International Sorority Has Charter Here

The object of the Epsilon Sigma Alpha international sorority is to unite congenial women of the community for purposes of friendship and educational development. Other aims of the sorority are the promotion of culture and intellectual development; through constructive reading and membership association and a positive endeavor to participate in local and international philanthropic projects.



Ruth Webb

Organized February 26, 1948, the local chapter had the following charter members: Leatrice Ross, Leta Mae Hitt, Mary Ann Goodson, Stella Wheat, LaVerne Webb, Dorothy Day, Peggy Uthoff, Rhoda Miller, Emma Ruth Webb, Claire Tidwell, Billie Joe Anderson and Jean Phillips. Leatrice Ross served as the first president of the organization. Other officers were Stella Wheat, vice-president; Peggy Uthoff, corresponding secretary; LaVerne Webb, recording secretary; Emma Ruth Webb, program chairman; and Claire Tidwell, treasurer.

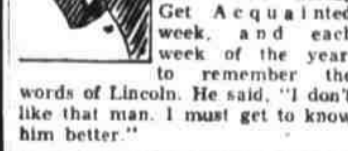
Some of the projects undertaken by the sorority include contributions to the Iron Lung fund, the Cancer society, the colored park project, holiday baskets for the needy, sponsorship of a float in the Christmas parade, and an active participation in the Big Spring Centennial observance.

Among the social events sponsored by the sorority are a hobo party and wiener roast, a progressive dinner, a kid party, taffy pull, a Mexican dinner, various banquets and formal dances, and bridal showers and teas for the members and their guests. The chapter has received honorable recognition from the national office for the outstanding success in its rushing seasons.

Present officers include Emma Ruth Webb, president; Jamie Bilbo, vice-president; Pat Shannon, recording secretary; Bo Bowen, corresponding secretary; Minnie Earle Johnson, treasurer; and Stella Wheat, program chairman.

Don't Judge Another In Hurried Manner

Isn't it true that oftentimes one makes a big mistake by judging folks by the first impression? Have you met folks who— at first— sort of made you feel you wouldn't like them? Then, after you knew them better you found that your first impression was a decidedly erroneous one? It's well during Get Acquainted week, and each week of the year, to remember the words of Lincoln. He said, "I don't like that man. I must get to know him better."



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'Ancient Confucius Say: 'Have Friends'

That friendship, the goal of Get Acquainted Week in Big Spring, has always been as highly prized as it is today is evident from the following quotation preserved from the writings of Confucius, the Oriental seer. Confucius said: "There are three kinds of friendship which are advantageous for man: friendship with the upright man, friendship with the sincere man, and friendship with the man of much observation—these are the advantage-

ous. Friendship with the man of specious airs, friendship with the man ingratiatingly soft, and friendship with the glib-tongued—these are injurious."

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First Futurity of the Sheriff's Posse was held in April 1949 with purses of \$9,000. The second one this year is due to be even larger. Other activities sponsored by the Posse in the past was a championship steer roping contest, matched races, and participating in parades.

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The Mullin Lodge No. 372, IOOF, has been active in Big Spring for 53 years, tracing its date of organization to Feb. 8, 1897.

At present the lodge owns a modern hall of its own, which was formerly the Army Air Field Facilities. There are made available to many other organizations for social events, banquets, conventions, etc., and is the regular meeting place for Boy Scout Troop No. 15, which is sponsored by the lodge.

The lodge helps, on a per capita basis, support a childrens home at Corsicana and a home for the aged at Ennis. The Mullin Lodge has a ward at the childrens home, six-year-old Bobby Griggs for whom a fund has been started to give him a start in life after his education is completed at the home.

D. F. Painter, A. R. Shultz, Jr., W. F. Dent, John Runyan and John Roberts were charter members and served as first officers of the lodge.

Present officers are C. E. Johnson, Jr., Noble Grand; S. C. Nabors, Vice-Grand; W. E. Rayburn, Junior Past Grand; G. E. Gilliam, chaplain; Leon Cain, secretary; Claude Harper, treasurer; Luther Coleman, G. E. Gilliam and A. F. Gilliland are trustees.



VISIT THE SICK — Do you have a sick friend in the hospital or at home? Get Acquainted Week is the perfect time to drop in on those unfortunates for a cheery word, bring flowers or other gifts to help them pass the time until they are well again.

Home Improvement Aim Of These Clubs

Home demonstration clubs are organized for the purpose which the name suggests, the improvement of the home. Their programs attempt to stimulate an interest in home-making, to increase appreciation of home life and family relations, to develop ideals for true economy and thrift by putting into practice the improved methods of demonstration, to develop in women and girls a new enjoyment and satisfaction in their home life and environment and more happiness in their community life.

It was for these purposes which the extension work was organized in Howard county back in 1928. Mrs. J. Lucille Allgood was the first agent. She was followed by Mayme Lou Parr, Lora Farnsworth, Fontilla Johnson, Reba Merle Boyles, Margaret Christie and the present agent, Eugenia Butler.

Mrs. W. C. Rogers served as the first council chairman. Some of the earlier members were Mrs. W. H. Ward, Mrs. Edward Simpson, Mrs. O. D. O'Daniel, Mrs. Shirley Fryar, Mrs. Hershel Smith, Mrs. Overton, Mrs. Hart Phillips, Mrs. Ross Hill, Mrs. R. E. Martin, Mrs. J. E. Brown, Mrs. Earl Hull, Mrs. J. W. Wooten and Mrs. J. G. Hammock.

Present officers of the council are: president, Mrs. Sam Armstrong, vice president, Mrs. Allen Hull, secretary, Mrs. J. A. Sutherland, treasurer, Mrs. J. M. Craig. Membership of the council includes presidents and a delegate from each club and chairmen of the various committees required to carry on the work of the extension service.

The county home demonstration council is really a committee appointed by home demonstration clubs in the county and responsible to them and to the county home demonstration agent. Objectives of the council are to develop leadership and to extend home demonstration work opportunities to women and girls throughout the county. The council is advised by the county home demonstration agent, who is selected by the State Department of Agriculture.

At the present time, there are seven active clubs in Howard county: Centerpoint, Coahoma, Fairview, Forsan, Knott, Luther and Vealmoor. Total membership has reached 132.

When the clubs were first organized food preservation by canning and meat curing methods were the main demonstrations. During the past few years, demonstrations have been on work simplification, yard improvement landscaping, planting orchards and windbreaks and improving the homes, both inside and outside. Dress making and various handicrafts have been taught.

This year the work is based on cereals their value in the diet and short cuts in baking without sacrificing quality. There will also be demonstrations on sewing as a prerequisite for tailoring demonstrations which will be given next year.

All women interested in home-making are eligible to become members. Clubs can only be organized in rural communities or towns with a population of less than 2500. However that does not prevent a woman living in Big Spring from belonging to a Home Demonstration club.

Freight Shipments

Howard county freight traffic consists primarily of cotton, cattle grain, and cottonseed products. From 1949 to 1947 the number of inbound freight cars decreased from 4,151 to 2,125. During the same period, the number of outbound cars increased from 10,381 to 18,024.

Clay Produced Here

Drilling clay, produced 12 miles west of Big Spring near U.S. Highway 80, is shipped to markets in East Texas, West Texas-Oklahoma and New Mexico. The clay is used to make mud to be used in rotary drilling for oil and gas.


New Sub-Station

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Early Oil Boom Brought New Towns

A number of new communities resulted from the oil boom in the Howard-Glasscock field.

Otischaik was one of the first. It was designated as a postoffice shortly after discovery of oil on the Otis Chaik ranch.

Ross City was another town resulting from the boom. Forsan which sprang up during the same period got its name from the fact that there were four producing sands in the area.

New Drumright was the other town born of the oil boom in southern Howard county.

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Airport Baptist Organized From E. Fourth Church

Airport Baptist church is another of the local religious institutions which looks to the East Fourth Baptist church as its root stock. Soon after activation of the Big Spring Bombarrier school in 1943, East Fourth Baptist established a mission point in a building acquired for the purposes. Within three years the mission had organized as an independent church with the Rev. Hollis Lloyd as pastor. Not long afterwards, a new plant was completed and dedicated on its present location.

Among the charter members still active are Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Covington and Mrs. Bertha Gregg. Other charter members were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Burleson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mann and son. From its humble missionary beginnings, the church has flourished until today it has approximately 150 members. The Rev. Warren Stowe has been pastor since Aug. 18, 1948. Among predecessors are Preston Denton and Jesse McElreath.

Oil taxes in Howard county tallied more than \$2,000,000 in the 24 years since the first producing well was drilled in 1928.



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1905 Hynerion Is Oldest Of Study Clubs'

Oldest of the present study clubs is the 1905 Hynerion club. Mrs. B. F. Wills was the founder and first president of the club which was organized in January, 1905. The club joined the state federation in 1914. The first District of the Texas Federation of Women's clubs was entertained by the club back in 1914. Having a membership of 12 persons, the club had to enlist all of Big Spring to help with the entertainment which included a visit to the Caylor Ranch, 16 miles south of town. Guests were served a dairy lunch from the milk house in the yard and were given an opportunity to view Caylor's paintings and frontier relics.

Another highlight in the Hynerion club's history is the story of a cleanup campaign inaugurated by the club. Purpose of the club was to secure a dumping ground and stop the hogs from running wild through the streets. It resulted in the incorporating of the town. Mrs. Cliff Wiley is the present president of the 1905 club which has provided Christmas tree socials for needy children for a number of years. The club is now active in the campaign to secure a club house here.

1,500 Oil Wells

Though overshadowed by such oil producing counties as Scurry, Howard county has approximately 1,500 oil wells producing in six district fields.

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by the railroad commission last year, was slightly under 20,000 barrels. Fields producing in the county are Howard-Glasscock, Vealmoor, Iatan-East Howard, Iatan North Moore, and Snyder.

Ten Bond Issues

In nearly 50 years of history, the Big Spring Independent School district has had 10 bond issues in the aggregate amount of \$1,628,000 of which \$1,130,000 has been voted within the past year to relieve crowded conditions and provide a new high school.

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Wesley WSCS Shows Growth

The WSCS of the Wesley Methodist Church has had a steady growth since its organization in 1932. There were four charter members of the organization; it now has thirty-eight. It has constantly helped in the work of the church where and when needed and contributes monthly to the budget of the Westside Recreation center.

Mrs. Arthur Pickle is president of the Wesley WSCS. Mrs. G. H. Briden is vice president; Mrs. N. L. Childress, secretary and reporter; Mrs. Cecil Nabors is treasurer; Mrs. T. L. Lovelace is spiritual life secretary of the organization. Others are Mrs. J. W. Garrison.

Modern Forum Affiliated With State Federation

The Modern Woman's Forum came into existence in October, 1928 under the name of the Epilou Sigma Alpha, but because of dissatisfaction with the proffered course of study, the name of the organization was changed in 1937 to its present title. The club became a member of the state federation in 1937.

According to the original charter, the club was organized for educational, philanthropic, artistic, literary and scientific culture and to bring into communication with one another the various women's clubs of the country.

Charter members included Clara Cox, Kitty Wingo, Elizabeth Owens, Georgia Kirk Davis, Mary McElroy, Lelece Rogers, Francis Holmes, Mrs. Ira J. Driver, Roberta Gay, Mrs. W. J. McAdams and Edith Gay. Clara Cox was responsible for organizing the club. She also served as the first president. Other past presidents include Mrs. Cecil Collings, Mrs. Ira Driver, Mrs. W. F. Cook, Mrs. A. B. Wade, Mildred Creath, Mrs. W. L. Meier, and Mrs. Bob Eubanks.

Present officers of the Modern Women's Forum include Mrs. Harwood Keith, president; Mrs. Ira J. Driver, vice-president; Mrs. G. W. Chown, recording secretary; Mrs. J. P. Dodge, treasurer; Mrs. Charles Koberg, parliamentarian; Mrs. Bernard Lamun, Federation counselor; Mrs. Bob Eubanks, librarian and reporter; and Mrs. Ira J. Driver, historian.

Contributions are made to all community and charitable organizations. The club makes monthly donations to the Westside nursery and contributes food and clothing to the charity organizations of the city. Its members contribute to the Student Loan Fund in Austin. During the past year, the club aided in the local X-Ray examinations and the Big Spring Centennial.

The club was presented with three citations from the War Finance committee for outstanding service in the second and fifth War Loan Drives. The citations were signed by Henry Morgenthau, Jr.

East 4th Group Formed In 1913

The East Fourth Baptist Women's Missionary Union was formed in 1913 under the leadership of Mrs. S. H. Morrison.

The organization's chief aim has been missionary work on community, state, and foreign levels. It also assists the nine Baptist schools in Texas and contributes regularly to the denomination's orphanages.

Through its ministerial relief program, the W.M.U. also aids aged ministers and their widows. It makes contributions annually to the six Baptist hospitals in the state, and sponsors organizations for young people in the city.

Present officers of the organization are Mrs. O. B. Warren, president; Mrs. J. C. Harmon, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. James S. Parks, young people's secretary; Mrs. Bill Sandridge, Mrs. Dalton Johnston, Mrs. Curtis Reynolds, and Mrs. J. C. Harmon, circle chairman.

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Officers at present are Mrs. Mrs. W. B. Younger, president; Mrs. C. T. Clay, vice president; Mrs. J. E. Hardesty, recording secretary; Mrs. Della K. Agnell, historian; and Mrs. Inez Lewis, conducting secretary.




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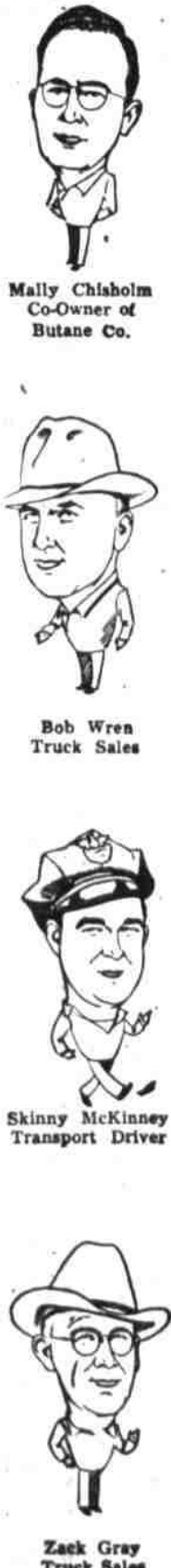


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Union Of Operating Engineers One Of Younger Labor Groups

One of the younger labor organizations in Big Spring is the local No. 826 of International Union of Operating Engineers, made up of employes of the Cosden Petroleum corporation.

The local was formed late in 1943 and its initial contract with Cosden was signed the same year. One of its primary aims has been to promote better employer-employee relationship.

It has also participated in all fund-raising drives and other civic activities of Big Spring since it was established. Members recently purchased a dual iron lung which has been made available to the public. Wives of members have organized an auxiliary which lends assistance to underprivileged persons in the community.

From its beginning of 50 charter members, local No. 826 has grown steadily to its present membership of 250 Cosden employes. Though membership in the union is not required, names on its rolls represent more than 98 per cent of employes or all jobs covered by the contract.

H. W. Nail was its first president. Present officers of local No. 826 are Brandon Curry, president; Walker Reed, vice president; W. G. Simpson, treasurer; W. W. Moeber, financial secretary; J. W. Bennett, recording secretary; Ray Richey, business manager; Harry Loving, conductor; Joe Thurman, guard; Jack Reynolds, auditor; W. R. Banks Jr., local organizer.

The workman's committee is composed of J. C. Tonn, R. Schwarzenbach, Bill Bostick, Jack Reed and George Amos.

Crafts represented in the local are pipelayers, boilermakers, riggers, crane operators, which track drivers, transport drivers, painters, electricians, mechanics, brickmasons, insulators, welders, carpenters, machinists, stationary boiler firemen, blacksmiths, still firemen, railroad tank car repairmen, warehousemen, laboratory testers, treaters, pumpers, gaugers, stillmen and still operators.

Eastern Star Has Celebrated 62nd Birthday

Celebrating the 62nd anniversary of their founding on February 10, the Big Spring Chapter No. 67, Order of Eastern Star, was organized in 1888.

It was Mrs. A. F. Kinnan, wife of an early-day superintendent of the Big Spring public schools, the first Worthy who was named Matron. The late W. H. Vaughn, was the first Worthy Patron. Mrs. Lela Hyman of Maria, is the only living Charter member.

At that time, the Masonic hall was located in the second story of a wooden school building located on the block where the post office now stands. Entrance was gained by an outside stairway which led up from the ground at the rear of the building. Chapter meetings were held on the first Tuesday of each month. Later a second meeting, the third Tuesday, was added and the two meeting dates still hold.

Mrs. Mae Notestine, 408 Main, is the oldest in membership of any resident member. Mrs. Notestine and W. H. Homan served as Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron respectively in 1894. Mrs. Laura B. Hart was Worthy Grand Matron in those early days. Mrs. Agnes V. Young, 504 Main, joined the order's rank during this period, serving as Worthy Grand Matron during the Galveston flood. Under her leadership, the Big Spring chapter aided the sufferers. The late Fannie V. Ward also served as Worthy Grand Matron and a number of chapters were organized during her tenure of office, the Big Spring chapter often taking part.

Flora A. Penix served as Worthy Grand Matron during the years of 1918-19. The chapter opened a sewing room for Red Cross work during the first World War. Canteen work was active, bonds were purchased and the chapter entered into many other war activities. S. A. Penix was named Worthy Grand Patron.

World War II found the chapter again active in Red Cross work, making surgical dressings, helping in bond sales and serving at the USO. Five chapter members were in the service.

Present Worthy Matron is Veda Carter. Worthy Patron is Durwood Lawter, associate matron is Vera Gross, associate patron is Charles Stovall. Dorothy Driver is conductress. Associate conductress is Thelma Helton. They are assisted by 12 other officers.

Varied Program Of Work Carried On By American Business Club

Activities of the American Business Club in Big Spring range from the conventional civic projects to sports.

The ABC organization was formed here on Dec. 2, 1935, with 20 members. Durward Carnett was the club's first president.

The ABC club built a monkey cage at a cost of \$75, and for several years the club actively participated in the development of the West Side park.

In sports, the club sponsored a football game between Southwestern U. and Hondo AAB during the war, and brought Olsen's Redheads, famous girls basketball team here, on several occasions. The ABC group sponsors the Big Spring Relay each spring and provides medals and trophies for that event.

The ABC unit here has encouraged the growth and development of six-man football in Texas by sponsoring a coaches school here each year.

The ABC club was the first civic organization to bring a national convention to Big Spring. The national meet was held here in June, 1949.

More recently, the ABC organization contributed \$350 toward the North Side park fund and took a leading part in the Centennial Douglas Orme, a district governor for ABC and president of the chamber of commerce, served as chairman of the Centennial Association's finance division.

Although membership dwindled during the war years, the Big Spring ABC roster now lists 96 names.

The club's auxiliary is known as the XYZ club, and its membership is composed of club members' wives.

J. W. Purser is president of the ABC club for 1950.

Past Matrons Club Functions For Former Eastern Star Heads

On April 12, 1938, the Past Matrons club was organized in the home of Mrs. Brownie Dunning with Mrs. Alma Baker as co-hostesses. Officers who had served the local Eastern Star chapter as presiding officer for a year or more were eligible for membership.

First officers elected were Mrs. Brownie Dunning, president, Mrs. Ruby Reed, vice president, Mrs. Mae Hayden, secretary, and Mrs. Lena Koberg, reporter.

Charter members were Mrs. Alma Baker, Mrs. Marie Hinman, Mrs. Lena Koberg, Mrs. Lula Leeper, Mrs. Laura Willis, Mrs. Agnes V. Young, Mrs. Mae Hayden, Mrs. Beulah Carnrike, Mrs. Frances Fisher, Mrs. Lera McClenny, Mrs. Jessie Graves, Mrs. Willie Mae Dabney, Mrs. Blanche Hall, Mrs. Emily Andrews, Mrs. Ruby Read, Zora Johnson, Mrs. Susie Musgroves, Mrs. Nora Williamson and Mrs. Brownie Dunning.

"Aunt Susie" Musgroves is the hallowed mother, Mrs. Mae Notestine is the oldest in point of membership. Mrs. Blanche Hall was in the first initiation.

Past presidents and their terms of office are as follows: Mrs. Brownie Dunning, April 12, 1938 to June 1939; Mrs. Frances Fisher June 1939, to December, 1939; Mrs. Trule Jones, December, 1939 to June, 1940; Mrs. Mae Hayden, June 1940 to December, 1940; Mrs. Blanche Hall, December 1940 to June, 1941; Mrs. Beulah Carnrike June, 1941 to December, 1941; Mrs. Agnes V. Young, December, 1941 to June, 1942; Mrs. Ruby Read June, 1942 to December, 1942; Mrs. Lena Koberg, December, 1942 to June, 1943; Mrs. Nora Williamson June, 1943 to December, 1943; Mrs. Nettie Mitchell, December, 1943 to June, 1944; Mrs. Willie Mae Dabney, June, 1944 to December, 1944; Mrs. Minnie Michael, December 1944 to June, 1945; Mrs. Pearl Urey, June, 1945 to December, 1945; Mrs. Sylvia Lamun, December, 1945 to June, 1946; Mrs. Eula Hall, June, 1946 to December, 1946; Mrs. Ortry Boatler, December, 1946 to June, 1947; Mrs. Edith Murdock June, 1947 to December, 1947; Mrs. Ann Eberley, December, 1947 to June, 1948; Mrs. Rose Stringfellow, June, 1948 to December, 1949; Mrs. Jessie Graves, June, 1949 to December, 1949.

Present officers are Mrs. Gladys Dalmont, president, Mrs. Bonnie Allen, vice-president, Mrs. Ruth Eason, secretary, Mrs. Minnie Michael, treasurer, and Mrs. Maud Brooks, reporter.

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Church Council Functions On United Basis

The Big Spring United Council of Church Women was organized on March 30, 1950, with women from six local churches as charter members.



Mrs. C. A. Bickley was chosen president at the initial meeting. Other officers for the first year were Mrs. J. C. Douglas, vice president; Mrs. Joe Fisher, secretary; and Mrs. T. S. Currie, program chairman.

Churches with membership in the UCCW originally were First Methodist, First Presbyterian, First Christian, East Fourth Baptist, Temple Israel Sisterhood, and St. Mary's Episcopal church. At present, Wesley Methodist and the Main Street Church of God also are represented in the organization.

The UCCW meets each fifth Monday. Under the leadership of the National Council of Church Women and the World Council of Churches, it contributes to special overseas relief projects and to leper and migrant funds.

Locally, it helps sponsor the Westside Recreation center. Present officers are Mrs. J. D. Benson, president; Mrs. Brown Rogers, secretary; Mrs. Frank Wilson, treasurer; Mrs. Arthur Pickle, social service chairman; Mrs. W. A. Lawell, program chairman; Mrs. Fred Whitaker, China relief chairman; Mrs. C. D. Wiley, leper chairman; Mrs. G. H. Beiden, migrant chairman; Mrs. Truett Thomas, publicity chairman.

Kiss As A Salute Dates To Antiquity

The kiss salute by testing, appears constantly in Semitic and Aryan antiquity. Herodotus describes the Persians of his time as kissing one another — if equals, on the mouth, if one was somewhat inferior, on the cheek (Herod. I, 134). In Greece in the "classic" period, it became customary to kiss the hand, breast or knee of a superior. In Rome the kisses of inferiors became a burdensome civility (Martial xii, 50). The early Christians made it the sign of fellowship: "Greet all the brothers with an holy kiss." Of more ceremonial form is the kiss of peace given to the newly baptized and in the celebration of the Eucharist, which is retained by the Greek church. After a time, by ecclesiastical regulations they were only allowed to kiss men and women, and eventually in the Roman Catholic church the ceremonial kiss at the communion was only exchanged by the ministers, a relic or cross called an osculatorium or pax being carried to the people to be kissed. While the kiss has thus been adopted as a religious rite, its original social use has continued. Among however, it has become less live. Court ceremonial keeps the kiss on the cheek between veregns and the kissing of the end by subjects. When these osculations cease to be performed, they are still talked of by way of politeness.



KNOW YOUR NEIGHBORS — Lean over the backyard fence during Get Acquainted Week and meet your neighbors. It's an old American custom to meet people in this friendly and informal manner, to discuss politics, crops, and the weather as you rest from your garden labors.

Ladies Golf Association Has Aided In Country Club Program

One of the first projects of the Ladies Golf association was the furnishing and decorating of the country club house. Mrs. H. A. Astell was elected the first president when the association was organized in the Chamber of Commerce office on October 10, 1932. Others present at the meeting were Mrs. J. R. Dillard, Mrs. B. C. Fyeatt, Mrs. G. T. Phillips, Mrs. E. V. Spence, Mrs. E. O. Elliott, Mrs. Willie Rix, Mrs. M. H. Bennett, Mrs. A. C. Chester, Mrs. T. Hicks, Mrs. Noel T. Lawson and Mrs. J. L. Rush.

Soon after the organization, teams of lady golfers began playing in competition with teams of neighboring cities both at the local country club and in other cities. The association has had its representatives play in golf tournaments in every part of the state and its golfers have brought home their share of the trophies from these matches.

While golf and country club activities have been its chief interest, the association has also contributed to the general civic life of the city and has actively participated as an organization in many such civic enterprises as selling war bonds, Red Cross activities, the preparation of surgical dressings and others.

The association also contributes to such activities as the Girl Scouts, the iron lung and the West Side nursery. One of the highlights of the 1949 golf activities was an exhibition match between Betty Mims White of Dallas, Gloria Strom, Esell of Midland, Lois Hodges of Big

Spring and Cecil Neal of Odessa. Recently, members decorated and furnished the kitchen, ballroom, powder room and ladies game room of the new club house. Each year the association sponsors a golf and bridge tournament. This year, the tournament will be held June 8-11 at the Big Spring Country Club. Meetings are held the first Friday in each month. A luncheon is followed by bridge, canasta or golf. Each Friday is ladies day on the golf course. Membership in the association is open to wives of Big Spring Country Club members. Present officers of the association are Mrs. J. W. Burrell, president, Mrs. M. K. House, Sr. vice president, Mrs. E. E. Reynolds, secretary, and Mrs. Neal Norred, treasurer.

Alfar Society Has Functioned Here Since '87

It was in the year 1887 that the Alfar Society of the then St. Mary's Catholic church mission was organized.

Because there were such a few Catholic families in the community, the mission could not afford a resident priest, but services were held only once every two or three months. The local St. Thomas Catholic church was erected in 1910. Following that time, the Society was and is now known as the St. Thomas Alfar Society.

A few of the early members in the Society included Mrs. Theo Scholz, Mrs. Godfrey Peters, Mrs. Louis Hutannus, Mrs. George Gitterger, Mrs. Anton Weag, a Mrs. Holmes a Mrs. Berry, Mrs. Thomas Hayden, Mrs. William O'Keefe, Mrs. J. Taylor, Mrs. William Inkman and a Mrs. Hoffie.

The oldest living member of the society is Mrs. Annie Polack who has been in the society since 1894. The present membership approximates 80 persons. Main purpose of the society is to unite congenially the Catholic women of the parish. Other work includes projects to raise funds to provide the necessities of the sanctuary, such as candles, altar wine, altar linens and altar flowers. The group sponsors parties for children at Halloween, Christmas and Easter and takes an active part in all social work of the parish. Their spiritual duties are corporate communion once a month, prayers for the sick of the parish, mass for the deceased members and other similar acts. The society maintains a "sick committee" for visiting the sick and needy of the parish and to report on aid to overseas needy and other charitable enterprises. Present officers include Mrs. Dwidie Gilliland, president; Mrs. Bernard Huchton, vice-president; Mrs. Ruth O'Connor, secretary and Margaret Warner, treasurer.

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Lions Auxiliary Cooperates With Service Club

The Lions' Auxiliary of Big Spring was organized in 1940 money today as late check-laden re- with a membership of approximately 35.

The club assists Lions each year in staging its minstrel show, and sponsors a Christmas party each year for children of members. Various social activities are arranged for members at regular intervals by the organization. During World War II, the auxiliary assisted in the sale of bonds and boosted USO work here.

Mrs. Dan Conley was first president of the Lions' Auxiliary. Mrs. B. J. McDaniel was vice president and Mrs. Joe Pickle was secretary-treasurer-reporter.

Present officers are Mrs. C. W. Norman, president; Mrs. Avery Faulkner, vice president; Mrs. Sam Bloom, secretary-treasurer-reporter.

The list of past presidents includes Mrs. Conley, Mrs. B. J. McDaniel, Mrs. Jack V. Smith, Mrs. Cecil McDonald, Mrs. Joe Pickle, Mrs. Schley Riley and Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. Jake Douglas, Mrs. Otis Grefa and Mrs. K. H. McGibbon.

Four Districts

There are now four independent school districts in Howard county. Forsan is the latest, this year joining with Big Spring, Coahoma and Knott in that category. The four districts serve approximately 4,500 scholastics, have combined budgets in excess of three-quarters of a million dollars and approximately 160 teachers.

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Big School District

Largest school district in Howard county is the Coahoma Independent with 244.8 square miles. Next is the Foran Independent with 130

square miles, followed by Knott Independent with 114.5. Big Spring Independent has 61 square miles and Cauble common is the smallest with 13 square miles.

XYZ Among First Of Service Club Auxiliary Units

One of the oldest auxiliaries to a local service club is that of the XYZ—the women's side to the American Business Club.

It came into being about 12 years ago, right on the heels of organization of the A.B. Club. Activities are primarily social, although it has adopted support of the West Side nursery project in the past as a project. Members also have played a big part in the entertaining the National Association of American Business clubs in the national convention here in 1949. Regular meetings are held each second Thursday of the month. First president was Mrs. W. D. Carnett, wife of one of the club founders.

Mrs. L. D. Chrane is present head of the organization. Other officers are Mrs. Ray Shaw, first vice-president; Mrs. Harvey Wooten, second vice-president; Mrs. Lee Harris, secretary; Mrs. Chas. Stagg, treasurer. Mrs. Roy Reeder is chairman of the membership committee and Mrs. Eugene Thomas is co-chairman.

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Highway Crossing

Big Spring is located at the intersection of two transcontinental highways, U. S. 80 and U. S. 87. The city is also on Skyway No. 1, first transcontinental air route marked from coast to coast. The skyway is comparable to a great east-west aerial highway.

Young Ladies Band Together In Nu Phi Mu

Nu Phi Mu is an international organization of girls ranging from 16 to 21 years of age, who are devoted to friendship and who follow a program of culture and service activities.

Organized on October 20, 1929, this sorority now has chapters in 45 states and three provinces of Canada, with a total of over 600 units and 10,000 members. Nu Phi Mu offers to its members personal development through friendship, group programs, personal responsibility, as officers and committee members and affiliation with Beta Sigma Phi after 21 years of age.

The Texas Alpha Eta chapter of the Nu Phi Mu was organized in Big Spring October 20, 1948. Installation services for the first officers were held on that same date, under the supervision of Rosalie Ramsey, a representative of Nu Phi Mu International. Mrs. Paul Crabtree and Mrs. Harold Steck, members of Beta Sigma Phi, were installed as advisors. The first officers were Bobbie Green, president; Gertrude Hull, vice-president; Dorothy Purser, treasurer; Muriel Floyd, recording secretary; and Johnie Kennon, corresponding secretary.

Activities of the sorority fall into five categories: social, service, charm and poise, culture and hobbies. Social activities are varied including banquets, teas, dances and informal parties. Worthwhile service projects are carried out. These include the distribution of baskets of food to needy families, toys to underprivileged children, magazines and books to the Salvation Army library; also, contributions to the National Cancer Drive. Information discussions on different phases of culture, charm and poise are given by the sorority members and other individuals during regular meetings.

The local chapter of the Nu Phi Mu now has 22 members who meet twice monthly at the YMCA. Present officers include Muriel Floyd, president; Jean Meador, vice-president; Patsy Young, treasurer; Laverne Casey, recording secretary; Barbara Lytle, corresponding secretary. Committee chairmen are Jean Tonn, program; Evva Smith, social; Melba Preston, service; Betty Robertson, ways and means. Advisors of Nu Phi Mu are Marguerite Wooten and John Lou Callison.

Presbyterian Unit's Name Changed Twice

The Ladies' Missionary and Aid Society, known today as Women of the Church, was organized for the First Presbyterian Church in 1897.

Its objectives were to promote social and religious activities in the Church and to advance the benevolent causes of the institution. The name was changed to auxiliary in 1920, and in 1949, the organization became Women of the Church.

Among the charter members who still take an active part in functions of the organization are Mrs. W. R. Settles, and Mrs. E. L. Barrick.

Officers are Mrs. Dalton Mitchell, president; Mrs. E. J. Brooks, secretary; Mrs. L. G. Talley, treasurer and Mrs. J. T. Brooks, historian. Various committee chairmen are Mrs. Lucien Jones, Mrs. A. A. Porter, Mrs. C. R. McDaniel, Mrs. L. B. Edwards, Mrs. A. D. Alvin, Mrs. Elvis McCrary, Mrs. Cecil Wasson, Mrs. G. A. Barnett, Mrs. D. T. Evans, Mrs. W. E. Greenless, and Mrs. Catherine Eberly.

A total of 75 persons are required to carry on all the functions of the Howard county government. They are paid a total of approximately \$15,000 per month.

About 90 per cent of the farm operators in Howard county live on their farms, it has been estimated.



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Big Spring and Howard county, usually thought of in terms of livestock and field crops have an

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There are approximately 50 firms in the county engaged in producing or processing operations. They

employ some 300 persons with an annual payroll of \$1,750,000.

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ACTIVITIES FOR ALL AGES

Local YMCA Functioning For Young People Since '45

The Young Men's Christian Association of Big Spring has had a part in educational, social, spiritual and recreational activities for youth of the city since October, 1945.

On that date, the present YMCA organization was established with 19 members on the board of directors. William R. Daves served as the first general secretary. Daves served until September, 1947, and in December of that year, L. E. Milling, who still serves in that capacity, came here from Houston to accept the post of general secretary.

Members of the original YMCA board include J. Gordon Bristol, Dr. R. B. G. Cowper, J. B. Mull, Ted Phillips, the Rev. Clyde Smith, Helen Duley Green, Dr. W. B. Hardy, R. T. Piner, Mrs. H. W. Smith, Cecil Collins, Loy House, Arab Phillips, Joe Pickle, Jack Y. Smith, Albert M. Fisher, Jr., J. D. Jones, and Walter L. Reed. In March, 1946, the following were added to the original board: Dave Durcan, Roy Reeder, the Rev. E. J. McCoy, Iva Honeycutt, Mrs. E. B. McCormick, Agnes Currie, Mrs. Ann Houser and C. J. Staples.

8,215 Vehicles

A total of 8,215 motor vehicles were registered in Howard county in 1949. Of these, 7,100 were passenger cars, 453 were farm trucks, and 660 were commercial vehicles.

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Present officers are Walter Reed, president; Joe Pickle, vice-president; Ann Houser, vice-president; the Rev. Gage Lloyd, secretary; R. T. Piner, treasurer.

Local Pythian Lodge Traced Back To 1882

The Frontier Lodge No. 43, Knights of Pythias, has held its charter in Big Spring continuously since 1882.

According to early records charter members here were W. H. Smith, J. B. Tyler, J. H. Hurt, Jess Encke, R. W. Walker, W. G. Birdwell, C. E. Agee, J. E. Prince, S. H. Cowan, Ed Hunter, A. C. Walker, John Snoddy, J. M. Walker, G. W. Walthall, J. C. McDonald, D. Dally, E. Hunter, Thomas Vallina, Amel Lowe and S. Kleowan.

Frontier Lodge No. 43 has been active during most of its existence, although there was a period when no regular meetings were held. Since 1947 the membership has increased to approximately 200 and many old members have become active in lodge work again. A move that started in 1948 resulted in construction of a castle hall. A surplus Army building was purchased and moved to a site at 1407 Lancaster street. Members then contributed both cash and labor to produce a modern building of some 2,000 square feet of floor space for a regular meeting place. Over \$6,000 in cash has been spent on the building, all of it paid by members.

In 1948 and 1949 Frontier lodge ranked first in percentage of increased membership in Texas. Present officers of the K-P are Paul Darrow, Chancellor; Commander: W. P. Holland, Eddie Polacek, John Underwood, M. A. Cook, S. M. Wisam, Joe Williamson, Dan Conley, J. F. Ferguson and Foy Dunlap. H. M. Rainbolt is Deputy Grand Chancellor for the West Texas Area and an officer in the state governing body. Z. S. Loftis is Lodge Deputy Grand Chancellor.

The Knights of Pythias trace their history as a fraternal order back to Feb. 19, 1864 when a charter was granted by an act of Congress.

The Big Spring Army and Air Force Recruiting Main station serves an area of 34 counties around Big Spring. It is headquarters of an area comprised of 47,301 square miles of West Texas.

emphasis is especially noticeable in the organization's club work. The YMCA also offers a strong program in sports and recreation, including basketball, swimming, softball etc.

At present the YMCA is looking forward to moving into its own building. The First Christian church property was recently purchased as a permanent home for the "Y" after the church made plans for a new building at another location.

Gideon Auxiliary Organized Here Two Years Ago

The Gideon Auxiliary has existed in Big Spring since April 22, 1948, when the chapter was first organized.

During the past two years, it has aided the local Gideon camp in hosting the State Gideon and Gideon auxiliary convention which was held in Big Spring in 1948 and distributed a total of 81 Nurses' Testaments in local hospitals.

