

A Bible Thought For Today—

"Watch therefore for ye know not the day nor the hour." — Matt. 25:13. The Bible teaches the great importance of looking forward and being prepared. We may miss the highest happiness falling to be ready. Our books may be closed at any time. Let us make that time a triumphant one.

Congratulations To Our Bands On Quality Despite Difficulties

When the Big Spring Junior and Senior High School bands go to district contests this weekend in Midland and Odessa, they go with the best wishes of the community. In their own way, these organizations represent our community just the same as a baseball team or football team. Judging from their performance, we would say that in their own way, they are just as proficient. It would be hazardous to predict how the two bands will be rated at the contests, for there are many factors even under favorable circumstance. Some days you do everything right, some days the touch is less magic. But we can join with Earl Ray, who has been substituting as director since the illness of the regular director, Clyde Rowe, in predicting that the units will have a good account of themselves. Our community will be well represented.

While we make no alibi in advance for the simple reason we don't believe any will be necessary, we do think that it should be pointed out that losing a director within the last month before contest time is comparable to losing the coaching staff on a football team in advance of the championship game. Dr. D. O. Wiley, Texas Tech band director who served as clinician for the band during the past week, said it appropriately when he observed that "the fact your band has held together in spite of these difficulties is a tribute within itself." He went on to add: "If they play in the contests like they are playing now, you needn't worry." We won't for we believe our band boys and girls are used to doing their best at all times. That's why we are proud of them.

Sad But True—Scoring Opposition Easier Than Citing Achievements

Administration chances to duplicate in the Senate the action of the House in defeating an increase in income tax exemptions were looking up yesterday. A Southern senator who declined use of his name said he was surprised at the number of his Southern colleagues who are taking the administration view that now is the time to achieve income tax relief by the device of using increased exemptions. The Democratic-sponsored increase in exemptions would deprive the Treasury of \$2.4 billion in needed revenue and relieve and estimated 4 million taxpayers of paying any income tax at all. In the Senate, the bill by George of Georgia would provide a \$200 increase in exemptions for this year and \$400 for next year. Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey said yesterday this would cost the Treasury \$8 to \$10 billion. Curiously, Senator George, an ultra-conservative, finds himself on the same side of the fence as the CIO on the issue of increasing exemptions. The CIO has plumped for a \$1,000 exemption, the same

as Senator George's \$400 increase. (Present exemption: \$600.) Until this week, the Senate, which may not get to a vote on this feature of the tax bill for some weeks, had been regarded as close, likely to go either way. The issue packs a powerful political wallop, in view of the coming congressional elections. That is one reason the Democrats decided to make it an issue. But if it's votes the Democrats are looking for they would profit most by making a mere token fight for the increase and going down to graceful defeat. Obviously, if beaten, they would have a more effective talking point with the ordinary voting voters in this year's campaign. They could throw all the blame on the administration, for what it was worth. If they succeeded in getting an increase through, obviously the force of the gimmick would be largely spent. There are more votes in condemning the opposition than in pointing with pride to your own achievement.

Washington Calling—Marquis Childs Western Europe Coal, Steel Group Seeking Free Economy

LUXEMBOURG — In this picturesque city of the old Europe an experiment is going forward that represents one stage on the path toward a new Europe. The six countries of Western Europe—France, Germany, Belgium, Italy, Holland and Luxembourg—have delegated authority over the most important segment of their economy, coal and steel, to a supranational organization established as the initial phase of the Schuman Plan. There has been much contention, some of it deliberately inspired by powerful and deeply entrenched interests opposed to the plan, as to what the European coal and steel community was intended by its originators to achieve. Too often it is taken for granted that the community is merely another extra national method for enforcing the old cartel agreements that have kept production low and prices high within the tariff walls surrounding each separate country. Actually, the goal of those who brought the community into being, and who now largely direct it, is just the opposite. They want to free the economy of 300,000,000 people from controls, lower production costs, and thereby reduce prices so that the average citizen can have a much higher standard of living.

swept aside. Inevitably, of course, this extended into the armaments industry, becoming part of the nationalistic competition that helped to bring on the era of war in the first half of this century. The same forces and the same rivalries are beginning to rise again. If they are not contained and canalized in the direction of a healthy economy, then the old cycle will begin again. That is exactly what the Russians are counting on, a repetition of the nationalistic struggle between the Western Powers, with communism taking over after the competitors have all but destroyed themselves. That is why, for many, the experiment of the coal and steel community is the last best hope of Europe, caught between the tragedy of the past and a future that is at the same time promising and menacing.

What Americans sometimes fail to realize is that Europe never had anything like a free-enterprise system in the dynamic sense of a competitive economy producing more and more goods at lower and lower prices. So far as the individual consumer went, competition was virtually nonexistent. Cartel agreements and tariffs protected inefficient producers so that prices in the home market tended to be fixed at a level putting the consumer at the greatest possible disadvantage. Government subsidies helped the national competitor in his race to beat out his competitors in the foreign field. These arrangements, so convenient to the producer, were entrenched in the politics, particularly of Germany and France. The power of the Ruhr industrialists in Germany and the Schneider-Creusot group in France was in many respects pre-eminent. They made and broke governments, and anyone who tried to interfere with their controls was likely to be

remaking Europe in a unified pattern is difficult and painful, as this experiment on one segment makes obvious. The opponents are powerful. Active oppositions to the coal and steel community has come from the Communist parties in each of the six countries, with Communist-dominated unions in France and Italy insisting it will make for unemployment. Despite the power of the Communists in unions in some countries, it is believed that not a single Communist has found a place anywhere in the organization. The Communists know full well that a united Europe with an expanding market and growing prosperity would lessen Communist chances of success at the polls. Their goal is to keep Europe weak and divided. For the same reason, the Reds fight incessantly the creation of a European Defense Community, which is another and even bigger step on the way to unity. From their own perspective they are completely realistic. It remains to be seen whether those who would profit most from a dynamic and developing Europe—the owners, the workers, the politicians of the old-line parties—will be equally realistic from their perspective.