The organization is now engaged in a prayer program for the success of the Gideon ministry and in distributing additional Testaments. Members are memorizing 71 key scriptures concerning soul-winning, as well as learning a number of Bible chapters dealing with the same subject.

Regular monthly meetings of the auxiliary consist of devotionals, scripture memory work and prayer.

Officers are Mrs. J. F. Jones, president; Mrs. Merrill Creighton, vice president; Mrs. Eddie Savage, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. George O'Brien, chaplain; and Mrs. Wayne Williams, Scripture memory leader.

First officers were Mrs. H. E. Choate, president; Mrs. Wayne Williams, vice president; Mrs. Loy House, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. George O'Brien, chaplain; and Mrs. E. H. Phillips, telephone secretary.

Plenty To Study

Were you to "get acquainted" with all the subjects in the Big Spring high school curriculum sufficiently well to pass them, it would require 16 years. There are 28 subject matters included, and these are divided into 62 units of credit affiliated with the state university and accredited to all other colleges.

600 Miles Of Road

There are more than 600 miles of county road in Howard county, the majority of which is located in the southwestern section.

Two federal highways, No. 80 and No. 87, traverse the county for combined distance of 68.1 miles. The Howard county segment of U. S. 80 is 31.3 miles in length. U. S. 87 aggregates 34.8 miles in the Howard borders.

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Active in the work of the local Salvation Army are three women and girls groups, the Ladies Home League, the Girl Guards and the Sunbeams.



Mrs. James Harrison

Organized in 1941, the club had as charter members, Mrs. Cora Holmes, Mrs. Willie Russell, Mrs. Edna Sanders, and Mrs. W. C. Kilough. The group makes sheets and pillow cases for the Salvation Army's men's dormitory, layettes for local use and to be shipped to a Salvation Army-supported home in Mexico City, quilts, and rugs for the local veterans hospital. Mrs. Willie Russell is acting secretary for the group which meets at 2 p. m. each Wednesday at the citadel. As in all phases of women's work, Mrs. James Harrison, captain, is advisor.

Girl Guards, Mohawk Troop, was registered last June. Charter members included Neta Fay Daniels, Laverne Daniels, Laverne Nix, Margie Harrison, Ruth Hallford, Mrs. Bob Fletcher, Assistant leaders, Josie Marie Moore, Marie Hill, Mrs. James Harrison, chaplain. Fourteen persons are now members of the organization. They include Mrs. Mary Ann Lancaster, who is also an assistant leader. The group meets every Monday night and wear uniforms which they have earned. Girl Guards are 11-years-of-age and up.

Eight members are enlisted in a Sunbeams group now being organized. They meet every Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Ann Lancaster as leader.

Four Hyperion Units Linked In Federation

The Federated Hyperion clubs were consolidated at the time of the organization of the 1946 Hyperion club, July 24, 1946. This united group includes the 1905 Hyperion club, 1930 Hyperion, 1946 Hyperion and the 1948 Hyperion club. Each is an individual club, each works as a unit.

Mrs. R. B. G. Cowper served as the first president. Mrs. J. H. Greene, Morris Patterson and Mrs. R. E. McKinney were first, second and third vice-presidents, respectively. Other officers were Mrs. H. M. Jarratt, secretary and Mrs. B. F. LeFever, treasurer.

Present officers are Mrs. R. E. McKinney, president; Mrs. Cliff Wiley, first vice-president; Mrs. R. W. Thompson, second vice-president; Mrs. Ed Swift, third vice-president and Mrs. Jack Irons, fourth vice-president; Mrs. Olen Puckett, secretary and Mrs. Allen Hamilton, treasurer.

The Federated Hyperion club has participated in various civic improvements such as donating to and selecting playground equipment for the Kate Morrison school, the West Side playground and Sunday school and also the Negro school. Books and money have been donated to the Howard County library, the Community chest and the Red Cross. The club also sponsored the contest for the Queen of the Centennial last fall. The present project for the club is the making of plans for the 8th District convention of the Texas Federation of Women's clubs to be held here in April.



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Here's Way To 'Get Acquainted' With Duties Of Public Officials

Big Spring Herald

Get Acquainted Big Spring (Texas) Herald, Sunday, March 26, 1950 Get Acquainted

Are you acquainted with the duties of your public officials? As a citizen to whom they are responsible, you should know something of the functions of their office. Here's an opportunity to "get acquainted" with operations of various public offices.

Sheriff

The sheriff does more than pack a six-gun and put criminals behind bars. He directs investigations, serves warrants and other processes. In addition, he serves as bailiff of the district court and directs the care and custody of the county prisoners. Above all, he is charged with enforcement of laws within the county. Sometimes he becomes an innocent arbitrator in family quarrels.



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Just about everything that has to be of record goes through the county clerk's office. At any hour the clerk is apt to be called out of bed by eager lovers wanting a license to wed. A host of instruments such as warranty deeds, oil and gas leases, mortgages, change of names, vital statistics and many others are kept by the clerk. This goes for cattle brands, election returns, probate matters. Besides all this, the clerk is the secretary to the county commissioner's court.

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The district clerk keeps books for the district court. All cases in the court must be filed with the clerk, who enters them on the docket and keeps a complete record of all papers. Naturally, a record of all judgments is preserved in the court's minutes. He handles records of appeals to higher courts, jury lists, indictments, divorce petitions, are all part of the clerk's work.

Constable

The constitution specifies the constable's office in Texas. Although this preclude officer has full authority to enforce criminal laws, one of his biggest jobs is process serving. Besides hailing minor offenders into court, he finds himself covered with a welter of hot check complaints at times.



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in Texas is the justice of peace. Criminal cases, from theft to murder, originate in this court. Most misdemeanors may be tried in the court, but felonies are reviewed and generally bound for grand jury action. The court also becomes an altar, for the JP sometimes picks up coffee money by officiating in matrimonial ventures. Certain civil matters may be handled in justice court.

County Attorney

Counsel for all the departments of the county is the county attorney. That's what he is—the county's lawyer. Besides furnishing legal opinions and advise upon request, he also files on a large number of criminal cases. One of his big headaches is trying to find and convict hot-checkers. When the county is sued or sues in the case of tax matters, the attorney handles the matter. He also is aide to the district attorney and is chief prosecutor in county court.



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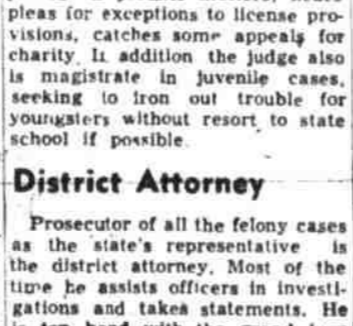
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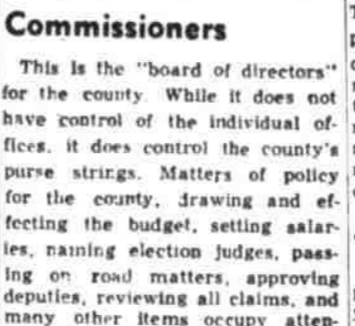
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County Engineer

The court is supposed to lay down policy and instruct the engineer to carry it out. This includes engineering on road projects, maintenance of roads use of equipment and otherwise seeing that the road affairs are handled economically, efficiently.



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Juvenile Officer

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It is the responsibility of the juvenile officer to counsel with way-

Meet Good Friends In Church Today

One of the best places in the world to get acquainted with some of the best people in town is in the church.

That's why today is being designated as "Get Acquainted Day" in the churches of Big Spring.

While there will be special mention of the occasion made from the pulpit of many churches, the day is not planned as something that requires special promotion. Rather, it is to encourage in members of the congregation a desire to know other members—or to know them better.

The church should be the easiest place in which to get acquainted—but because old members are pre-occupied with trying to see each other or hurrying to get home and get dinner on the table, often they rush off without having greeted the visitor or new member. And, believe it or not, some congregations have been known to get a bit clamish, making it difficult for new personalities to break the crust and get into the fold.

That's not the spirit of churches, of course. The spirit is the same as the salmst when he said "I was glad when they said unto me: 'Let us go into the house of the Lord.'"

With the idea of making that thought warm every heart, church members are urged today to linger and visit. Especially are they urged to inquire about—and then

ward youths, seeking to get them back on the track. He investigates minor crimes involving juveniles, and sometimes must take the offenders before the county judge for action.

to visit! (or meet) the persons they may know by face but not by name.

And make ure that when the visitors stand for special recognition that you spot them—and then make it a point to meet them and shake their hands before they leave the house of the Lord. In other words, make them "glad."

Howard County Organized In '82

Organization of Howard county was completed in 1882 with the first commissioners court meeting on July 1 of that year.






The county had been created in 1876, but remained attached to Mitchell county until 1882. In the election for-ally separating Howard from Mitchell county the first officials were elected. They included R. B. Anderson, county judge; J. M. Anderson, county and district clerk; R. M. Morrow sheriff and tax collector; W. P. Lawson treasurer; A. S. Robinson, hide and animal inspector; J. S. Reed, tax assessor; William Howerton, J. J. Meek, P. T. Blake and D. M. DeVitt, commissioner.

3 Mail Channels

Big Springers receive their mail via three media of transportation. Planes, trains, and trucks unite to keep the mail moving on schedule in and out of the Howard county capital. Mail comes and goes from north, south, east and west by air. It is transported east and west by rail, and in all four directions by truck.

Get Acquainted





With Your County Officials

 Walter Long Commissioner Pct. 1 Seeking re-election to this post	 G. E. (Red) Gilliam Commissioner Pct. 2 Asking promotion to County Judge	 B. E. Freeman Tax assessor-collector Candidate for re-election	 R. L. (Pancho) Nall Commissioner Pct. 3 Candidate for re-election	 Earl Hull Commissioner Pct. 4 Asking re-election
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Meet Howard Countys' Official Family

 R. L. (Bob) Wolf Sheriff Candidate for re-election	 Jess Slaughter Juvenile Officer	 Lee Porter County Clerk Candidate for re-election	 George Choate District Clerk Candidate for re-election	 Frances Glenn County Treasurer Candidate for re-election
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They'd Like To Know You Better!

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SATURDAY MERCHANTS DAY

Know Names Of People Who Serve You In Local Stores

Get acquainted with your merchants and with local industry on Saturday. Saturday, the final day of Get Acquainted Week, is set apart as a special opportunity for customers, and their helpers, better tomorrow to get to know their merchants. The vast majority of business houses are cooperating this week in identifying themselves to the public. One means is the use of badges which bear the name of the manager, department head, clerk, or what-have-you. This is to make it easy for the customer to learn the name of the clerk or the butcher or the checker who has been waiting on them all these many months. At the same time, businessmen hope that customers will not be overly modest in introducing themselves. Sometimes the poor clerk is caught out on a limb—he or she knows your face but not your name. Why not, this week and particularly on Saturday, introduce yourself. You don't have to be coy about it—just come out and say: "I'm Mrs. Bill Smith." But if you do want to use finesse, you might ask something like: "Do you know

St. Mary's Unit One Of Oldest In Big Spring

Members of the auxiliary of the St. Mary's Episcopal church organized what later became the United Council of Church Women in Big Spring in 1925.

Led by Mrs. Charles Koberg and Ruth Rix, the auxiliary started the Fifth Monday meetings for women of all the churches in town. This group became the U C C W in 1936. One of the oldest organizations in Big Spring, the St. Mary's auxiliary has also been one of the most active. Known as the Guild when it was created in 1892, the auxiliary had its first real test in 1897 when the St. Mary's church was destroyed by a cyclone.

The organization produced a series of home talent plays, directed by Mrs. J. B. Young, which were staged in raising funds for a new church. One of the group was so successful that it was later represented in order to raise money for a house for the city. In 1900, the Guild installed electric lights in the church and contributed a set of chancel books to the institution. In 1929, the organization paid for piping gas to the church and other buildings, after having assisted in raising funds for a new Parish in 1926. Its name had been changed to the auxiliary of the St. Mary's Church in 1910. The auxiliary is active in its own parish, community affairs, and in the missionary fields through semi-annual offerings. Its objectives are missionary work, religious education, and social service. Mrs. R. B. G. Cowper is president of the organization, and Mrs. J. G. Bristow is vice president.

and Mrs. John Hodges is treasurer. Early members were Mrs. W. H. Vaughn, Mrs. M. I. Garrett, Mrs. David Allen, Mrs. J. B. Young, Mrs. Joseph Patten, Mrs. Laura Peak, Mrs. Steve Tamzili, Mrs. Aaron Taylor, Mrs. John Nozette, Mrs. J. H. Parks, Mrs. F. B. Gilbert, Mrs. W. H. Homan, Mrs. William Lee, and Mrs. William Dawes. Howard county stockmen feed approximately a half million pounds of commercial feeds annually.

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Butter Beans, 3 cans	25c
Mexican Style Beans, 3 cans	25c
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Miriam-Three Links Club Merged Here This Year

The Three Links-Miriam club was organized in January of this year, when the Miriam club and the Three Links club formed a joint organization. Members of the Miriam club re-organized on August 14, 1947. They help provide finances for the lodge. First officers were president, Lois Foreyth; vice president, Ruth Wilson; secretary, Billie Barton; and treasurer, Eula Pond. The Three Links Club, a branch of the Mullen lodge No. 372, was organized on August 14, 1947. Present officers for the joint club, which works in connection with

Schools Open To Visitors As Get Acquainted Feature

Monday is a good day to "Get Acquainted" with your schools. While no formal programs are planned in the Big Spring schools, Supt. W. C. Blankenship declared that "we will be most happy to have parents and others visit in any classroom of their choice." This invitation is a standing one, throughout the week and the year. But special emphasis is placed upon it for today. Through visitation, parents and teacher may come to know each other better, he pointed out. Parents may have an opportunity to get acquainted with school programs and with instructional plans. They may even learn about facilities, room and school libraries. Patrons are encouraged to visit

the administrative offices and inquire about how the records are kept; how the task of supervision is shaped; how business affairs are handled. In high school, they may be privileged to visit some of the special departments as well as regular classrooms. Typical would be the home economics, the commercial, science laboratories, and others. Howard County Junior college is participating in the special day Monday. E. C. Dodd, president, urged citizens to call at the college in the airport area. Those who care to tour the building area will be conducted through the premises. Tentative plans call for special exhibits, such as displays of leathercraft and other materials developed by students in vocational work.

Rainbow Girls Adjunct Of The Masonic Order

Order of Rainbow for Girls is a junior organization for teen-aged girls which have been reared in Masonic and Eastern Star homes. It also admits the chums of Masonic or Eastern Star girls. One evening in the spring of 1922, the Rev. Mark Sexson had been asked to make an address before the South McAlester, Okla. Chapter No. 149. As the DeMolay had come under his close study and observation during his Masonic activities, he became more and more conscious of the fact that an order for girls setting fourth some of the truths of Masonry would be necessary. He made a stirring appeal for such an organization in his address and the Worthy Master, Mrs. Sarah Church, immediately replied. "We would start it if we had someone to write the ceremony of initiation." Sexson said, "I will write the ritual." The next day, he did write the ritual, giving it the name, Order of Rainbow for Girls. He dictated it to the church stenographer, Mrs. Helen Amrose, in the study of the First Christian church of which he was then minister. He asked the regular officers of the South McAlester Chapter No. 149, Order of Eastern Stars to exemplify the work and furnished them with typewritten copies of the ritual, as it was not printed at that time. On April 6, 1922, the degrees were exemplified for the first time in a class of 171 girls in the auditorium of the Scottish Rite Temple, McAlester, Okla. The Supreme or Governing Body was formed by Sexson in June, 1922. He wrote the law governing the Supreme Body as well as the law governing the subordinate assemblies. At the formation of this Supreme Body, Sexson was made the Supreme Recorder and later was given the title, Worthy Advisor Emeritus. The local assembly was instituted June 11, 1946 by Ray Ortiz Howington. The charter was granted January, 1947. Charter members were Yevagne Apple, Francis Bigony, Joyce Beene, Nina Curry, Jean Cornelison, Doris Jean Clay, Mary Louise Davis, Bonnie Dempsey, Lyndell Gross, Joyce Howard, Mary Elizabeth Johnson, Barbara Lytle, Billie Sue Leonard, Mammie Jess Meador, Mary Beth Morgan, Ann Meador, Doris Jean Morehead, Vivian Middleton, Mary Martin, Lynn Porter, Pat Phillips, Reba Roberts, Dornie Roberts, Jean Robinson, Dorothy Satterwhite, Beverly Stutting, Jeanne Slaughter, Patsy Tompkins, Luann Weir and Joyce Worrell. Minerals found in Howard county are barite, caliche, drilling clay, gas, oil, gravel, limestone, salt, sand, and sodium sulphate.

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Missionary Work Is Furthered By Woman's Society

Founded in 1921, members of the Woman's Society of the Main street Church of God still strive to aid the missionary program in the United States and in foreign countries and to complete various required courses of study.

The Society has approximately 35 members at present.

Mrs. Truett Thomas serves the society as a president with Mrs. John E. Kolar as spiritual life director, and Mrs. J. D. Jenkins educational director.

A few of the first members were Mrs. J. A. Forrest, Mrs. G. W. Phillips, and a Mrs. Rice, now deceased.

John A. Kee Lodge Helps Homes For Children And Elderly Folk

Aid in the support of two IOOF homes, one for children and the other for the aged, is the primary objective of members of the John A. Kee Rebekah Lodge No. 152 which was instituted in Big Spring on July 19, 1947.

The organization also has as its aim the promotion of benevolence and charity among members. It helps in the maintenance of the IOOF Home for Children at Corsicana and the IOOF Home for the Aged at Ennis.

There were 27 charter members of the organization. The lodge was named for John A. Kee, who was

formerly grand treasurer of the grand lodge of Texas. It was instituted by the George Knauft Rebekah Lodge No. 119 of Odessa.

Charter members were Ben Miller, W. A. Prescott, J. F. George, Gould Winn, Alvin Vieregge, Earl Piew, M. R. Brown, Anis Underwood, Mae Darrow, Grace Martin, Beatrice Bonner, Velma Cain, Hazel Lamar, Mary Jane Lamar, Zula Reeves, Marie Horton, Lucille Brown, Beatrice Vieregge, Bessie M. Sallee, Cleat Piew, Jossie McDaniel, Viba Cormas, Ruby Stanley, Alma George, Clara Brown, Mabel Spears and Eula Lea.

First officers installed were Beatrice Vieregge, noble grand; Zula Reeves, vice grand; Marie Horton, secretary; Anis Underwood, treasurer; Hazel Lamar, team captain; and Beatrice Bonner, deputy.

Present membership in the organization is 112. Officers are Grace Martin, noble grand; Jean Harris, vice grand; Leta Mae Metcalf, secretary; Lilly Stephenson, treasurer; Hazel Lamar, team captain; and Beatrice Vieregge, deputy.



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Council Works For West Side Recreation

The First Christian Woman's council was formed in 1885 as the Ladies' Aid society.

The organization has been active since its founding and is now active in improvement of the West-side Recreation center and contributes annually Missions of the United church. It has sent clothing and food to the Juliette Fowler home for retired ministers.

Mrs. Jeff Hanneters.

The council has pledged \$500 to the new First Christian church.

Present officers are Mrs. Jeff A. Hanna, president; Mrs. Tom Rosson, vice president; Mrs. C. A. Murdock Jr., secretary; Mrs. H. W. Smith, treasurer; Mrs. J. D. Benson, missionary chairman; Mrs. F. C. Robinson, missionary chairman; Mrs. J. H. Stiff and Mrs. Tom Rosson, social service; Mrs. R. J. Michael, Mrs. Harry Lees, Mrs. H. L. Bohannon and Mrs. Shelby Hall, hospitality; Mrs. Bill Bonner, pianist; Mrs. Willard Read, publicity; and Mrs. Lloyd Thompson, honorary member.

Circle chairmen are Mrs. J. W. McCoy, Zaida Brown, and Mrs. A. A. Marchant.

East 4th Baptist Plans A New Plant

Logically, but in an unusual way, the East Fourth Baptist church came from the First Baptist congregation.

Believing that the church was not disciplining its members properly, a small group, including the pastor with the pastor withdrew and formed another church.

Since its organization on Jan. 19, 1932, it has grown to have the record largest membership in the community.

Rev. James S. Parks East Fourth church was organized in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Morrison. Other charter members were Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Morrison, J. S. Weaver, O. C. Howell, Mrs. Minnie Howell, R. I. Rushing, Clara Bell Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McLeod, W. H. Young, Nora Harding, Mrs. Pearl Murphy, Mrs. B. Reagan, Lucille Deagan, Beatrice Bates, Ollie Harding, Sadie Parsons, Mrs. J. C. Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McDaniel, Mrs. R. L. Rushing, Ethel McLeod, Pain McLeod, Mrs. S. L. Davenport, W. S. Davies, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wasson, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hull the Rev. and

Mrs. W. T. Sherrod.

The Rev. Sherrod was called as first pastor; Hull was first clerk; and S. H. Morrison was treasurer.

On Feb. 13, less than a month after organization, the name of East 4th Baptist "Evangel Baptist Church" was adopted and the W. O. W. hall was the first public worship place. In October the church rented the Cumberland Presbyterian church property at Gollad and 3rd, later purchasing it and taking the name of East 4th Baptist.

Later, when the city grew rapidly and the church with it, location was changed to E. 4th and Nolan, and the name once more changed. With plans in the making for a new home on Eleventh Place, the name will be changed once more.

Since the beginning, the church has been missionary in spirit. Much of its first budget went to missions, and it has fostered several missions that since have become churches in the city.

Other pastors of the church include A. A. Dulaney, W. H. Maston, W. R. Richardson, J. T. Nicholson, W. D. Green, D. G. Wells, G. O. Summers, S. B. Hughes, W. W. Smith, W. S. Garnett, Elmer Dunham, W. H. Colson, James R. Clark, and the present minister, James S. Parks Rev. Parks has served churches near Houston and Waco and was a chaplain in the South Pacific area in World War II. He is a graduate of Baylor and the Southwestern seminary, and came here in 1947. Billy D. Rudd is educational and music director.

Gideons Active In The Cause Of Christ

Business men interested in witness for Christ in word and deed — there are the Gideons.

Organization of the local camp goes back to November 1942. From the beginning, meetings have been held in the First Methodist parlor at 7 a. m. followed by breakfast at the Wins Cafe.

The camp has 41 active members and an average attendance of 25 at the Thursday meetings.

Among accomplishments are placing 444 Bibles in hotels, tourist courts, hospitals in Big Spring, Lamesa and Odessa; distribution of 6,000 Testaments to high school students in a 70-mile radius; providing 1,800 copies of the Gospel of John, translated into Spanish, for migratory harvest workers. Most of the funds have come from others who wanted to have a part in the Gideon work.

In 1948 the young chapter entertained the state convention of Gideon's, and this year they are planning to attend the first International Gideon meeting to come to Texas (in Houston). The year 1948 also brought organization of the auxiliary unit here.

Besides seeking to win others to Christ through witnessing and distributing the Gospel, members this year plan to provide Bibles for the Veterans Administration hospital.

First president of the camp was W. L. Mead, followed by Merrill Creighton, and G. G. Morehead, who served two years, and now Lonnie Coker. Other current officers are Ted Phillips, vice-president; Wayne Williams, secretary; Wendal Parks chaplain; George O'Brien, Bible secretary.

The Gideons, of course, are inter-denominational.

There are more than 900 persons on the public payroll in Howard county. Of the total, 547 are employed by the county, city, state and federal agencies and 254 are employed in the public school systems.



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Newspapers are not the paper on which they are printed, the building that houses their equipment, or the machines by which the individual editions are created. The real newspaper is the consolidated effort of the staff which transmits facts and ideas into the printed word.

No one person makes any real newspaper. A newspaper worthy of its name is the product of dozens of people. The boy who delivers your paper — the man who sorts through thousands of words of wire-transmitted news — the young woman who sits many hours out of each day with a telephone receiver to her ear glean-ing the little facts of everyday life — the men who compose "copy" into type, and the men who convert this onto the folded paper — all play their part together in creating the newspaper which you read.

The personal element is important in any business — but in the newspaper business it is most important of all. So we welcome GET ACQUAINTED WEEK as an opportunity for more people in Big Spring and the Big Spring area to know who it is that produces your Herald.

A newspaper is justly proud of its news coverage of the area in which it is printed, of its service in

delivering its printed paper to the people of that area that they may be as well informed at any minute of the day as those residents of other localities. But proud as The Herald is of its news coverage — and its circulation coverage — it is more concerned with its CIVIC COVERAGE — with the obligation of the high duty to represent the best interests of the people of this area.

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So, at the time of GET ACQUAINTED WEEK, when public thought and attention is directed upon individuals, the people who make your Herald are presented. Before you we somehow feel there's a light in the community focused upon us in a sort of critical attitude. We wish to feel just this way. Feeling this, we will be prompted in our daily work to do a better newspaper job, so that you and this community will be better served by The Herald.

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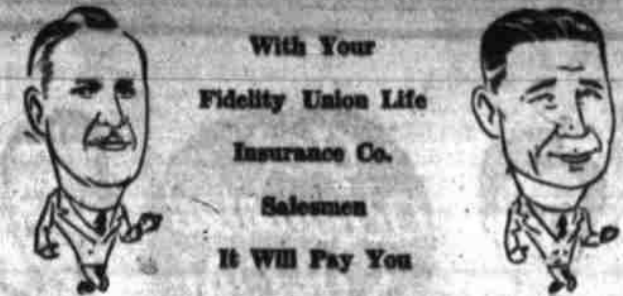
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Revival Brought About The Local Assembly Of God


As was the case with many local churches, the Assembly of God congregation came into being here as the result of a revival meeting. Spirit in the meeting conducted by a Rev. Classcock of Stamford in 1924 was such that a church was organized formally. Rev. W. D. Hall was called as the first pastor. Mrs. D. W. Stutes and Mrs. Ellen Copeland were among the first members, and for longer than 15 years, C. R. Love, Mrs. Price Stroud, and Mrs. Howard have been leading members. The original church plant was located in the 1000 block of W. 4th street, but during the ministry of Homer M. Sheats in 1936 the church was consolidated with one at Foran. Two years later it was moved to its location at W. 4th and Lancaster where a modern plant was begun. Besides having one of the most pronounced records of growth, the church has the unique distinction of being the only one to maintain a bus in connection with its Sunday school and worship services.

Since June 9, 1948, the Rev. C. R. Love has been pastor. He has had 21 years experience in the ministry, five spent in West Texas and New Mexico in youth work. Deacons for the church are C. M. Wilkerson, Fries Stroud, Floyd Brock, L. C. Alton is the Sunday school superintendent.

Harmony Club Was Organized in '33

Organized in 1933, the Harmony club was then known as the Wednesday Bridge club. Mrs. Bill Donald entertained the first club session in her home at 1804 Main. Mrs. G. C. Graves is the only charter member who is still active in the club. Other charter members were: Mrs. Ray Patton, Mrs. Lee Alben, Mrs. Cyral Willis, Mrs. J. J. Green, Mrs. Leonard Stewart and Mrs. T. J. Walker. At that time, the club met twice a month. Now, sessions are held every other Wednesday. Mrs. George Hall is president of the organization. The present membership is 13.

Get Acquainted with your town



A total of 48 bus, train, and air schedules leave Big Spring each day, radiating in four directions.



BURY THE HATCHET — Old friends are burying the hatchet and becoming better friends than ever as Big Spring once again lives up to its reputation as "the friendliest city," during Get Acquainted Week. There is no greater pleasure than talking over old times with old friends. This is the time for it.

Interest In Music Furthered By Club

Big Spring's Music Study club was organized in September, 1936, and federated in October, 1938. Taking as its motto, "Don't Let The Song Go Out Of Your Life," the club has sponsored nationally known artists in concerts here at a nominal fee. It has also sponsored junior music clubs and programs and assisted financially in district and state efforts to encourage talented youth in the furthering of their careers. The club has also sponsored a piano ensemble, choir festivals, Christmas community programs and an annual observance of National Music week with a series of programs open to the public. First officers were president, Mrs. G. C. Schurman, vice president, Mrs. J. H. Kirkpatrick, second vice president, Mrs. Roy Carter, recording secretary, Roberta Jay, corresponding secretary, Mrs. A. Schnitzer, treasurer, Elsie Willis, reporter, Lucile Rix, parliamentarian, Mrs. Willard Read and choral director, Mrs. Lula Carlisle. Charter members included Mrs. Clyde Angel, Mrs. Edmund Berger, Mrs. H. W. Broughton, Mrs. R. E. Blount, Mrs. Roy Carter, Mrs. B. T. Cardwell, Mrs. Dallas Childers, Mrs. Joe Ernest, Mrs. W. K. Edwards, Mrs. Victor Flewelling, Mrs. Joyce Fisher, Mrs. S. H. Gibson, Mrs. Anna Gibson Houser, Mrs. Byron Housewright, Roberta

Gay, Mrs. Harry E. Hurt, Mrs. W. L. McKinley, Mrs. Herbert Keaton, Mrs. R. P. Kountz, Mrs. W. L. McKinley, Mrs. Bernard Lamun, Mrs. J. W. Maddrey, Mrs. L. S. McDowell, Mrs. D. F. McConnell, Mrs. F. W. Malone, Mrs. Lurline Paxton, Mrs. Omar Pittman, Lucile Rix, Mrs. Willard Read, Mrs. Jess Slaughter, Mrs. Harry Stalcup, Mrs. G. C. Schurman, Mrs. A. Schnitzer, Mrs. L. G. Talley, Elsie Willis, Mrs. Raymond Winn, Mrs. G. H. Wood, Mrs. J. H. Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Herman Williams. Present officers are president, Mrs. Bill Grise, vice president, Mrs. R. V. Middleton, second vice president, Mrs. Homer Willoughby, recording secretary, Mrs. J. F. Neel, corresponding secretary, Edith Gay, treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Jones, reporter-historian, Mrs. H. G. Keaton, parliamentarian, Roberta Jay, and Allegro Music club sponsors, Mrs. J. F. Neel and Mrs. Everett Ellis. This year the club is studying "Music in Texas." It is also sponsoring the Allegro club which is made up of youthful musicians. Purpose of the junior organization is to encourage the appreciation of good music and to develop any talent shown. Through this organization, the club works with the youth of this community, district and state. The club also presents and sponsors music programs which will encourage musical activities and appreciation among the adults of the community.

Nazarene Women Formed Society Here In 1934


Mrs. Mary Reynolds served as the first president of the Church of Nazarene Women's Missionary Society which was organized in March of 1934. Other charter members included Mrs. James Lynn, Mrs. H. Y. Dixon, Mrs. James Gray, Mrs. E. E. Holland and Mrs. Myrtle Akens. Now totaling a membership of approximately 10 persons, the society deals in the main with missionary and charitable work. Study sessions are held twice each month from selected literature. The society assists the local needy and packs missionary boxes for the underprivileged at home and abroad. Mrs. E. E. Holland is the present president of the society, with Mrs. B. Y. Dixon, secretary and treasurer. Mrs. Lewis Patterson, superintendent of study and Mrs. Curtis Hood, program and study chairman.

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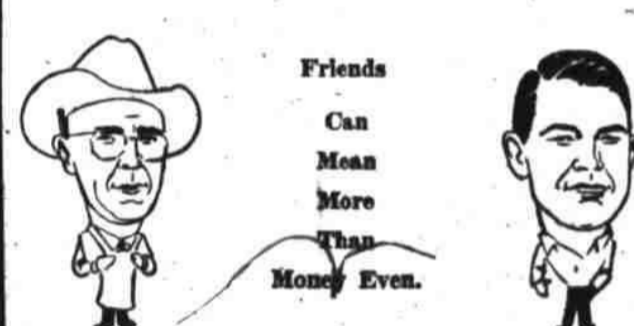


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The number of volumes in the Howard County Free library has almost doubled since an organization was formed three years ago to promote interest in the library. Mrs. B. L. LeFever was the first president of the Friends of the Howard County Library, while Margaret Christie was the first vice-president. Mrs. Matt Harrington, first secretary, and Mrs. Burrell, first treasurer. A major project of the organization was sponsorship of a bill enacted by the 50th state legislature to provide more funds for county library purposes. The legislation enabled counties to set aside part of taxes paid to the permanent improvement fund for library use. The Friends of the Howard County Library also have sponsored book reviews, discussion meetings, story-telling hours for children, etc. Present officers of the organization are L. E. Milling, president; Mrs. C. O. Nalley, vice-president; Mrs. J. S. Knappe, secretary; and B. E. Freeman, treasurer.

Junior College Was Started In 1945

Howard County Junior College came into being on Nov. 17, 1945. That was when the voters of the county said they wanted to establish such an institution and voted \$200,000 bonus for building and equipment. In 1949 the county-wide district voted \$350,000 more to provide a permanent plan for the growing institution. Today it has more than 400 students and a faculty of 18. The college has been a community dream for 15 years or more.

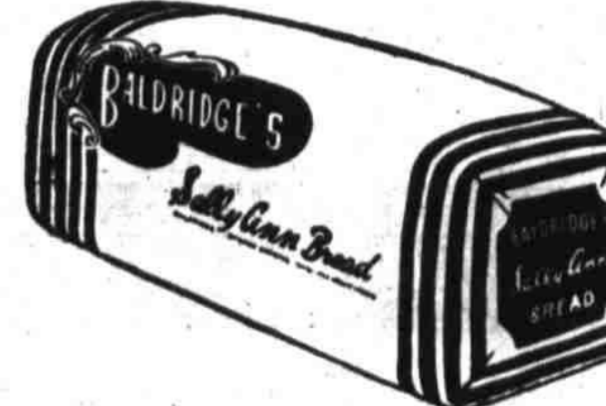
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Modern Bridge Started In '48

The Modern Bridge club was initiated early in 1948 with Mrs. John Brinner as president, Mrs. Frankie Nobles as treasurer, and Mrs. Al Aton, reporter.

col Compton, Mrs. Aton, Mrs. Hal Culp, Mrs. Hersbell Petty, Mrs. Brinner, Mrs. Nobles, Mrs. L. B. Edwards, Mrs. R. W. Halbrook and Mrs. Elvis McCrary. Mrs. Joe Fowler Brooks has since joined the club.

Mrs. McCrary is now president, Mrs. Brooks is treasurer, and Mrs. Halbrook is reporter. The club meets every other Thursday at 2 p. m.



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Concordia Ladies Aid Auxiliary To St. Paul's Lutheran Church

No sooner had the St. Paul's Lutheran congregation procured a place of worship, than the women of the church became active and were organized.

It was on November 4, 1931 that activities of the church women took permanent form when a group of women met with the pastor, the Rev. W. G. Buchschacher and Mrs. Buchschacher, and organized a Ladies Aid.

The following names are found in the records: Mrs. C. M. Tressur, Mrs. Bertha Rueckert, Mrs. W. C. Hecker, Mrs. Ed Lange, Mrs. W. G. Buchschacher, Mrs. Gus Oppgard, Mrs. Charles Scott, Mrs. Albert Keune, Mrs. H. C. Carmack and Mrs. D. M. Tressur.

Of that group, Mrs. Rueckert, Mrs. Hecker and Mrs. Oppgard are still members of the local Concordia Ladies Aid.

First officers were president, Mrs. Charles Scott, vice president, Mrs. H. C. Carmack, secretary, Mrs. D. B. Tressur, treasurer, Mrs. Ed Lange, reporter, Mrs. G. Oppgard, Mrs. W. C. Hecker and Mrs. C. M. Tressur were members of the visiting and membership committee.

On April 6, 1940, under the leadership of a new pastor, the Rev. G. H. Grallmann, the Ladies Aid was reorganized and the name of Concordia Ladies Aid was adopted. From this organization, work began to take shape in the form of improvements for the church. The group bought a baptismal font, altar furniture, a desk and furniture for the pastor's study, planted shrubbery around the church building. Plans for a parish house are now being discussed.

The Concordia Ladies Aid now has 13 regular members and two honorary members, the honorary members being advanced in age, Mrs. Bertha Rueckert and Mrs. Herman Weinkauff. Two members have served the society more than ten years each, Mrs. W. F. Pachall, serving as treasurer, and Mrs. John Foster, as president, with the following pastors in charge of the congregation, the Rev. Buchschacher, the Rev. Grallmann, the Rev. Kasper, the Rev. Horn, and the present pastor, the Rev. Ad H. Hoyer.

Present officers of the society are Mrs. John Foster, president; Mrs. M. W. Rupp, vice president; Mrs. Ad H. Hoyer, secretary and Mrs. F. G. L. Snow, treasurer.

The entire membership of the society is divided into committees and sub-committees.

60 Couples Belong To Chaparral Club

In January of 1948, Mr. and Mrs. Harry King and four couples interested in learning to square dance laid the foundation for the organization of the Chaparral club.

The club was officially organized with these four couples and the first class of some 25 couples included Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Childress, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Meiers, Mr. and Mrs. Art Kern and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gulley.

Harry King is caller for the group which meets in the American Legion hut twice each month, Hoyle Nix and his band furnished the music during the fall and winter season.

The Chaparral club with a total membership of 65 persons is one of the better known square dance clubs of the city, which have made square dancing a modern fad as well as helping to preserve some of the costumes and entertainment of the old West. King has long been an enthusiastic student of the old time folk dances and has taught dancing to over 400 couples in Big Spring alone. He is also one of the area's favorite callers.

Royal Neighbors Among The City's Fraternal Groups

Royal Neighbors of America were chartered as a fraternal and benefit society on March 21, 1895, at Rock Island, Ill.

Its chief aim and purpose is to render fraternal service and to provide protection for members and their families. It maintains a home for the aged and dependent members at Davenport, Iowa.

The juvenile department was organized on March 21, 1918 and provides insurance for all age children.

The local camp No. 727 was organized on January 17, 1912 by

Vashta Ward. Charter members included Ella Benson, Louise Benson, Parnella Benson, Elizabeth Bonner, Virgil Bray, Lillie Brown, Bessie Cordill, Fannie Cordill, Renier Davis, Docia Garrett, Floy W. Hill, Louise Horton, Louise Housley, Regina Jones, Florence King, Laura King, Mary J. Lamp, Sam C.

Lamar, Rosa McCollum, Oscar J. McCullum, John B. Nall, Leo Nall, Willie M. Nall and May Williams. The local camp meets on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 2:30 p. m. in the WOW hall.

Mrs. Claude Wright is the oracle of the local camp which has 116 adult benefit members, six social members and 29 juvenile members.

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Local Barbers Have Been With Union 36 Years

Barbers have been joined in a union here for 36 years, and 23 years of that time in their own local.

Bart Wilkinson is president of the local chartered on June 15, 1927. From 1914 until the time the local charter was issued, Big Spring union barbers were associated with the Abilene local.

Membership here has varied during the years, reaching a peak of 44 at one time. Present membership is 32. Purposes of the union are both fraternal and professional, to look after the interest of barbers and to promote high standards.

Other officers are Joe Jacobs, vice-president; Phil Grozier, secretary-treasurer; and R. L. Mosler, recording secretary.

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For young women in search of social and cultural activity, the Beta Omicron chapter of Beta Sigma Phi has been serving Big Spring for a dozen years.

Organized with six members in June 1937, the chapter has experienced steady growth as well as considerable activity. It sponsored the first Girl Scout troop when this work was re-activated in Big Spring. During World War II members were active in USO work and bond drives. Continuously, the chapter has assisted in and contributed to local campaigns and projects such as Community Chest cancer heart and polio fund drives, society for crippled children. In 1948 the Beta Omicron chapter gave \$320 to the mobile tubercular x-ray unit—a state project sponsored by Beta Sigma Phi sororities in Texas. Christmas contributions of toys and food to needy families are traditional.

First officers of the Beta Omicron chapter were Elizabeth Northington Drouet president; Evelyn Merrill Phinney vice-president; Ann Zarfanelis Darrow, secretary; Margaret Alderson Wooten, treasurer. Mary Burns Knox and Evelyn Archer Coker were other members. Mrs. W. J. McAdams was first director; Mrs. Omar Pittman first sponsor.

Faye Morgan is president today. Other officers are Frankie Nobles, vice-president; Cozaree Shields, secretary; Mary Ruth Robertson, treasurer. Membership has increased to a total of approximately 60.

Kansas City, Mo. is headquarters for the approximately 100,000 members in the U. S., Canada, England, Scotland, Hawaii, and Alaska. Cultural programs are featured on a bi-monthly basis and the social calendar is filled with teas, banquets, formal dinners. The sorority has its magazine, "The Torch" and its national project—support of two scientists in cancer research at the University of Colorado.

Football Dates Back

Football has long been an active sport in Big Spring. The high school tried it first in 1907 but took such a walloping it didn't field a team the next year. In 1909 Ernest Vaughn organized a club (the Jayhawks) which continued unbeaten for two years, piling up 426 points to 0 for opponents. It's been a regular sport since. Great teams were fielded in 1923, 1934, and 1941. Howard County Junior College started football in 1949.



"Ah Shoots, big boy, to see who git to go to Big Spring for 'GET ACQUAINTED WEEK'—if we had a boat."

Methodist Church Choir Active 3-Score Years

Just when the Methodist choir perfected formal organization is not clear but it has been making music for the First Methodist church for three score years.

Until two years ago Mrs. C. E. Talbot took her place each Sunday morning and evening in the choir loft as she had since 1897. No one has approached her record of service in the choir, although the late Mrs. Charles Morris did serve the choir as accompanist and director for 25 years.

Some of the early active members in the choir, Mrs. Talbot remembers, were Fred and Watkins Leeper and their sister, Maud, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wynn, Mrs. Chandler Harvey Rix, Mrs. J. W. Ward was the organist. Others who followed her at the old time organ were Mrs. Harvey Rix, Mrs. T. T. Annis, Mrs. Talbot, Mrs. L. R. Mundi, Mrs. Omar Pittman and Mrs. Champ Rainwater, present organist. The last three have played since the electric organ was installed.

After Mrs. Morris had to give up her choir duties for health reasons, Mrs. G. H. Wood, Mrs. Nell Frazier and Mrs. K. H. McGibbon served as directors. Among the known

part presidents of the choir are Mrs. Gertrude Cordill, Mrs. Fred McGowan, who served from 1939-47. Included in the members with longest service are Mrs. Lina Flewelle, Mrs. Clarence Shive, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Keaton, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Lamun, Mrs. G. H. Cunningham.

There are about 35 members of the choir. Officers are Mrs. Wallace Carr, president; Bernard Lamun, vice-president; Mrs. Lina Flewelle, secretary-treasurer; Edith Gay, librarian; Mrs. McGibbon is director, Mrs. Rainwater, organist, assisted by Billy Jean O'Neal and Kitty Roberts.

Special music for all services, together with cantatas at Christmas, Easter and other special seasons is furnished by the choir.

Woodman Circle Unit Organized Here In 1907

Howard Grove No. 663, Woodmen Circle, an insurance organization for women, was organized on December 19, 1907.

Charter members were Maudie Morris, E. G. Fowler, Virginia Van Gleson, J. C. Barmagarter, Lola May, Mary Wright, Louise Leeper, Emma Davis, Ava Mauldin, Bogan Duman and Jessie Van Gleson.

Through the years, the organization has safeguarding of the family by immediate care and protection, providing for the future with insurance and keeping the welfare of needy families in mind.

The grove helps to maintain a home for aged members and orphan children at Sherman. With a membership of 105 adults and 20 juniors, the local unit has as its slogan "Faith and Works Together For The Betterment of Mankind." Contributions are made annually to the home, for relief of needy and sick members, to flood and storm sufferers and to the relief of sufferers from other national disasters. The unit also contributes to the Red Cross, cancer research, infantile paralysis, tuberculosis, and the Easter seal drives. The members send flowers and pay visits to fellow members in sickness and bereavement. Stamps and bonds are purchased during war time.

Several members have membership of 25 years or longer. Many have paid up policies. Others, whose policies have been paid cash in full as years of payment are completed, remain as social members.

The late E. G. Towler, W. R. Purser, Maude Morris, Fannie Stephens and Lula Hardy remain on the lodge's honor roll.

Beula Carnrike, who is now an adopted mother of the grove, and 42 others have served as guardians.

W. E. Carnrike is one of the grove's auditors. Servings as officers for 1950 are Mattie Wren, president, Altha Parter, past president, Catherine Henry, treasurer, Vera Reaves, lieutenant, W. E. Carnrike, auditor, Mabel Hall, vice president, Fannie Sue Broughton, secretary, Mary Womack, chaplain and Viola Bowles, sentinel.

Get Acquainted with your town

Howard county has had a total of 13 different sheriffs. J. A. Baggett had the longest tenure of office, serving for sixteen years, from 1896 to 1906 and from 1910 to 1918.

College Encouragement Is Offered By AAUW

To encourage college graduates to continue study, to bring the experience of college educated women into the activities of the local community and to promote higher standards in educational institutions, those are the objectives of the American Association of University Women.

The Big Spring unit was organized in the spring of 1938 with Mrs. W. J. McAdams as the first president, Nell Brown, present president, was a charter member of the local unit and served as the first treasurer. Mrs. Charles Watson is the present vice president, Mrs. Ruth Burnam, secretary, and Dorothy Driver, treasurer.

Each year a topic of current interest is picked as the study topic. This year's theme is "Women Personalities In The News." All sessions are non-social except the annual membership tea and the annual covered dish luncheon.

The local unit sponsors a \$100 scholarship which goes to a local senior girl who is in the upper ten per cent of the graduating class. She must be an all-around student. Consideration is given to whether or not the student is de-

serving. She must attend an approved AAUW college. In Texas approved schools are Texas State College For Women, North Texas State College, Southern Methodist University, Texas Christian University, the University of Texas and Texas Technological college.

The unit also contributes to national and state scholarship funds sponsored by the state and national organizations. Through these scholarships, American students are sent abroad and foreign students are sent to American colleges. Each year, the national organization presents a \$2,500 achievement award to some outstanding women graduate.

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Child Study Club Also Is Active In Child Welfare

The Big Spring Child Study Circle of the Child Conservation League of America was organized on September 1, 1937 at a meeting in the Crawford Hotel.

Purpose of the Child Conservation League of America, was to organize mothers throughout the United States to study the problems involved in the rearing of children.

First officers were: Mrs. Tracy Smith, president; Mrs. Joseph Lloyd, vice president; Mrs. Clyde Angel, recording secretary; Mrs. E. E. Fahrenkamp, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. T. Tate, II, treasurer; Mrs. R. F. Schermerhorn, reporter and Mrs. C. E. Lancaster, librarian.

The circle followed a course of study sent out by the league for

several years and then changed to ones outlined in Parents' Magazine. During the past year, the members voted to get their own material for programs outlined by a program committee and for the first time, yearbooks were issued.

For several years, the club was federated with the Texas Federation of Women's clubs, but dropped the membership in order to use that money on projects. All projects involve child welfare.

In 1939, the members started assisting the WPA nursery project by furnishing clothes, work material and other needed items in addition to giving time for story telling hours. This nursery later became the Westside Recreation center. Members have assisted in the purchasing of playground equipment for several years. In addition, crayolas, blackboards, chalk, magazines, and numerous books have been donated for play rooms.

In 1942 money was donated to the Kate Morrison school for the purchase of work material for the Mexican children. When the Airport school was opened, the club held a book shower to aid the school in stocking a library.

Project for 1944-45 was the donation of \$25 each year to the public library for the purchase of books.

In 1946, \$25 was given to the YMCA to buy memberships for worthy children whose parents could not afford the fee.

For the past two years, the Girl Scouts have received gifts from the group. This year, the club also gave to the VFW Iron Lung fund and to the March of Dimes.

The club has been known as the Child Study club for the past six years and is a member of the city federation of women's clubs.

Present officers are Mrs. Joe Pickle, president; Mrs. Ross Boykin, vice president; Mrs. Tom Guin, treasurer; and Mrs. Charles Holderbaum, secretary. There are 20 members now on roll.

Local Service Clubs Furnish Dist. Leaders

Big Springers should be acquainted with the fact that the city has furnished several district leaders for civic clubs.

Douglas L. Orms, a past district governor of the American Business club, is a member of the national executive committee perhaps the highest honor to come to a local man in civic fields. Roy B. Reeder once served as a district ABClub governor.

Douglas Orms Big Spring district governors for the Lions, Joe Pond and Shirley Riley, Elmo Wasson currently is serving as district governor for the Rotary International, and H. W. Smith is the present lieutenant governor for the Kiwanis club. Lloyd Wooten served in the past as a district vice-president (district head) for the Jaycees.

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Staked Plains Lodge Pioneer Organization

One of the oldest, if not the oldest, fraternal organization in Big Spring is the Staked Plains Lodge No. 298 A. F. and A. M., which began functioning here June 13, 1884.



A. A. McKinney The organization works with the Grand Lodge to operate a public school in Fort Worth and a home for the aged at Arlington.

Present Worshipful Master is A. A. McKinney. Among the older members are W. H. Homan and W. J. Weir, both of whom hold membership in the Masonic Blue Lodge.

Present membership of the Masonic Blue Lodge amounts to about 250.

During the early '20's, the Order of DeMolays for boys was sponsored and was active for several years.

Royal Arch Chapter No. 178 was chartered Dec. 31, 1887. This particular organization convenes on the third Thursday night of each month.

R. R. Ware is the present Grand High Priest. C. L. Alderman was the first.

Big Spring Commandery No. 21, Knights Templar, was chartered April 24, 1883. Alderman also served as Grand Commander of that unit at one time. Albert Davis fills that post at the present time.

Big Spring Council No. 112 is headed by C. R. McClenney.

Quarter-Century Record Held By Church Of God

The Big Spring Church of God, sometimes called the West Side Church of God, has approximately a quarter-century ministry in this city.

When first organized, the Masonic lodge held its meetings in an old wooden building where the post office is now situated. In 1902, the lodge provided funds for the construction of its own building at East Third and Main streets.

It was organized in the mid-twenties and the first plant was erected at 12th and Young streets. In 1939 the present building, located on a site originally occupied by the Assembly of God, was acquired at 1010 W. 4th street. Pastor of the congregation is the Rev. J. M. Foshe, who last year succeeded Rev. E. J. Gibson. Among other pastors who have worked with the church are the Rev. N. L. Suttler, Rev. J. G. Gilbert, Rev. C. E. Thomson and Rev. George Asher.



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Taking pictures of the hundreds of people whose sketches appear in this issue of the Herald has been a novel experience—for those who had their picture taken. But not for the photographer. Each individual is a different personality, to be sure—but that's where the difference ends. The smiles and observations are uncommonly similar.

For instance, among the women there is the inclination to be gay. Sometimes this is expressed by a coy giggle, sometimes with some well-turned flippancy, or sometimes by a dry chuckle. Statisticians have revealed that women over 35 (and few ever exceed that age) are more apt to indulge in mirth or in witticisms at the moment they are having their picture taken than those under that age.

One remark, which has lost some of its edge, goes something like this: "Tee hee, I'll break the camera." Research shows that the identical conclusion was expressed rather cleverly by great grandfather when he had his old tin-type made on his wedding day.

Nor are the girls under 35 free of their idiosyncracies. There is a faint suspicion that perhaps a Hollywood talent scout is lurking behind the tiny confines of the high-powered lens.

This leads to such silly sayings as "Just a minute while I duck in and comb my hair," or "oh dear my nose is shining," or "can you spare just a moment while I touch up my make-up?" There's no point explaining that when the artist makes the sketch using the photograph only for outline and feature purposes, all the complexion, make-up, are left white as snow, and hair can be sketched neatly into place.

The men are not without their peculiarities, too. They have been known (on 99.9 per cent of occasions) to indulge in the same con-

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The Salvation Army has served 16 years in Big Spring at two intervals.

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In 1940 a campaign for funds to build a permanent home was launched and gifts by Mrs. Dora Roberts, Mrs. Cora Holmes, and others resulted in construction of a citadel and quarters at Aylford and 4th at a cost of around \$32,000.

Maj. Canning was retired from active service on Oct. 30, 1945 and Capt. and Mrs. Olive Sheppard succeeded to the work. The following year a playground activity was started and in 1947 barrack buildings were donated by the city for playground use and emergency transient shelter. Capt. and Mrs. James A. Harrison were assigned in charge of the post on Feb. 4, 1949.

The Salvation Army feeds and houses many homeless people each day and is called on for various kinds of family relief. Its religious services are growing and membership is now 75.

Activities include a women's club known as the Home League, senior soldiers meetings, church services, open air services, Sunday school. For youth there are daily vacation Bible school, girl guards, preparation classes, junior soldiers meetings, singing, young people's legion and junior legion.

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Sew-Sew Forth Club Observes 1st Birthday

In February, the Sew and Sew Forth Sewing club observed its first anniversary.


Under sponsorship of Mrs. Bill Sandridge, Mrs. E. H. Sanders, and Mrs. Tom Buckner, the club was organized in February, 1949 as a special activity for young women of the East Fourth Baptist church. Later it expanded to include outside the church.

Purpose of the club was to furnish a constructive diversion and social contact, and a means for doing helpful things. Typically, the project for 1950 is pointed for a booth at the Howard County Fair. Another aim is for each member to visit a shut-in each month. Special activities are planned by months and in February, the club made cloth animals for Buckner's Orphan's home.

Charter members of the club were Anita Cate, Toka Williams, Marguerite Cooper, Gladys Cowling, Joyce Justice, Bobby Hanson, Mrs. Sanders, Mrs. Sandridge and Mrs. Buckner. Mrs. Cowling has since become associated along with Edna Anderson, Dorothy Sikes, Mrs. Harry Hunt, and Mrs. Roy Lee.

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Rebekah Lodge Aids Aged And Orphans

Members of the Big Spring Rebekah Lodge No. 284, along with their subordinate lodge, Mullin lodge No. 372, help to maintain an orphan's home at Corsicans and an old folks home at Ennis.

Organized on March 26, 1922, the Rebekahs have adopted a girl at the home. They send her gifts on her birthday, Christmas and other holidays.

Within the past six months, they have raised money by rummage sales, cake and pie sales and Sunday night family suppers (opened to the public) and by serving various club banquets. Funds are being used to completely furnish a room at the old folks home at Ennis. This entitled the lodge to have its name inscribed on a plaque on the door of the room they furnish.

At the present time, the lodge is in the process of raising money to purchase new robes for the team, which is planning to attend the West Texas Oddfellow and Rebekah association to be held in Goldsmith in April.

Charter members of the organization were J. F. Henderson, N. J. Stalcup, J. F. Ory, L. L. Guley, J. H. Greenway, Pearl Ory, Nora Guley, Leo Wall, Lela Andrews, G. A. Henderson, Maggie Richardson and Lily Barnett.

Present membership is 231. Forty-one of that number have served as Noble Grands.

Present officers are Noble Grand Evelyn Rogers, Vice Grand, Ida Mae Cooks, recording secretary, Francis Shank, financial secretary, Irene Gross, treasurer, Marie Hughes, warden, Laverne Green, conductor, Gladys Mires, chaplain, Sonora Honey, flag bearer, Thelma Braune, flag bearer, Lucille Petty, inside guardian, Katherine Wood, outside guardian, Berna Byerley, right supporter to Noble Grand, Ruth Wilson, left supporter to Noble Grand, Alma Crenshaw, right supporter to vice grand, Loise Forsyth, left supporter to vice grand, Julia Wilkerson, musician, Audrey Cain, team captain, Velma Cain and lodge deputy, Julia Wilkerson.

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Tuesday would be a swell time to brush up on the names of your neighbors—if you don't know them. Tuesday is Neighborhood Day during Get Acquainted Week.

A suggestion for the day—and no one is going to come around and knock on your door to see if you're doing anything about it—is that neighborhoods organize little get-togethers.

It may be that you like to play host to a gathering around your barbecue pit if the weather is pleasant. Or maybe some of your neighbors would like to join you in preparing a few sandwiches, cookies or refreshments.

Others may find it more practical to have small, informal game parties or just old fashioned visitation in the homes. If it's cool, there's nothing better than a pop corn popping to touch off good feeling among the oldsters and youngsters alike.

Of course, these may not be practical ideas. It may be that social calls upon your neighbors during the day will serve the purpose better. Comparatively new folks in the neighborhood would appreciate that courtesy too. You haven't got around to so far. And don't forget the old standbys. Some of our dearest friends are those who live across the fence or across the street and whom we never really see and talk to except as we yell a greeting or wave as we both go to work.

Tuesday would be a great time to stir the embers of a warm and intimate friendship again.

Budget of the City of Big Spring for the fiscal year ending April 1 has been \$301,889.50.

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The promotion of interest in intellectual growth and the stimulation of individual effort among its members is the object of the 1948 Hyperion club.

This club was organized under the direction of the executive committee of the Hyperion club on Saturday, August 14, 1948, at a meeting held in the Episcopal Parish house.

Mrs. John Hodges served as the first president of the club, with Mrs. Jack Irons as vice-president.

During the first year following its organization, the club was active in supporting the Town Hall association. Several of the club members served on the executive committee of the association.

Projects for the present club year include the presentation of \$200 toward a building fund for a local woman's civic clubhouse and the partial purchase of a floor covering at the Girl Scout hut.

Present club officers are Mrs. Jack Irons, president; Mrs. Allen R. Hamilton, vice-president; Mrs. Otis Grafe, Jr., treasurer; Mrs. Worth Peeler, recording secretary; Mrs. L. S. Lilly, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Ray Clark, Federation counselor; and Mrs. C. C. Jones, parliamentarian.



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In this undertaking they had the blessing of the partner church, and Rev. J. D. Holt, first pastor, started with 43 charter members.

The following January the Rev. Chester O'Brien, Jr., then studying at Hardin-Simmons university became pastor and served in this capacity, on a part-time basis, until 1947 when he entered the Southern Baptist seminary at Louisville, Ky.

C. V. Warren and Chester O'Brien, Sr., father of the second pastor, were installed as the first deacons, and they, with P. B. Webb, served as trustees.

The church moved to its present location at 10th and N. Scurry in August of 1945 and on Nov. 15 formally changed its name to the North Side Baptist church. Since then, it has grown substantially, both as a congregation and as a physical property.

Rev. Gaston Green succeeded Rev. O'Brien, and in turn he was succeeded by L. B. Moss. The Rev. T. M. Harrell has been serving the church as pastor since the latter part of 1948.



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Community day of Get Acquainted Week—set for Thursday—will center around open house at the chamber of commerce and a downtown get-together.

Arrangements for the affair are in charge of Fritz Wehner, chairman of the chamber's special events committee.

The evening program will follow somewhat the pattern which proved so popular in the pre-centennial jamboree last autumn.

A section of a street downtown will be roped off for a 7 p. m. program. There will be band music interspersed with running commentary and introduction of people from surrounding communities.

At intervals, newcomers will be presented to the crowd as they are made known.

H. M. Hubbard and his string band will be on hand, striking up lively tunes.

And Harry King is recruiting several square dancers for an exhibition of square dancing. There will be opportunity for all who like to do a little of the folk dancing themselves.

In fact, the whole program, lasting about an hour, is informal and pitched for emphasis on getting acquainted with one another.

During the day, the chamber of commerce will serve coffee and cookies to those who call at the office. Women members and wives of directors and other members are being asked to serve

Tips, Proven And Otherwise On How To Meet More People

There is a right way to go about this "Get Acquainted" business, and fortunately it has many angles.

Some are a little unusual, others trite and threadbare but they have one thing in common—they turn the key to new friendships.

The simplest, and by far the most effective, method is to introduce yourself by merely saying "My name is Whistlebrook."

The other person's mouth may drop open for a few seconds, but he (or she) will usually recover from the spell of astonishment and mutter in innocent confusion: "Glad to know you. I'm Pickins—E. Z. Pickins."

Another, rather obvious yet effective means, is to get a mutual acquaintance to introduce you.

This may be simplified by finding someone who knows everybody in town. Then have him or her escort you on a tour of the city, performing the conventional introductions at each stop. It is

advised that in introducing Mr. Brown to Mr. Jones that each be told a fact or two—about occupation, mission, etc.—about the other. For instance, if you meet a doctor, your face will brighten and you can say: "Why doctor, what a coincidence, I've been having the most mysterious pain."

One approach that has been kicked around a lot, yet is indestructible, is that of dragging the weather into the picture. "What lovely weather we're having," or "Sure been dry, ain't it?" are calculated to completely disarm the stranger. The reply will be a weak, "I can't remember when it's been so nice (or dry)," but the conversational ice will have been broken. Ultimately, the party of first part can blurt out: "I'm Bill Smith!" Thus, friendly entry has been gained via the backdoor.

When the girl is taking the initiative in getting acquainted, she must be subtle about it in most cases. The definition of "subtle" usually is as follows: "A method by which a young woman pursues a young man and makes it appear that he is pursuing her.

A musty technique is to drop the handkerchief under the guy's nose, or backing off and fluttering the eye lashes. It is always possible to "mistake" the object for someone else or to turn on the weaker sex camouflage by commenting on his intelligence or strength, etc.

If you want to use several people to perform introductions, it is possible to arrange a chain reaction. For example, the fellow with whom you drink coffee may have a sister who is a good friend of that cute little number you've had your eye on recently—or girls, check up and see if one of your sorority sisters doesn't live next door to that tall, dark and handsome creature that you have been observing from afar.

Still another means is the little gimmick which has broken ice on other occasions. It is the time-piece approach. For instance: "What time do you have?" Or perhaps "Pardon me, do you have a match?" or "could you tell me the way to Main street or by any chance could I be standing upon it this very minute?" These always bring out the Boy Scout nature in individuals, and in their helpful spirit, they are easy targets for introduction.

For the younger generation, there is nothing like the blind date to get acquainted. Of course, that method is not always limited to youngsters. If you are an eligible bachelor (or an eager maiden), there is usually someone who is forever trying to get you acquainted with the right Jane or Joe. Some people can't bear the thought of a friend being un-

usually anxious that those who are not members and those who are newcomers to Big Spring take time out to visit and meet people at the chamber offices on Thursday.

Knowing The Weather Is A Difficult Task

Vagaries of West Texas weather can be a baffling experience to people who have never lived in this section.

It's quite unlike any place in the country, and "tenderfeet" might like to get acquainted with that universal product—the weather.

In West Texas, and in Big Spring, the unusual can usually be expected. For instance, a couple of summers ago the temperature jumped well over 100 degrees. Then came a puff of wind off the cap rock to the north, and with it a right brisk sandstorm. Presto, there were big drops of water which left sidewalk splashes as big as hens' eggs.

And all of a sudden, big chunks of ice, which might have qualified as flying saucers, peppered down for a moment. The hail was gone in a moment and a shower followed—hardly enough to settle the dust within the city limits. But just north of town, a regular deluge came, and traffic was stalled while water coursed over the highway.

Or there was the time when natives went to bed one balmy February night with readings in the high 70s. By next morning the thermometer, snow and sleet were on the ground. The next day brought seven below zero. That's the way it can happen.

Most of the time the weather is pleasant. On the average, few places in the nation can match Big Spring climate. The spring months are pleasantly mild, but there is always the danger of wind whipping up a sand storm. The summers will be hot, with nights pleasantly cool. The autumns will match spring pleasantness without

the wind. Winters have their cold snaps, but these are usually of short duration, leaving the season more like spring in most places. There are a few terms peculiar to the area. One is blue norther. This applies to a sudden drop in temperature which is preceded by an ominous steel blue cast along the northern horizon.

Another is sandstorm. This applies to the coarse grain variety which generally starts at 'mid-

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Big Spring, Texas, Sunday, March 26, 1950

Knowing The Weather Is A Difficult Task

Vagaries of West Texas weather can be a baffling experience to people who have never lived in this section. It's quite unlike any place in the country, and "tenderfeet" might like to get acquainted with that universal product—the weather. In West Texas, and in Big Spring, the unusual can usually be expected. For instance, a couple of summers ago the temperature jumped well over 100 degrees. Then came a puff of wind off the cap rock to the north, and with it a right brisk sandstorm. Presto, there were big drops of water which left sidewalk splashes as big as hens' eggs. And all of a sudden, big chunks of ice, which might have qualified as flying saucers, peppered down for a moment. The hail was gone in a moment and a shower followed—hardly enough to settle the dust within the city limits. But just north of town, a regular deluge came, and traffic was stalled while water coursed over the highway. Or there was the time when natives went to bed one balmy February night with readings in the high 70s. By next morning the thermometer, snow and sleet were on the ground. The next day brought seven below zero. That's the way it can happen. Most of the time the weather is pleasant. On the average, few places in the nation can match Big Spring climate. The spring months are pleasantly mild, but there is always the danger of wind whipping up a sand storm. The summers will be hot, with nights pleasantly cool. The autumns will match spring pleasantness without the wind. Winters have their cold snaps, but these are usually of short duration, leaving the season more like spring in most places. There are a few terms peculiar to the area. One is blue norther. This applies to a sudden drop in temperature which is preceded by an ominous steel blue cast along the northern horizon. Another is sandstorm. This applies to the coarse grain variety which generally starts at 'mid-

enough to float cobs in the barnyard) or trash-movers when the volume is great enough to carry yard trash against the fence line. Slow drizzles may be known as turnip rains. About the only regarded term for summer days is the universal "sizzler." This, however, is generally reserved for the days which exceed 100 degrees. And there are not normally very many of these in a year's time. And with rare exceptions, there is always a steady and relatively strong breeze in from the south to cool things and made a perfect night's rest possible.

This, plus the fact that a man can raise a sweat without stewing in it, has a way of getting into people's blood. They may miss the weather at any given minute, but they'll come back to it if they have a chance.

Rainwise, there are not many fixed terms. Shower generally means a light rain, and sprinkle is just what it says. Showers that get out of hand are regarded as thunderstorms, and when they go crazy with high wind and hail, they are called thunderstorms in this country. General rains, in the heavy class, may be known as cobs-floater when they pour out

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Northside WMU Organized In 1942

The Northside WMU was organized when the Northside Baptist church was established in 1942.

Mrs. J. D. Holt was first president. The group sponsors the intermediate and junior Girls auxiliaries and contributes to foreign home missions regularly.

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W. A. Fitzgerald

Stitch A Bit Of City's Older Sewing Clubs

Organized some ten years ago the Stitch A Bit club is one of the older sewing groups in the city.

Mrs. John Knox is the president, and Mrs. H. J. Agee, secretary, and Mrs. G. G. Morhead, reporter for the club which has a membership of nine.

In addition to their sewing, the members make a habit of remembering birthdays in some special way. Meetings are held every two weeks.

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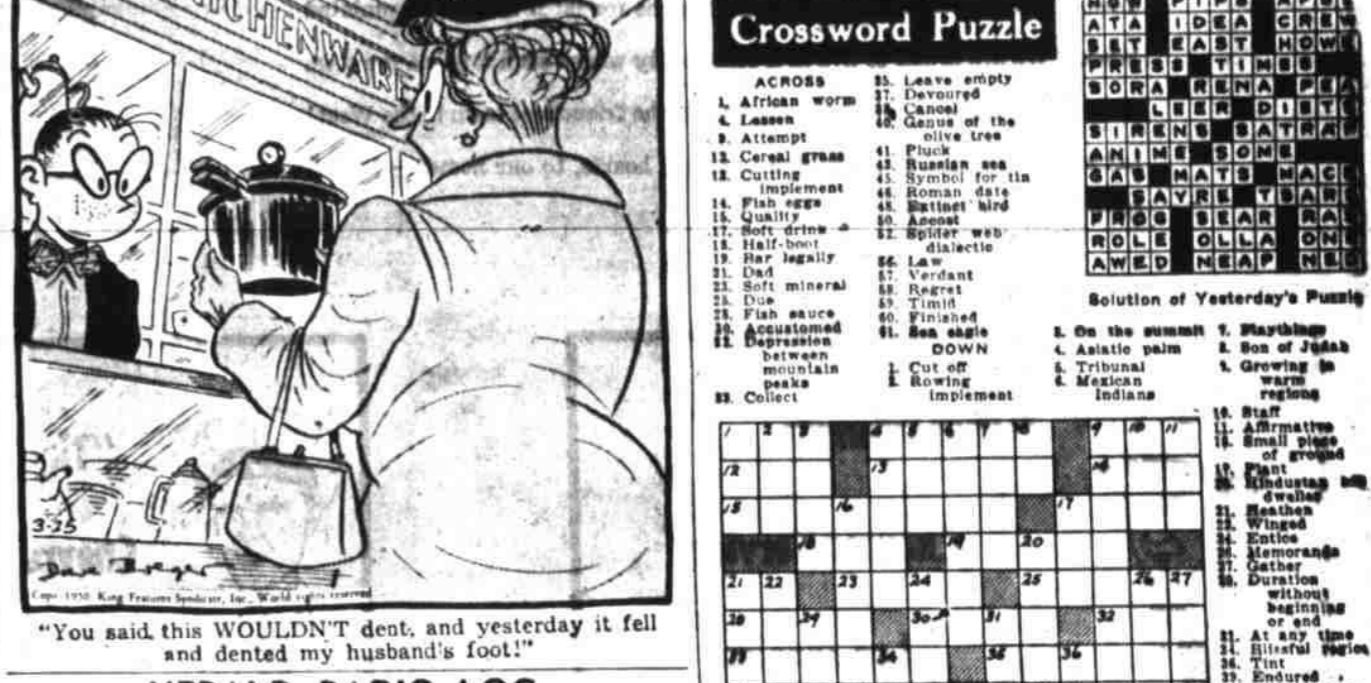
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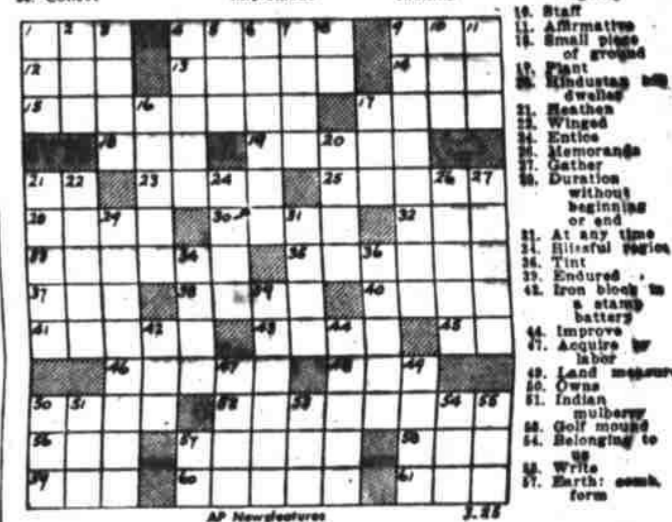
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Panel 1: "SO! CAUGHT IN TH' ACT... YOU WOBBIN' WABBIT!"
"EHHH, WHAT'S UR DOC?"
CARROT STORE HOUSE

Panel 2: "DONT SO JUMPIN' T' CONCLUSIONS JUST BECAUSE YA FOUND ME HAMMERIN' ON THIS LOCK!"
"YOU MEAN YOU'RE NOT TRYIN' TO WOB MY CANNOT STORE-HOUSE?"

Panel 3: "LEAVE US PUT IT MORE DELICATELY... SAY I WAS GONNA BORROW A FEW O' YER YUMMIES!"
"HMM! I MIGHT GIVE YOU SOME CANNWOTS... ON ONE CONDITION!"

Panel 4: "NAME IT! I'LL DO ANY-THING FER A CARROT... I MEAN... FER YOU, PAL!"
"I WANT YOU TO IMPERSONATE TH' EASTER BUNNY FOR MY NEPHEW, FILBERT!"

Panel 5: "AW, HAVE A HEART, BESIDES, EASTER'S TWO WEEKS OFF!"
"THAT WILL GIVE YOU PLENTY OF TIME TO CONVINCHE HIM YOU ARE TH' EASTER BUNNY!"

Panel 6: "FILBERT, THIS IS TH' EASTER BUNNY!"
"HIYA, KID!"
"I WEGARD THE LEGEND OF THE EASTER BUNNY WITH EXTWEME SKEPTICISM!! I DEMAND PWOOF!"

Panel 7: "I HAVE PWEARED AN EXPWEIMENT TO SEE IF YOU ARE WEALLY THE EASTER BUNNY! WAIT HERE!"
"I DONT GET THEM FIFTY-CENT WORDS, YER SPOUTIN', BUT GO INTA YER ACT!"

Panel 8: "GIT ON THIS NEST OF EGGS AND HATCH THEM."
"Y-I-IPE!"
"HO! HO!"

OUT OUR WAY

The Willets

T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

By J. R. Williams

Panel 1: "WHEN DO WE EAT?"
"IN JUST A LITTLE WHILE!"

Panel 2: "THERE'S NO USE TRYIN' TO READ - MY STOMACH WON'T LET ME!"
"WILL YOU PLEASE BE QUIET? LILLIAN DOESN'T WANT TO STOP RIGHT IN THE MIDDLE OF THIS!"

Panel 3: "MOM SAYS FOR YOU TO GET OUT OF THE KITCHEN AND WAIT UNTIL I'M THROUGH FIXING HER DRESS!"

Panel 4: "OH, IF ONLY I COULD TAKE A NAP - BUT EITHER ER SOMETHING, IS THE ONLY THING THAT WOULD PUT ME OUT OF MY MISERY, I'M SO HUNGRY!"
"THERE'S SOME- ONE AT THE BACK, LILLIAN - WILL YOU SEE WHO IT IS?"

Panel 5: "WHY, YES, I GUESS WE COULD! WILL YOU COME IN?"
"THANKS, LADY, BUT I'LL JUST STAY OUT HERE ON THE PORCH!"

Panel 6: "I HOPE THESE COLD CUTS AND THE DOUGHNUTS AND THIS GLASS OF MILK WILL BE OKAY!"
"OH, THEY'LL BE FINE! THANKS!"

Panel 7: "STILL AT IT? I THINK I HAVE A SWELL IDEA!"

Panel 8: "COULD YOU PLEASE GIVE A GUY A BITE TO EAT?"

Panel 9: "WHAT'S FUNNY ABOUT IT? I'M STARVED!"

Comic Strip:
"I never dreamed I'd be harmonizing with **VAUGHN MONROE!**"
"THANKS FOR STOPPING BY, VAUGHN MONROE. YOU PLAYED AT MY COLLEGE DANCE THIS WINTER!"
"OH, YES, MISS LEE! AND I ALSO REMEMBER THAT YOU SANG A VERY LOVELY SPECIALTY NUMBER."
"I LOVE THAT JINGLE YOU SING ON THE RADIO - 'HOW MILD CAN A CIGARETTE BE?' IT STARTED ME ON THE CAMEL 30-DAY TEST - CAMELS ARE GREAT!"
"GLAD YOU LIKED THE SONG AND MADE THE TEST. HOW ABOUT JOINING ME ON THE BANDSTAND FOR A LITTLE GUEST NUMBER?"
"NATURALLY, I SMOKE THE CIGARETTE THAT AGREES WITH MY THROAT. CAMELS FOR ME! THEY'RE MILD AND THEY TASTE GREAT!"
"VERY NICE HARMONIZING, MISS LEE! I THINK YOU HAVE A REAL FUTURE AS A SINGER!"
"AND THAT GIRL HAS A FINE VOICE!"
"MANY THANKS TO YOU, MR. MONROE! YOU'VE TAUGHT ME A LOT - EVEN TO THE RIGHT CIGARETTE FOR MY THROAT - CAMEL!"