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HERITAGE DAYS
By MILLARD COPE

Chilling news reached Sam Houston's Texas camp on March 25, 1836, and the commander-in-chief moved quickly to suppress word of Fannin's defeat and surrender at Coleto by arresting the messenger as a "publisher of false news and a spy." It was Peter Kerr who brought the disheartening word of Fannin's capitulation and of Col. Ward's defeat near Dimmitt's Landing. The news prompted Houston's decision to continue his retreat to a more favorable location to meet the Mexicans. Hoping he could continue to keep the Mexican army divided, he also saw in the retreat an escape from a premature meeting of Santa Anna's forces. While Urrea and his 1,800 to 2,500 Mexicans were ordered to scout the Victoria-to-Galveston area, Santa Anna ordered Serna to change his course. In an effort to keep forces closer together, Serna was ordered to head for San Felipe, after crossing the Colorado at Bastrop. Death was ordered for every

Texan soldier captured, and Santa Anna decreed to his generals that colonists who had not taken up arms should be forced to leave the country. "That under his most strict responsibility," the Mexican generals were informed, "he should fulfill the orders of the government, shooting all the prisoners." Like orders, he commanded, were to be carried out "with respect to all found with arms in their hands." Capt. B. J. White had been ordered to Dimmitt's Landing or Cox's Point, to secure supplies, being commanded "to use and command all the means of the country in securing supplies." To the committee at Matagorda, Houston pleaded for reinforcements. "All the troops that can be raised I wish placed at my disposal, as on the Colorado I make my stand, and it is deemed necessary to concentrate all the effective force at this point for the present." Loss of Fannin and his troops cast gloom in the camp, despite Houston's outward disbelief of the news.



THE TEXAN Cavalry was trained for the Battle of San Jacinto by Mirabeau B. Lamar, above. He commanded the mounted Texans at the decisive battle and later was to serve the republic as secretary of war, vice president, and president Lamar best in known as the father of Texas education.

This Day In Texas
By CURTIS BISHOP

It may seem too utterly trivial to note that on this day in 1838 not a single fight occurred on the streets of Houston, but a visitor to that trip-roaring young city thought otherwise and carefully noted that fact in his diary. "No affray on this day," he penned in his records, although he did add that he had watched a fist fight before the capitol and had seen one man cane another. Another visitor complained that apparently "a large portion of the citizens of Houston never sleep"—to which a newspaper added that neither did they permit others to sleep. Furthermore a Houston editor advocated the formation of a vigilance committee to try to eliminate "fights and riots" in the city. Other towns also suffered such disturbances, some simply rowdyism as in Austin, where pranksters filled the cannon protecting the capitol with stones, and others "disgraceful drunken frolics" which often brought charges of assault with intent to kill against participants. Some early Texans apparently got into fights for the sheer fun of it—Brit Bayle, for instance, who whenever he saw a fist fight in progress started shouting "Free fight, boys" and throwing in his own punches. The restraint of later days has made Texas safer, but perhaps duller.

Parents Of Teen-Agers Have Tough Row To Hoe

NEW YORK (AP)—If there is anything more puzzling than being a teen-ager, it is the problem of being a teen-ager's father. You can't even solve this one by mail. The correspondence schools duck the subject, although they can teach you to understand a jet engine and other simple toys of the time. But today we bring you a plain rule of thumb way to let Dad feel he at least dwells on the same planet as his teen-age kids: "Since you can't whip 'em, why not join 'em?" This advice comes from Lester Rand, 28, a retired steel-ager himself, but one who has kept in touch with the field. He is president of the Youth Research Institute. The organization makes business surveys for firms selling youth products. It has a staff of 1,600 youngsters scattered over the nation who trudge about asking other youngsters such questions as, "Junior, what are your buying habits? Why not give this new brand of bubble gum a 30-day test and see if you don't really find it easier on your jaws than the brand you are now using?" Rand, a specialist in the 5-to-25 age bracket, said it takes a strong man to be the father of present-day teen-agers, and added, "Even the strong will find it a trying period." But he went on to say that it is a lot tougher to be a teen-ager now than it was when Dad was a boy, and the way for Dad to meet the situation is to climb out of his rut and "get into the groove" with his kids. "Look young!" said Rand. "Any one over 21 looks ancient to a teen-ager. Many fathers of teen-agers, of course, can't help looking older than they actually are, but they ought to keep a young attitude. "Instead of acting shocked at the things your teen-age boy or girl may do, just play along as if you thought it were normal. In that way you're acceptable. You're one of the crowd. That can make up

Around The Rim—The Herald Staff
Astronomers Due To Get Good Look At Mars During Summer

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The theory that flying saucers carry men from Mars in search of new planets to colonize is due a strong test this summer, and probably a more rigid one in 1959. Mars is now moving closer to the earth in its orbit through the solar system. In June it will be only 40,000,000 miles away, and astronomers from all over the world will be training telescopes on the planet. Best observations will be made from Bloemfontein, South Africa, where Mars will be directly overhead. The planet will hang close to the horizon of North America, so observations from this continent probably will be fogged by the earth's atmosphere. This will keep the big 200-inch telescope at Palomar, Calif., from full effectiveness. However, the "big eye" will get its best look at Mars in 1956 when that planet is to be some 5,000,000 miles nearer the earth than at present. A 21-inch telescope is being taken from Lowell Observatory, Flagstaff, Ariz., on the Martian expedition to South Africa this summer. Scores of astronomical and considerable collection of scientific equipment will make the odyssey to Bloemfontein. The National Geographic Society also will participate. One of the things astronomers hope to ascertain is whether the "canals" on Mars are really man-made irrigation ditches, as many believe. The theory held by some is that Mars is a drought-stricken planet, and that its people constructed the canals to carry water from the ice-capped polar regions to the arid land areas toward the middle of the globe. Changes in the color of the planet are believed to indicate the seasonal variation in the amount of vegetation. The canals widen during a portion of the year and some astronomers say this widening effect is due to the growth of plants along the banks as water comes down from the melting snow at the pole. Mars is gradually drying up, it is generally conceded, and this gives rise to the theory that inhabitants of the planet are seeking some other "world" to inhabit. Having a much older civilization than ours, these Martians may have conquered the secrets of interplanetary travel, these theorists say. Consequently, the speculation continues, why couldn't flying saucers be men from Mars just looking for a home. By adding a little drought-bitten logic to the speculation, you might also explain why relatively few flying saucers are seen tarrying around this section. The Martians could have concluded it wasn't so dry back home after all. —WAYLAND YATES

These Days—George Sokolsky We Should Be Told More About New Weapons And Our Defenses