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Theatres Invite You To 'Get Acquainted' With Film Players

Kirk Douglas, Lauren Bacall In 'Young Man With A Horn'

The Ritz is inviting you to get better acquainted this week with a rising young star, Kirk Douglas, who fills the title role in "Young Man With A Horn," featured today and Monday.

The story is based on a best-selling novel which was based on some of the events in the life of the late Bix Beiderbecke, a trumpet player of talent in the jazz age, but is largely a fictional piece.

The picture Kirk Douglas tells the story of a jazz trumpeter who rises to the peak of his profession only to topple when riches and a beautiful girl nearly prove

his undoing.

Lauren Bacall plays the sultry woman in his life while Doris Day as a band vocalist, is the other woman. Hoagy Carmichael, famed most perhaps as tunesmith for the now classic "Stardust" plays a featured role as goes Juano Hernandez, Puerto Rican star from Broadway who recently scored an impressive acting triumph as the negro in "Intruder in the Dust."

Jazz and movie Lauren Bacall fans alike are in for both a musical and dramatic experience for the film contains a number of hit tunes sung by Doris Day and interpreted by famed musicians representing the bands of Harry James, the Dorsey's, Stan Kenton, Duke Ellington, Charlie Barnett, Vaughn Monroe, Phil Harris and Spade Cooley.

Among the songs Miss Day sings in the film are: "I May Be Wrong," "The Very Thought Of You" and "With A Song In My Heart."

The film which depicts the graphic behind-the-scenes lives of the popular music world, was directed by Michael Curtiz.

Dana Andrews Star In Drama Of Near East

One of the world's hot spots, the flaming Near East, is the setting for the drama, "Sword In The Desert" featured at the Lyric theatre today and Monday.

The film deals with recent dramatic events connected with strife. The story the Palestine concerns an American sea captain who smuggles a cargo of refugees from Italy to the Palestine coast, is trapped here and prevented from returning to Dana Andrews his ship and then spends 48 hours as a fugitive with underground fighters and the refugees he has landed.

Dana Andrews is starred in the picture, in the role of the sea captain. Other players are Maria Toren, Stephen McNally, Jeff Chandler of radio fame, Philip Friend and Laim Redmond.

Miss Toren plays an underground radio commentator, McNally appears as a lieutenant in that fighting force.

Richard Conte In Drama Of Truckers

Sea Adventure Presented In 'Captain China'

The peace-time merchant marine is tapped as a source of action and adventure for the drama, "Captain China," which is the Thursday-Friday program headliner at the Ritz.

Boasting a cast of six stars including John Payne, Gail Russell, Edgan Bergen and Michael O'Shea, the film crams action in every inch of its footage, according to advance reports.

Particular praise was reserved for a memorable typhoon sequence and a violent fist fight between Payne and Chaney.

In the title role, Payne portrays

"Thieves' Highway," a hard-hitting drama of love and violence with Richard Conte in the leading role and introducing a brilliant newcomer to the American screen.

The Italian star, Valentina Cortes, is the featured attraction at the Ritz theatre for Tuesday and Wednesday.

The story is about the "long haul" boys who drive by night to bring their produce to the markets of America's big cities. The Richard Conte rivalry among speedball truckers, the home life

a rough-and-ready skipper who loses his command when his ship goes aground. The thrill-packed story concerns his efforts to vindicate himself and regain his stripes.

Gail Russell plays the romantic interest, while Jeffrey Lynn is seen as an incompetent ship captain. Edgar Bergen makes one of his rare appearances without Charlie McCarthy.

"Captain China" is a Pine-Thomas production directed by Lewis R. Foster. Ellen Corby, Robert Armstrong and John Qualen head the featured cast of the film.

Crosby And Astaire In Holiday Inn

Two of the great entertainers of all times appear in one of the great musical comedies of all time, with the return showing here this week of "Holiday Inn."

The picture, with Bing Crosby and Fred Astaire as the stars, is at the Lyric Tuesday and Wednesday.

Crosby croons more than ever, and Astaire does a number of dance numbers. There are 13 tuneful melodies, including the great favorite "White Christmas."

The musical hit was an original for the screen, based on an idea by Lynn Berlin, the action's top tunesmith, and the songs are Berlin's creations.

The story deals with a couple of smooth guys who operate a resort place which specializes in holiday parties. The film celebrates various national holidays by setting them to music and presenting them as lavish spectacles.

Also featured in the cast of "Holiday Inn" are Marjorie Reynolds, Virginia Dale and Walter Abel. You'll remember some of the other top tunes as being "East-er Parade," "Be Careful, It's My Heart," and "Happy Holiday."

John Payne Particular praise was reserved for a memorable typhoon sequence and a violent fist fight between Payne and Chaney.

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and romances of these men who risk flaming crack-ups and battles with produce merchants gives the screen play a terrific impact.

The picture, which marks Conte's second romantic role, was filmed almost entirely in San Francisco and the bay area to give authentic background and first hand atmosphere and color to the exciting production reins.

Miss Nina Carter
State House
Manager
"The State is your family theatre—we are always glad to have you."

Miss Ada Handlin
State Cashier
"We are happy to be showing 'Black Midnight' for you Sunday - Monday."

State TODAY And MONDAY

A HORSE THAT COULDN'T BE BROKEN... MEETING THE CHALLENGE OF THE WILDS WITH NO QUARTER ASKED...OR GIVEN!

Black Midnight
RODDY McDOWALL
Lyn Thomas, Rand Brooks, Damian O'Flynn, Kirby Grant, Gordon Jones

TUES-WED.
Tough Assignment
With Steve Brodie—Don Barry

John Suter, Sr.
State Projectionist
"Tough Assignment" is a picture I believe you will enjoy."

Martha Leysath
State Cashier
"You always get more entertainment for your money at the State."

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TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY
TOGETHER...
had never better!

J. C. Hurt, Jr.
Lyric Projectionist
"I know you will enjoy the return showing of 'Holiday Inn' Tues. and Wed."

Mrs. Olean Melton,
Lyric Concessions:
"Visit our concession stand for delicious candies and fresh popcorn"

John Suter Jr.
Lyric Doorman:
"For plenty of action don't miss 'Ben Hur' starting Thursday."

John Garrison,
Lyric Concessions:
"Next time enjoy some of our fresh popcorn"

Leonidos Roney
Lyric Projectionist:
"It's fun to project pictures we know you will enjoy"

Edward Gatewood
Lyric Porter
"I try to keep the Lyric clean for you"

Lyric
TODAY - MONDAY
Dana ANDREWS - Maria Toren
Stephen McNALLY
Sword in the Desert

Mrs. Rosa Hobbs
Lyric Cashier
"We are happy to be showing 'Sword in the Desert' for you today."

Mrs. Ada Chelf
Lyric Cashier
"When we say 'Thank you,' we really mean it."

Betty Watts
Lyric Concessions
"We appreciate your business - come often."

THURS. - FRI. - SAT.
BLAZING GUNS!
RANGE THRILLS!
CHARLES STARRETT
RENEGADES OF THE SAGE
with SMILEY BURNETTE

Clarence Russell,
Lyric Projectionist:
"There are thrills aplenty in 'Sword in the Desert'"

Billy King
Lyric Doorman:
"It's a pleasure to greet patrons like you"

Movies are BETTER than ever

Alexis Smith, Zack Scott In Gay Comedy

"One Last Fling" Warner Bros. madcap comedy about a bride and her business-man husband who gets involved with a female acquaintance, is the feature at the Ritz theatre Saturday. The film stars Alexis Smith and Zachary Scott in the principal roles.

Tired of being just a housewife, Alexis arrives at the downtown music store of her husband to re-enter the business world. The husband however has also given away the job to another young lady and the hilarious complications which arise as a result of the misunderstanding make for plenty of laughs throughout the film.

An added attraction in this film for the ladies in the wardrobe which Alexis as a smart and well-to-do young matron wears in a number of scenes.

The Week's Playbill

RITZ
SUN.-MON.—"Young Man With A Horn," with Kirk Douglas, Lauren Bacall and Doris Day.
TUES.-WED.—"Thieves' Highway," with Richard Conte and Valentina Cortes.
THURS.-FRI.—"Captain China," with John Payne and Gail Russell.
SAT.—"One Last Fling," with Alexis Smith and Zachary Scott.

STATE
SUN.-MON.—"Black Midnight," with Roddy McDowall and Damian O'Flynn.
TUES.-WED.—"Tough Assignment," with Don Barry and Marjorie Steele.
THURS.—"The Lone Wolf and His Lady," with Ron Randall and June Vincent.
FRI.-SAT.—"Riders Of Santa Fe," with Red Cameron.

LYRIC
SUN.-MON.—"Sword In The Desert," with Dana Andrews and Maria Toren.
TUES.-WED.—"Holiday Inn," with Bing Crosby and Fred Astaire.
THURS.-FRI.-SAT.—"Renegades of the Sage," with Charles Starrett.

THE MANAGEMENT AND PERSONNEL
Of the Big Spring Theatres are happy to have this opportunity to become better acquainted with you. We want to know you, we want you to know us. The friendly greeting of each employee—not only this week, but every day in the year—carries with it the appreciation of the entire personnel for your splendid patronage.

We consider it a privilege to bring you the finest motion picture entertainment available at all times... for "Get Acquainted week" we have selected the best of Hollywood's offerings for your enjoyment.

J. Y. Robb
Owner
We are looking forward to welcoming you to our theatres this week.

Ritz TODAY And MONDAY
Two Women with a Touch and a...
DOUGLAS - BACALL - DAY
YOUNG MAN WITH HORN
with RODDY McDOWALL

Mrs. Logan Baker
Ritz House Manager
You will get acquainted with thrills when you see "Thieves Highway."

W. G. Harrell
Chief Projectionist
"Our projectors have been bolted to the floor for the showing of 'Young Man With A Horn'."

IT HITS THE SCREEN WITH A MIGHTY IMPACT!
THIEVES' HIGHWAY
with Richard CONTE
Lee J. COBB
Jack OAKIE
Barbara LAWRENCE

Sue Nell
Ritz Concessions:
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with Richard CONTE
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SHOWING THURSDAY-FRIDAY
JOHN PAYNE GAIL RUSSELL JEFFREY LYNN
"Captain China"

SHOWING SATURDAY ONLY
ALEXIS SMITH - ZACHARY SCOTT
One Last Fling

H. C. Overt
Manager
We hope you will enjoy these hand picked "Get Acquainted" attractions.

Mrs. Nadine Cates
Bookkeeper
All of us are always happy to see all of you.

Mrs. Dorothy Meador
Ritz Cashier
"It's really a pleasure to say 'How many please?' to you."

Tommy Thigpen
Ritz Usher
"I believe you will enjoy 'One Last Fling.' It shows Saturday."

Mrs. Thelma Teague
Ritz Cashier
"Why shouldn't I smile? It's great to get acquainted with you."

Max Perry
Ritz Projectionist
"It's your patronage that makes our jobs possible... Thanks."

Willard McCann
Ritz Doorman
"It's a pleasure to greet patrons like you."

Mary Lou Lepard
Ritz Concessions:
"We've just received a large order of fresh candies."

Movies are BETTER than ever

TOOTS CASPER

CASPER, I JUST SAW YOUR NEW SUIT LAYS OUT. WHY ARE YOU WEARING IT TODAY?

I'M STEPPING OUT TODAY, TOOTS.

A LADY BUYER IS COMING TO TOWN TODAY WITH HER DAUGHTER---

... THE BOSS SAID COL. HOOPER AND I WOULD HAVE TO ENTERTAIN THEM--- THE MOTHER WANTS TO GO ONE PLACE, THE DAUGHTER ANOTHER.

THE COLONEL AND I FLIPPED A COIN TO SEE WHICH OF US WOULD ESCORT THE DAUGHTER, AND I WON.

CASPER, I WISH YOU HAD LOST!

I'LL TAKE THE DAUGHTER TO THE GLITTER ROOM OF THE EL SWELLO. POOR COL. HOOPER! I WONDER WHERE HE'LL TAKE THE MOTHER?

FOR TWO CENTS I WOULDN'T GO IN TODAY--- I'VE GOTTA ESCORT A WOMAN BUYER, AND CASPER'S GOING TO ESCORT HER DAUGHTER.

CASPER, GET COL. HOOPER AND COME TO MY OFFICE. I WANT YOU TO MEET THE BUYER, MRS. CHARMER, AND HER DAUGHTER MARGIE!

OKAY, BOSS!

I WANT TO MEET MARGIE!

BOYS, I WANT YOU TO MEET MRS. CHARMER AND HER DAUGHTER MARGIE---

COL. HOOPER WILL ESCORT YOU, MRS. CHARMER--- AND CASPER, HERE, WILL ESCORT YOUR DAUGHTER MARGIE.

COME, MRS. CHARMER, WE'LL GO TO THE EL SWELLO FOR LUNCH!

GOOD-BYE, MARGIE. BE A GOOD GIRL!

BYE, MAMA. MR. CASPER IS GOING TO TAKE ME TO THE ZOO!

JIMMY MURPHY

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THE LONE RANGER

By FRANK STRIDER

DON'T MAKE A MOVE! I'VE GOT YOU COVERED!

HIM SHERIFF! HE SEE BADGE!

IT'S PLUNKETT, THE INDIAN AGENT! THESE CRITTERS MUST'VE KILLED HIM!

WE NOT KILL UM. WE HAVE NO BOW.

THE ARROW WAS FIRED FROM GORIER CAVE.

I OUGHTTA SHOOT YOU FOR A LIE LIKE THAT! NO ONE COULD SHOOT AN ARROW THAT FAR!

IT'S THE TRUTH! THIS MAN WAS RUNNING FROM THE CAVE IN MORTAL FEAR. HE SPOKE OF A TALKING ROCK INSIDE THE CAVE--- THEN THE ARROW CAME LIKE A BULLET!

THE INJUNS HAVE TALKED ABOUT NOISES IN THAT CAVE, BUT I FIGURED IT WAS SUPERSTITION.

KEEP THESE NO COVERED, DEPUTY. I'LL HAVE A LOOK!

SHERIFF, IT MAY COST YOUR LIFE TO PROVE I TOLD THE TRUTH! THERE'S SOMETHING SUPERHUMAN IN THAT CAVE!

THAT'S THE SHERIFF!

JUMP HIM, TONTO!

HELP! HELP! IT'S A GIANT!

COMING, SHERIFF!

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CONTINUED

NANCY

By Ernie Bushmiller

M-M--- SOMETHIN' SMELLS GOOD

YES-- AUNT FRITZI IS BAKING A CAKE

IT SHOULD BE DONE BY NOW-- WAIT THERE

OH, BOY--- WHAT A LOVELY CHOCOLATE LAYER CAKE

AUNT FRITZI--- MAY I TAKE FOUR PIECES OF CAKE FOR ME AND MY FRIENDS

OKAY, NANCY---

--BUT LEAVE FOUR PIECES FOR MY BRIDGE GUESTS TONIGHT

O.K.

HENRY.

BY
CARL ANDERSON.



DONALD DUCK

CRASH!
TINKLE!



MICKY MOUSE

WALT DISNEY



by L. C. Carter
GRIN AND BEAR IT



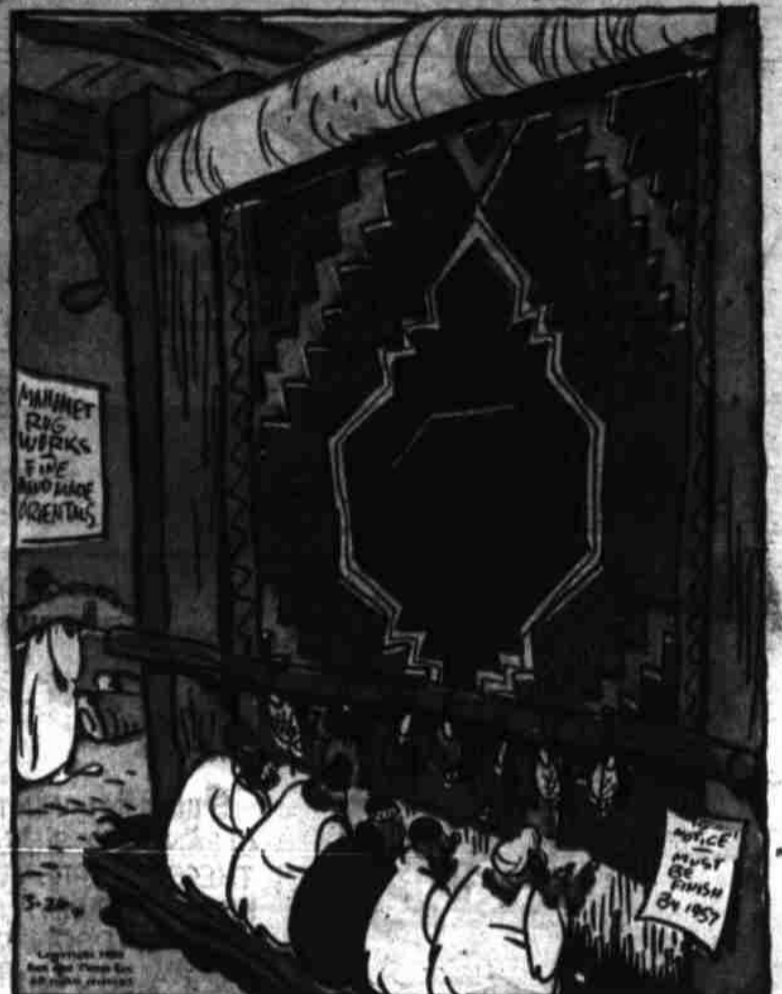
"We must be careful to investigate these comic books for crime, racial discrimination, sex and comedy..."



"Do you want me to do anything, dear... or does THIS get your income tax all straightened out?..."



"It was a mistake asking for a raise... they insist on collective bargaining..."



"We think the Russians have our secret designs... but we're at least 5 years ahead of them on production..."

TARZAN

by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS



APPLYING EVERY OUNCE OF POWER AT HIS COMMAND, TARZAN SPED THROUGH THE WATER TOWARD THE CONCEALMENT OF THE OVERHANGING LEDGE.



EVERY INSTANT HE EXPECTED TO FEEL THE IMPACT OF A SPEAR OR BULLET.



DISCOVERING A CLEFT IN THE WALL BENEATH THE SURFACE...

...HE ROSE SLOWLY TO SAFETY UNDER THE ROCK.



FROM THE SHADOWS BENEATH THE ROCK, HE SAW THE PUZZLED WARRIORS AND WHITE MEN MILLING ABOUT, WATCHING THE WATER'S SURFACE WHERE HE HAD VANISHED.

HOGARTH

Casey Ruggles

IN THE FORTRESS OF TILLYVALLY, JOLLY ROGER'S LIEUTENANT REPORTS THE FAILURE OF THE SAN ANDREAS RAID....

by WARREN TUFFE



I KNEW IT! RUGGLES IS BREAKING UP OUR RAIDS! WE SHOULD HAVE GOTTEN HIM FIRST! YOU'RE TO BLAME!

SO WE HAD A GUN! WE CAN'T FIGHT GUNS WITH AXES!!



ALL RIGHT—GET GUNS! BUT FIRST, GET RUGGLES!!

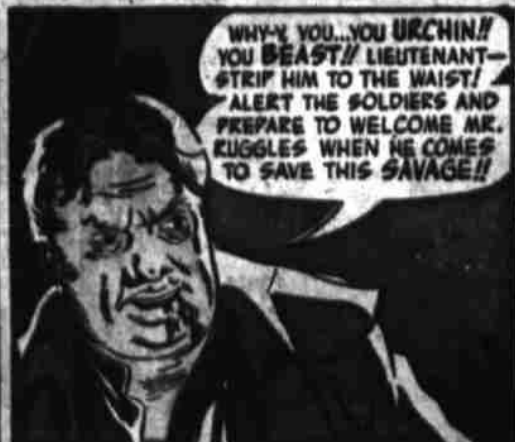


WHAT IS IT? WHAT DO THEY WANT?

THEY FOUND THIS KID OUTSIDE THE FORT GUARDIAN HORSES! RUGGLES MUST HAVE FOLLOWED US BACK FROM THE RAID!



WELL, HOW NICE! TELL ME, LITTLE MAN, WHERE IS MR. RUGGLES NOW?



WHY? YOU... YOU URCHIN! YOU BEAST! LIEUTENANT—STRIP HIM TO THE WAIST! ALERT THE SOLDIERS AND PREPARE TO WELCOME MR. RUGGLES WHEN HE COMES TO SAVE THIS SAVAGE!!



OUTSIDE, CASEY COMPLETES HIS INSPECTION OF THE FORT'S DEFENSES! HE CHANCES TO LOOK UP... AND HIS BLOOD TURNS COLD!



...FROM THE FORT'S HIGHEST RAMPAK, A POLE IS THRUST INTO THE ICY WIND AND MADE FAST!...

ALLEY
By **ST. HAMLIN**

OSCAR BOOM'S QUESTIONABLE METHOD OF RAISING FUNDS FOR HIS VENUS PROJECT HAS VERY NEARLY ENDED IN DISASTER FOR ALL HANDS.

GADREY, COOLA, THAT WAS A CLOSE CALL!
YOU CAN SAY THAT AGAIN! ANOTHER FEW SECONDS AND THERE JUST WOULDN'T HAVE BEEN ANY COOLA!

ANYWAY, HERE'S THE GRAND WIZER'S NECKLACE OSCAR WAS TRYING TO GET AWAY WITH!
OKAY... GO POWDER YOUR NOSE AND I'LL PULL THE REST OF THE PARTY OUT OF HOT WATER!

THANKS, DOC, FOR HAKIN' WITH TH' GADGET!
OH, I WOULDN'T SAY THAT!
YES... WE HAD A LOT OF TROUBLE FOR NOTHING!

TH' WIZER'S NECKLACE! HOW'D YOU GET IT!
COOLA SLIPPED THROUGH AND PICKED IT UP WHILE YOU HAD THE MOOVYANS LOOKING THE OTHER WAY!
AND I HOPE IT'S AS VALUABLE AS YOU THINK IT IS!
I'D SAY IT'S WORTH AROUND FIVE OR SIX MILLION AT LEAST!

THAT SHOULD FINANCE YOUR VENUS ROCKET WITH A FEW BUCKS TO SPARE!
DOC, YOU SAID IT'S YIPPEE! VENUS HERE WE COME!
YOU KNOW, ALLEY, IN ONE WAY I'M SOREY ABOUT ALL THIS!

YARE? WHY?
WHAT'LL I DO WHILE YOU'RE FLYING AROUND UP IN THE STARS?

I DUNNO... WHAT WORRIES ME IS WHAT I'M GONNA FIND T'DO WHILE HE'S BUILDING TH' SHIP... IT'LL TAKE QUITE A SPELL!
OH, SOMETHING WILL TURN UP... IT USUALLY DOES!

AND SOMETHING DOES... FROM HALF WAY AROUND THE WORLD!
HOLY COW, A LETTER FOR ME!
IT'S FROM INDIA!

WHEN CAPTAIN EASY'S SHIP SAILS FROM PALASOMIA, EASY IS NOT ABOARD.
BUT I'M SURE SOMETHING MUSTA HAPPENED TO EASY, SKIPPER! CAN'T WE WAIT--
WE'VE WAITED LONG ENOUGH! THE SCOUNDREL'S JUMPED SHIP, THAT'S WHAT HE'S DONE!

AND MEANWHILE--
DO NOT WORRY, SENOR SKIDROW! HE WILL SLEEP TILL TOMORROW NOON!
ARE YOU SURE YOU SAVE HIM ENOUGH DOPE, PEPIYA?

I DO NOT UNDERSTAND! WHY YOU TAKE HEEM HERE?
DONT ASK QUESTIONS, BABY! JUST DO WHAT I SAY!

POUR THIS WHISKEY OVER HIM SO HE'LL SWEEL LIKE A DRUNK! I'VE GOT TO HIDE SOME THINGS IN THIS ROOM!

THE POOR SAILOR! HIS SHIP IS GONE AND WILL NOT TURN BACK TO GET HEEM OUT OF TROUBLE!
DONT GO SOFT ON ME, BABY! AND KEEP YOUR MOUTH SHUT!

EARLY THE NEXT DAY--
TOLD ME ABOUT THIS SUSPICIOUS HOMBRE, I FIGURED WE OUGHTA INVESTIGATE, MR. CALKIN'S!
YOU'RE RIGHT! WE CANT OVERLOOK AN ANGLE IN THIS SABOTAGE CASE!

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PHIEW! OBVIOUSLY A DRUNKEN BUM-- BUT HE LOOKS FAMILIAR! WONDER WHERE I'VE SEEN HIM BEFORE?

WHAT'S THIS? BY GEORGE SKIDROW! A MAP OF OUR BRIDGE PROJECT!
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I'M VERY SORRY, INDEED, ABOUT THAT MISUNDERSTANDING, RUSTY... I WANT YOU TO KNOW, MY BOY, THAT WE NEVER BELIEVED YOU TOOK THAT WATCH... AND WE'RE MIGHTY GLAD YOU'RE HOME!

IT'S ALL RIGHT, MR. MILES I GUESS I DIDN'T WAIT LONG ENOUGH TO FIND OUT... BUT, MR. MILES...

I BEEN THINKIN' ABOUT MR. TIM... HE WAS AWFUL GOOD TO ME, AND HE NEEDS HELP. I WAS WONDERIN' WOULD YOU MIND IF I HELPED HIM A LITTLE AFTER SCHOOL?

WHY, CERTAINLY YOU MAY, RUSTY... HE WAS KIND TO YOU, AND I'M VERY GLAD YOU WANT TO HELP HIM.

THANKS, MR. MILES... I WON'T NEGLECT MY CHORES HERE, BUT MR. TIM HAS SOME NEW HORSES COMING TO BOARD AND HE HAIN'T GOT A Hired MAN YET...

SEE WHILKENS! THAT'S A STATE POLICE CAR! HE MUST BE AFTER SOMEBODY!

OH, GOLLY! THERE'S BEEN AN ACCIDENT! THERE'S AN AMBULANCE!



HE'S BADLY HURT. WE'LL HAVE TO GET HIM TO THE HOSPITAL... WHERE'S THE MAN WHO HIT HIM?

HE BEAT IT!... IT'S A HIT-AND-RUN CASE!

NOW, MISTER, YOU SAY YOU SAW THE ACCIDENT... DID YOU GET THE NUMBER OF THE CAR?

NO, OFFICER... I WAS 'WAY OVER IN THAT FIELD... BUT I HAPPENED TO LOOK OVER THIS WAY JUST BEFORE THE ACCIDENT, AND I COULD SWEAR THERE WERE TWO PEDESTRIANS!

TWO? ARE YOU SURE? WHAT BECAME OF THE OTHER ONE?

SEARCH ME! HE MUST'VE RUN AWAY! MAYBE HE WENT FOR HELP!

WHAT'S EATING YOUR POOCH, SONNY? IS HE TRYING TO BE A BLOODHOUND?

HE'S PICKED UP A SCENT, BUT HE NEVER FOLLOWS PEOPLE UNLESS IT'S SOMEBODY HE KNOWS WELL!



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ANNIE ROONEY

HEY, ANNIE-COME QUICK! THERE'S A PRETTY, FAT ROBIN REOBREAST OUT IN THE FRONT YARD-

OH, GOODY, GOODY! THAT MEANS THE WINTER IS OVER-

WILL YA LOOK AT THE WAY HE LOOKS DOWN AT THE GROUND, SINGIN' TO ALL THE LITTLE FLOWERS, 'COME OUT, COME OUT WHEREVER YOU ARE- SPRING HAS COME AN' IT AIN'T GONNA SNOW NO MORE.'

THERE'S NO HOUSING SHORTAGE IN BIRD- LAND -THERE'S AN EMPTY NEST FOR EVERY BIRD-

IT'S NONE OF MY BUSINESS, BUT I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOUR MOTHER IS THINKING OF, ALLOWING CHILDREN DRESSED LIKE YOU OUT OF THE HOUSE ON A DAY LIKE THIS-

YES, MA'AM-BUT THE WIND IS WARM AN' SOFT-



HOW DARE YOU ARGUE WITH ME? IT'S GOING TO RAIN-YOU'LL CATCH YOUR DEATH OF COLD-TOMORROW YOU'LL BE IN BED SNIFFLING AND SNEEZING-HEE-HEE-IT'S STARTING TO RAIN-NEXT TIME CARRY UMBRELLAS-

PLEASE DON'T LAUGH-SHE AINT A VERY FRIENDLY LADY, BUT I SORTA FEEL SORRY FOR HER-

SHE NEVER HAS NO FUN 'CAUSE SHE'S ALWAYS MAD AT SOMEBODY-SHE NEVER HAS GOOD LUCK-SHE'S ALL WET WHILE YOU AN' ME IS WEARIN' A SWELL WATER PIPE FOR A RAINCOAT THAT KEEPS US WARM AN' DRY-

GLORYSKY-AIN'T WE LUCKY! I'LL BET YA WE GO HOME WITH A HANDFUL OF VIOLETS AN' MRS. PETTAFOG WILL GO HOME WITH A HEARTFUL OF TROUBLE-



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CONTINUED
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT... WHAT IS IT ABOUT MARVIN BONESSA?

H-HE SWORE AT THE TRIAL HE'D BREAK OUT AN' AN K-KILL ME!
DON'T WORRY HE WON'T GET AWAY...
D-D-YA MIND IF I STAY N-HERE...

H-HOW LONG D-YA THINK IT'LL TAKE T'GIT 'IM?
IF HE'S STILL IN THE VICINITY... MAYBE AN HOUR OR TWO... IF ON THE ROAD MAYBE ALL NIGHT... ALL ROADS ARE BLOCKADED BY POLICE AND POSSES...

WHILE WE'RE WAITING FOR REPORTS... TELL ME WHY MARVIN SWORE HE'D GET YOU. I DIDN'T FOLLOW THE CASE.
I MET A VERY ATTRACTIVE GIRL THRU JOE. THERE WAS NO PORTERS AROUND AN' JOE HAD HELPED 'ER WITH 'ER LUGGAGE.

OH? HOW DO YOU DO, MR. MALDOKA.
NOW DO YOU DO, MISS POWLER. THIS IS MISTER WALSH AND MR. LEAHY.
A PLEASURE!
LIKE WIFE?

WAS MARVIN BONESSA'S GAL, SHE WAS TH' SINGER AT 'IS NIGHT CLUB, WE DIDN'T KNOW IT WAS MARVIN'S GAL... AN' ONE NIGHT...
HOW LONG YA BEEN SEEN' KNOBBY WALSH?
WHY, WHY... I ONLY MET HIM ON THE TRAIN... HE'S A GENTLE MAN... HE DOESN'T MEAN A...

THAT'S FER LITTLE PRALS WHICH TRY T'PUT ONE OVER ON MARVIN.
WORKS LATER SHE TOLD ME TH' STORY... HE SLUGGED 'ER... TH' RAT!

IF THAT SMALL TIME PUNK TRIES SPREADIN' ANY SUNSHINE AROUND MARVIN'S BASE... SOME BUDDY'S GONNA GIT A GOIN' OVER.
YOU BET, MARVIN. NOBUDDY'S MAKIN' WIT' ANYTHING WHICH IS YOURS, MARVIN.

SHE MIGHT DROP IN WITH JOB T'HEAR 'ER GUNS. I DIDN'T KNOW SHE'D BASH 'ER BASE.
GEE... SHE HAS A LOVELY VOICE.
I'LL SAY! LET'S TRY AN' GIT 'ER OVER TO TH' TABLE AFTER.

SHE GIVE 'A TH' GO-BY TH' SUCKERS STANDIN' THERE LOOKIN' DUMB. D-YA WANT HE SHOULD GET A GOIN' OVER, MARVIN?
TELL CHARLIE T'GIVE 'A A RICKY. THAT'LL BE ENOUGH FER 'IM... FER A STARTER!

"GEE GOT A RICKY? IT WAS MEANT FER ME... HE DIDN'T SUSPECT NOTHIN'...
W-WHAT IS IT, DOC... HE GOT IT ALL OF A SUDDEN...
IT MUST BE PTOMAIN... WHAT DID HE EAT...?"

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Prince Valiant

IN THE DAYS OF KING ARTHUR
BY HAROLD R. FOSTER



Synopsis: WINTER COMES TO THE LAND OF THULE, WHITE, CLEAN AND SILENT. THE NORTH STAR BLAZES OVERHEAD AND THE SUN APPEARS LOW OVER THE SOUTHERN HILLS. BUT THE KING IS HAPPY. HIS ONLY SON, PRINCE VALIANT, IS HOME. HIS GRANDSON IS HEALTHY, LOUD AND LOVABLE, WHILE HIS DAUGHTER-IN-LAW, ALETA, LAUGHS AT HIM, BULLIES HIM, RUNS HIS HOUSEHOLD, IS IMPUDENT AND ADORABLE. HE IS CONTENT.



THE WINTER DAYS SPEED BY. JOYOUS, CARE-FREE DAYS, AND THE LINES THAT CARE HAD ETCHED IN THE KING'S FACE DISAPPEAR. BUT FIVE MONTHS HAVE PASSED SINCE VAL WAS SO TERRIBLY WOUNDED AND HIS LEFT SIDE IS STILL WEAK AND STIFF AND HE IS WORRIED.



THERE IS NO ROOM FOR WORRY AT THE PALACE SINCE ALETA TOOK OVER. THE OLD WALLS ECHO WITH THE LAUGHTER OF YOUNG VOICES AND DANCING FEET. ALETA WAS NEVER SO HAPPY.



THERE IS ALWAYS THAT ONE PERSON WHO THINKS SPARKLING EYES AND LAUGHING LIPS ARE AN INVITATION ESPECIALLY FOR HIM.



"UNDOUBTEDLY THE LADY ALETA IS IN LOVE WITH ME," THINKS THIS HANDSOME YOUNG PRINCE-LING. "BUT I'LL BE GENEROUS AND GIVE HER SOME KISSES AND A SQUEEZE, PERHAPS."



SO HE FOLLOWS HER INTO THE CORRIDOR, SLIPS AN ARM AROUND HER SLIM WAIST AND DRAWS HER TO HIM.....



..... BUT HE DOES NOT KISS HER. INSTEAD HE RELEASES HER AND STEPS BACK. SHE HAS NOT STRUGGLED. OR SPOKEN. MERELY LOOKED COLDLY AT HIM. HE HAS STEPPED OUT OF HIS CLASS!



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Legion Has Made Fast Growth In Late Years

American Legion history in Big Spring dates back 30 years, but the present Post No. 355, has experienced most of its rapid growth since 1947, date of the current charter.

There were approximately 138 members on the roster four years ago, but the total now has exceeded 700.

The original charter here was issued to William Frank Martin in Oct., 1920. Commander at that time was Fontaine Hatr, and R. V. Middleton was adjutant.

Some of the early members were J. Y. Robb, R. L. (Pancho) Nall, Cecil Wasson, Dee Foster, L. W. Croft.

During the depression years the charter expired, but a new charter was issued in 1937, with R. R. McEwen, Sr. as commander and C. S. Bloomfield, vice-commander. Among charter members of that unit were Ira Thurman, Harry Hunt, Dr. C. W. Deats, Jess Wilbanks, V. A. Merrick, R. V. Middleton, Sam Goldman, L. W. Croft and Dr. M. H. Bennett.

Before that organization could be stabilized completely, the country was plunged into World War II. First commander after the war was T. A. Thigpen. His successor was Harold P. Steck, who was elected for two terms, but resigned during his second term to be succeeded by D. L. Burnett, Jr. then vice-commander. Neel G. Barnaby was the next commander. He was succeeded by Frank Hardesty, who heads the post now.

In addition the post devotes much time to welfare and rehabilitation programs, as well as social and recreational activities. It sponsors safety programs, a boy's baseball league and social activities for teen agers.

Present officers of the post are Frank Hardesty, commander; Roger Miller, first vice-commander; John Ray Dillard, second vice-commander; Tommy South, third vice-commander; O. S. Womack, adjutant; Henry Bugg, Sgt. At Arms; Katherine Bugg, historian; Culin Grigsby, service officer; W. Dillon, chaplain; George Zachariah, finance officer.

Eagles Lodge One Of Newer Organizations

The Fraternal Order of Eagles, which established an Aerie in Big Spring only a little over a year ago, now has a membership here of over 300.

Aerie No. 2937 in Big Spring was organized on Jan. 31, 1948. First officers of the Big Spring Aerie included Chester B. Shrader, Junior Past Worthy President; L. L. Miller, Past Worthy President; Roy F. Bell, Worthy Vice-President; William R. Yates, Worthy L. L. Miller Conductor; W. E. Davidson, secretary; Peter J. Harmonson, treasurer; D. E. Weatherly, inside guard; Jess Oden, outside guard; Ross B. Abernathy, Virgil P. Dunbar and Otis L. Grandstaff, trustees.

Miller, Gilliland and Davidson hold their same posts on the present slate of officers. Other present officers are Roy F. Bell, Junior Past Worthy President; William N. Cochran, Worthy Vice-president; C. W. Mahoney, Worthy Chaplain; Garland P. Morrison, treasurer; Jack Hull, inside guard; Jack Walker, outside guard; John M. Ellis and D. E. Weatherly, trustees.

The Fraternal Order of Eagles was first organized in the United States on Feb. 6, 1898. At present it has more than 1,800 subordinate series with over a million members.

The order provides sick benefits and burial benefits for its members. It was also instrumental in obtaining workmen's compensation, mothers' pensions, old age pensions and the Social Security Act. The order operates homes for underprivileged children throughout the United States.

The Big Spring Aerie furnished materials and labor for painting the Girl Scout hut and also helped finance some of the furnishings for that building. The Aerie sponsors parties each month for children and has been participating in the March of Dimes campaign.

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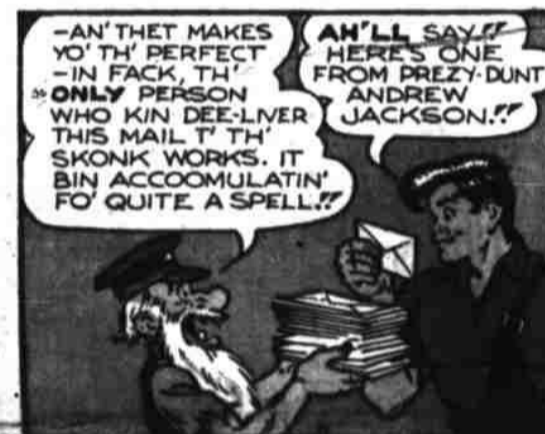
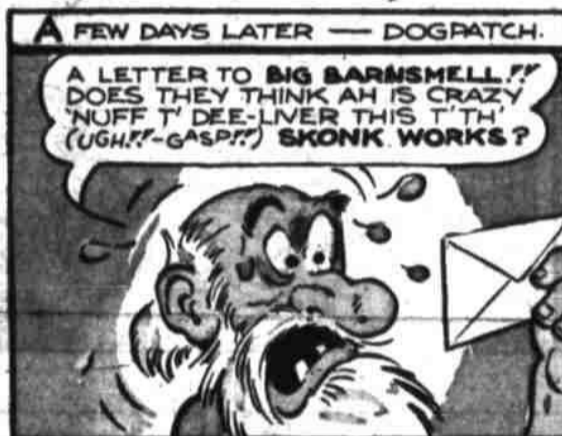
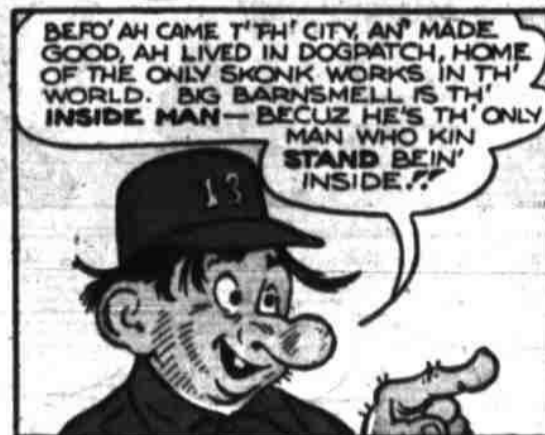
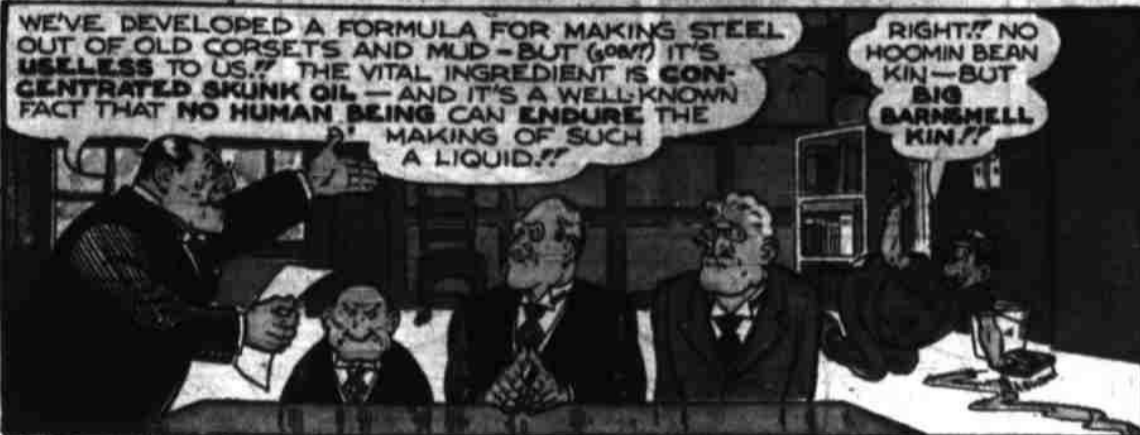
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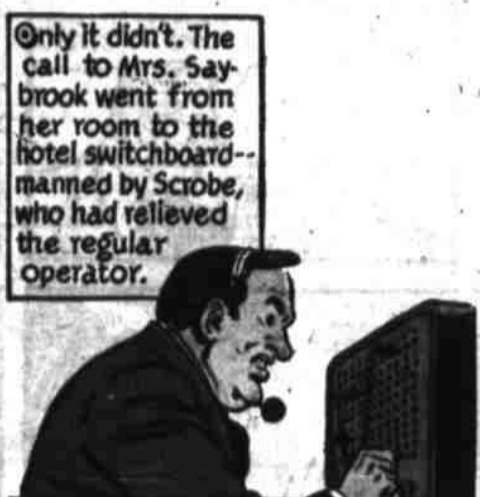
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57 Charter Members Helped Launch PT-A At Central Ward

There were 57 charter members for the Central Ward P-TA when it was organized Sept. 22, 1937.

First president was Mrs. Charles Kelsey. Mrs. W. V. Nichols was vice president. Mrs. O. E. Wolf was secretary, and Mrs. A. R. Collins was treasurer.

Membership in the organization grew to 60 in 1938 when a new set of by-laws were adopted. The next year, the group sponsored a 20-piece rhythm band for Central Ward r.d.mrs. Roy Tidwell school.

Subsequent projects have been

installation of two drinking fountains at the school, purchase of a duplicating machine, and steel filing cabinet. Dispensers for soap and towels were also installed in the rest rooms.

The organization also assisted in providing visual education equipment for the school and helped in the sale of defense stamps during the war. It also purchased a set of picture encyclopedias for the school and added a number of new books to the library.

The unit has purchased Spanish books, a couch for the office, assisted in securing the school cafeteria, purchased a record player, records, and a 16 millimeter sound projector and films. Last year, it bought football letters for the Central Ward team and also

secured additional films. President this year is Mrs. Roy Tidwell, while Mrs. Elvris McCrary is vice president, and Mrs. H. L. Derrick is secretary and Mrs. Sam Bloom is treasurer.

Membership now stands at 310. Project for the year is purchase of a duplicating machine. The organization will sponsor the opera of Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs in March.

The unit had a booth with foods exhibit at the county fair last October and has sponsored several rummage sales this year. Two delegates were sent to the state P-TA convention in Waco last November.

The organization plans to award a life membership certificate to its outstanding member this year.

ORT Promoted T&P Hospital Facility Here

W. A. Canfax of Fort Worth, general chairman of this division of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers, a veteran member of the organization that was founded in St. Louis, Mo., in 1886, was largely responsible for the location of the T & P hospital in Big Spring.

The hospital, maintained for the T & P employees, operates in connection with the Big Spring Hospital and serves most of the T & P west of Fort Worth.

Local chairman of the ORT is J. M. Corcoran, who has seniority with the T & P dating back to 1913 and who has been on the same position in the railroad telegraph office here for over 25 years.

Besides being local chairman for the employees, he discharges duties as wire chief and manager of the telegraph office for the T & P in Big Spring.

When the ORT was organized, employees were working for 12 hours daily seven days a week for an average of \$50 a month. Now, they work eight hours a day five days a week. In addition, they receive two weeks paid vacation a year.

The local lodge was founded in 1915. Some of the early members included C. M. (Red) Mills of Baird, O. G. Baxter of Abilene, R. R. Henderson, of Midland, J. J. Hamlett of Odessa, R. L. Pitzer of Allamore, G. S. Littlefield of Van Horn, C. A. Frame of Monahans, Sport Frame of El Paso, Fred Neidermeier of Van Horn, Monty Montgomery of El Paso, W. B. Ralph of Colorado City, W. M. Chatham of Toyah and others.

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That feeling of "I'm just a wife" or "I'm just a husband" CAN be erased forever. And, I'd like to see it erased out of every home everywhere.

Two Life Members In Airport P-TA

Two members of the Airport P-TA are life members of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers.

They are Mrs. H. H. Rutherford and Mrs. W. H. Patterson. This year, the group have been ordering books for the school library with funds raised with a booth at the Howard county fair last October. Several other projects are being planned.

Mrs. W. L. Vaughan is now serving as president of the unit.

Mrs. B. M. Keese is vice president, Mrs. J. F. Jones is secretary, and Mrs. Burke Plant is treasurer.

They were awarded the life membership certificates for outstanding work since the organization of the Airport P-TA in 1948. They and the other 128 members of the unit have purchased a piano, a film projector and screen, two series of films, and instruments for a rhythm band, as well as a number of library books.

First president of the organization was Mrs. W. C. Daniel, while Mrs. M. T. Murphy was vice president, Mrs. Z. S. Loftin was secretary and Mrs. T. W. Medley was treasurer. The unit was organized under the supervision of Mrs. Jimmie Mason, president of the city council of P-TA.

Charter members were Mrs. F. W. Medley, Mrs. F. M. Murphy, Mrs. W. L. Vaughan, Mrs. W. C. Cole, Mrs. Kelley Lawrence, Mrs. J. T. Williams, Mrs. Z. S. Loftin, Mrs. R. B. Covington, Mrs. W. H. Patterson and Mrs. Burke Plant. Also, Mrs. W. C. Daniel, Mrs. Ben Hawkins, Mrs. Lester Henry, Mrs. George Mizell, Mrs. A. T. Monroe, Mrs. H. H. Rutherford, and Mrs. Walter May.

Firemen's Auxiliary Organized In '44

Mrs. Fred Winn was named first president of the City Firemen's auxiliary when it was organized Feb. 1, 1944.

The group meets each fourth Friday. Mrs. J. D. Jenkins is now serving as president.

Charter members of the auxiliary were Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. R. R. Fields, Mrs. H. Clawson, Mrs. O. W. Laws, Mrs. H. C. Crocker, Mrs. Fred Winn and Mrs. A. D. Meador.

There are now 50 members in the organization. Officers in addition to Mrs. Jenkins are Mrs. R. R. Knightstep, vice president; and Mrs. O. W. Laws, reporter.

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Eight Joined To Start Local Church Of Christ

Eight Big Spring residents, assembled on the Lord's day to pray and observe the Lord's supper in August 1912, formed the nucleus of the Church of Christ at 14th and Main.

In the group were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sherman, Bessie Sherman, Mrs. Sam Bacon, Mrs. Shanks, Mrs. Guiley and Mrs. Goodman.

For the first five years of its existence, the Minister Lloyd Connel for worship on each Sunday afternoon in the building of the Cumberland Presbyterian church at 3rd and Goliad. When the East Third (now East Fourth) Baptist congregation purchased the property, services were held for six years in the district court room.

By 1924 a location was secured at 207 W. 4th and a tabernacle was erected. Four years later, with the city in boom and space inadequate, the property was sold and a building erected at 14th and Main at a cost of \$15,000. It was occupied in March 1929.

In 1936 continued growth a 14-foot addition was made to boost seating capacity to 375 and provided two more Bible class rooms. Although a Church of Christ was established in 1949 at 4th and Benton, attendance at the 14th and Main church has not lessened and it is still necessary to hold two morning services. Construction is under way on a \$80,000 auditorium to seat 800. Present quarters will be devoted to classrooms. Membership is 500 and average attendance is near that figure.

The late J. B. Harvey and S. R. Ribbie, the latter now of Coahoma, held first gospel meetings at the church, riding into town horseback. Ministers who have served are Smith, J. D. Boren, Thornton, Crews, James L. Standridge, Melvin J. Wise (at two intervals), Forest R. Waldrop, Herbert Newman, Sewell Jones, and Lloyd Connel.

Connel took over duties in August 1949, coming from Stamford and with ministerial experience in Texas and Arizona. Alan Bryan is associated with Connel in preaching and teaching, working especially with young people. He supplies also at Knott. During the past five months, 92 have responded to the gospel invitation.

Elders are D. W. Lewter, Dan

Conley and Charles Wasson. Deacons are Gilbert Gibbs, Jr., Daughtrity and Sam Smith.

In addition to its local program, the church supports benevolent work at Wadena, Minn., and points in Mexico, Holland, G. many and other places. Mission contributions last year amount to \$39,000.



Minister Lloyd Connel

Kate Morrison P-TA Lists Objectives

Landscaping of the Kate Morrison school grounds and the addition of visual teaching aids and library books to the school facilities are the principal objectives of the Kate Morrison school P-TA for 1950.

Since its formation in 1932 under the supervision of Mrs. John Hutto, former school principal, the P-TA has planted a number of shade trees on the campus. It has also bought a piano, radio, phonograph and a quantity of books for the library.

Mrs. Cosme Castillo was the first president of the Kate Morrison P-TA. Trinidad Cano is current president of the organization. Lucrecia Lujan is vice president, and Mrs. Luz B. Abreo is secretary-treasurer.

Twenty of the charter members of the P-TA are still in the organization.



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Grandmothers Only In This '42' Club

One requirement for membership is that each member must be a grandmother. That's where the organization gets the GM for its name.

The club was formed in August 1948 with nine charter members. Mrs. G. C. Graves was first president and is still holding the office.

Vice president is Mrs. George Hall and reporter is Mrs. George Jabney. The club meets every two weeks at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.



Mrs. G. C. Graves

Caliche Abundant

Caliche is one of the most abundant building materials in Howard county. Some authorities estimate there is enough of the substance in the county to rebuild every road in Texas. There is an abundance of the material throughout the Southwest so most of the Howard county caliche is used locally.

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FUNCTIONING SINCE 1925

City Council 'Mother' Unit To Parent-Teacher Groups

Mother unit of the various Parent-Teacher organizations in Big Spring is the City Council of Parents and Teachers associations. The organization grew out of the old Mother's club which later became the Home and School club. It became the City Council of P-TA in 1925. The council's program of service falls into three main categories — leadership training, community service, and the extension of parent-teacher movements — and offers training in these fields through the Congress of Parents and Teachers.

The council sponsors schools of instruction, group conferences, round table discussions, and classes where P-TA procedure and parliamentary law courses are taught. It encourages participation in all things for the betterment of youth, the building of improved schools, and sponsors projects requiring group effort. The council meets once each month to discuss its work with local units and with state and national congresses of P-TA. There are now eight functioning units with a total membership of more than 1,500 in the council. Approximately 340 of these are fathers. District chairmen from the Big Spring council this year are Mrs. J. T. Brooks, Mrs. W. D. Willbanks, Mrs. Zollie May Rawlings, and Mrs. J. A. Coffee, Mrs. J. C. Lane is present president of the council and has served a number of years as district publicity chairman. Other accomplishments of the

council have been the opening of a cafeteria at the Central Ward and High school plant, sponsorship of civic activities such as the war bond booth, and has promoted school bond issues. It entered a float in the Centennial parades last October. Serving as officers this year, in addition to Mrs. Lane, are Mrs. W. D. Willbanks, vice president; Mrs. Alton Underwood, secretary; and Mrs. W. N. Norred, treasurer. Big Spring P-TA members with life memberships in the council are Mrs. B. Reagan, Mrs. J. C.

Douglas, Mrs. L. L. Freeman, Mrs. Della K. Agnell, Mrs. W. R. Douglass, Mrs. Charles Koberg, Mrs. Hayes Stripling, Mrs. George Gentry, Mrs. Bernard Lamus, Mrs. H. G. Keaton, Mrs. H. H. Rutherford, Mrs. B. E. Winterrowd, Mrs. J. E. Brigham, Mrs. E. M. Smith, Mrs. J. T. Brooks, Mrs. L. D. Jenkins, Mrs. Robert Hill, Mrs. Jimmie Mason, Mrs. Larson Lloyd, Mrs. H. W. Smith, Mrs. J. C. Lane, Mrs. W. D. Willbanks, Mrs. R. D. Salee, Mrs. J. D. Jenkins, Mrs. W. H. Patterson and Walter Reed.

'PROTECTION, CHARITY, SOBRIETY, INDUSTRY' IS MOTTO OF BLF&E

The motto of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engine men, "Protection, Charity, Sobriety and Industry," just about tells the story for its existence. The lodge was formed for the purpose of uniting locomotive engineers and hostlers, elevating their social, moral and intellectual standing for the protection of their interests and the promotion of their general welfare. It was also designed to act in case of disaster to members and families and to extend to one another the hand of charity, where needed. Signal Mount Lodge No. 372 was formed Sept. 29, 1887. Charter members included R. J. Bible, J. W. Cakes, F. W. Fahrenkamp,

P. D. Mercer, Danny Ryan, F. P. Boyers, R. E. Coppins, Robert S. Hill, J. A. McDonald, George H. Smith, W. Fahrenkamp, Edward Lyons, S. E. Ord and Walter Webber.

J. T. Anderson serves the present group as its president. Vice-President is A. S. Wood, recording secretary, F. W. Jarratt; financial secretary, B. F. Everett; warden, L. M. Brooks; inner guard C. A. Snaulay; outer guard, L. A. Griffith; chaplain, C. L. Richardson; past president, W. B. Power, legislative representative R. B. Hall; local organizer, F. C. Tibbs; local grievance committee chairman, P. K. Pitzer; R. C. Nichols and C. L. Richardson, board of trustees, W. H. Power, A. J. McClinton and L. A. Griffith. Members of the lodge hold their meetings each Wednesday at the WOW hall.

South Ward Has City's First P-TA Charter

The first charter to be issued to a Big Spring unit by the National Congress of Parents and Teachers was presented the South Ward P-TA in 1924.



The unit was formed with a membership of some 50 parents and has grown to its present membership of 303. Its aim has always been to promote the welfare of the children in the home, school, church, and community. Its projects have included planting trees and providing playground equipment for the school, purchase of radios, a sound movie projector, film strip machine, duplicating machine, books, and athletic equipment. It has also sponsored the School Boy Patrol.

During the war, members conducted salvage drives and sold approximately \$30,000 in war bonds and stamps. Each spring, the unit sponsors a round up program permitting all pupils to have physical examinations and file records with the school.

Life membership in the unit have been given to Mrs. S. M. Smith, Mrs. H. W. Smith, and Mrs. Jimmie Mason.

Presidents of the unit have been Mrs. I. S. Patterson, Mrs. Robert Middleton, Mrs. Wayne Rice, Mrs. W. R. Douglass, Mrs. Bernard Fisher, Mrs. Hayes Stripling, Mrs. M. Conley, Mrs. W. B. Younger, Mrs. R. G. McClinton, Mrs. J. C. Lopez, Mrs. Kenny Barnett, Mrs. J. B. Mull, Mrs. Ray Clark, Mrs. Harold Bottomley, Mrs. H. W. Smith, Mrs. W. E. Wright, Mrs. Joe Pickle, Mrs. Lee Rogers, Mrs. Harry King and Mrs. Lee Harris.

Roundelay Club Boasts Large Membership

The Roundelay club is one of Big Spring's largest social organizations.

It was formed on May 8, 1946 with Dorothy Garrett as president.



R. E. McKinney was vice president, Rozelle McKinney was secretary, Horace Garrett was treasurer, and Marguerite Schwarzenbach was reporter that first year.

At present Peter Harmonson is president of the organization, T. South is secretary, and Kate Irons is reporter.

In addition to spring and Christmas formal, the club sponsors a dance once each month.

Charter members of the Roundelay club were Steve Baker, J. P. Bowley, Harry Blomfield, Roy Bruce, Don Burke, Travis Carlton, Earl Cooper, Lou Crain, Mort Denton, R. E. Dobbins, Pep Driver, James Edwards, Sonny Edwards, Horace Garrett, Otis Graf Jr., Bob Hodges, Tommy Jordan, Maurice Koger, Hudson Lande, Vance Lebkowsky, and R. E. McKinney.

Also, Norellif Myer, Lloyd Patterson, Morris Patterson, C. M. Pheilan, Wayne Prather, Dan Rodgers, Howard Schwarzenbach, Dr. Strauss, Harold Talbot, Stormy Thompson, Clyde Thomas, George Thomas, James Vines, John Walker, Fritz Wehner and Ralph Wyatt.

First Gin In 1905

The first of Howard county's present 13 cotton-gins was put in operation in 1905.

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Art Study Club Has Functioned Here Since 1947

Organized on June 8, 1947 in the home of Mrs. Robert Satterwhite, the Art Study club has as its purpose the development and creation of interest in art.

Present officers are Mrs. W. D. Green, president, Mrs. Ray L. Coffey, vice president, and Mrs. Alton Underwood, secretary.

Charter members included Mrs. Robert Satterwhite, Mrs. Ray L. Coffey, Mrs. W. D. Green, Mrs. Alton Underwood, Mrs. Mary Raley, Mrs. John R. Chaney, and a Mrs. Anderson, who no longer resides here.



Mrs. W. D. Green

To the list have been added Mrs. Charles Keat, Mrs. G. B. Lawrence, Mrs. J. W. Eirod, Jr. and Mrs. P. D. O'Brien. C. L. Lumpkin is an honorary member.

It has sponsored annual art exhibits. At meetings held on the second Tuesday of each month, guest speakers include leading local artists. Works of famous artists are also studied.

Past presidents are Mrs. Robert Satterwhite and Mrs. Alton Underwood.

ORGANIZED IN 1891

Church Home Was Early Aim Of Local Presbyterian Group

In less than three years after its organization, the First Presbyterian church in Big Spring set about its first permanent home. This task was accomplished in less than a year.

Records show the church started on Sunday Nov. 15, 1891 with the Rev. J. H. Zippy, Colorado City, as the organizing minister and supply pastor for 10 years. Charter members were Mr. and Mrs. James P. Carlyle E. Rev. R. Osge T. Weed, Mrs. Lloyd Mr. A. A. Brynart and children, Malcolm and Beulah, Capt. F. M. Ross, Mrs. Laura Ross and their children, Frank M., Wilbur Mc.



Rev. R. Osge T. Weed

and Clara Sue, Carlyle was elected as ruling elder and Capt. Ross as deacon.

On Aug. 26, 1894 the congregation met in the First Baptist church in the afternoon and prayerfully initiated "active measures to build" a church plant. J. W. Shive, J. H. Ewing, J. I. McDowell, M. P. Bessie and Frank Wynn were named as trustees. The women, including Mrs. Shive, Mrs. Ewing, Mrs. J. I. McDowell, Mrs. Bessie, and Mrs. L. S. McDowell, were given the assignment of circulating subscription papers.

Seasonal records reflect how on July 28, 1895, with the minister speaking from the third verse of Jude, the church was dedicated amid great rejoicing. No cost of the plant was given but it was noted the women had raised \$1,300 for furnishings.

The church lost 16 members on Jan. 21, 1899—but to a good cause.



IN JUST EIGHT YEARS Farm Bureau Has Over 900 Members

The Howard County Farm Bureau has attained a membership total of 926 in just eight years. In 1944 the Farm Bureau obtained a hospitalization plan for its members, and in 1949 a medical and surgical service was added. The Howard organization has the highest percentage of membership enrolled in Blue Cross and Blue Shield service among Farm Bureau chapters in Texas.

In 1947, the Farm Bureau set up a Life Insurance company, and in 1948 it established a casualty insurance company. A fire insurance company was added early this year.

The local organization, which is affiliated with the Texas Farm Bureau Federation and the American Farm Bureau Federation, was formed in 1942. First officers were J. A. Bishop, president; A. A. McKinney, vice-president; and C. T. DeVaney, secretary-treasurer.

The growth is reflected in statistics of the organization's income tax service which is furnished members. In 1942 when County Agent O. P. Griffin helped the Bureau set up the service here, 75 farmers and ranchers participated. This year the total was approximately 600.

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The Farm Bureau also is credited with obtaining price support of cottonseed through the Commodity Credit Corp. The organization also has championed REA, rural telephone service, and is now working on a rural road program. On a percentage basis, more farmers and ranchers in Howard county belong to the Bureau than in any other county in Texas.

Present officers are L. J. Davidson, president; Ross Hill, vice-president; Willis Winiers, secretary-treasurer; C. H. DeVaney, state director for District No. 8; Durward Lester, county agent; Jack B. Walde, assistant county agent; Eugenia H. Butler, home demonstration agent.

Directors are Ellis Iden, Ralph Proctor, J. L. Bangs, R. V. Middleton, Paul Adams, H. D. Cowden, Cecil Leatherwood, Lawrence Adkins, E. T. O'Daniel, M. H. Ulmer, Frank Loveless, Robert Brown, Edgar Phillips and R. M. Newton.



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Gas For Farms

Gas is one of the modern conveniences now available on many Howard county farms.

Rural areas annually use between two and a half and three million gallons of butane and propane gases. The fuel is made available by two distribution agencies in Big Spring.

Pastors Work Together For Church Welfare

The Big Spring Pastors' Association is an organization of ministers in the city who have as their objective the encouragement of the cooperation between the churches and all religious forces of the city.

The association has brought outstanding religious speakers to the city, and each year it sponsors a nine-day Easter services at the City park amphitheatre.

The pastors also have regular radio programs including an afternoon devotional at 4:45 p.m., Monday through Friday over KBST, an hour's program beginning at 5 p.m. each Saturday over KBST, and a morning program beginning at 7:45 a.m. Monday through Friday over KTXC.

The association has sponsored Bible classes in the public schools of the city, and several years ago erected a large sign on the courthouse lawn to encourage church attendance.

The members and their respective churches also cooperate in taking a religious census from time to time.

Officers of the Big Spring Pastors' Association are Alsie H. Carleton, president; Lewis Patterson, vice-president; and Leo Milling, secretary-treasurer.



Alsie H. Carleton

Police Auxiliary Puts Emphasis On Friendships

"Friendship" is the aim of the City Police Auxiliary, three-year-old organization that was formed for the purpose of getting policemen's wives acquainted with one another.

The group meets every three weeks, drawing "secret pal" names which are revealed every six weeks. Principal entertainment for the members is sewing and embroidering.

President of the organization is Mrs. E. W. York. Mrs. W. D. Green is vice president, Mrs. M. L. Kirby is secretary, and Mrs. C. C. Aaron is treasurer. Reporter is Mrs. T. M. Malone.

Charter members of the Auxiliary which was organized in 1947 were Mrs. Green, Mrs. Aaron, Mrs. York, Mrs. Malone, Mrs. L. D. Grice and Mrs. L. P. Trammel.

First officers were Mrs. R. L. Thompson, president; Mrs. W. D. Green, vice president; Mrs. L. P. Trammel, secretary; Mrs. O. L. Havins, treasurer, and Mrs. L. D. Grice, reporter.






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Railway Clerks Unit Dates Back For 30 Years

A local labor organization with three decades of history behind it is the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks Lodge No. 445. The organization boasts about 50 active members at the present time. New president is Leslie Snow, who succeeded H. F. Jarrett in that position this year. National headquarters of the group is Cincinnati, Ohio. Grand president is George M. Harrison, who has held that position for 29 years. Total membership of the group is between 350,000 and 400,000. Officers of the local lodge, in addition to Snow, include: D. C. Sadler, chairman of the trustees; A. G. Adams of Odessa, legal representative; J. J. Fitts, chief of protective committee; Glen Pitts, Colorado City, secretary-treasurer; J. A. Westmoreland, vice-president. The national lodge will observe its 31st anniversary in November of this year.



G. L. Snow

BLFE Lodge Here Active Since 1887

Charter for the Signal Mount Lodge No. 372, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, was issued on Sept. 29, 1887, just 14 years after the first Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen was organized in Port Jervis, N. Y. The Signal Mount Lodge meets each Wednesday at the WOW hall. Principal objectives are the improvement of social, intellectual interests and general welfare of the members. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen has since been broadened to an international organization, working to cultivate harmony between employers and employees. Charter members of the Signal Mount Lodge included R. J. Bibler, J. W. Cakes, F. W. Fahrenkamp, P. D. Mercer, Danny Ryan, F. P. Boyers, R. E. Coppins, Robert S. Hill, J. A. McDonald, George H. Smith, W. Fahrenkamp, Edward S. Lyons, S. E. Ord, Walter Webber. Present officers of the lodge are J. T. Anderson, president; A. S. Wood, vice-president; F. W. Jarrett, recording secretary; E. F. Everett, financial secretary; L. M. Brooks, warden; C. A. Smailey, inner guard; L. A. Griffith, outer guard; C. L. Richardson, chaplain; W. H. Power, past president; R. B. Hall, legislative representative; F. C. Tibbs, local organizer. The local grievance committee is composed of P. K. Pitzer, chairman, R. C. Nichols and C. L. Richardson. Members of the board of trustees are W. H. Power, A. J. McClinton and L. A. Griffith.

Beauty Culture Unit Stresses High Standards

Mrs. Fred McGowan, Mrs. J. F. George and Mrs. Jimmy Eason are the only active charter members on Unit 24 of the Texas Association of Accredited Beauty Culturists which was organized in Big Spring in 1931. Mrs. Etta Middleton was the first president. Officers serving Unit 24 for 1950 are: president, Mrs. Odell Womack, vice-president, Mrs. Jimmy Eason, secretary, Mrs. Jake Gilkerson, treasurer, Mrs. Fred McGowan, and director, Mrs. J. F. George. Purpose of the association is to foster and promote the best interests of the hairdressing and cosmetologist profession and to advocate high ideals and standards in the profession. Members of the Big Spring Unit participate in national and state affairs, such as state and national style shows, conventions and legislative movements concerning the beauty industry. They also participate in local affairs such as school programs. Members make talks on beauty, health and other subjects and help promote beauty and health projects. As a unit, contributions are made to under-privileged girls of school age. Permanents are given to girls who might not be able to have them otherwise. This is usually done around Thanksgiving. Unit members also enter local style shows and create hair styles for clubs and organizations. As a local organization, the unit is attempting to create cooperation among shop owners and beauticians and the general public.


Rural Electricity

Modern conveniences are not so few and far between in the rural sections of Howard county. Approximately 75 per cent of the farms in the county have electricity, provided through the aid of the Rural Electrification administration.

GROUP NEAR 60TH BIRTHDAY Reynolds Head Of Local Conductors

On Dec. 21 the Order of Railway Conductors will complete three score years in Big Spring. It was on this date that the O.R.C., second oldest railway labor organization, chartered Staked Plains Division No. 206, here. It had been founded in 1898 with headquarters at Cedar Rapids, Ia. Charter members of the organization were A. C. Hobert, W. C. Covert, Otto Elliott, J. G. Farnham, A. J. Norman, A. T. Keith, Jesse Encke, W. G. F. Reynolds, E. Hunter, F. L. Linder. Heading the organization now is G. F. Reynolds, chief conductor. He has been actively engaged in train service for 43 years, 37 of them working out of Big Spring. An "old timer," he worked two years before the effective date of the 16-hour law (which requires rest for men after working 16 hours).

Before passage of this regulation, crews in some instances worked 40 to 50 hours without rest. Brakemen got out on top of cars and used pick handles to set hand brakes in all kinds of weather. Too, workers had to hold up links in order to make couplings in the "link and pin" days, and many lost fingers, hands and even lives. Gradually the O.R.C. formed legislative committees to obtain safety legislation. This, the O.R.C. believes, has resulted in savings to railroads as well as the workers. Currently, with speeds of freights and passenger trains being stepped from 25 and 35 miles per hour to much faster speeds, the O.R.C. has more safety regulations as a major objective. Other officers of the local unit are J. H. Parks, assistant chief conductor; W. O. Wasson, Sr., and T. A. Stephens, Jr., conductors; N. R. Smith, outside sentinel; and A. W. Page, inside sentinel. Trustees are G. F. Reynolds; W. W. Grant and J. H. Parks. J. P. Dodge is on the legislative committee. On the local board of adjustment are R. M. Parks, chairman, and H. G. Carmack and Reynolds. Carmack and R. M. Parks are delegates to the grand lodge.



G. F. Reynolds

Needle-Thread Club Convenes Twice A Month

Sewing and visiting are the principal activities of the Needle and Thread club. Members meet twice each month, on first and third Tuesdays. They have entered booths with exhibits of sewing and handwork in the two Howard county fairs. The club was formed in September of 1946. Mrs. W. N. Norred was first president. Mrs. Harvey Wooten is currently serving as president of the organization. Mrs. Curtiss Reynolds is secretary-treasurer and Mrs. Grady McCrary is reporter. Members are Mrs. W. N. Norred, Mrs. Keith Henderson, Mrs. J. W. Croan, Mrs. Marvin Sewell, Mrs. E. T. Tucker, Mrs. Tom McAdams, Mrs. Allen Wiggins, Mrs. Rhea Anderson, Mrs. T. J. Clark, and Mrs. East Reynolds.



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The local Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen was organized on Jan. 14, 1918, by Mary Milton, fifth vice grand president of the national auxiliary. There were 11 charter members. The organization has been quite active since its formation. It hosted the Texas state Union meeting here in 1941. It has made contributions to the Auxiliary's National Home Lake Crest Villa, at Evanston, Ill., to the cancer fund, Iron lung fund, Westside Nursery, and to the March of Dimes. Members were active in Red Cross work during the war, operating surgical dressing and sewing rooms here. They also assisted in the sale of war bonds.

This year, the organization plans to send delegates to the Texas State Union meeting and to the Grand Lodge convention which will be held at Columbus, O. There are now 120 members in the local auxiliary.

Present officers are G. W. Nevins, counselor; Othofay Nevins, president; Reba Meador, past president; Edna McCasland, vice president; Gertrude Wasson, conductress; Velma Kesterson, warden; Lorene Tuckness, chaplain; Mildred Moore, inner guard; Mabel Spears, outer guard; Nelva Briden, secretary; Esther Powell, treasurer; Mary Alice Christensen, pianist; Janie Smith delegate; Alice Cain, alternate delegate; Bonnie Allen, legislative representative; and Alice Cain, alternate legislative representative.

The list of charter members includes Mazie Paulsen, Monty Wright, Beasie Toliver, Emma Hatch, Pearl Smith, Annie Schull, Hattie C. Crowell, Stella Mars, Ruby Pike, Marie Hinman and Cora Miller.

Past presidents of the auxiliary are Monty Wright, Emma Hatch, Ora Vanier, Margaret Tucker, Effie Meador, Maggie Bird, Elvira Stinson, Ethel Clifton, Effie Meador, Bonnie Allen, Daphne Smith, Alice Cain, Della Hicks, Winnie Mae McCormick, Janie Smith, Louise McClinton, Della Hicks, Winnie Ralph, Edna Knowles, Effie Meador, Ethel McCasland, and Reba Meador.

The first corps of officers elected with Red Wright, counselor; Monty Wright, president; Marie Paulsen, past president; Beasie Toliver, vice president; Emma Hatch, secretary; Marie Hinman, treasurer; Pearl Smith conductor; Annie Schull, chaplain; Hattie Crowell, warden; Stella Mars, inner guard; Ruby Pike, outer guard; Ruby Hinman, delegate; Marie Paulsen, alternate delegate.

Lutherans Conducted Worship In City As Long Ago As 1870

Lutheran ministry in Big Spring covers an era of almost 70 years. Today it is at a peak and thriving. When settlers came in the early 1880's, a traveling missionary from Giddings, (then Berlin) visited to help in conduct of services. Pastor E. Morbe, in charge of the Abilene mission began monthly services here in 1880. Among the first associated with the Lutheran mission were Mr. and Mrs. G. Ruckert, Louise Bauer, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fahrnkamp, Mr. and Mrs. J. Helfritsch. Services were conducted in the home of the Ruckerts, Miss Bauer and Mr. and Mrs. Pachall.

The Rev. Waechter served the mission from 1880-86, followed by Rev. C. E. Hoah, Rev. G. Mueller, and Rev. C. M. Byer, who, on Feb. 14, 1900, helped organize the church here as the Zion Lutheran church. In 1923 the Rev. W. G. Buschacher led the congregation in locating a place of worship. The Presbyterian church was acquired and located at 501 N. Gregg street. After dedication on Sept. 29, 1929, the church grew and the Rev. Buschacher and family moved from Loraine and served mission points from here. The church became known as St. Paul's Lutheran. During his pastorate the ladies' aid was organized. Succeeding in order were Rev. Theo Graalman, Rev. Raymond Kasper (who entered the chapelacy) Rev. O. H. Horn and Rev. A. H. Hoyer, who came in November of 1947.

FIRST WORSHIP IN 1882

Christian Church Nears 70th Year

In two more years, the first Christian church will round out 70

years of service in Big Spring. It was in November of 1882 that Christian members began to assemble in homes for worship. On Feb. 23, 1883, the Christian church Sunday school was organized. Date of the formal organization of the church is not clear, but charter members were Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Eddins, in whose home the first meeting was held, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. D. Boydston, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Robinson, and Mrs. W. E. Barrett.

Utilizing the school building in 1884, the congregation held a revival that so sugered the county judge that the doors and windows were nailed and the building partitioned. This stirred the members into erecting their first building at 4th and Gregg. The Rev. R. O. Charles was first pastor.

By 1923 the congregation had outgrown its building and under leadership of the Rev. George Ruth, the present building was erected. Mrs. Barrett was the only living charter member present to called to the pastorate Dec. 7, 1946.