The most recent tests with the hellbomb in the Pacific should frighten everyone. The radius of that bomb was so wide that 450 miles has now been set as its outer periphery. Perhaps that fact would have been kept secret from the American people were it not that some Japanese fishermen were damaged during the tests. One wonders whether Russian schnorkel submarines out of Tsingtau, Weihaiwei or Hainan watched this experiment from a safe distance. The Russians have bases along the China coast and although I give these cities as the probable sites, I do not really know where the bases are. The American press was not permitted to be present at the blowing up of the hellbomb. Increasingly, Americans are growing dependent upon the mimeographed releases for general information and upon carefully monitored magazine articles written by favored journalists who are not permitted to see what they write about. This raises a question of policy that requires Congressional attention when Congress can take time off to devote itself to the business of the country. As of today's date, the American people have little concept of the new civilization-destroying weapons. If a single bomb has a destructive radius of 450 miles, it means that a single bomb can destroy not only the British Isles but that every large city in the United States can be wiped out by an enemy. Last summer we heard much about some concept called "Operation Canoe." The idea was that President Eisenhower would deliver an address telling the American people precisely how dreadful this new weapon is. For weeks we heard that there was divided counsel as to the wisdom of such an address. After the Bermuda Conference, the President did speak on the subject, but it was a rather mild statement. It is obvious from the recent explosion of a hellbomb that it was not the whole story and that those who believe in secrecy had succeeded in suppressing a recital of the menace to us. Could it be that the infantrymen feared that if the whole truth were known, Congress would drastically cut appropriations for foot-soldiers and use the money for the Air Force and for counter-hellbomb expenditures? What use can actually be made of foot-soldiers against a bomb that comes out of the air and devastates an area within a radius of 450 miles? What would foot-soldiers do against such a bomb? Could they do more than die as the rest of us would die? I am not a military expert and cannot answer these questions, but I would like to know what the answers are. I would also like to know whether parents can, from now on, be justified in keeping their children in big cities that are likely to be targets. I should also like to know whether our warning devices, such as radar, and our intercepter planes are of a quantity and quality capable of defending our lives. Somebody ought to tell us about that. We are being told that our retaliatory powers are enormous. Does that mean that if New York is wiped out, Moscow and Magnitogorsk will also be wiped out? Or that if one hellbomb is hurled at us, eleven hellbombs will be hurled at cities in the Soviet Union? Such retaliation may be a fascinating study for those who are planning it, but what about the 8,000,000 people of New York who would be killed? And what would become of our civilization under such circumstances? It would seem to me that conscience would require those who are responsible for the hellbomb and those who are responsible for our defense to tell us something about the seriousness of this problem. Politically, I think it can be said that the first hellbomb that is hurled at the United States will end the existence of Constitutional government in the United States. Emergency conditions will be of such a magnitude that authority will have to be centralized. For one thing, it will be necessary to establish a government of violence to prevent the agents of the enemy from taking advantage of the confusion. What is being done about that? Currently it would seem that nothing is being done about it in the United States. But is nothing being done about it in the Kremlin?

From The Capital—Thomas L. Stokes Regime Begins Pruning Effort To Save Part Of Its Program

WASHINGTON — The Eisenhower Administration has come to the pruning season on its legislative program. Because of the slow progress of Congress thus far, the White House now is beginning to explore with Republican Congressional leaders just what measures can be saved and what must be cut from the elaborate program which the President submitted several weeks ago with such confidence. A double test is being applied. First, which measures will be most effective politically for the crucial Congressional elections? Those are being singled out. The next test is: which of those particular measures can be put through Congress within three or four months of this session? Republican leaders hope to recess Congress by July 1, or at the outside August 1. It is now generally realized that the President has lost the initiative that his advisors thought that his advisors thought was his when Congress assembled in early January. That initiative has passed, instead, to Congressional party leaders among which, unfortunately for the Chief Executive, the strong pro-Eisenhower contingent is in the minority, both in numbers and influence. Control is in the hands of what was once known as "the Taft crowd" which looked to the leadership of the late Senator from Ohio. How great was the loss of the Senator to the Administration is becoming apparent; for he was able to ride herd on this preponderant element much more effectively than his successor, Senator Knowland (Calif.), has been able to do. As a matter of fact, it was too bad for

Famous Words OF FAMOUS PEOPLE

WOODROW WILSON
PRESIDENT OF THE U. S.

I PROPOSE TO FIGHT IT OUT ON THIS LINE, IF IT TAKES ALL SUMMER.

Now They Want To Change Our Legends

By ANNE LEFEVER I don't like to have my childhood illusions shattered in the latest copy of a weekly magazine...

Mrs. Hagins Newcomers' High Scorer

Mrs. Newton Hagins was high scorer at the Newcomers' Bridge Club meeting Wednesday at the Skyline Supper Club...

On A Diet? Try Protein Alternates

Meet a person who is on a diet and you're liable to find an individual who loves good food...

Lamesa Newcomers To Be Honored

Some 225 invitations were extended by the Chamber of Commerce Round Up Club on Wednesday...

Knott Basketball Squad Is Treated

KNOTT - Coach Bill Bollin was host at a barbecue for the basketball squad recently...

City HD Club Meet

The City Home Demonstration Club meeting has been changed to the home of Mrs. G. H. Leonard...

Quartet Auxiliary May Be Formed

Ten women attending the weekly session of Barber Shop singers Tuesday evening indicated an auxiliary would be formed...

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Timely Tips

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THIS IS GOOD EATING OLIVE RICE LOAF

Ingredients: 1 cup ripe olives, 3 eggs, 1 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon pepper, 1/4 cup minced parsley, 1 tablespoon finely grated onion pulp and juice...

20 HD Agents Attending Food School

Twenty home demonstration agents from counties in District 2 arrived this morning to begin a foods and nutrition school at the new Howard County HD office.

Mrs. Elsie Smith To Visit Arizona

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Gay Hill To Give Comedy In Coahoma

"The Campbells Are Coming," a three-act comedy, is to be presented by the Gay Hill Dramatic Club at the Coahoma High School Auditorium at 8 p.m. Friday.

Girl's Pinaflore

Cool to wear, easy to make, decorated with giddy "poodle" motifs in sky-blue and black transfers—just what girls of 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 want for summer playtime wear!

WOW Circle

The Woodman's Circle will meet Friday at 3 p.m. at the WOW Hall.

Does that tell-tale look on your face say change of life?

A great many women suffer "change of life" after forty. They lose their hair, have "wrinkles" deep pools, are hard to live with...

Local Coed Honored

Lynn Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Mitchell, has been awarded two additional honors at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Giving Flower Show Is Garden Club Topic

"Flower Show Practice" in preparation for the Big Spring Garden Club Flower Show April 10-11, was the topic of a panel discussion on its program Wednesday.

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South American Way Brazilian singer Carmen Miranda, here decked out ready for a dance number, tells how she improved her appearance.