Today, under leadership of the Rev. Lloyd H. Thompson, who was called to the pastorate the church is in the midst of a building program to relocate on a site on Goliad between 5th and 10th. Present church officers are B. Reagan (life-time elder), G. W. Dabney, H. E. Clay, W. B. Martin, H. L. Bohannon, George Owens, J. L. Milner, C. D. Wiley, J. E. Benson, elders. The deacons are Arthur Caywood, A. V. Karcher, H. W. Smith, Wendal Parks, J. T. Allen, A. A. Marchant, James Wilcox, W. B. Sullivan, Chester Cathey, C. A. Murdock, Jr., L. M. Brooks, Brown Rogers, G. B. Farrar, Ray Shaw, Jimmie Hale, V. E. Sorrells, Justin Holmes, H. O. Hudgins.



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High School P-TA Outgrowth Of Old Home And School Club

The high school Parent-Teacher association was an outgrowth of the old Home and School club. It became the P-TA in 1925.

Mrs. B. Reagan was the first president and Mrs. E. H. Happel was treasurer.

Outstanding projects of the organization have been sponsorship of junior-senior banquets, football and pep squad dance, purchase of equipment for the home economics department, aiding needy high school students and the purchase of a public address system for the gymnasium. This year it plans to install a water cooler in the high school building.

Officers this year are: Mrs. Chester Cluck, president; Mrs. L. D. Jenkins, vice president; Mrs. Stanley Wheeler, secretary; Mrs. B. E. Freeman, treasurer.



Mrs. Chester Cluck

Charter members of the high school unit were Mrs. Reagan, Mrs. D. E. Bishop, Mrs. A. E. Edwards, Mrs. N. W. McClesky, Mrs. E. H. Happel, Mrs. P. B. Bittle, Mrs. J. W. Pittman, Mrs. Fox Stripling, Norman Spencer, Mrs. J. M. Manual, Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Mrs. Ned Shick, Mrs. Bunker, Mrs. Gray, and Mrs. Charles Kobers.

City Membership Is Linked With Lamesa In Plumbers Association

Local plumbers are craftsmen in a trade that dates its beginning in ancient history. Pompeii, a city built long before the birth of Christ, boasts of pieces of lead pipe still lying in its ruins.

Serving Big Spring and area is the Associated Plumbing Contractors of Big Spring and Lamesa. Local members are A. P. Kasch, L. E. Coleman, F. M. Pursuer, W. Rose, J. A. Tucker, E. C. Tucker and S. P. Northum.

Pursuer serves as president of the association while Paul Hughes of Lamesa acts as secretary-treasurer.

Charter members of the plumbers group, organized here on Dec. 21, 1928, include Kasch, Pursuer, Z. J. Cox and Coleman and two members now dead, W. A. Gilmore and A. M. Ryan.

Among objectives and purposes of the association are the practical application of scientific knowledge to the preservation of public health, encouragement of sanitary laws, improvement of plumbing system, education of members of the craft in sanitation and in practice of the craft, establishment of

Eight of the present members hold life memberships in the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers. They are Mrs. B. Reagan, Mrs. L. I. Freeman, Mrs. Charles Kobers, Mrs. Hayes Stripling, Mrs. J. L. Terry, George Gentry, Mrs. W. D. Willbanks, and Walter L. Reed.

Missionary Work Brought About State St. Church

Out of a missionary endeavor to seek out prospective members, the State Street Baptist church was born three years ago.

At the close of a tent revival meeting, the Missionary Baptist church was organized. There were seven charter members and others who joined almost immediately.

Charter members were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Mitchell, Elder and Mrs. A. C. Hodges, Harlan Hodges.

On the third anniversary, the church had dedication of its present plant at State and 13th streets on May 23, 1949.

There have been only two pastors, Elder A. C. Hodges and Elder Everett M. Ward, who is the present pastor. The church maintains a Sunday school and a Baptist training course in connection with the evening service. There also is a women's missionary association. Membership is approximately 40. Affiliation is with the Baptist Missionary association of Texas, and with the Plains district of the B.M.A.

Child Welfare, Rehabilitation Tops On Legion Auxiliary List

"To serve God and country by promoting child welfare and rehabilitation projects for veterans," sums up the purpose and objectives of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Among its projects is the annual Poppy Day held, when members sell poppies made by hospitalized veterans. One-third of the proceeds from such sales go to the state Legion department to be used in aiding veterans in Texas hospitals. The remainder is placed in a welfare fund for local rehabilitation work.

Another project of the Auxiliary is its child welfare and rehabilitation work. Last year, the organization spent \$500 in this field, in addition to sending gifts to patients in the Waco VA hospital. An annual Christmas party for children is also held.

The organization has assisted in the Westside playground development project, conducted a free dental clinic, and conducted a parliamentary law school for all club workers in the city.

The Auxiliary meets each first and third Thursday evening. A Junior Activities committee sponsors some form of social activity for teen-agers once each month.

A Gold Star Circle is included in the Auxiliary's subsidiary group. Mrs. W. H. Boeber, Gold Star chairman, compiled a list of all Gold Star Mothers in the county and a program was held in their honor early in February.

The Auxiliary now is studying means by which members be of assistance to veterans and their families when the new VA hospital opens here in May.

Mrs. C. B. South Sr. was elected president of the Gold Star Circle last month. Mrs. Joel Culver is vice president; Mrs. J. C. Beard is secretary-treasurer.

There are at present 130 members in the Auxiliary—three percent above its quota of 127. Wives, mothers, sisters, and daughters of

members of the American Legion or of deceased veterans who died during either World War are eligible for membership.

Mrs. J. T. Brooks was first president of the organization when it was formed in 1921. Mrs. Harold P. Steck is now president of the Auxiliary.

Present officers also include Mrs. Charles Hutchison, first vice president; Mrs. Moree Sawtelle, second vice president; Mrs. Roland Schwarzbach, secretary; Mrs. France McNew, treasurer; Mrs. Allen Hull, chaplain; Mrs. Bill Pate, historian; and Mrs. Lloyd Shursen, sergeant-at-arms.

Among the past presidents have been Mrs. C. C. Carter, Mrs. M. C. Stulting, Mrs. L. L. Gulley, Mrs. R. F. Bluhm, Mrs. L. E. Jobe, Mrs. Alma Blount, Mrs. T. A. Thigpen, and Mrs. Bill Griese.

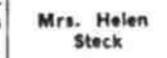
Friendship Club Started With A French Name

The Friendship Bridge club is one of the oldest organizations of its kind in the city.

It was formed in 1937 and was first known as Entre Nous—French for Friendship. The name was later changed to the English version.

Mrs. Glenn Hancock was first president of the club and Mrs. R. F. Bluhm was the initial reporter. Charter members were Mrs. A. M. McLeod, Mrs. L. C. Graves, Mrs. C. Y. Clinkscales, Mrs. Guy Stinebaugh, Mrs. J. M. Alexander, Mrs. M. S. Beal, Mrs. Bluhm, and Mrs. Hancock.

Mrs. Herbert Johnson is now president of the organization, Mrs. H. V. Crocker is reporter. Membership now includes Mrs. Clinkscales, Mrs. Bluhm, Mrs. M. A. Cook, Mrs. Crocker, Mrs. Garner McAdams, Mrs. Herbert Johnson, Mrs. Louis Murdock, Mrs. W. M. Gage and Mrs. J. T. Johnson.



Mrs. Helen Steck



Mrs. Herbert Johnson

Rook Club Has Functioned Here Ever Since 1922

The Rook club had its beginning in 1922 in the home of Mrs. J. E. Mundell. Mrs. C. E. Talbot was elected president for the first year.

Mrs. Fox Stripling and Mrs. Isla Davis were the other members. Mrs. Talbot and Mrs. Davis are the only charter members still in the club.

At Christmas time each year the Rook club serves a luncheon for members. Present officers are Mrs. S. P. Jones, president; Mrs. Arthur Pickle, reporter; and Mrs. C. E. Shive, secretary.



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Many Projects For North Ward Achieved By P-TA Association

Program for the North Ward P-TA has been broad and varied during the 26 years since it was organized. Welfare of North Ward has been its principal aim.

Some of the first projects of the unit were securing books for the libraries at the school, planting trees for each classroom, and installing ground equipment such as swings, slides, merry-go-rounds and courts for various games.

North Ward Horton was one of the first P-TA units to plan a health program for pupils. Since it was inaugurated, underprivileged children have been fitted with glasses and given other medical aid. Mrs. B. E. Winterrowd was instrumental in initiating the health program.

The P-TA has also fitted out a lunch room at the school, installed telephone, bought a movie projector and bullet boards for each classroom, and furnished a number of child craft books. It bought a portable electric organ in 1948, replaced part of the playground equipment, and bought additional library books and training films. This year, the unit's chief project has been purchase of a duplicating machine.

Each year the unit has a Christmas party for children, and it has sponsored both Boy and Girl Scout troops and Cub packs.

Life membership certificates have been granted two members of the unit, Mrs. B. E. Winterrowd and Mrs. R. D. Sallee.

Mrs. T. F. Horton is serving as president of the organization. Mrs. Noble Kanneimer is vice president. Secretary is Mrs. R. D. Sallee, and treasurer is Mrs. C. C. Hendricks.

First president of the unit, elected when it was founded in September, 1924, was Mrs. W. V. Rose.



Mrs. T. F. Horton

Other presidents have been Mrs. Martin Dehlinger, Mrs. R. L. Beall, Mrs. Sholto, Mrs. W. T. Bell, Mrs. W. H. Smith, Mrs. Carmack, Mrs. R. C. Williams, Mrs. M. E. Boatman, Mrs. Martin Dehlinger, Mrs. B. E. Winterrowd, Mrs. Walter Davis, Mrs. R. D. Sallee, Mrs. Truett Thomas and Mrs. Earl Hollis.

'Get Acquainted' Was Major Aim Of Kiwani Queens

Primary reason for the organization of Kiwani Queens was to enable wives of Kiwanis club to get better acquainted.

It was formed in 1943 with Mrs. H. W. Smith serving as first president. Mrs. Robert Snell was vice president that year and Mrs. Sherman Smith was chosen secretary.

The Kiwani Queens have been active since that time, assisting the Kiwanis club sponsor a number of benefits and programs.

Mrs. Herbert Whitney is now serving as president of the organization, while Mrs. Bernie Freeman is vice president, and Mrs. Duval Wiley is secretary and treasurer. The group meets each second Thursday.

Past presidents of the club are Mrs. H. W. Smith, Mrs. Sherman Smith, Mrs. Bernie Freeman, Mrs. Jack Roden, Mrs. Lucy Hutchins, Mrs. Merle Stewart and Mrs. Harry King.



Mrs. Herbert Whitney

Engineers Have Pioneer Union Organization

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers can lay claim to being the oldest labor organization in the United States—and in Big Spring they are among the pioneers.

Naturally, the B. of L. E. was organized in 1863 to help improve working conditions and wages, and to foster democratic principles based on fraternity and brotherhood.

Locally, the B. of L. E. was organized in 1903. C. B. Sullivan meeting for quite some time prior to the date of the charter for Staked Plains Div. 212 in 1896.

One of the early members of the organization was one of the most colorful sheriffs in the county's history—John Baggett. Since that time, others have taken places of responsibility in community affairs, serving as city and school, and church officials. In general, members are home owners.

The national organization was a pioneer in insurance, and the B. of L. E. unit is considered a leader in the field.

Among the early leaders were J. S. Cherry, A. B. Perkins, J. T. Sutton, James Costlow. Among those with longest records of service still running are J. M. B. Gilmore and Charles Vines.

The division has about 60 members from Baird to Toyah on the T&P and including a few on the Abilene & Southern. C. B. Sullivan is chief engineer; E. C. Casey is local chairman; R. V. Jones, secretary; Jake S. Bishop, first engineer; R. A. Elder, chaplain; D. C. Pyle, guide. Meetings are held at the W.O.W. hall.



C. B. Sullivan

WEST WARD PARENT-TEACHER UNIT HAS BEEN ACTIVE HERE SINCE '31

The West Ward Parent-Teachers association was formed on March 12, 1931.

Officers for the unit had been previously elected and were installed at the first meeting by Della Agnell, legislative chairman for the sixth P-TA district.

First president of the organization was Mrs. Bernard Fisher. Mrs. W. W. Inkman was first vice president, Mrs. Shine Phillips was second vice president, Lewler treasurer and Mrs. Victor Fiewellen, and secretary was Mrs. R. L. Slaughter.

The unit bought the first set of encyclopedia for the West Ward school. Later, it bought a stove for the school cafeteria and financed tree lunches for needy pupils. During the depression it distributed food and clothing to underprivileged families.

The P-TA helped secure admission to the Carlsbad sanatorium for seven West Ward pupils and sent them monthly gift boxes. In 1937, the unit purchased a merry-go-round for the schoolyard, and later seven radios were bought for school.

Two duplicating machines and furnishings for the teacher's lounge were later added to the school plant by the P-TA. It also aided the Negro school in the purchase of a new piano.

During the war, it participated in the scrap drive and sold defense stamps, and bonds. Following the war years, it bought a movie projector for the school.

The unit was the first local organization to give a life membership certificate. It was presented to Della Agnell in 1940.



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Bikes, Scooters

In addition to the 8,215 automotive vehicles registered in Howard county last year, there were a total of 155 other types of vehicles licensed. These were 85 motorcycles and 110 motor bikes and scooters. Approximately 155 new bicycles are sold here each year to provide the other principal mode of wheeled transportation.

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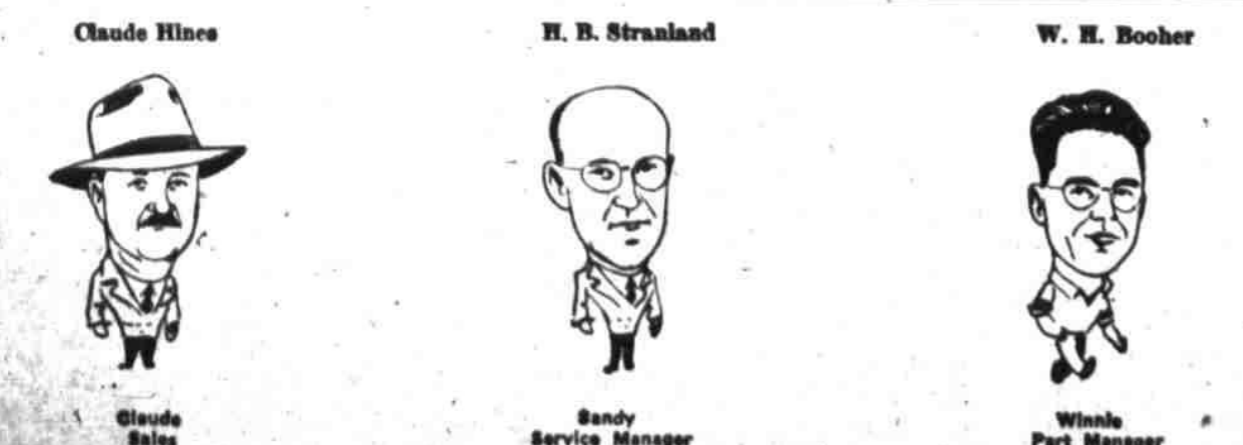
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1 Charter Member Left In Engineers' Auxiliary

Of the eight charter members of the Lone Star Division No. 10 of the Grand International Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, only one is now living.

She is Mrs. L. D. Gentry, who now resides at 408 Main street in Big Spring.

The others who helped organize the lodge were Mrs. L. F. McKay, Mrs. J. T. Sutton, Mrs. A. B. Perkins, Mrs. James A. Costlow, Mrs. Joe Bird, Mrs. D. C. Everly, Mrs. L. T. Deats and Mrs. E. J. Hadlock.

The GIA organization was per-

fectured at the home of Mrs. Costlow at 204 Gregg street on March 29, 1921. It later met at the Railroad Union Hall.

First officers are not known, due to a fire which destroyed most of the important papers. However, it is believed Mrs. Gentry was the GIA's first president here.

The Ladies Auxiliary was formed for the purpose of helping the male brotherhood (B of L E) plan its social activities. Among its objectives is to aid and benefit the families and beneficiaries of its deceased members.

Mrs. M. D. Davis and Mrs. E. A. Williams are the only mother-daughter combination in the lodge. Serving as GIA officers this year are:

Mrs. E. A. Williams, president;



Mrs. E. A. Williams

First Oil Well Is Near 24th Year

Howard county's first producing oil well, the Owen & Sloan Chalk No. 1, will have been giving up oil for 24 years on the anniversary of its discovery April 12.

The discovery of the pay in 1926 set off a wave of feverish activity in the South Howard area. Today there are more than 1,500 producing wells in the county. The first well was rated last fall at four barrels per day.

Mrs. C. B. Sullivan, vice-president; Mrs. H. D. Ulrey, secretary; Mrs. G. M. Burrows, past president; Mrs. D. C. Pyle, treasurer; Mrs. A. B. Wade, chaplain; relief secretary, Mrs. Charles Vines; Mrs. W. G. Mims, guide; Mrs. S. M. Barbee, sentinal; Mrs. Charles Koerber, flag bearer; Mrs. O. T. Arnold and Mrs. T. H. Amerson, marshals; Mrs. Zack Mullins, Mrs. M. D. Davis, Mrs. R. L. Holley and Mrs. R. A. Elders, pillars.

There are 30 additional members in the organization.

Local Rotary Club Has Attained Leadership In District Affairs

The Big Spring Rotary club has gained prominence in Rotary International as well as its own community.

The local unit was organized on Jan. 24, 1923 under sponsorship of the Sweetwater club, and received its charter on Feb. 23 of the same year.

The first president was J. Fred Phillips, while other charter officers included B. Reagan, vice-president; George L. Wilke, secretary-treasurer; the Rev. D. Walton Morrison, H. Heard, Dr. E. O. Ellington, Bruce Frasier and R. H. McNew, directors.

The Big Spring Rotary club has sponsored organization of new clubs in Lamesa and Odessa during its



J. Fred Phillips

22-year history, and has been host for district conferences on two occasions, 1938 and 1948. At present, Elmo Wasson, the first member of the Big Spring club to serve in that capacity, is governor of Rotary District No. 133.

Rotary club members bought trees and built an animal cage when City park was being developed, and the club has sponsored Boy Scout Troop No. 1 for over 20 years. It also sponsors Cub Pack No. 13. A Scout hut for the troop was purchased and improved two years ago at a cost of \$1,000.

A number of college students have been assisted by the club's student loan fund, and medical and surgical care has been provided for many children by the Rotarians. During the depression the club spent large sums for milk, surgery, medicine and eye-glasses for underprivileged children.

Each year during the Christmas season the Rotary club distributes

HAPPY STITCHERS KEEP BUSY WITH FANCY SEWING AT CLUB MEETINGS

A comparatively young organization, but one of the busiest in the city is the Happy Stitchers club.

It was formed in July, 1947. The club meets each Friday afternoon and members engage in individual sewing, crocheting and embroidery. At present, the group is making a friendship quilt with the names of all members to be included on it. Officers of the Happy Stitchers are Mrs. R. P. Morton, president; Mrs. James Abbe, secretary-treasurer and Mrs. Lewis Hargrove, Jr., reporter.

The membership includes Mrs. Robert Sneed, Mrs. Ben Daughtery, Mrs. Pershing Morton, Mrs.



Mrs. R. P. Morton

Melvin Newton, Mrs. Allen Sundy, Mrs. J. C. Pierce, Mrs. Bert Mathies, Mrs. Walter Eubanks, Mrs. Louisa Sady, and Mrs. Fred Franklin. Mrs. Daughtery and Mrs. Morton are charter members of the club.

First officers of the organization were Mrs. Margaret Hull, president; Mrs. Morton, secretary; and Mrs. Buck Tyree, reporter.

First 'Fill 'Er Up'

The first drive-in type service station operated in Big Spring was opened on March 10, 1922 by Tom and Jess Slaughter.

Prior to that time, auto owners refueled their machines from pumps located along the sidewalk before grocery, general, and similar retail business establishments. Blacksmiths served as the first auto mechanics.

The Slaughter station was opened at 1st and Main streets.

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Since 1930 we've been making friends in this section of West Texas. During our many years of getting acquainted in Big Spring, we have made a lot of enduring friendships. We derived a lot of pleasure from these acquaintances and we'd like to make many more.

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Forsan Visitors Are Reported For Week

FORSAN, March 25, Sp1—Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Les Duffer were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holt of Colorado City and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Holt of Abilene.

Bob Kneer, Ray Crumley and R. A. Fuller have returned from Rankin where they have been employed by the Shell Oil company.

Mrs. Les Duffer and daughter, Anna Inez, were dismissed from a Big Spring hospital Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Kennedy, Gerald and Wayne Coffman are visiting in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Ham visited in Colorado City Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Tyler and son of Ira are week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McElrath.

Mrs. M. M. Hines is visiting in Bryan with Mr. and Mrs. Burl Leper.

Linda and Lester Duffer have returned home following a short visit in Colorado City.

Mrs. H. N. Holcomb is a patient in a Big Spring hospital.

Mrs. Blessie Cathcart and Ancl have as their week end guests her brother, Milroy A. Hearn of Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. E. L. LeFevre was a visitor in Abilene during the week.

Mr. A. L. Byrd, Mrs. R. A. Chambers and Mrs. G. W. Overton attended a meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society in Stanton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Camp and Cleo Mae of Welch are visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Camp and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Cox and Linda of Sweetwater are week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Moore and family and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Leary and family.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Coates have moved to Big Spring to make their home. Coates is an instructor at Howard County Junior college.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Brethaupt, Beverly and Karen of Odessa are spending the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cardwell.

Mrs. Howard Swain and Susan visited in Wichita Falls during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Grant and son, Jimmie, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Grant in Andrews over the week end.

Capt. and Mrs. John C. Adams, Jerene and Randy, spent the past week in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rust and Charles M. Adams.

M. M. Hines and G. L. Monroney left Thursday afternoon for Lake Don Martine, Mexico, near Sabinsas, Mexico. The Monroneys are guests of the Electric Service company and will be gone approximately five days.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Camp and family were recent visitors in Coahoma with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Camp and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Williams and families.

Mark Nasworthy has returned from Corpus Christi where he visited Mrs. Nasworthy who is ill there.

Mrs. Guy Stephenson and daughter have been visiting relatives in Nocona this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Green were in Ackerly Sunday where they visited her mother, Mrs. A. G. Webb and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Grey have returned from a trip to Rochelle and Jena, La. and Snackover, Ark. They were accompanied on the trip by Mrs. W. A. Rowell of Goldsmith.

Mrs. B. D. Caldwell, Mrs. E. S. Lamb and Susie, Francis Parker were on a fishing trip near Walter, Valley Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Stockton and Buster of San Angelo joined them there.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chambers visited in Carnegie, Okla. during the past week. Mrs. Chauncey Long accompanied them on the trip and visited her parents in Mangum.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Green had as their recent visitors, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Green of Phoenix, Ariz.

Mrs. Bill Griffin and sons have returned to Rochelle, La. following a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Grey. Dwight Tribble will leave Sunday for his home in Port Orange, Fla. Tribble has been visiting in the home of his sisters, Mrs. Julia McCaslin and Mrs. Margaret Madding.

Mr. and Mrs. George Soles have returned home from Burnett where they visited her mother, Mrs. Edna Foreham.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shelton have as their guest, Mrs. Mamie Shelton of Big Lake.

Bobby and Kenneth Baker of Sul Ross, Alpine spent the week end here with their family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Tlenerand are spending the week end in Mc Gargle with her parents.

Mrs. C. J. Brooks of Guyman, Okla. were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Kennedy and Gerald.

Mrs. R. L. Shipman of Doolie is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Bennett. Other guests during the week were Mrs. N. G. Hallmark and N. G. Jr. of Hebbs, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shipman, Jr. of Louisa, N. M. and Elbert Shipman of Doolie.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Klahr, Sharon and Sandra visited in the Lloyd Peek home in Snyder Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Nance and Judy of Odessa visited here during week with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Nance and children.

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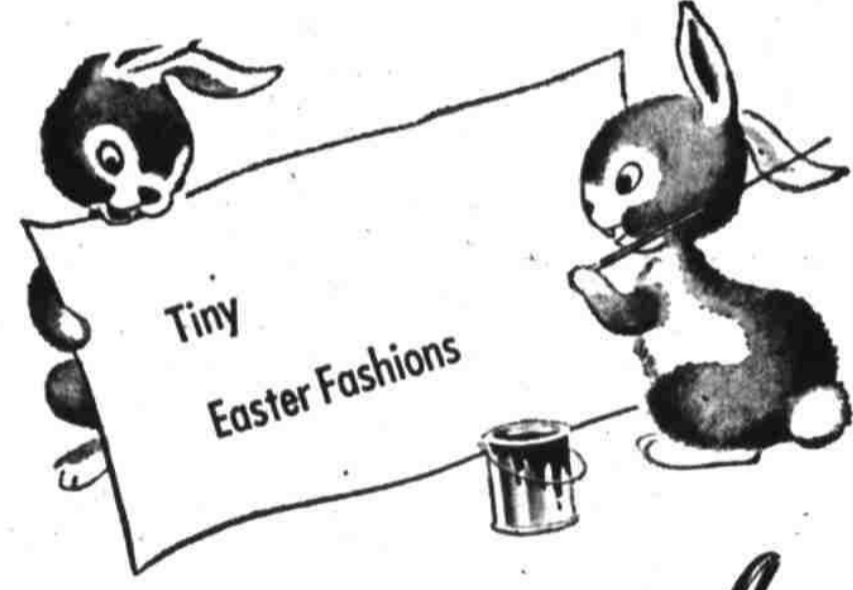
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- Boy's Anklets**
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Soft, pretty stuffed toys ... the ideal Easter gift for the little tot ... chickens, ducks, rabbits, dogs, kittens and bears ... 1.25 to 5.95
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- Infants' Shoes**
Mrs. Day Ideal Baby Shoes ... soft soles ... in satin and kid ... pink, blue, and white ... sizes 0 to 3 1.98 & 2.98
- Girls' Anklets**
Gordon Anklets with fancy tops and solid colors ... sizes 4 to 8 1/2 in pink, blue, yellow, aqua, lavender, peach; red, grey, green, and white 39c pair
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- Boys' Shoes**
Buster Brown boys shoe in brown and tan combination 5.95 & 6.50



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THERE'S NO REASON TO HAVE STRANGERS HERE WHEN NEW FRIENDS ARE AS NEAR AS A HANDSHAKE, A SMILE, AND A FRIENDLY "HOWDY NEIGHBOR."



GET ACQUAINTED WEEK
Big Spring
U.S.A.

It's 'Get Acquainted' Week For Big Spring

Mayor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, Big Spring has developed a tradition of friendliness and Western hospitality in the spirit of the good neighbor; and WHEREAS, this quality is indispensable to the preserving of a vigorous personality as a community; and ... WHEREAS, there arises a constant need of re-viving and refreshing the tides of acquaintanceship and understanding, friendship and concern; and WHEREAS, many new citizens have been attracted to our city within recent months and years and ought to be made to feel at once that this is truly their home and a place where their friends abide;

NOW, therefore, I, George W. Dabney, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Big Spring, Texas, do hereby proclaim the week of March 26-April 1 as "Get Acquainted Week" in hope that this special season will encourage all citizens to demonstrate the qualities of friendliness, hospitality and neighborliness; to meet those whom they do not know; to make all persons feel they are a part of the community; to join together in the bonds of mutual good feeling, one for the other.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 24th day of March, 1950 A. D.
(Signed)



GEORGE W. DABNEY
Mayor of City of Big Spring

Erase Meaning Of Word 'Stranger'

"Get Acquainted," the basis of friendship and understanding, is being emphasized in Big Spring this week. Because of the importance of people knowing one another, Mayor G. W. Dabney has proclaimed this as "Get Acquainted Week" and has called upon residents to erase the meaning of the word stranger in the city.

Object of the week is simple — just as it implies. Everywhere people are being encouraged to come out of their shells and meet new people and make new friends. A number of clubs are planning special emphasis on members knowing one another. Several ministers have indicated plans for highlighting recognition of visitors and, in some cases, for making friendship and understanding the basis of sermons.

There will be other observances throughout the week. One is the "mystery" angle of "Mr. or Mrs. Get Acquainted" for each day of the week, with an award to the first person to meet the mystery personality each day. Another is the contest to name "my favorite good neighbor."

In addition, there will be occasions for people to get to know their schools and public institutions better. Certainly, merchants and industrial operators are seizing upon the week as a chance for people to know their staff members and modes of operation.

This "Get Acquainted" edition is the opening wedge for the week. Through the novel approach of photo-sketches, hundreds of faces many of them familiar and yet not associated with a specific name, are presented in such a way to be of maximum interest.

There are stories about scores of organizations, clubs, institutions, etc., each carrying the likeness of the chief officer. Besides these, large numbers of business firms have taken occasion to present department heads, and in some instances, their entire staff, in novel means.

Contained also in this issue are suggestions on how to get acquainted, (along with some precautionary tips on how not to get acquainted). These come from various sources and range from the serious to the facetious.

Back of it all, however, is the purpose of stimulating interest of people in people. Out of the week community leaders hope will come a habit on the part of all citizens to be more friendly and more forward in meeting people whom they do not know.

Big Spring's reputation as a friendly city has arrived at a critical point. The rate of growth has become so steady and rapid that many of the long-time residents are seeing faces unknown to them. They may be on the same block—maybe on the same bus—in the same office, shop or business. But they are strangers.

The specific remedy is "Get Acquainted." And this week, every one is urged to cast aside timidity reserve or undue dignity and boldly try to meet as many people as possible. It's easy and it's fun.

Badoes To Aid In Identifying Business Folk



"You know, the most pleasant young lady always waits on me at that store."

"I've paid my bill at that girl's desk for a long time and I can't begin to tell you her name, although she has always been so very courteous to me and the public generally."

"I sorta feel embarrassed. That young fellow with the friendly smile who calls me by my name when I enter the store—how, how, how?"



the life of me, I can't begin to remember his name."

No doubt you've heard many other such expressions from individuals who do not know the employees at local stores and service institutions.

This "name business" is most important. It's human nature for one to like being called by his or her name.

So, during Get Acquainted Week in Big Spring, something has been done to improve on such situations. Here you will see reproduction in illustration, the personnel badge which will be worn at places of business—by those who call at your home—by service concerns.

Each and every employee's name as presented in this Get Acquainted Week badge will be shown on the Get Acquainted badge, and by the employers, as well.

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Chief Cites Rules For Special Week

You don't have to be a newcomer seeking directions or a law violator to get to know the policemen on the corner, according to Police Chief W. D. (Pete) Green.

It's as easy to become acquainted with an officer as it is with your neighbor or the fellow with the familiar face you meet every day on the street," Chief Green said. "Include policemen on the list of those you are going to make it a point to meet during 'Get Acquainted Week.'"

Chief Green has set down the procedure of widening your circle of acquaintances in six easy steps applicable not only to policemen, but to every walk of life.

He lists them thusly:



1. Try and meet at least ten new persons every day during Get Acquainted Week.
 2. Smile—don't turn your head aside—when you pass people. Then everyone will smile. And, Green says, in these days, that's something.
 3. Make visitors welcome. People will like to come to Big Spring if they know they're welcome.
 4. Enjoy getting acquainted with people. Don't be a Casper Milquetoast. Cast aside timidity and inferiority complexes.
 5. Be neighborly. A good place to begin is your own block.
 6. Report non-cooperators with Get Acquainted Week to Chief Green. He has promised an enforcement campaign.
- The police official believes his department is making lots of friends with newcomers—friends for Big Spring.
- "Hundreds get their only impression of this city through the officer from whom they seek directions or ask advice," Green stated. "It's part of our job to make that impression highly favorable."

TO KNOW FOLKS BETTER IS TO LIKE THEM BETTER — THIS IS THE WEEK

Most of our troubles never happen and we fear the unknown more than we fear the known.

We are prejudiced against the things we don't know and therefore don't understand. It's like peering a dark room with hobgoblins and ogres that aren't there. Snap on a light and the terrors disappear.

It is then we come to realize they never were present in the first place and it is only our distrust, our ignorance, that made them evident.

Knowing people is a profitable experience in everybody's lives. Whether or not they have a warm or distant personality, a new acquaintance makes an impression with you of some sort and you are better for it.

Will Rogers used to say he never met a man he didn't like. And the Oklahoma sage probably met more people from all parts of the world and from all walks of life than any other man of his generation.

Will lives on as a man of stature and high regard, because people admired him and trusted him. They might never have met him but most felt they knew him intimately, which is a tremendous tribute to his personality.

Rogers wore his heart on his sleeve, so to speak, instead of a chip on his shoulder. Had he approached people with a bellicose and cold attitude, his great wit and ingenuity would not have made him the great man he was.

One of the great secrets of his personality—and it wasn't exactly a secret—was his overwhelming

charm, the kind that flowed straight into the heart of people.

It was a genuine trait, not afflicted with false cordiality.

To know people is to like them. Ignorance of the other person breeds distrust and suspicion and in turn, these breed wars.

Get acquainted. Know people better and you are bound to like them more.



How has it been done?—the presentation of the cartoons of local personalities.

The cartoons of members of organizations, of civic, religious and social leaders of Big Spring, the personnel of business establishments has been done by artists with only a picture of the individual to follow. Pictures were taken, sent to the artists and from the picture miniature cartoon drawings were made.

In analyzing "the faces"—the drawings are merely an outline of the face. Complexion tone is entirely absent — no attempt is made to shade it. The pigment of the skin as it reflects light makes the complexion tone of an individual's face and this is not shown in the cartoon sketches.

The cartoon work for this edition has been prepared for The Herald by The Postletwhaite Company, Kansas City, Mo. Lomet Associates of Kansas City is the exclusive field representative of this company.

A Little History To Help You Get Acquainted With The City

Old timers already know the story, but newer residents wanting to "get acquainted," may not know how the city came by its name.

Nothing mysterious about it. There once flowed a big spring (or spring immediately south of the present city. Buffalo hunters and early explorers spoke of the big spring, so when the T&P came westward and hunting-good water in 1881, the village that came into being was named "Big Springs."

About 35 years later the extra "S" was dropped by the postoffice and the T&P. Without formality, the city also changed its name by changing the spelling on the minutes of the city council.

A lot of other changes have taken place since the days when Indians battled for possession of the spring and later when buffalo hunters slaughtered bison by the thousands around the water hole, now marked as a historical shrine.

Crude buffalo-hide shelters near the spring constituted the first business sites. Not far away the first school came into being under a

tent. With coming of the railroad, the town moved into the "draw" and became a village of shacks, saloons and primitive railroad shops.

Ranch empire, covering thousands of square miles of unfenced public domain, came into being. Cattle drives to the north gradually gave way to short ones to rail point here. Pioneer general mercantile stores had a trade area that stretched beyond Lubbock and westward into New Mexico. Oxen teams were often used to haul big stores of supplies.

Gradually, fences came into being. The public land was sold and farmers began to move in and break the sod. This changed the complex of the city and area. From 1900 forward cotton began to cut quite a caper. The movement progressed until dissolution of the ranches into farms was largely completed by 1920.

By that time the city had its first oil boom. First oil in the Permian Basin, was encountered south of here and Big Spring was boomed as the "Tulsa" of West

Texas. The well fizzled and so did the boom. But not the oil fever, and a bonafide boom developed in wake of discovery of commercial oil in 1926. Today there are more than 1,500 wells producing from eight lines and pools. At one time Big Spring had four oil refineries. Couden alone endured but has an outstanding, modern plant.

Highways began to develop around 1920 and today Big Spring is hub for a network which includes junction of the two longest transcontinental roads (U. S. 87 and 80) as well as others to Snyder, Garden City, and soon to Andrews. Naturally transportation and tourist trade became important. Since 1929 when the airport was construction; the city has been important on the air map.

Of late Big Spring has become a medical center. There are four private hospitals with 23 physicians and 150 beds; a state hospital with 425 patients; the Veterans Administration hospital with 250 beds soon to be activated.

The T&P has continued its division point, shops and its important roll in the city's activities. But industries, retail and wholesale businesses have loomed large in the picture. Ranching has not declined in value, but farming has advanced strongly. Oil has become the biggest cash crop—\$12,000,000 a year.

WELFARE OF VETERANS' FAMILIES CONCERN OF THE VFW AUXILIARY

The welfare of veterans and their families is the principal objective of the VFW auxiliary here.

It has assisted in promoting hospital programs for war veterans, contributed to the national home for orphans and widows of veterans at Eaton Rapids, Mich., and assisted the local VFW post in carrying out its programs.

During the last war, it did service work with the post hospital and aided in securing a home for the Christensen-Tucker VFW post here.

The local Auxiliary was organized Dec. 19, 1932 with Madeline Wiseman of El Paso instituting.

There were 23 charter members. Ethel Knapp is now president of the VFW Auxiliary. Joyce Richardson is senior vice president, and Bessie Powell is junior vice president. Margaret Barnett is secretary-treasurer.

Past presidents have been Alma Blount, Leola Cleve, Anne Martin, Susie Corcoran, Margaret Barnett, Genevieve Cass, Pauline Schubert, Jessie Brown, Dorothy Hull, Eula Lea, Frankie Tucker, Louise Horton.

Charter members were Margaret Barnett, Ruby Bell, Alma Blount, Tessie Mae Bohannon, Oneta R. Carter, Leola Cleve, Helen Cornelison, Susie Corcoran, Helen Deats, Mary Frances Dugan, Pearl Dunham, Pearl Hair, Mary Hartman, Della Hicks, Dorothy Hull, Eulis Kirkpatrick, Henrietta Long, Bertie Perry, Esther Powell, Ethel Reed, Eunice Recknagel, Gertrude Welch and Lula Winn.

It's Important To Learn Names

Get Acquainted Week is designed for those individuals who like to say "Hello" to acquaintances and friends, but who have difficulty in recalling names.

In business and social contacts one of the best habits that can be formed is that of remembering individuals real names and addressing them properly.