HOLLYWOOD BEAUTY

If You're Going To Diet Learn About Calories

By LYDIA LANE ... HOLLYWOOD - Brazil's contribution to Hollywood is colorful singer Carmen Miranda of the sensational turbans and the five inch wedges.



It's Spring!

New team with collared or collarless V-neck and smooth six-gore skirt looking very custom made and "special order" for you at your prettiest!

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Advertisement for 'There's Only ONE' featuring a jar of 'Maryland Club Coffee'. The text emphasizes the quality and uniqueness of the product.

Advertisement for 'NEW-DELICIOUS Ellis Noodles N' Beef' and 'Ruby's Beauty Shop'. Includes contact information for the beauty shop.

Advertisement for 'Count on C-H' featuring Bisquick and C-H cane sugar. Promotes the products for flavor and convenience.

Large advertisement for 'J&K shoe store'. Features images of various styles of shoes and a list of 10 features, including cushioned soles and quality leather.

Herd, HC Jayhawks Face Busy Weekend

There's plenty of baseball on tap in Big Spring this weekend.

At 4 p.m. Friday, the Big Spring High School Steers host Snyder in a return game.

Saturday afternoon, Odessa JC moves in for a double header against the Howard County Junior College Jayhawks.

Both local teams emerged victorious in their initial starts earlier this week.

Roy Baird's Longhorns looked to good advantage in felling Snyder at Snyder, 13-5.

At the same time, Harold Davis' HCJC troupe shocked San Angelo College, 10-4. That's the same Ram club that beat the Hawks four straight games a year ago.

Baird said he was pleased with the performance of his schoolboys, especially the pitchers. Frank Long, Frosty Robison and Sidney Butler saw mound duty for the Steers.

Robison won't be available for tomorrow's game, since he will be with the high school track team in Odessa.

The Jayhawks probably can't count on the help in other games they received from the Angelo defense. The Rams committed eight errors to open the flood gates.

The Steers play twice next week, meeting Snyder again here Tuesday and Midland here on Friday.

Commerce To Send Ten To WT Relays

COMMERCE (S)—Ten trackmen from East Texas State Teachers College will compete in the West Texas Relays at Odessa this weekend.

Heading the list of competitors from East Texas will be Chuck Holding, winner of the high jump at the Southwestern Recreation Meet in Fort Worth. Holding's winning jump was 6 feet 6 inches.

Whatley Is Top Contender For Cowboys At Odessa

ABILENE (SC)—High-jumper John Whatley, sophomore from Lewisville, will be the Hardin-Simmons University track team's leading contender for honors in the West Texas Relays at Odessa Saturday. H-SU's golf team will also compete.

Whatley, with two first places in as many meets this year, will get the supreme test of the young season in the event which boasts N. A. I. A. champion Chuck Holding of East Texas State, Les Vanover of A. C. C. and Kenneth Kelly of North Texas. Whatley jumped 6'6" at the Border Olympics and 6'3" at the Southwestern Recreation meet.

Coaches Bill Scott and Harold Barrett will take 8 other tracksters and 8 golfers to the meet.

Other high jumpers who are entered are Marion Truett, Abilene, and Ben Benton, Emning, N. M., both freshmen. Entered in the broad jump are Delnor Post, sophomore from San Angelo; Truett and Jerry Joiner, freshman from San Antonio.

Benton and C. M. Hopkins, freshman from Corpus Christi, are entered in the high hurdles. Dan Villarreal, freshman from Wink, Jim Fleming, junior from Oxnard, Calif.; John Gary, sophomore from Snyder; and Joiner make up the 440 and 880 relay team. Entered in the 100 yard dash are Villarreal, Joiner and Fleming.

Golf team members are Jackie Clark, Marlin; Tommy Hale, Shamrock; Arlyn Scott, Odessa; Freer, Lamesa; James Orth, New Braunfels; Duane Blair, Vernon.

Big Field Is Due For Track Meet

COMMERCE (S)—More than 800 schoolboy trackmen from 57 schools have entered the fourth annual East Texas State High School Relays to be held here Saturday.

Ten records were set at the 1953 meet at Sunset of Dallas won the team title in Class AA and Garland took the Class A trophy. Both schools will defend their titles.

Buffalo Bopped

DUNEDIN, Fla. (S)—San Antonio of the Texas League whipped Buffalo of the International League, 5-1, here yesterday in an exhibition baseball game. The Missions pushed over three runs in the first inning on two hits and a Buffalo error.

Baylor Blanked

WACO (S)—The Southern Methodist University tennis team defeated Baylor, 7-0, in a practice match here yesterday.



Battery Mate

Chicago White Sox pitcher Jack Marshall and his wife, Dee, discuss pitching before a recent exhibition game at St. Petersburg, Fla. Marshall brought this catcher's mitt for her last Christmas and she caught him during his winter conditioning. (AP Wirephoto.)

Frogs Launch Conference Season Against Mustangs

FORT WORTH (SC)—Batting drills were stressed this week as the TCU baseball team worked hard to snap a four-game losing streak. The Christians open their S. W. Conference bid against the SMU Mustangs here Friday and Saturday.

"Plate punch" has been sadly lacking. In 29 innings, the Purple has managed for only 12 hits, all singles, and no earned runs. Coach Walker Roach, and Athletic Director Dutch Meyer, who is assisting this spring, dialed out eve-time drills in the batting cage. The Frogs ended their practice late Monday with a 2-1 loss to the Oklahoma Sooners which gave

Park To Have 900 Box Seats

MIDLAND (SC)—Final plans for Midland's new baseball stadium have been approved by the Midland City Council.

Bids for its construction will be opened on April 13. Plans call for construction of a concrete and steel grandstand with redwood seats. More than 900 box seats will be available in the new plant.

The seats will have a 24-degree slope—the same as in the Cotton Bowl at Dallas.

The outfield fence, to be constructed of metal decking, will be 335 feet from home plate along both foul lines and 400 feet at the deepest point in center field.

Home plate will be 45 feet from the center box seats and the base paths and foul lines will be 32 feet from the stands.

College Boys Try For Jobs

WICHITA FALLS (SC)—Four Midwestern University athletes and four former members of the Wichita Falls High School baseball team are among the candidates seeking professional baseball jobs at the Spudders tryout camp Tuesday.

Al (Red) McCarty, manager of the Longhorn League Spudders, sent the pro aspirants through a three and one-half hour drill. He didn't single out any of the players, but commented that "five or six of the boys may be asked to train with the Spudders during the next three weeks."

Tuesday's practice was devoted primarily to batting drills. Reporting from Midwestern were Gene Dennis, Davis Floyd, Gene (Hoot) Gibson, and Charles Counter. Floyd, a first baseman, and Gibson, an outfielder, played on the MU basketball team, and Counter (infielder) was MU's "most valuable" football player of 1952.

CITRUS BASEBALL

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
THURSDAY'S SCHEDULE
New York (A) vs Boston (A) at Sarasota, Fla.
Baltimore (A) vs New York (N) at Phoenix, Ariz.
Washington (A) vs Chicago (A) at Tampa, Fla.
Chicago (N) vs Cleveland (A) at Tucson, Ariz.
Cincinnati (N) vs Detroit (A) at Lakeland, Fla.
Pittsburgh (N) vs Philadelphia (A) at West Palm Beach, Fla.
Brooklyn (N) vs St. Louis (N) at St. Petersburg, Fla.
Philadelphia (N) vs Milwaukee (N) at Bradenton, Fla.

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS
New York (A) 11, Boston (A) 7
Baltimore (A) 4, New York (N) 3
Chicago (A) 4, Cincinnati (N) 4
Cleveland (A) 12, Chicago (N) 2
Detroit (A) 1, Milwaukee (N) 4
Pittsburgh (N) 10, Philadelphia (A) 4
Washington (A) 1, Philadelphia (N) 1
St. Louis (N) 3, Brooklyn (N) 3
Toledo (AA) 4, Milwaukee (N) 3

Central's Calves Defeat Washington

Central Ward turned back Washington Place, 14-0, in a Ward School Softball League game played on the Colonial diamond Tuesday afternoon.

J. B. Davis, on the mound for Central, set the Colonials down with two hits while his mates were combing the offerings of Washington Place hurlers for 15 assorted blows.

August Joe Luedcke hit a four-run homer for the Calves in the first inning.

The win was the second in three starts for Central.

Pact Announced

WICHITA FALLS (SC)—Wichita Falls of the Longhorn League has signed a working agreement with Hagerstown Md., of the Class B Piedmont League.

Tulsa Out Front

DOUGLAS, Ga. (S)—Tulsa of the Texas League won over Atlanta of the Southern Association, 15-11, in an exhibition baseball game here yesterday scoring five runs in the top of the 19th inning.



Is He Ready?

Those who have watched the Cincinnati Reds in spring drills are saying good things about Corky Valentine, a pitcher, Corky hurried for Columbia in the Class A Sally League in 1953, where he won 13 and lost 6. He's a native of Troy, Ohio.

Tech Is Mauled

RUSTON, La. (S)—The Texas League Shreveport Sports won easily from Louisiana Tech, 11-0, in an exhibition baseball game here yesterday. It was the fourth victory in a row for the Sports.

Volley Ball Team Hosts Sweetwater

Arah Phillips girls' volley ball team of Big Spring High School tonight seeks revenge for one of the two defeats it has experienced this season in an exhibition game with Sweetwater. Game time is 7:30 o'clock, scene of action in the High School Gym.

Led by Thelma Neepet, the Mustangettes vanquished the Big Springers, 27-24, on March 2.

Only other team to measure the Steerettes this year has been Lamesa and the outcome of that engagement cost the local team the district leadership. The Big Springers get a chance to avenge that licking here on April 2.

Neil Glover, Ellouise Carroll and Louise Burchett pace the Big Spring club while Jeanette Priest and Lanita Rogers lend assistance to Miss Neepet in the Sweetwater game.

The Steerettes are to take part in a tournament in Plainview this weekend. They've already been crowned champions in two meets this year, the first one in Odessa and the other one here.

Big Spring plays only two more home games, one with Snyder on April 6 in addition to the Lamesa game.

Big Spring and Sweetwater B teams clash in a 6:30 o'clock contest tonight. The Big Spring reserves have yet to suffer defeat at the hands of another B team.

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Who's This Third Baseman?

Actor James Stewart gets a few pointers from St. Louis Cards' third baseman Ray Jablonski (right) as Manager Eddie Stanky (left) and actress June Allyson watch. Stewart plays the part of a Cardinal third baseman in a movie now being filmed in St. Petersburg, Fla. June Allyson plays his wife in the movie. (AP Wirephoto).

Cuban Keed Arrives At Site Of Scrap

CHICAGO (U) — Kid Gavilan, confident welterweight champion and new father, arrives in Chicago today for intense on-the-scene training for his April 2 shot at Carl (Bobo) Olson's middleweight crown.

LOOKING 'EM OVER With Tommy Hart

Carl Coleman, coach of the local high school football team, says he'll probably change the Steers' style of attack, now that Buddy Cosby is gone.

The Longhorns may go to the Winged T, which will give Fullback Ronnie Wooten a bit more elbow room in the backfield.

For example, the Longhorns had three bruisers playing that position last fall—J. C. Armistead, Cosby and Jimmy Hollis—and on one weekend Coleman didn't think any could play because of injuries.

Coleman, incidentally, tried until the last to talk Cosby out of entering the Army. He even made a trip to Abilene for a last-minute conference with the boy before Buddy was to be sworn in.

Harold Davis, the HCJC cage mentor, says the new free-throw rule, which gives the player a bonus throw if he makes the first penalty shot, is going to add to the length of basketball games.

Rodney Cramer, the former HCJC eager (from Coahoma), is now wearing Army khaki.

John Rudeseal, the Ackerly postmaster, wants everyone in his area to know that he has book tickets on sale for home games of the Big Spring Bears.

No one in West Texas will regard the 1934 Snyder Tigers as an easy mark in football, not after what happened in their spring game with the Exes last weekend.

Plainsview basketball followers showed their appreciation for the fine coaching job Bob Clindaniel did by giving him \$750 recently. Clindaniel took the Bulldogs to the state meet.

TEXAS TEAM REACHES ST. JO SEMI-FINALS

ST. JOSEPH, Mo. (U) — Defending champion Hanes Hosliery of Winston-Salem, N. C., and Wayland College of Plainview, Tex., apparently were headed today for a showdown in the finals of the Women's National AAU Basketball Tournament.

Each faced another hurdle. Wayland must get past Denver Viner Chevrolet in the first of tonight's semifinal games at 7:30 p.m. (CST).

Thomas Slamming Ball For Bucs. ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla. (U) — Tom Robbins, defending champion and medalist in the American Seniors Golf Assn. Tournament, meets Bob Wingate, former National Public Links champion, in the featured match at today's quarter-final round.