How can this be accomplished? One may find a method which is helpful to him alone. Some repeat a new name mentally three or four times after meeting a person.

Still others write a new acquaintance's name down on paper shortly after an introduction. Then there are those that make mental notes and, at the end of the day try to repeat in writing the newly-made acquaintances' names.

Some may find it an easy method to associate something distinctive about a person in his mind and designating it in association with the person's name.

However you do it, it's a good habit to maintain and improve upon. And it's sure to pay you dividends, wherever you go.

Refining Center

Big Spring rapidly became the oil refining center of West Texas in 1928-29.

Four companies established plants here during the two years.

AS CARTOONIST SEES CHIEF GREEN'S SPECIAL RULES ON CITY'S 'GET ACQUAINTED WEEK' . . .



Annual Reports Given By Officers At Coahoma Presbyterian Meeting

COAHOMA, March 25. (Sp) — Annual officers' reports were heard at the meeting of the Women of the Presbyterian church in the sanctuary Wednesday evening. The inspirational program was presented by Mrs. H. L. Stamps and Leroy Echols. Fellowship was held in the church parlor. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Frank Loveless, Mrs. H. T. Hale, Mrs. Glenn Guthrie, Mrs. Trust DeVaney, Mrs. Virginia Kidd, Mrs. Charles Read, Mrs. Elliott Elliott, Mrs. Cora Echols, Mrs. Vance Courson, Mrs. R. V. Guthrie, Mrs. Leroy Echols, Mrs. H. L. Stamps and Fannie Sue Read.

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Hudson entertained the Bible class of the Church of Christ with a game party Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served. Those attending were Shirley and Ray Alexander, Betty, Dena and Jimmie Hale, Martha Denton, Barbara Wilson, Peggy McCann, Royce and Kay Acuff, Tommy and Brenda Abregg, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roberts and E. J. and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ribble.

Members of the Ladies Quilting Society of the Church of Christ were entertained in the home of Mrs. Jack Roberts Thursday. Attending were Mrs. Cullen Cranfill, Mrs. Hale, Mrs. S. A. Ribble, Mrs. Winfred York, Mrs. Troy Roberts, Mrs. Read, Mrs. Grady Acuff and Mrs. Rayford Brubaker.

P. N. Shive, Rex Shive, H. T. Hale, Arlon DeVaney and Bill Hunter have returned from a fishing trip on the Rio Grande.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Turner and daughter, Elizabeth, are visiting another daughter, Patricia, who is a student nurse in Dallas.

D. Spears and Tom Bishop are on fishing trip near the Buchanan Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. DeVaney returned Friday from Dallas. Mrs. R. B. DeVaney had as her guest during the week Mrs. Don Elder and Mr. and Mrs. Houston Elder of Seagraves.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loveless spent Wednesday in the Spade com-

Happy Stitchers Are Entertained

Members of the Happy Stitchers club were entertained in the home of Zaida Abbe, 1201 W. 2nd, Friday. Those attending were Della Jane Cooper, Ella Ruth Morton, Joyce Johnson, Beany Daugherty, Polly Sundry, Viola Sneed, and the hostess, Zaida Abbe. Ella Ruth Morton will entertain the club at the next meeting, March 31.

Mrs. J. T. Brooks To Direct Course

Mrs. J. T. Brooks, 16th district parliamentarian, will instruct a parliamentary law course at the Presbyterian church Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 o'clock. The course will be sponsored by the Big Spring City Council of the Parent-Teacher association.

The course will be taught in four sections. During the morning session, lessons will deal with parliamentary procedure and presiding officers and courtesies. During the afternoon, courses will consist of amendments to votes and election and installation.

Anyone in Big Spring interested in the course may attend. The admission is free, but the booklets will cost 50 cents. Coffee will be served at the church, and those attending may bring their own lunch.

Lynn Heith Honored At Birthday Party

Lynn Heith was honored with a party on her second birthday anniversary in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Heith, 1312 Sycamore, Friday evening.

Refreshments were served. Party favors of miniature cars and doll houses were presented to the guests.

Those attending were Kay Bettie, Terry and Kenny House, Sherill Read, Donnie, Howard and Mike Hall, James Ramsey Beckham, Karen Sue Casey, Don Osborn and Elvin House, Mrs. Clayton Bettie, Mrs. M. K. House, Jr., Mrs. Ellis Read, Mrs. Harold Hall, Mrs. Billy Casey, Mrs. Roy Osborn, Mrs. E. W. Love and Mrs. R. L. Heith and Lynn, the hostess and the honoree.

Mrs. J. D. Jenkins Entertains Auxiliary

Mrs. J. D. Jenkins entertained the members of the Ladies Fireman Auxiliary in her home Friday evening. Mrs. Riley Knightstep served as co-hostess to the affair. Sewing comprised the entertainment. Secret pal names were revealed and new names were exchanged. Refreshments were served.

Those attending were Mrs. J. R. Piper, Mrs. H. W. Clawson, Mrs. R. R. Fields, Mrs. A. L. Harrison, Mrs. J. F. Waddell, Mrs. H. V. Crocker, Mrs. R. T. Hale, Mrs. Fred Winn, Mrs. S. E. Smith, Mrs. J. D. Allison, Mrs. A. J. Moore, Mrs. D. W. Laws, the hostesses, Mrs. Jenkins and Mrs. Knightstep, and two guests, Mrs. Tony Hale and Mrs. T. J. Williams.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. A. L. Harrison, 2203 Runnels, April 28. Mrs. T. Hale will serve as co-hostess.

COSDEN CHATTER

Box Supper Is Slated Monday At Sand Springs

Women of the Cosden Auxiliary are planning a box supper and game party Monday, March 27, at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Banks who live at Sand Springs. This is a family affair for all Cosden employees.

Mrs. Veda Reed was surprised with a house warming last Thursday evening by Mrs. Marvin Clark and Mrs. Avery Deel. About 25 friends called.

R. L. Tollett returned Wednesday morning from New York. While in New York he had an opportunity to hear Miss Jimmie Lee Pitts of Big Spring sing in the Westminster Choir in Town Hall. R. L. Tollett, M. M. Miller, George Grimes and E. W. Richardson will be in San Antonio most of this week attending the annual meeting of the Western Petroleum Refiners Association.

J. L. LeBlou, Leonard Morgan, and A. G. Goodson are in Fort Worth attending the state bowling tournament. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Coffey and Bob Coffey are in Odessa where they will be present for the West Texas Relays. Baylor is participating in this event, which adds interest for the Coffeys. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Davis are fishing this weekend near Sonora, Texas. LaNelle Edwards is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Edwards of Sweetwater. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phinney, Sr. of Houston are visiting Evelyn and Frank Phinney this weekend.

Otto Peters Sr. is recovering from an operation, as is M. A. Lilly. J. D. Cauble has been hospitalized and Frank Hughes, Ira Haley, and A. L. Tamplin have been ill. Bill Bostick returned to work last week after an extended illness. Henry Carpenter's daughter, Janet, is ill with pneumonia.

T. C. Woods, R. A. Feasel and T. G. Stevenin with the Deep Rock Oil Corporation of Cushing, Okla. visited the plant Friday and Saturday to see the catalytic cracking unit in operation. Deep Rock plans to put a new cat cracker on stream in about a month. M. L. Ellis with the A. O. Smith meter Corp. of Abilene visited the plant on Friday. Ralph Nelson with the Todd company, Fort Worth, J. O. Blackman with Standard Register of Fort Worth, and Harold Farmer, maintenance engineer for Hillard Sales Co. of St. Joseph, Missouri called in the office this week.

BFLE Ladies Active Here For 48 Years

The Ladies Society of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, originally named Pride of the West Society No. 175, was created here in 1902 "for the purpose of rendering assistance and encouraging members of the Brotherhood in their work."

Throughout the years it has been the aim of the society to cultivate a spirit of peace and harmony and to promote sociability and friendliness among families represented in the BLFE. At present there are 157 members in the society, 115 living in Big Spring.

There were 10 charter members when the society was organized here on Nov. 2, 1902. They were Mrs. Mary E. Dubois, Mrs. Ella Crawford, Mrs. Mary E. Blevins, Mrs. Hilda Lolly, Mrs. Emma W. Scoggins, Mrs. Minnie Stephens, Annie K. Scholz, Lucy A. Scholz, Mrs. Julia Brown, and Mrs. Susie Wiesen.

Shortly after its formation, membership declined in the organization, and it did not begin to grow until 1909 when a campaign was launched under the direction of E. L. Deason and W. H. Miller, members of the BLFE. A steady growth has followed.

Officers this year include Mrs. C. L. Richardson, president; Mrs. L. A. Griffith, vice president; Mrs. L. N. Brooks, past president; Mrs. C. A. Smauley, secretary; Mrs. Florence Rose, collector; Mrs. M. E. Anderson, chaplain; Mrs. Scotty Sanderlin, treasurer; Mrs. Sam Barbee, warden; Mrs. G. W. Mims, conductor; Mrs. E. A. Williams, musician; Mrs. Tip Anderson, flag bearer; Mrs. W. H. Power, delegate; Mrs. L. M. Cunningham, alternate delegate; Mrs. D. C. Pyle, magazine correspondent; Mrs. O. T. Arnold, legislative representative; Mrs. Albert Davis, Mrs. W. R. McGinnis, and Mrs. J. H. Johnson, trustees; Mrs. J. B. Scholtz and Mrs. J. F. Skalkley, inner and outer guards.

First officers for the organization were Mrs. Emma W. Scoggins, president; Mrs. Mary E. Blevins, vice president; Mrs. Hilda Lolly, past president; Lucy Scholtz, collector; Mrs. Susie Wiesen, secretary; and Annie K. Scholz, chaplain.



I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go into the house of the Lord Psalm 122:1

Sunday, March 26

"GET ACQUAINTED IN OUR CHURCHES"

Let's Each Of Us Meet One Another At Church This "Get Acquainted" Sunday

GOD is love. From the time we passed from the cradle roll into the beginners, we sang it almost every Sunday morning - "God is love! God is love!" And then we learned the next step in the Divine pattern of friendship: "Love one another."

And so friendship and fellowship, truly attributes of God, became a fixed part of our experience in God's house.

The Scripture spoke of the "stranger within thy gates," but in our church, we made sure that the stranger did not remain long. His very presence in the sanctuary told us that he loved and served the same Master as we - that he was in reality our brother.

Our church, as a haven from the troubles of a busy world, is logically the center of friendship. With cares shut out and love within, the church is the hallowed ground on which our souls may be knit together.

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STORK CLUB

At the Cowper Hospital:
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lindsey of Midland, on March 23, a daughter, Vicki Lynn, weight seven pounds, eight ounces.
At the Medical Arts Hospital:
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sanders, 1604 State, on March 15, a daughter, Kathleen Jo, weight seven pounds, 12 ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Biggs of Stanton, on March 20, a daughter, Jimmie Kathryn, weight seven pounds.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Duffer of Forsan, on March 19, a daughter, Anna Inez, weight eight pounds, eight ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton McCarty, 435 Dallas, on March 21, a son, Frank Kent, weight six pounds, 12 ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wilkerson, 507 East 18th, a son, Eddy Leonard, weight five pounds, two ounces.
At the Big Spring Hospital:
Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Buecker, 1104 West 4th, on March 22, a son, David Lynn, weight nine pounds, two ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn W. Thompson, 403 Owen, a daughter, Glenda Carol, weight seven pounds, four ounces.
At the Hogan and Malone Hospital:
Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Parks, 703 1/2 Main, on March 21, a daughter, Laura Suzanne, weight seven pounds, four ounces.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Backhop, 605 George, a daughter, as yet unnamed, weight seven pounds, 11 1/2 ounces.

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Box Suppers And Tour Of Churches Are On 'Get Acquainted' Calendar

Big Spring's "Get Acquainted Week" in the social field promises to be an "old fashioned" one. What with box suppers as one of the main attractions. Maybe that's the way it should be because "getting acquainted" itself seems to be a "little old fashioned" in this busy world we're living in. But that doesn't keep box suppers or getting acquainted from being lots of fun and worth the time.

Members of the Couden Ladies Auxiliary will sponsor a get-acquainted box supper honoring all Couden employees Monday at 6:30 p.m. It will be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Banks in Sand Springs. Games and entertainment will be provided.

The public has an invitation to a box supper which is being sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary to the Fraternal Order of Eagles and will be held at the Eagle headquarters. Entertainment will include a special program.

Members of Girl Scout Troop 11 will entertain a group of girls who have moved to the city within

the past year with a tour of the city churches scheduled for Friday at 4 p.m. Girls will meet at the Girl Scout hut and will return there for refreshments following the tour.

Because of the postponement of "Get Acquainted Week" from the originally scheduled date, a number of organizations felt it necessary to go ahead with scheduled observances and some of those were reported by The Herald during the past week. Others are being reported today.

Several organizations, which have regularly scheduled meetings during the week, have not completed plans for observances. It is hoped that such groups will report the type and success of such meetings during the week.

Members of the Modern Woman's Forum met in the First Baptist Church parlor Friday afternoon with Mrs. Harwood Keith and Mrs. Ira J. Driver as hostesses.

Roll call was answered with information concerning historic homes.

Mrs. D. C. Sadler and Mrs. R. L. Warren were program leaders. Lucile Hester presented a film on the historic homes of Natchez, Miss. and the pilgrimage held there.

Report of the club counselor was given and the by-laws and constitution read. Convention plans were discussed.

Those present were: Mrs. Harwood Keith, Mrs. Ira J. Driver, Mrs. A. B. Wade, Mrs. H. M. Rowe, Mrs. Clyde E. Thomas, Sr., Mrs. D. C. Sadler, Mrs. R. L. Warren, Mrs. J. P. Dodge, Mrs. Bob Eubank, Mrs. Albert Smith and Lucile Hester, guest.

Forsan Service Club Discusses Park Situation; Dan Fairchild Promoted

FORSAN, March 25. (Sp)—W. C. King presided at the dinner meeting of the Forsan Service Club Thursday evening. Discussion was held on the local park situation and on the newly organized cub scouts which are being sponsored by the Service club. Attending were Harry Barnett, G. D. Kennedy, J. B. Anderson, Ott King, D. M. Bardwell, W. C. King, T. R. Camp, Jack Lamb, R. A. Chambers, C. B. Long, Wayne Coffman, B. D. Lee, Bill Conger, Wayne Nance, C. L. Draper, W. B. Dunn, Henry Park, Ray Prater, M. A. Fairchild, O. W. Scudday, B. A. Farmer, H. O. Story, O. D. Smith, Sr., Walter Gressett, Glen Whittenburg, S. W. Willis, E. A. Grissom, Ted Henry, Bob Honeycutt, Joe B. Hoard, Sr., W. E. Heideman, Jeff English, and guests Harry King of Big Spring and Barney Harrigan of Abilene.

Word has been received here that Dan Fairchild, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Fairchild, has been promoted to the rank of corporal. Cpl. Fairchild is associated with the Air Corps and is stationed at Hamilton Field, Calif. He works as a file clerk in the message center with the 78th Air Base group, HQ and HQ Squadron. He enlisted nine months ago.

Mrs. Jeff English has been employed as tax assessor of this district. Her office is in the school building.

G. D. Kennedy has announced that the local Easter school holidays will begin Friday, April 7, and will continue through Monday, April 10.

W. A. Cowley, father of S. C. Cowley, underwent surgery in a Big Spring hospital Thursday morning.

Guests in the S. C. Cowley home during the week included Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hagar of Pecos, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cowley of De Witt,

Woman's Forum Meets Friday In Baptist Church

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Seven Joined In Organizing Exemplar Group

Seven charter members were responsible for the founding of the Exemplar chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi in Big Spring December 3, 1946. Ann Darrow was elected as the first president.

At present, the chapter consists of 16 members, with Joyce Croft as president; Elizabeth Murdock, vice-president and extension officer; Freda Hoover, secretary and treasurer; Clarinda Harris program and Beatrice Stacey, chairman of the Ways and Means committee.

The Beta Sigma Phi organization was founded April 30, 1931. It is international in scope and has a membership of approximately 100,000 young women. Beta Sigma Phi is a non-academic sorority that is social, cultural and civic in nature. Each year, members may join a Ramble to a foreign country. This year "Ramblers" will sail on the Queen Elizabeth for England, Scotland and France.

After four years of study, members in the local Beta Omicron chapter of Beta Sigma Phi are qualified to join the Xi Mu chapter or the local Exemplar chapter in Big Spring. This is the highest degree in the sorority.

A Beta Sigma Phi state project for 1948 was the purchase of a Mobile X-Ray Teleradiology unit, for which the Xi Mu chapter paid their pro rata share for each member. In 1949, the state project was the contribution of \$5,000 to the Texas Tuberculosis association, and the 1950 project is the contribution of \$5,000 to the American Heart association, dedicated to a member of the Beta Sigma Phi who died as a result of a heart ailment.

At present, the international project is in support of two outstanding scientists in cancer research. Also, donations have been made to the American Cancer Society and National Mental Health foundation.

Locally, the chapter has contributed to the YMCA drive, the Colored Peoples' park and the Howard County Free Library. The local chapter also assisted in the free Tuberculosis X-ray drive.

Mrs. Mary Delbridge, who recently suffered an attack of pneumonia, was able to be returned to her home at 404 W. 5th street Saturday. She has been ill for the past three weeks.



Joyce Croft

Hugh McGee Leads WMS Bible Study At Westbrook; P-TA Elects Officers

WESTBROOK, March 25. (Sp)—The Rev. Hugh Magee brought the Bible study at the meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society at the First Baptist church Monday. Quilting comprised the entertainment. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon. Mrs. J. M. Byrd led the sentence prayers. Those attending were Mrs. Byrd, Mrs. Hoyt Roberts, Mrs. Alita Clemmer, M. J. O. McNew, Mrs. A. G. Anderson, Mrs. Bill Hutchins and the Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Magee.

Mrs. A. G. Anderson was named president at the meeting of the Parent-Teacher association at the school Tuesday. Other officers elected were Mrs. Bobbie Rees, vice-president; Violet Brown, secretary and Mrs. Alvin Byrd, treasurer. Mrs. Bobbie Rees gave the discussion on "Teamwork in Social Life." Mrs. J. O. McNew served as program chairman. Mrs. Choyce Miller presided during the business session.

Alita Clemmer was a business visitor in Abilene Thursday. Mrs. C. E. Taylor attended the funeral of her step-father, Herschell Smith, in Knott Thursday.

Mrs. H. P. Iglehart underwent major surgery in the Root Memorial hospital in Colorado City last week.

Robert Hutchins and son, Paul, moved to Colorado City last week. Robert Hutchins of Lubbock, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hutchins, during the week.

Donald Gressett and Gerald Mesimer of Lubbock visited here over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Armstrong returned home Monday following a visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hart in Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Sanders in Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Palmer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Vance Armstrong in Jalisco, N. M.

Mrs. Ruth Donelson and son, Gary Don, visited her mother, Mrs. C. J. Miller, over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Seaburn McCammans and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parrish of Big Spring visited in the Charley Parrish home Tuesday evening.

Visitors in the N. W. Stokes home during the past week included Mrs. E. G. Stokes of Seminole, Jim Stokes of O'Donnell, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Henderson of Vealmoor and Mrs. L. R. Archie of Seminole. Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Finis and daughter, Peggy, of Odessa were transferred to Colorado City last week.

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First Christian Club Has Hayride

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Attending were: Betty Earley, Margaret Martin Nancy Smith, Tommy McAdams, Marie Haley, Bobby McCarty, Nita Jo Hedeston, Bill Hanna, Tom Taylor, Pat Tidwell, Bobby McAdams, Jane Reynolds, Joyce Horne, Peggy Hogan, Wanda Weatherford, Mary Lou Stages, Mary Alice Gillett, Carrie Sue Lawson, Glenn Rogers, Jerald Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Tom McAdams and Mrs. Earl Reynolds.

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Mrs. W. R. Banks Given Stork Shower

Mrs. W. R. Banks was complimented with a stork shower in the parlor of the East Fourth Baptist church Friday morning.

Hostesses for the affair included Mrs. B. H. Williams, Mrs. A. L. Cooper, Mrs. Morris Sewell and Mrs. Leon Cain.

Colors of yellow and white were used throughout the reception rooms. The refreshment table was laid with a white linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow tulips in a crystal container. A row of miniature white bunnies were placed around the centerpiece. Crystal and silver appointments completed the table setting.

Games comprised the entertainment. Gifts were presented and displayed.

Those attending were Mrs. Jim Bennett and Barbara, Mrs. Jack Carper and daughter, Mrs. R. M. Troope, Luann, Manning and Mac; Mrs. D. M. Stroope and son, Mrs. C. H. Sanders, Mrs. Herman Taylor, Mrs. T. B. Clifton, Mrs. Benard Mayo, Mrs. M. C. Patterson and daughter, the hostesses, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Sewell and Mrs. Cain, and the honoree, Mrs. W. R. Banks.

Mrs. Ted Fields Named P-TA Head

ELBOW, March 25. (Sp)—Mrs. Ted Fields was elected president at the meeting of the Elbow Parent-Teacher association Thursday afternoon.

Other officers elected were Mrs. R. E. Massey, vice-president; Mrs. E. P. Watkins, secretary and Mrs. W. O. Averett, reporter. Mrs. Perry Brown was appointed chairman of the program committee.

Mrs. Perry Brown brought the devotional. Mrs. W. O. Averett gave the reading, "If I Had a Son"—Perry Brown spoke on "Crime Does Not Pay."

Members of the P-TA will sponsor a basket picnic at the City park April 1.

Gold Dickerson Honored At Party

Gold Dickerson was honored with a party on his 68th birthday anniversary in the home of his daughter, Mrs. N. R. Harvell, Sr., 311 Gollad, Wednesday.

Another daughter, Mrs. W. W. Braune served as co-hostess to the affair.

Refreshments were served. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Fajk Plew and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Braune, Mr. and Mrs. Herman McNabb and children, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Harvell, Jr., Lloyd Connel, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Toague, Jr., Jack W. King, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lilly and Iris Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Eason, Mrs. J. W. Elrod, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Harvell, Sr., Mrs. Tommy Harvell and son, Mr. and Mrs. Gold Dickerson and O'Neal Thompson.

Three-Act Play Is Postponed

STANTON, March 26. (Sp)—The three-act play to be presented by the high school students has been postponed to April 6. The play was originally scheduled for March 24.

Mrs. Byron Badger was dismissed from the Memorial hospital Thursday.

E. W. Bone of Austin, state hospital inspector, visited here Monday. He inspected the new hospital structure and stated that approximately 85 per cent of the construction progress was already completed. The building will be ready for occupancy around April 15. J. W. Sale has accepted the position as business manager of the hospital, replacing Jack Arrington.

Curt Howard and Claude Cook of Texon and Travis Thomas of McCamey visited here Thursday evening.

Mary Martha Class Has Social Meeting

Bible games were played at the monthly social meeting of the Mary Martha Sunday school class of the Wesley Methodist church Friday evening. Mrs. Nile Bailey served as hostess to the social.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Joe Hamby, Mrs. G. W. Whittington, Mrs. R. L. Pitts, Mrs. Clayton Coates, Mrs. J. D. Thompson, Mrs. Ray Echler, Mrs. J. T. Baird, Mrs. B. A. Graham and Mrs. Nile Bailey.

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Alice Ann Ashley Becomes Bride Of Gilbert E. Webb Friday Morning

Alice Ann Ashley became the bride of Gilbert E. Webb in a simple ring, informal ceremony performed in the home of Dr. P. D. O'Brien, 101 Lincoln, Friday morning.

For something old and borrowed, she wore a diamond and pearl lavaliers, belonging to Mrs. R. M. Webb, mother of the bridegroom. Something new was a lace handkerchief. She wore a blue garter. Mrs. Jimmie Byers served as matron of honor. Mrs. Byers was attired in a two-piece pink pique ensemble with white accessories. She wore a shoulder corsage of white carnations.

company. Webb is also a graduate of Big Spring high school. He served 33 months in Armed Forces in the European theatre of operations. He is the present owner of the local Craft Builders and Woodworkers company.

Mrs. E. V. Swift President Of 1946 Hyperion

The 1946 Hyperion Study club was both organized and federated in October of 1946. Purpose for the organization of the club was to form a blueprint for better understanding and better living.

Forsan P-TA Honors Football Team At Banquet In School Cafeteria

FORSAN, March 25, (Sp1)—E. N. Baker acted as master of ceremonies at the 1948-49 football banquet sponsored by the Parent-Teacher association in the school cafeteria Tuesday evening.

comb, Bobby Baker and Billie Sue Sewell, J. Y. Turnage and Patsy McAllen, J. L. Claxton, Peggy Knight, Bob Creelman, Betty Ruth Sewell, Dan Hayhurst, Etta Ruth Starr, Jimmie Green, Dolores Thorpe, Charles Wash, Marjorie Petty, Thebert Camp, Betty Jo Roberson, Ewing Thorpe and Betty J. Dean, James Cauble, Corrine Starr, Glen Barnes, Anagene Williams of Big Spring, Charles Howard, Richard Gilmore, Lewis Overton, James Suttles.

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COMING EVENTS

MONDAY
CHURCH OF NAZARENES WMS will meet at the church at 7:30 p. m.
JOHN A. KEE REHEARSAL LODGE will meet at the park house at 8 p. m.
ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL AUXILIARY will meet at the parish house at 8 p. m.
AIRPORT BAPTIST WMS will meet at the church at 8:30 p. m.
TUESDAY
BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB BOARD will meet in the ladies hotel at 7:30 p. m.
FIRST CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S GUILD CIRCLES will meet as follows: Ruth Circle, Mrs. Ed. Peacock, 8:30 p. m.; Mary Martha Circle, Mrs. W. B. Martin, 8:30 p. m.; and Mary Martha Circle, 8 p. m.
MORNING STAR BAPTIST WMS will meet at the church at 8 p. m.
CHURCH OF CHRIST, LADIES BIBLE CLASS will meet at the church at 8 p. m.

East Ward P-TA Active

Accomplishment has marked the 19 years since the East Ward P-TA was organized here.

The organization is continuing to grow and has an ambitious program mapped for the future.

Mrs. J. L. Miller is president of the East Ward P-TA; Mrs. Ray Cantrell is vice president. Mrs. J. D. Cauble is secretary, and Mrs. A. J. Cain is treasurer.

In 1931 the organization purchased a piano for the school. Later, it has purchased radios for every room in school, bought water hose, movie projector and films, an electric organ, and numerous library books.

An extensive health program has been carried out for East Ward pupils all through the years. The organization's present project is the purchase of kitchen stove, water heater, punch bowl set, and duplicating machine for the school. Future goal is that of establishing a school lunch room for pupils.

It now has the largest membership that it has ever had.

The East Ward P-TA was formed in February, 1931, by Mrs. L. E. Eddy. First president was Mrs. J. P. Dodge.



Mrs. Ed. Peacock, treasurer of the club, is shown here. Other officers include Mrs. R. E. McKinney, president; Mrs. Morris Jarratt, vice president; Mrs. C. M. Phelan, recording secretary; Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Jr., corresponding secretary; Mrs. Roy Bruce, treasurer; Mrs. George Peacock, federated counselor; and Mrs. Vance Lebkowky, reporter.

Club colors are gold and green and the club flower is the chrysanthemum. The motto for the club reads: "Study and Serve."

Present officers of the organization are Mrs. E. V. Swift, president; Mrs. Matt Harrington, vice president; Mrs. Pete Harmonson, recording secretary; Mrs. E. A. Cooper, treasurer; Mrs. Randolph Mays, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Hudson Landers, federation counselor; Mrs. Conn Isaacs, reporter; Mrs. Steve Baker, parliamentarian.

Committee chairmen include Mrs. E. P. Driver, Mrs. Matt Harrington, Mrs. Earl Cooper, Mrs. James Edwards, Mrs. C. M. Phelan, Mrs. ack Wallace, Mrs. W. L. Edwards, Mrs. H. M. Jarratt, Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Jr., Mrs. T. Williamson, Mrs. G. E. Peacock and Mrs. Conn Isaacs.

CAMPUS CHATTER

from HCJC—By Lois Reagan

The Plow and Halter club called a special meeting last Wednesday for approval of its constitution. Members are planning a field day on Tuesday at Alvin Shroyer's ranch where they will help brand, de-horn and vaccinate cattle. At the Friday meeting of the club, tentative plans for a fishing excursion to Sonora were made.

Here's more news on Ranch Week, which is to be held at the college Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Thursday there is to be a box supper and square dance. On Friday a variety show and dance are scheduled, and Saturday brings up a big hayride.

There will be special assembly programs all during the week. A special assembly for Kangaroo Court is due to be held.

It has been rumored that Shotgun Kinsey will run for judge during this special occasion. Bill Sewell is planning to run for prosecuting or persecuting attorney, and Commodore Ryan probably will run for one or both. So far no one has tossed a hat into the ring for sheriff. Billy Bob Watson is opening his office as a "defense attorney" (paid advertisement!).

HCJC had Mr. Roy Welborne as a visitor Wednesday. He is working on his master's thesis and was making an evaluation of the college as part of his study.

The college annual, the Jayhawker, was completed last Thursday. Students with two activity tickets may obtain their annual without charge; those with one activity ticket will have to pay \$2.50. Delivery date is set for May 15.

The Leathercraft class at HCJC is going to have a display of student's leather projects on display Friday. The leather classroom will be open all day Friday from 9 a. m. to 12 noon, from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m. and from 6:30 p. m. to 8 p. m.

A ladies purse, a coin purse, and a billfold will be awarded to some of those calling during the day. Visitors are urged to attend.

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TUESDAY
ORDER OF HALLOWEEN FOR GIRLS will meet in the home of Mrs. J. W. Cross at 8 p. m.
EAST FOURTH BAPTIST CHURCH OF CHRIST LADIES BIBLE CLASS will meet at the church at 10 a. m.
BIG SPRING REHEARSAL LODGE will meet at the 1009 hall at 7:30 p. m.
TUESDAY BAPTIST CLUB will meet in the home of Mrs. Maurice Keger at 8 p. m.
WEDNESDAY
EAST FOURTH BAPTIST HYPERION A.T.S. will meet at the church at 7 p. m.
EAST FOURTH BAPTIST WMS CIRCLES will meet as follows: Ruth Circle, Mrs. J. W. Cross, 417 Park at 8:30 p. m. For a worship; Kate Morrison Circle, Mrs. Ed. Peacock, 8:30 p. m. For a worship; Mary Martha Circle, at the church at 8:30 p. m. For a worship; Junior K.A.'s at the church at 4 p. m.
WESLEY METHODIST WMS will meet in the home of Mrs. Tommy Lee Lee, 118 East 10th, for a social.
FIRST BAPTIST WMS will meet at the church for a monthly business session with members of the East Central circle as business for the social hour which is to follow. At 1 p. m. members of the Mary White circle will have a covered high luncheon at the church.
FIRST PRESS GERMAN WOMEN-OP-TELCHURCH will have an all-day study session at the church beginning at 10 a. m. New officers will be installed. The Rev. R. Oge Lloyd will teach the final study lesson based on the book of Isaiah during the morning session. A covered high luncheon will be served.
THURSDAY
MAIN STREET CHURCH OF GOD, WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY will meet at the church at 7 p. m.

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MYSTERY AT MIDNIGHT — Title of the senior play means just that. At the left of the above picture, Dallas Wood, the hero, attempts to protect Lou Ann Miller and Anne Smith while Betty Simmons starts toward the group with a knife held firmly in her hand. It looks like a question of who makes the first move for behind Betty is Marlin Murphy, who plays the "Big Swede." Of course, when the play opens at municipal auditorium Thursday at 8 p. m., names of these well-known high school seniors will change as will the place of action. But reports say that the suspense theme will not change and that the play promises to be enjoyable.

Town Hall Association To Feature Wahl Quartet On Tuesday Evening

Big Spring's Town Hall association will present the final program of the 1949-50 season Tuesday at 8 p. m. in the municipal auditorium. Performers for the evening will be members of the Wahl Quartet.

Although relatively new on the musical horizon, the Wahl ensemble with its unique combination of soprano, tenor, harp and piano is already reported to have proved to be superb in ability as well as in unusual make-up. Formed in 1949, especially at the request of

many college officials and concert association committees in the South, the group's first concert tour won them unstinted praise, not only for the exquisite harmony of voices and strings, but also for the fine musicianship of each individual artist.

Nina Ohla, soprano, is a native of Mexico. This spirited dark eyed lyric soprano has made her name known to thousands throughout this county because she began her US career as a soloist with Xavier Cugat's orchestra. Since then, she

Ranchers And Business Men Started Rodeo

A charter member and veteran area rancher heads the Big Spring Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo Association, which has been staging outstanding performances here each year since 1933.



He is Tom J. Good who operates one of the "spreads" in this section of the state.

Charlie Creighton is the vice-president and also chairman of the chamber of commerce rodeo committee, while the secretary-treasurer is Ira Driver.

The association got its start when a group of ranchers and local business men banded together back in 1933 with the idea of staging a rodeo for Big Spring.

A year later a charter for the rodeo association was issued and property for an arena was purchased southeast of the city. The Big Spring rodeo has grown to be one of the largest in the country, attracting contestants from throughout the country and fans from a wide area of the Southwest.

The association kept its original site until early this year when plans were made to move to a new location. Expansion of the city, virtually enclosing the rodeo grounds prompted the action.

Plans are underway now for providing new facilities on a tract near the Municipal airport.

There, the association hopes to have even better and larger facilities. Crowds of 5,000 to 6,000 at single performances of the rodeo have not been uncommon in recent years. Averages for four-day events have reached as high as 15,000 to 16,000.

Dozens of Big Spring business men and area ranchers are stockholders in the rodeo association.

Lt. and Mrs. A. C. Arcand and daughter, Sheri Jon, have landed in San Francisco, Calif. from Japan, and expect to arrive in Big Spring Monday. Lt. Arcand has been in Japan for two years, while Mrs. Arcand and their daughter, have been there over one year. While here, they will visit Mrs. Arcand's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tucker.

Nine Charter Members In Sisterhood

Nine charter members organized the Temple Israel Sisterhood here in 1927.

The organization has grown until today when it has a total of 15 members, four of whom live in Colorado City. It meets on the second Thursday of each month and holds membership in the State and National Federations of Temple Sisterhoods.

The Sisterhood does considerable charitable work and was the first to oversubscribe its quota for the House of Living Judaism which will be constructed in New York. It has also raised more than its quota of food and clothing for overseas relief, and has assisted in Red Cross work and in selling war bonds.

The organization has contributed with other churches in Big Spring in all local activities and is a member of the United Council of Church Women in Big Spring. Members contribute to the support of the national Jewish Hospital in Denver, a free, non sectarian tuberculosis center for treatment, research, education, and rehabilitation.

The organization also assists orphanages, the Hebrew Union college, Jewish Theological seminary, and other institutions. It won a gold loving cup for being the outstanding Texas Sisterhood at the station convention at Houston this year.

Mrs. B. Eckhaus, present president, has led the Sisterhood for 25 years. Other officers are Mrs. Bernard Fisher, vice president; Mrs. Sam Bloom secretary; and Mrs. A. J. Prager, treasurer.

Charter members were Mrs. William Fisher, Mrs. B. Eckhaus, Mrs. Gertrude DeVries, Mrs. J. M. Fisher, Mrs. Bernard Fisher, Mrs. Max Jacobs, Mrs. M. Prager, Mrs. A. B. Gardner, and Mrs. V. Mellinger.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Bell are visiting their daughter Mrs. C. R. Hensch in San Antonio over the weekend. Sonny Roberts is also a visitor in the Hensch home.

Rapid Growth Registered By Wesley Group

From a congregation of 12 meeting in a school house to a membership of 335 housed in a modern plant is the record of the Wesley Methodist church.



Rev. C. C. Hardaway

They met in the South Ward school building to organize.

The present sanctuary was erected in the early 1940's. Since then an annex has been provided.

In addition to regular worship, other major activities include visitation and personal evangelism. Four Sunday evening fellowship groups, and sponsorship of a Boy Scout troop. External improvements underway include stuccoing the annex and garage apartment and redacting of the remainder of the building.

The Rev. Cecil C. Hardaway has been minister of the church since June 1949. Members of the board of stewards are J. I. Low, Tommie Lovelace, R. V. Foreyth, J. L. Wright, Joe Williamson, O. B. Switzer, J. W. Garrison, H. M. Smith, L. C. Coleman, Dean Morgan, Robert Odum, Roy Bailey, Cecil Drake, Jimmy Floyd, Bobby Patterson, Weldon Low. Trustees are J. I. Low, T. R. Lovelace, Raymond Hamby and J. L. Swindell.

J. W. Garrison is Sunday school superintendent; L. C. Coleman is president of the Methodist Men's organization; Mrs. Arthur Pickle is president of the W.S.C.S.; Roy Bailey, president of the Youth Fellowship; Weldon Low is a sub-district Youth Fellowship president. Wesley church is located at E. 12th and Owens streets.

Additional Ships Run Chinese Blockade

HONG KONG, (AP) — A record number of ships—56—ran the Chinese Nationalist blockade of Communist China ports between Jan. 1 and Feb. 8. This was more than have entered Red ports during a similar period since the blockade went into effect June 25, 1949. The 56 ships—more than half of them British-registered—had an aggregate gross tonnage of 140,000.

Two of every three blockade runners went into Swatow and Amoy on the southeast coast. Nine of every 10 traded with Swatow and Amoy and the northern ports of Tientsin and Taingtao. Only one foreign ship, the little British-registered Elsie Moller, reported going into Shanghai which is closely guarded by Nationalist warships. This big trade-starved port offers the most lucrative market for any ships making a successful run.