All In Readiness For Tennis Meet. ODESSA, Tex. (U) — Everything was in readiness here today for the sixth annual Odessa Invitational Tennis Tournament.

Dickson Gives Up On Clover Omen. CLEARWATER, Fla. (U) — Philadelphia Phillies' pitcher Murry Dickson has given up on four-leaf clovers as good luck charms.

Houston Wins, 8-5. DAYTONA BEACH (U) — Houston of the Texas League took an 8-5 spring exhibition baseball victory yesterday from Columbus, O., of the American Association.

Tourney Heads Work Harder Than Players

By SYD KRONISH

NEW YORK (U) — Winning the Masters Golf Tournament in color and prestige, has been a cherished goal for top golfers since 1934.

But the challenge has been as great for Cliff Roberts, a non-player, as for any of golfdom's greats who have participated in the annual affair at the beautiful Augusta, Ga., National Golf Club.

Roberts, a New York investment banker and co-founder with Bobby Jones of the Tourney, has been called the Mastermind of the Masters.

"We operated at a deficit for the first four or five years. We even had to pass the hat among the members of the club to keep alive. But we set our goal high to insure a first class operation. It's a 12-month-a-year job of planning, working and improving."

"Evens now, though we are on the black side of the ledger, we are not making a profit. Most of the money is being turned back into improvements."

"The best golfers in the business will be on tap vying for the crown. Defending champion Ben Hogan will be shooting at the three-time victory record held by Jimmy Demaret. Horton Smith, Byron Nelson and Sammy Snead have been other double winners.

"The well-designed but deceptive course varies in length from 6,250 to 6,950 yards depending on the placement of tees and cups. Par is 72.

"Some golfers would rather win the Masters than the Open. And the huge crowd that follows its favorites around the course realizes the importance of each shot."

"That's why exciting finishes are the rule. In 1935, the second year of the tourney, Gene Sarazen's double eagle on the 15th hole of the final round put him in a playoff with Craig Wood. Sarazen won."

Byron Nelson, in 1937, scored a birdie on the 12th and an eagle on the 13th to rip Ralph Guldahl. One of the greatest finishes came in 1942 when Ben Hogan and Nelson fought a nip and tuck battle.

Bantam Ben wiped out an eight stroke deficit to tie Nelson at 280 in the playoff Hogan led by three holes on the first five holes, but Byron came on strong to eke out a victory.

In the early years of the Masters, the old Master himself — Bobby Jones — came out of retirement to give the tourney a boost. Jones, now president of the club, has not played in late because of a back ailment. He was responsible for bringing in President Eisenhower as a member of the Augusta Club.

Bentley Will Take Squad Of 14 To Odessa Friday

Coach Harold Bentley and 14 members of the Big Spring High School track and field squad leave Friday for Odessa where they will compete in preliminaries of the annual West Texas Relays.

The big track circus will continue through Saturday and Bentley is hopeful the team will fare much better than it did at Snyder two weekends ago, when the Steers failed to score a point.

San Angelo Trades For Curt Borrett

SAN ANGELO, (SC) — San Angelo of the Longhorn League has obtained Curt Borrett and \$1,000 from Abilene in exchange for hard-hitting Glenn Burns.

Borrett played for Big Spring much of last year. Burns had refused to sign several contracts extended him by the San Angelo club.

Completion of the deal hinges upon the success Abilene experiences in signing Burns, who was paid \$500 a month by the Colts last year and who was seeking an increase this season.

Raul Dieppa Inks Pact With Oilers. ODESSA (SC) — Raul Dieppa has signed a baseball contract with the Odessa Oilers of the Longhorn League.

Dieppa, a shortstop, hit .279 in 119 games last year. He is still a limited service player.

HSU Ex Is Signed By Roswell Club. ROSWELL, N. M. (SC) — The Roswell Rockets of the Longhorn League have signed a rookie hurler, Glenn Woodward, to a 1934 contract.

Longhorn Golf Team To Play In Tourney

The Big Spring Steers are one of 15 teams entered in the two-day golf tournament to be held starting tomorrow in conjunction with the West Texas Relays at Odessa.

Winners will be decided in 36 holes of medal play. A first place team trophy will be given, along with gold medals for each member of the winning team and trophies for the medalist and runner-up.

In addition to Big Spring, the following schools have entered teams: Amarillo, Abilene, San Angelo, Midland, Odessa, El Paso Austin, El Paso Bowie, El Paso Jefferson, El Paso High, Lamesa, Lubbock, Monahans, Pampa and Andrews.

San Angelo and Amarillo are among the favorites. Bobby Bluhm, Big Spring, will tee off in a fourours at 1:25 p.m. James Lee Underwood will leave the first tee five minutes later.

Eddie Harris, Big Spring, will start at 1:35 p.m. and Willbur Cunningham of the Steers will begin play at 1:40 o'clock.

A's Having Woes With Cripples

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. (U) — The Philadelphia Athletics have a lengthy disabled list.

When the A's traveled to Fort Pierce yesterday to play the Pittsburgh Pirates, Gus Zernial, Don Bollweg, Bobby Shantz, and Speck Jacobs remained behind for treatment of various ailments. Tommy Giordano, Billy Shantz, Harry Minor and Cookie Stemple were bedridden by grippie.

Forsan Teams Play Garden City Clubs

FORSAN (SC) — The Forsan high school girls' volleyball team visits Garden City for A and B games this evening.

Three Forsan teams registered wins over Sterling City Tuesday night. The A team prevailed, 20-20, after trailing at the half, 15-15. Ann Green proved the Forsan star while Hanson and Davis played fine ball for Sterling.

The Forsan Bees won, 20-22. Their half time advantage was 15-8. Sterling's Junior High team led the Forsan Juniors, 14-11 at half time but the Howard County club gathered its forces in the last half to finish in front, 41-27.

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Giving Up Vote

Sen. Joseph McCarthy (R-Wis.), right, announces at a news conference in Washington that he is giving up his vote in connection with the Senate investigations...

Mundt Hopes Probe Can Begin In Week

By G. MILTON KELLY and JACK BELL. WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. Mundt (R-SD) said today he still hopes to launch next week a public Senate investigation of the heated row between Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.) and top Army officials.

Farm Bureau Opposes Plan Of Governor

Opposition to Governor Shivers' plan for raising revenue for a teacher's pay raise has been voiced in a telegram from the Howard County Farm Bureau to State Senator Harley Sadler...

Iden points out that the Farm Bureau recognizes the serious shortage of teachers in Texas, and that at its last annual state convention, recommended that the Legislature provide necessary funds to attract and hold qualified teachers.

Some veteran senators said Mr. McCarthy probably cannot be denied the right to question appointed witnesses in the forthcoming investigation...

Sen. Ferguson (R-Mich.), who has urged McCarthy to step aside, said it will be up to the investigations subcommittee itself to decide on procedure.

Sen. Mundt told reporters "I hope and expect" the subcommittee will pick a special counsel for the inquiry by this weekend.

President Eisenhower checked the cross-examination issue up to the Senate Republican leadership when he was asked about it at yesterday's White House news conference.

McCarthy said he was glad the President did not enter the cross-examination dispute, adding that he didn't believe his subcommittee would bar him from asking questions of witnesses.

Borden Wildcat Test Finds Oil; Three Area Ventures Complete

Oil and water were recovered today on a drillstem test of the Pennsylvania reef at Texas Crude No. 1-44 Brown, wildcat prospect in Southwest Borden County. Completions were made in three area fields, and four new locations have been spotted.

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'Borrowed' Car Back With Flat. Someone "borrowed" a car from McKewen Motor Company, 403 Scurry, last night and returned it with a ruined tire and damaged rim.

Two Fires In City Wednesday Night. Two fires were reported in Big Spring Wednesday evening. A vacant house at 711 North Lancaster burned, and some damage resulted in a blaze at 811 Lamesa Drive.

Tornado Hits Near Town In Arkansas. CENTERTON, Ark. (AP)—A tornado hit two miles south of this town Tuesday night, leveling buildings and blowing away roofs.

'Drag Strip' For Hot Rods May Be Provided Here. Plans were mapped out here Wednesday for Webb Air Force Base to sponsor a "drag strip" where people owning "hot-rod" cars can hold exhibitions and meets.

hour drillstem test of the Pennsylvania between 7,900 and 8,000 feet. Flowing pressure was from 35 to 85 pounds, and the shut-in pressure after an unreported length of time was 145 pounds.

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HOSPITAL NOTES

BIG SPRING HOSPITAL. Admissions — Charles Taylor, Midland; Boyd Baker, Coahoma; Luola Brown, 411 NW 7th; Dorothy Adams, City; Mike Bridges, 510 Abrams; Joyce Roberts, Coahoma; J. H. Johnson, 801 E. 16th; Effie Featherston, Coleman Court; Henry Camp, Coahoma; B. M. Ruse, City.

Dismissals — Leta Miller, 609 Ayford; Doc Wallace, Gail Rt.; Wesley Holt, San Angelo; Sam Vinson, Sterling City Rt.; Effie Teeter, Rt. 1; Denette Dodson, 1206 Lloyd; Maude Sanders, City.

Martin Grand Jury To Meet

STANTON (SC) — Seven persons are to be investigated in connection with various charges when the Martin County Grand Jury meets Friday. It was announced at the office of District Attorney Elton Gilliland today.

Verdicts In City Court Appealed. Appeal bonds were posted today after City Judge W. E. Greenlee found eight Negroes guilty of gambling with dice.

Store Manager Is Charged In Theft. Charges of theft have been filed in Justice Court against James E. Wilson, manager of the Cannon Shoe Store here.

Lamesa C-C Men Attend Conference. LAMESA (SC) — E. D. David, president of the Lamesa Chamber of Commerce, and DeWayne Davis, manager, were in Fort Worth Wednesday where they attended the "Explaining Your Business Conference" sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

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Red Newspaper Claims Envoys Of U.S. Spies

By RICHARD KASISCHKE. MOSCOW (AP) — The newspaper TRUD charged four members of the U. S. Embassy's military staff today with spying on Soviet airfields and other important installations on a rail trip from Moscow to Vladivostok.

The embassy refused to comment on the charges. Trud, the trade union newspaper, claimed the alleged espionage was revealed in military intelligence reports the Americans left behind in their compartment on the Trans-Siberian Express. It said the chief conductor found the papers at the end of the run.

The documents, it continued, "constitute an intelligence report on the main towns and stations between Moscow and Khabarovsk," an industrial and transportation center of 300,000 persons north of Vladivostok on the Manchurian border.

Special attention was paid to airfields, radio station, industrial plants and the like," Trud said. The four accused by the paper were Lt. Col. Howard L. Felchin, Maj. Walter McKinney, Maj. Martin J. Manhoff and S. Sgt. Eugene Williams.

Trud published what it said were photostat copies of their papers and commented: "If the above-mentioned persons would like to get back their documents, which evidently were forgotten in the rush, they can do so by calling at the porter's office."

The embassy would confirm only that the four men made a train trip to Vladivostok last September. McKinney is now away from Moscow on leave. The other three refused to give their U. S. addresses and would only repeat what Embassy Counselor Elin Elms gave notice of appeal.

The eight were arrested Sunday night in a room located behind a business establishment in the 500 block of NW 3rd. Acting Police Chief M. L. Kirby, the only man to testify, said the men were standing around a table containing some money and that one man was rolling dice at the time of arrest.

On questioning by Thomas, Kirby said he did not have a warrant to enter the room and that he did not actually see any man make a bet. The officer also indicated the room in which the men were arrested was separated from the public establishment.

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TAXES

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Table with columns for TEMPERATURES and WEATHER. Includes data for various locations and a weather forecast.

Two Escape Injury In Jet Accident

First Lt. Dan D. Fulgham and Clarence R. Gordon of Webb Air Base escaped without injury this morning when their T33 jet aircraft went out of control on a landing at Webb Air Force Base.

Two houses, two barns and a number of outbuildings were destroyed. No injuries were reported.

MARKETS

Table of market prices including LIVERPOOL, FORT WORTH, and NEW YORK. Lists various commodities and their current prices.

WEATHER

(Continued From Page 1) Bonham, part of the roof of the school gym was lifted off and windows broken in the school building. A corn sheller plant and a blacksmith shop were badly damaged.

Probate Ruling Appeal Is Made

Appeal of a County Court ruling denying the probate of a copy of the will of the late H. S. and L. L. Miller is made in two cases which have been filed in 118th District Court.

CLARK

(Continued From Page 1) facts as set out in a private investigation made by my friends, the whole world will know that my trial was a farce from the beginning to the end.