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Labor Party Founder Dies

LONDON, March 25. (AP) — Harold J. Laski, a chief spokesman for British socialism and a founder of his country's Labor Party, died last night. He was 56.

Pneumonia, following attacks of bronchitis and influenza, was listed as the cause of his death.

A member of the Labor Party's executive committee since 1936, he was the party's chairman in 1945-46 when it won control of the British government by a large majority.

Laski was widely known in the United States, where he had taught and lectured at leading colleges and universities. A prolific writer, his espousal of socialism and his advocacy of "Anglo-Russian solidarity" had made him a constant target from Conservatives on both sides of the Atlantic.

David H. Barlow of New York City is visiting his fiancée, Cornelia Frazier, in the home of her mother, Mrs. Nell Frazier, 1601 Owens.

BEEES WORKING FOR MISSIONS

SEA CLIFF, N. Y., March 25. (AP) — Bees who chose S. Luke's Church for their winter's home are contributing to the Episcopal missionary fund.

A wash tub full of honey, discovered in a hive on the east wall of the parish house, will be jarred and sold and the proceeds added to the regular Lenten campaign in support of Episcopal missions.

Montana Seeking More Shepherders

HELENA, Mont., (AP) — A Montana sheepman wishes the movies could slap a good glamor job on the shepherdier the way they do the cowboy. In that case, Montana would have a lot more of the sheepherders it needs, says Secretary Everett Shuey of the Montana Wool Growers association.

Shuey admits it's a lonely job, but it pays as much as \$200 a month plus food and bedding. The shortage of herders, he said, is one reason why Montana's sheep crop has declined so drastically. It was 1,923,000 last year as compared with the peak figure in 1903 of 5,736,000 and 4,600,000 in 1934.

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Every Week Brings Opportunities To Make Friends Of New Residents

Every week finds Big Springers with additional opportunities to find and be good neighbors. For few days go by that do not bring to our city new residents of all walks and stations of life, but most of them with one objective—to "get acquainted" and to find their rightful place in the life of the community.

Charlie Kimmel, who moved to 302 West 19th from Cisco. Mrs. Bruce Miller is also of Cisco. The Kimmels have been friends of the Stanleys for a long time. The Kimmels prefer the Christian church while Mrs. Miller is a Baptist.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bacus came to Big Spring from Lubbock. Bacus is the personnel officer for the Veterans hospital. Bacus enjoys a game of golf. They have two children and are members of the First Methodist church.

RIBBON RAMBLINGS

Ever hear about small towns and their friendliness? We have most of our lives.

But back in the summer of 1947, we had our first opportunity to visit in a really small town. There were 500 residents of that town, 250 white and 250 colored ones.

We didn't have an opportunity to observe the attitude of the colored residents, but we did observe the whites. At that time, we were on a one week's assignment in the town and were staying in one of the finest, if not the finest home there.

Of course, we're talking about an extreme case. But how easy it is to go about from day to day in our own individual crowds, paying very little attention to the new faces we see.

Most of us know in our hearts that one of the greatest things in all the world is friendship. Life could be so much brighter, so much easier and so worthwhile if we just took the time to know the people we meet.

Annabelle Huddleston was elected pianist at the meeting of the Sterling Temple lodge No. 43 of the Pythian Sisters at the KP Hall Friday evening.

HI-TALK

Almost all fronts of the Big Spring high school athletic department were busy this weekend. The steer baseball corps journeyed to Odessa Friday to tangle with the Odessa Bronchos.

Seen at Gayla Mosier's slumber party: Lou Ann Nall, Betty Jo Haley, Mona Moad, Kolefa Holsinger and the hostess.

Be sure and attend the senior play—"Mystery at Midnight". It is a mystery-comedy which takes place in a gloomy, old house during a snow storm.

Plans were made for a silver tea to be held in April. Ann Darrow, MEC, presided during the meeting.

Announcement was made that Grand Temple will be held in Mineral Wells May 14 through 17. Maurine Chrene gave a drill on the constitution.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Thompson of Coahoma are spending the week end in Brownfield in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Long.

Girl Scout Troop Has Regular Meet

Get-Acquainted week plans were discussed at the meeting of the Girl Scout Troop 11 in the Scout hut Friday evening.

Fat Is Not a Nice Word When Applied to the Body

Don't say it's your thyroid while reaching for the box of chocolate. Possibly one body person in 100 has some glandular disturbance and that is truly a case for a physician.

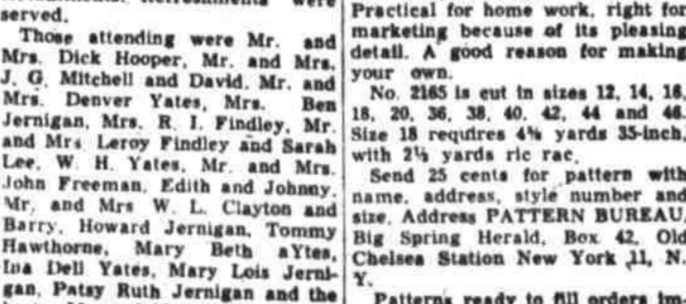
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With These Big Spring Newcomers



FROM MISSISSIPPI—Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Andrew and Ray, 13, admire the new veterans hospital.



OFFICIAL GREETINGS—C. R. McClenny, city secretary, welcomes Mr. and Mrs. Ollis B. Frank to the city hall.



SCENIC VIEW — Mr. and Mrs. W. O'Neil Loftis look over the city from the top of scenic mountain.



AT HOME — Dr. and Mrs. Max Rosen, Janet, 6, David, 5, and William, 3 months, are residents of 1510 Martha.



COUNTRY HOME—Mr. and Mrs. Roger L. Fancey, Gay, 4, and their Dalmatian dog, go for a stroll near their farm home.



FROM COLEMAN—Center of attraction in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob L. Stanley is Steven Lewis, 20 months.



TIME OUT—Talking over the progress being made on their new business are Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kimmel and a friend, Mrs. Bruce Miller, left.



See story on Page 2, this section, about these and other newcomers to Big Spring.

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STORY TIME—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bacus introduce story book characters to Candy Sue, 2, and Tommy, 3.

LOOKING 'EM OVER

With Tommy Hart

Milton Eiler, umpire-in-chief of the Longhorn baseball league, just back from a visit to the Coast, dropped in on the Sacramento State spring camp to visit with Red Brown, the former Ballinger skipper...



MARCIANO SCORNS — Rocky Marcano (right) Brockton, Mass., heavyweight, gets in close, and lands a right to the head of Roland LaStanza...

Equichall Is Getting Extended Rest
Equichall, John Ray Dillard's 1949 Big Spring Futurity nominee, had a fine season on major tracks before 1950 came on...

Longhorn Baseball Troupe Plays Midland Bulldogs There Tuesday

Winless in four starts, the Big Spring high school baseball team shows up in Midland Tuesday afternoon for a seven-inning engagement with the resident Bulldogs...

Abilene High Netters Win Team Trophy In Sweetwater Invitational Tourney

SWEETWATER, March 25.—Abilene won team honors in the annual Sweetwater high school invitational tennis meet here Saturday, accumulating 83 points.

Chisox Could Be Troublemakers In American League Scramble

PASADENA, March 25.—It seems only yesterday when rival American League managers would relax and quit beating their children at news that the Chicago White Sox were coming to town.

Ex-Champ Will Join Circus

WACO, March 25.—Joe Louis said here Saturday night he would not return to the ring but instead has signed a contract to tour Canada for a circus.

Parson Dodds Easy Winner

TOKYO, March 25.—Gil Dodds the old miler, Saturday showed 15 of Japan's top middle distance runners his heels and the stride of a champion.

Sam Snead Ups Lead

GREENSBORO, N. C. March 25.—(AP)—Par golf was good enough for Sam Snead to boost his Greensboro Open golf tournament lead to three strokes at the halfway mark today.

Ask Obie Bristow this question. We have a small rental on our property. Is there a low-cost insurance policy which we can take out to protect us in case our tenant were to be injured on the premises?

THE WEATHER

Big Spring and vicinity: Partly cloudy, windy, and cooler today. Monday, fair. High today 80, low tonight 54, high tomorrow 80.

RECORDS SHATTERED

Texas, Broncs Win Team Crowns In Odessa Show

ODESSA, March 25.—Odessa's Broncs kept their victory string unbroken here Saturday afternoon, chalking up the third straight title of the season over a field of 34 opponents in the West Texas Relays.

Freebooter Is Victorious In Grand National

AINTRIEE, England, March 25.—Freebooter, a nine-year-old gelding owned Mrs. Miss L. Botherton, sped to victory Saturday in the 10th Grand National Steeplechase—the first favorite to win since Sprig in 1927.

Baylor Romps On Owls, 7-1

WACO, March 25.—Baylor's Bears jumped on the Rice Owls 7-1 today to sweep a two game series that opened the Southwest Conference baseball race.

Bradley Noses Out Wacoans

KANSAS CITY, March 26.—The Bradley Braves won their second shot at a National basketball championship by beating an underrated Baylor team 68 to 65 in the finals of the Western NCAA playoffs tonight.

Exhibition Results

Pittsburgh 5, San Francisco 9; Philadelphia 10, Boston 13; Washington 10, Boston 12; New York (A) 2, Brooklyn 10; Dallas 10, St. Paul 10; St. Louis 10, Cincinnati 10; New York (N) 6, Oakland 10; Chicago 10, Sacramento 10.

Basketball Scores

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EGYPT'S 'ROYAL MOUNTED'—These Sudanese, hand-picked members of Egypt's finest, the Royal Desert Camel Corps, ride out on patrol in the vast Sahara Desert wastelands.



BUMPS FOR COMMENCEMENT—A parachute rigger, making graduation jump at Naval Parachute Riggers School, Lakehurst, N. J., gets an unexpected ride on landing.



THE DUCHESS GOES BY AIR—The Duchess of Kentworth, a collie, hurdles five boys in training for the obedience competition of the Detroit Kennel Club's show. The boys, from left, are: John and Dick Collins, Bob Fegrel, John Teeter and John Goddard, of Royal Oak, Mich.



NO HARDSHIP HERE—This seal, frolicking among ice cakes reminiscent of its natural habitat, enjoys the frigid waters of its home in the pool of New York City's Central Park.



ONE, TWO, THREE IN TITLE TEST—Brother-and-sister teams that took the first three places in the world pairs' figure skating championship in London, swing into line during a practice session at Wembley Pool, L. to r.: Karol and Peter Kennedy, of Seattle, Wash., winners; Jennifer and John Nicks, of England, second; and Marianne and Laszlo Nagy, of Hungary, third.



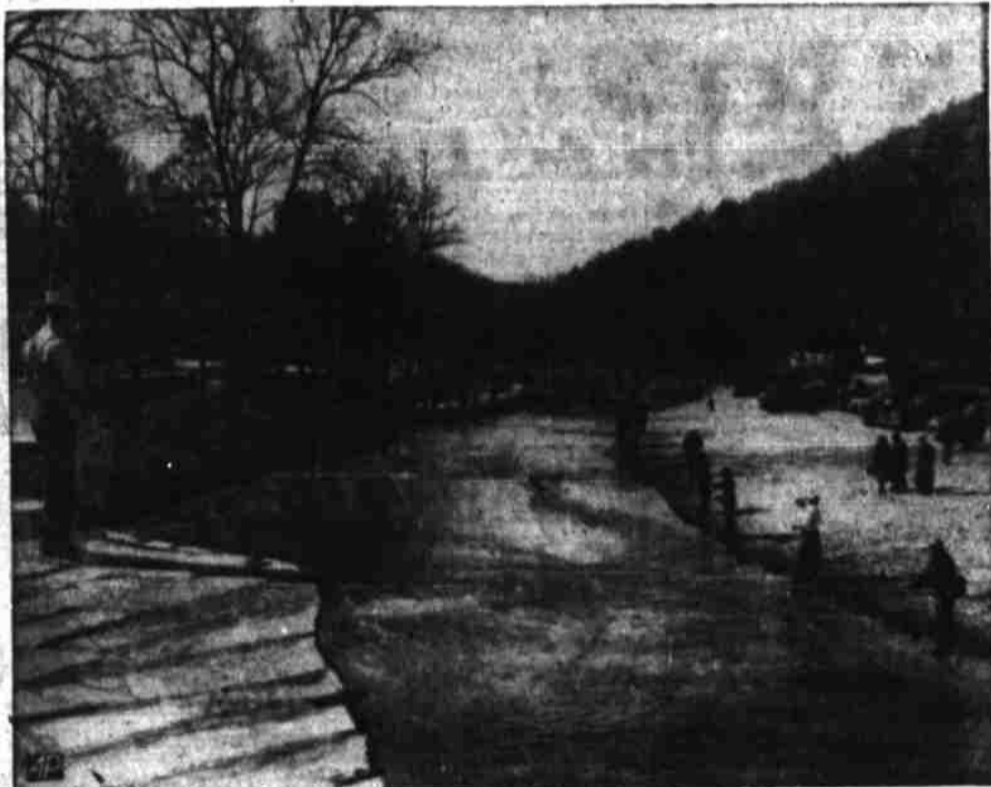
SUN FOR SOPHIE—Sophie, a rare female gorilla, rests in the arms of her attendant at the Rotterdam, Holland, Zoo, to receive one of her artificial sunlight treatments.



TITO APPLAUDS APPLAUDERS—Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia responds to applause in East European fashion by clapping his hands after a speech during a rally in Belgrade.



PACIFIC LEADER—Vice Admiral Calvin T. Durgin (above), 57, has been named by President Truman as commander of the First Fleet, main naval force in the Pacific Ocean.



TROUT ARE RUNNING IN MISSOURI—Anglers line the banks of Roaring River, in Roaring River State Park, near Cassville, Mo., for the opening of the trout season.



NEW SECRETARY—James Griffiths (above), 59, is the new British Secretary of State for the Colonies, replacing Crech Jones who lost his seat in recent elections.



WORKING ON A RAILROAD—Albert F. Clow, retired chief of rail freight rate section of ICC Bureau of Traffic, works on his model of an English "Flying Scot" in Washington.



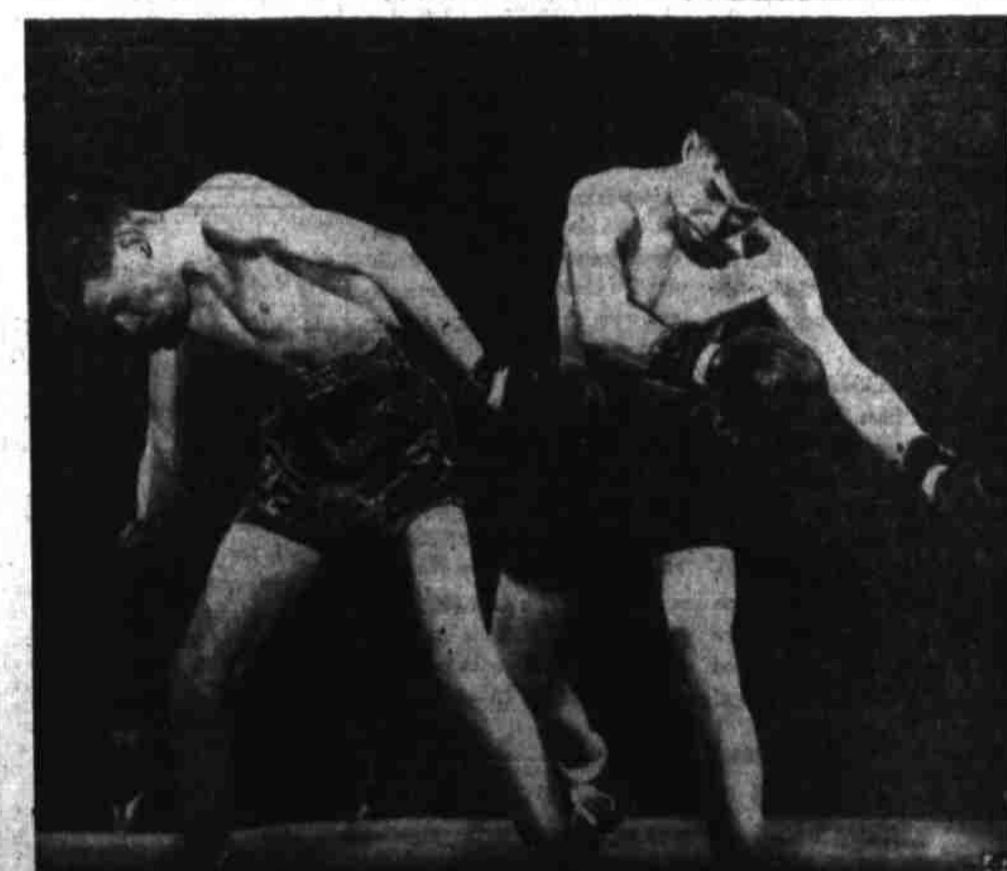
PLEASANT TASK—Nicole Legendre, daughter of the Mayor of Compiègne, France, examines display at Toy Center, New York, before selecting 1,000 gift dolls for Compiègne tots.



FACE-LIFTING IN CHINATOWN—Old buildings are being cleared away in San Francisco's Chinatown for a new project to house 234 families in a \$2,500,000 development.



MOVING PYRAMID—Members of The Valley Rangesettes, prize-winning horsewomen from towns in California's San Fernando Valley, form a pyramid in practice at Van Nuys.



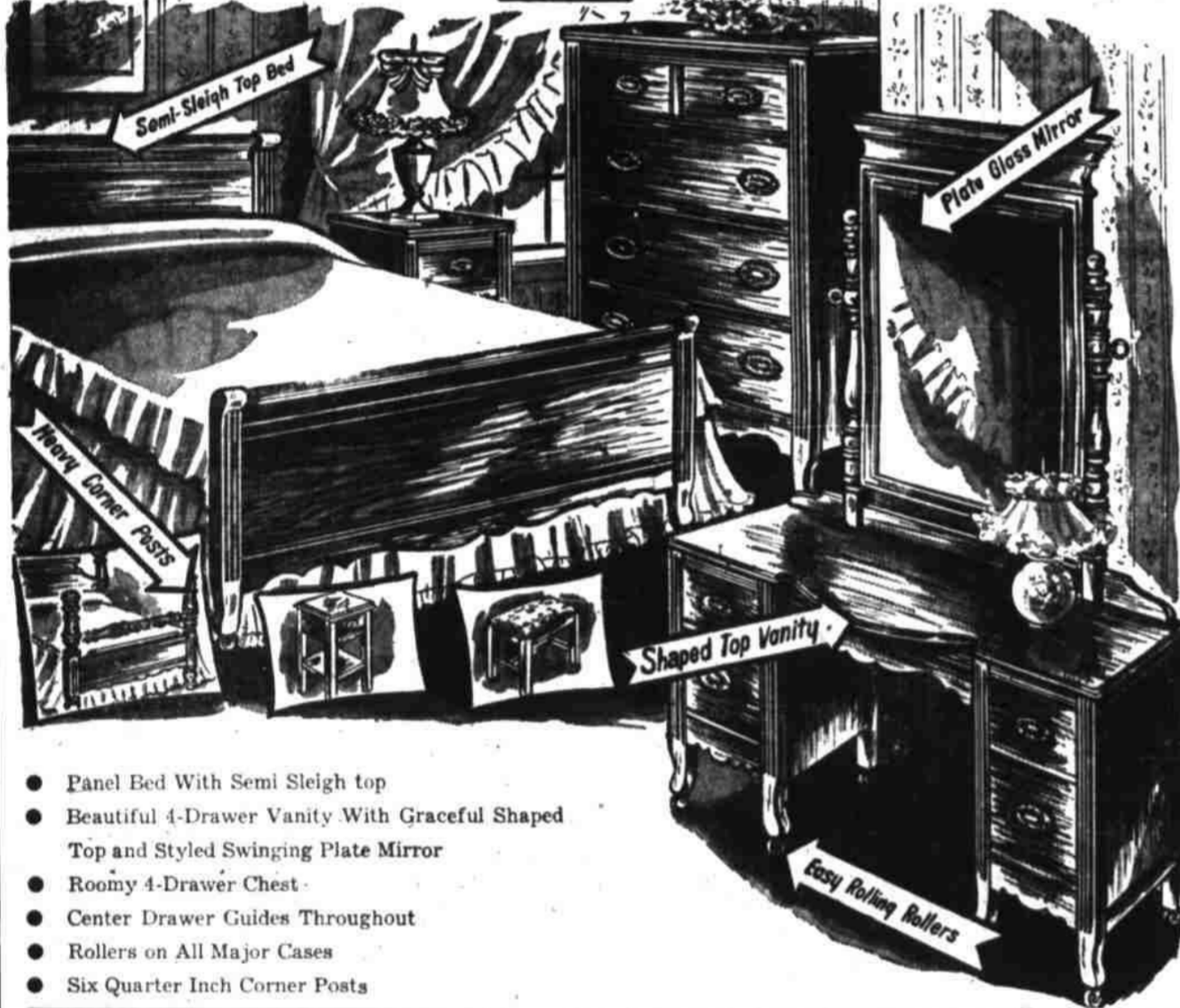
STOPPED—Both boxers stand frozen as Rogers Carr (left) heads for the floor after taking a right on the chin from Richard Chapman in a Golden Gloves bout at Huntington, West Va.

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County Census Enumerators To Start Training Monday

Training is to start Monday for enumerators who will take the 1950 census of Howard county. Sam Goldman, county supervisor, announced Saturday.

Eight enumerators who will make the population count in rural areas of the county are to receive instruction Monday through Friday. Eighteen others who will take the Big Spring census are to begin training Wednesday and continue through Friday, Goldman said.

Actual taking of the census is to start Saturday, April 1. It will require approximately two weeks to complete the count in the urban districts, the county supervisor estimated. About four weeks will be necessary to complete the county census.

Goldman returned from Lubbock last week where he attended a six-day school for county crew leaders in the Lubbock district headquarters. He will instruct Big Spring and Howard county enumerators in procedure to follow in making the count.

Howard county has been allotted

Reserve Training Pay Cut Restored

Restoration of a portion of the cut in reserve duty training pay has been announced.

The cut was announced in December for reserve units, and the restoration affects approximately 58,000 officers and 60,000 enlisted men in 25-ORC cadence divisions.

Originally affected units were authorized 24 drill periods for the year. When cutbacks were announced, drill periods were cut to six for the six months ending June 30, 1950. Under the new ruling, the total pay will be increased to nine, or 75 per cent of the original, for the same period.

Allowables Hiked By New Formulas

By The Associated Press

Texas and Louisiana last week increased crude oil production allowables for April — Texas by 103,376 barrels daily, Louisiana by 1,650.

Texas crude purchasers last week told the state's oil and gas regulatory body market conditions have improved. They predicted Texas would lose markets to other states if April Texas allowables were not placed higher than March.

The commission's new April order does not give the purchasers everything they sought but it does aid flush production fields.

A new production formula adopted with the March order was based on well depth and acreage, with MER's — maximum efficient rates of operation without waste — as a ceiling.

April's allowables will be based on depth and acreage, but only part — 44,000 barrels — of the anticipated demand increase will be distributed statewide in this manner.

Another 86,000 barrels in estimated demand go to 134 fields slashed sharply in the March order. These are the fields most capable of producing more oil.

The April Texas allowable will be 2,968,722 barrels daily, 130,376 above the March 18 average.

American Petroleum Institute reports place actual Texas crude production for the week ending March 18 at 1,872,350 barrels daily, Louisiana at 528,850.

Oil Stocks In Best Condition In Weeks, Gas Demand Up

HOUSTON, March 25 (AP)—Oil industry stocks are in their best condition in many weeks.

Gasoline, the only important exception in recent weeks, has joined other commodities in a downward trend.

After 16 conservative weekly increases, gasoline stocks last week dropped slightly to 133,284,000 barrels. The heavy consuming season, normally considered to start April 1, is just around the corner.

A year ago stored gasoline amounted to 127,300,000 barrels.

Kerosene, light fuel and heavy fuel oil stocks totaled 98,500,000 barrels, compared to a year earlier figure of 127,400,000.

Crude oil in above ground storage also continues its steady decline, dropping to 245,702,000 barrels on March 11. This compares to 254,449,000 on Dec. 31 and 275,190,000 last May 28.

Soaring crude figures last year were a primary factor in cutbacks in production allowables. As 1950 began, crude stocks were falling but gasoline was climbing rapidly — 2 million to 3 million barrels a week — and the cutbacks continued.

Economists now are estimating, however, 1950 gasoline demand is leading 1949 by from 3 to 5 per cent.

Reserves declined in nine states — Arkansas by 2,500,000 barrels, Colorado by 2,600,000, Kentucky by 3,000,000, Michigan by 2,800,000, Montana by 6,500,000, New York by 4,216,000, Ohio by 800,000, Pennsylvania by 6,400,000 and Wyoming by 21,185,000.

Increased reserves in 13 states ranged from 750,000 barrels in Nebraska to 1,925,500,000 in Texas.

Native of Matador To Head UT School

AUSTIN, March 25 (AP)—A native Texan will head the University School of Social Work.

She is Miss Lois Lee Pederson, director of the Nashville School of Social Work, Nashville. She is a native of Matador, Tex.

The Texas school will train workers for governmental and private social service agencies, including local agencies which operate through the Community Chest plan. It will be the first such publicly-supported school in Texas.

Miss Pederson will report here July 1.

'STAY IN BED' DAY DECLARED

MADISON, Ind., March 25 (AP)—In Harry Cooper's books, the 1st day of winter is "Stay in Bed" day.

The ledger at Cooper's Clifty Falls Mill gives reason enough:

March 20, 1945—Tornado blows roof off mill.

March 20, 1946—Fire causes \$50,000 damage at mill.

March 20, 1950—Safe crackers get \$3,000 in mill office.

"By golly," Cooper said, "When the 20th of March comes from now on, I'm going to be in bed till the 21st."

Reservist Wanted At Ft. Monroe For 'Exercise Swarmer'

An urgent requirement exists in the G-4 section at Fort Monroe, Va. for services of a reserve officer of certain qualifications for "exercise swarmer."

The officer, field grade, must have had experience in airborne logistics at division or higher level. Nominees are needed not later than noon Monday. The active duty period would be for 45 days. Contacts should be directed to Col. R. R. Loudon, unit instructor, Midland airport No. 21.

WINGS OVER BIG SPRING

Muny Navy Traffic Up During Week

Navy traffic at Municipal airport increased sharply during the past week, continuing exceptionally heavy through Saturday.

Jack Cook, airport manager, indicated it was "one of the best weeks we've had" as far as Navy landings were concerned. Civilian business was also good.

Two Big Springers, Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Ward, left Monday on a flight to New York City where they are spending their vacation. They are to return to Big Spring April 3. The couple made the flight in Ward's Cessna 170. Ward flew to Colorado prior to leaving for New York. He spent a few days with his parents on the family farm near Akron, Colo.

Continental Air Lines has announced schedule changes which will become effective Saturday.

Two flights will be affected by the change. Flight No. 26 is to arrive at 7:55 a. m. from the east and will depart at 9:58 a. m. for El Paso and connections to Denver. It will be about 10 minutes earlier.

Flight No. 31 is to arrive at 5:00 p. m., departing at 5:12 p. m. for San Angelo with connections for Austin, Houston, and San Antonio.

Horace G. Hassan, formerly Big Spring station manager for Continental Air Lines, has been named new station manager for the airline at Raton, N. M.

He will assume his duties prior to the inauguration of air service to Raton April 1. Hassan, who has been associated with CAL since 1942, was station manager here since 1946. He was transferred recently when CAL and Pioneer Air Lines consolidated station services.

In his new position at Raton, Hassan is to have charge of operations, flight service, reservations, passenger handling, dispatching, and sales.

Clyde Thomas, Sr., and R. C. Mayfield called in Saturday afternoon from El Paso to report that they were "blasted" there by a "rip-roaring" sandstorm.

J. D. Church has successfully

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...blown his new Cessna Airmaster and reports the new ship in tip-top condition. He flew the Airmaster to Abilene and back Friday on a combination test-flight and business trip.

Jack Cook, Muny port manager, is scheduled to attend the annual convention of the American Association of Airport Executives, set for April 16-20, in Columbus, O.

Cook and airport managers from several surrounding cities plan to make the trip together.

Messenger Killed
BEAUMONT, March 25 (AP)—Johnny Floyd Post, 18, a Beaumont Western Union messenger, was killed last night when his motor bike and an automobile collided on an Orange County road.

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FRIGHTENED BY TRAIN

Elephants Run Amok And Injure Attendant

POMONA, Calif., March 25 (AP)—Two elephants frightened by a passing train, broke away from their circus keepers last night, ran amok for an hour and a half and critically injured an attendant who tried to lead them back to their train.

Lelley Spellman, 29, circus attendant, was seriously hurt when a fourteen elephant picked him up in her trunk, threw him to the ground and then rolled on him. He was taken to Pomona Hospital with multiple abrasions and internal injuries.

Police Sgt. Ed Stevens said the huge animals were being led back to the circus train after a performance of the Clyde Beatty Circus there. A blast from the whistle of a passing train threw them into panic.

The pachyderms pair tore loose from their handlers and set out on a rampage through this Los Angeles suburb that caused uncounted damage.

Frightened residents deluged the police station switchboard with hysterical stories of monsters roaming through their backyards and crashing through fences. One of the elephants wandered into a tile manufacturing plant and set a nightwatchman screaming.

Stevens and other officers and circus attendants finally cornered the elephants in a vacant lot, quieted them and led them back to the circus train. The train departed soon afterward for San Fernando, Calif.

The showgrounds were virtually empty of patrons at the time of the outbreak.

Glasscock Test

Shell No. 2 EXL, eastern Glasscock deep test, continued to make progress. At the end of the week it was drilling at 6,493 feet in lime and shale. This venture, projected to 11,000 feet, is 12 miles east of Garden City and almost on the Sterling line. It is 440 feet from the south and east lines of section 28-32-48, T&P.

Stars Try Radio

NEW YORK (AP)—Quite a few movie stars of long standing are becoming as well established as radio actors. Among them are Dick Powell, Brian Donlevy, and Robert Young, all with programs of their own.

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SYMPHONY WILL PLAY

Girlstown Day Set Monday In Dallas

DALLAS, March 25. (AP) — Monday is Girlstown Day in Dallas. It's in honor of a home out on the plains west of Lubbock near Whiteface. It's a home for girls without a home.

Mayor Wallace Savage issued a proclamation declaring the day. Monday night the Dallas Symphony Orchestra, with Walter Hendl conducting, will present its only benefit performance of the season for Girlstown, U.S.A.

All net proceeds from the concert will go to the Girlstown building fund.

Girlstown will hold open house for its first permanent residence at Whiteface Sunday, April 2. It is a low, rambling ranch-style building with 32 bedrooms. The Sheriff's posse of Lubbock will act as official hosts for the open house and serve barbecue on the grounds. Ten girls are at the home now, but hundreds have asked to come as soon as there is room.

Girlstown opened its doors to homeless and neglected girls in March, 1949, at Buffalo Gap, near Abilene. Last summer it moved to its ranch home near Lubbock. Miss Amella Anthony, founder, will be in Dallas for Girlstown Day Monday.

In Dallas, Delta Rho Delta, a business women's sorority of 55 members, is what is known as a "working partner" of Girlstown and is sponsoring Girlstown Day and other projects for the home.

Jorge Bolet, Cuban pianist, will be guest soloist with the Dallas Symphony Monday night. He will play "Symphonic Variations for Piano and Orchestra," by Franck, and "Concerto No. 1 for Piano and Orchestra in E Flat Major," by Liszt. The orchestra will play "Overture To The Marriage of Figaro," by Mozart, "Tome Poem," Don Juan," by Strauss, and a suite from "Firebird," by Stravinsky.



SPECIAL AWARD — Mrs. Juanita Faulks last week was distinguished as being the only woman employee among the 30 White's Company Stores to earn membership in the "100 per cent sales quotient club." She was presented with a wrist watch by Max Cooper, a company store supervisor. M. M. Casey and L. B. Conway, members of the White's store here, also qualified for the club and were guests recently with an all expense-paid trip to Dallas for the men of the organization. (Mathis Photo).

TEACHERS AT WORK — MRS. GILBERT GIBBS

Local Primary Teacher Thinks Her Job Carries Great Responsibility

Mrs. Gilbert (Zoe) Gibbs is a teacher who believes that instructors in primary grades have a tremendous responsibility.

They have a heavy responsibility, she believes, because they have to orient young minds with ideas and convictions that stay with a student throughout life.

"It is here, in the first grade, they first grasp a suggestion of the knowledge they are to absorb in their future schooling," says Mrs. Gibbs, whose teaching experience extends over a decade.

"It's fascinating work," she adds. "The work you do is intangible, for you never know how much good you've done. But I prefer teaching the primaries over all other grades."

Mrs. Gibbs suspects the average citizen isn't well enough acquainted with the school system.



Mrs. Gilbert Gibbs

"Whether we are people of family or not," she states, "we should take an interest in any venture that serves to mould the character of future citizens. And our schools are saddled with that responsibility."

She suggests more visits of parents, of all adults for that matter, to schools and would promote regular, open discussions on matters pertaining to the schools.

Mrs. Gibbs says it is her opinion teaching methods in the schools are showing constant improvement but adds the teaching field is losing good instructors to other lines of endeavor.

Methods of indoctrinating first graders now differ from those used

when their parents went to school, according to Mrs. Gibbs.

For example, students now learn to master words by sentence sweep, rather than the painstaking task of memorizing the alphabet.

Many of the youngsters report to the first grade with a fair knowledge of the alphabet. Mrs. Gibbs says, and absorb the significance of words relatively easy, if they are used in phrases or sentences they have heard.

The improved methods of teaching enables the teacher to discover quickly if the student is ready to tackle more advanced work.

"We spend much time in building his speaking vocabulary, seeing if he comprehends that with which he is working." Such work continues on into the third grade.

Mrs. Gibbs aspired to be a teacher from the time she first began to think about selecting a vocation in life. She now combines that career with that of a housewife and mother. She took time out from her profession some five years ago when a daughter was born to her and Mr. Gibbs.

Mrs. Gibbs thinks there are more adequate ways of grading a student, especially in the primary classes, than the system now used (A's, B's etc.). She would substitute that method for a type of progress sheet, on which could be explained more completely the child's advancement. Too, she opines part of the grading system would be limited to conferences with the student's parents, at which time constructive criticism of the student's school work could be brought out.

Does she believe in corporal punishment? Only as a last resort. Mrs. Gibbs states. She thinks most pupils respond to oral coaching, that it is relatively easy to mould good character if the child comes from a home of corresponding background.

Born in Meridian, Mrs. Gibbs, then Zoe Weeks, attended public schools there. She attended college for two years at Baylor university in Waco, then took a teaching job at Spring Creek school, which is now consolidated with Iradell.

She returned to college after that tenure, enrolling at North Texas Teachers college in Denton, where she got her bachelor's degree.

She went to Coahoma as a teacher in 1939 and left in 1943 with her husband, then a soldier, for Lakeland, Fla. She taught in Lakeland for one school year, then transferred to the Avon Park school system as first a substitute, then a regular teacher the following year.

She was inactive from the fall of 1945 until the fall of 1947, at which time she took a job as teacher at West Ward. She has been at College Heights for the past two years.

Fistula Is Real Threat

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Former Omaha Man Buys Local Jewelry Store



LESTER KORNFELD

Lester L. Kornfeld, who has over 25 years experience in the jewelry business, announced Saturday that he has purchased Nathan's Jewelry store at 221 Main st.

The new owner has moved here from Omaha, Nebr., to give his personal attention to operation of the store. He was associated with a large jewelry firm in Kansas City for 15 years, and for 10 years was employed by another firm in Dallas. He has made a specialty of special order work, particularly in designs for diamonds.

Kornfeld said he would continue to operate the store here under the Nathan's name, and that the stock would feature nationally advertised brands in sterling, diamonds and watches, etc. At the same time, a liberal amount of "traffic" items will be carried, he said, to help us "get acquainted with the people."

Mrs. Kornfeld and their three children recently joined the new jewelry store owner here, and the family has purchased a home in Parkhill addition.

Florence Patridge, an employee, has also moved here. Other personnel in the store will remain the same.

Kornfeld already has affiliated himself with local civic and fraternal organizations. He is a member of the Lions club, the chamber of commerce and is a Mason, being associated with the Blue Lodge and Shriners.

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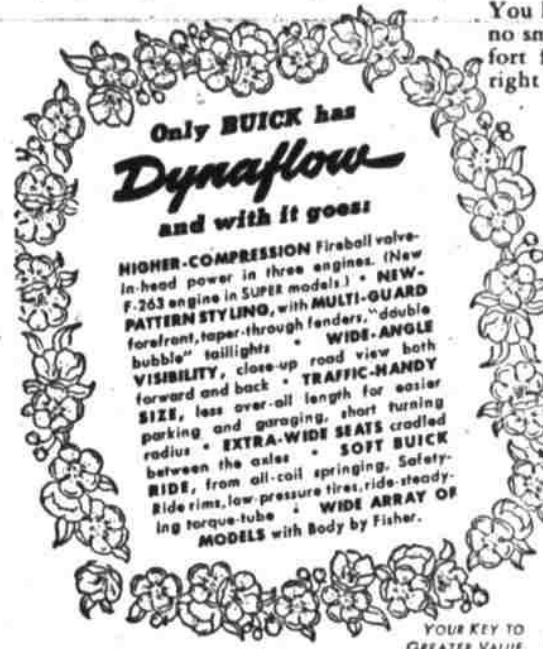
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