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

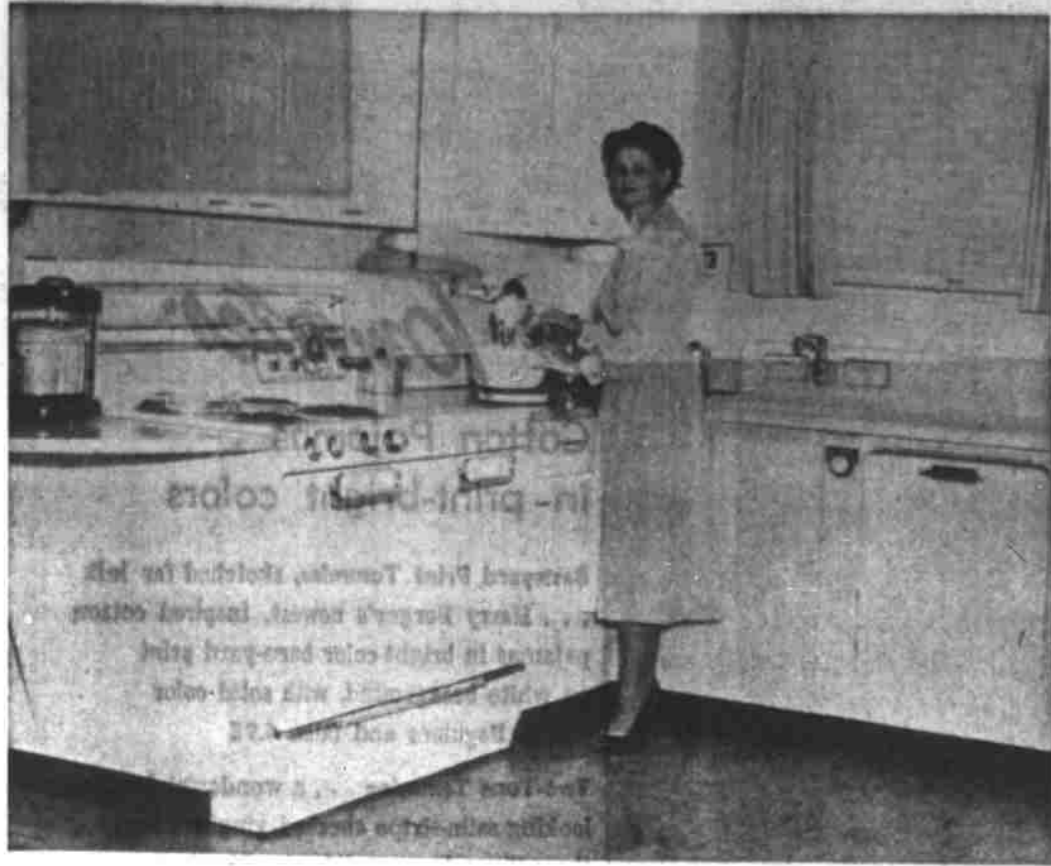
Was just leaving home this morning when the Missus reminded me to stop at Steve and Al's Meat Market for a pound of hamburger. "Be sure to get it from Steve," she said.

Steve Tips the Balance

To your wife — that probably looks like a better buy. From where I sit, there's always more than one way to approach a thing and still come out fair and square to all.

Joe Marsh

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Demonstrates Modern Kitchen

Mrs. Jewel Bowen is on duty daily from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. to demonstrate the modern kitchen and laundry equipment at the Texas Electric Service Co. office, located at 4th and Runnels. She can answer questions about operations of all types of kitchen and laundry appliances and demonstrate their various uses.

Cycla-Matic Frigidaire On Display Here

The glamorous new Cycla-matic Frigidaire, the easiest-to-use Food Freezer-Refrigerator ever made, has been made available locally by the Cook Appliance Company, located at 212 East Third Street.

The new Frigidaire offers a brand-new concept in food keeping. Every single feature—in the Food Freezer, in the Refrigerator and in the new Pantry-Door—is designed to provide a safe and special place for all foods, so that everything is handy and right at the user's fingertips.

The kitchen-size food-freezer keeps temperatures down in the zero zone and thereby retains frozen foods for months.

There is no simpler automatic defrosting than the Cycla-matic way. It's free of clocks, counters, timers and heaters, yet it gets rid of frost in the refrigerator before it collects.

Frigidaire's new color scheme—they come in Sherwood Green and Stratford Yellow as well as conventional white—turn dreary kitchens into dream kitchens.

Cook's Appliance Company handles a wide range of appliances, including Frigidaire electric ranges, television sets, Ironrite automatic irons, Frigidaire automatic washers and dryers.

The Frigidaire Filtra-matic clothes dryer needs no plumbing, no ductwork and can be installed anywhere in the house. It does not throw off objectionable "dryer



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A shipment of new Frigidaire appliances is unloaded from railroad cars and transferred to the Cook Appliance Co., 212 East Third Street in Big Spring. Frigidaire equipment is always on display at Cook's.

Expert Advice On Insurance At Pond Firm

The advice of two experts in the insurance business is available without obligation to residents of the Big Spring area at Joe Pond Insurance Company, 111 E. 2nd Street.

Joe Pond, owner, and Cleo Curington, his associate in the insurance business, invite citizens of this area to confer with them on their insurance problems. There is no charge for the counseling and rating services provided by the company.

Both Pond and Miss Curington have had extensive training and experience in the insurance field. Their firm and the companies it represents provide every type of coverage including fire and casualty insurance.

Pond has been in the insurance underwriting field for more than 20 years, having started out in his hometown of Colorado City and moving to Big Spring in 1937. He has been in business here since that time.

He has represented the Frank-

Electric Kitchen, Laundry Demonstrated At TESCO

Electric kitchen and laundry installed in the Texas Electric Service Company office is open to the public. It was designed to show Big Spring homemakers the newest electrical equipment and to demonstrate the use of modern electric appliances. Mrs. Jewel Bowen is demonstrator on duty in the kitchen each week day from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. and on Saturday from 8 a.m. until noon.

"Homemaker's questions about electric appliances get prompt and complete answers, with demonstrations, at the Texas Electric Service Company's office, 4th and Runnels. A complete electric kitchen with laundry is in operation to show local homemakers the newest electrical equipment and to demonstrate how this equipment can be used to best advantage.

Homemakers in the Big Spring

area are invited to come by the Texas Electric Service Company office to see the kitchen-laundry. Mrs. Bowen will be glad to demonstrate the appliances or answer any questions in regard to the operation of any electric appliances.

In the kitchen are an electric range, refrigerator, dishwasher, garbage disposer and small appliances found in the home. The laundry is complete with an automatic washer, ironer, electric clothes dryer and electric water heater. Both the kitchen and laundry are arranged for maximum work convenience.

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Israel Seeks Immediate Action From U. N. In Bus Ambush Case

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP)—Israel appealed to the Western Big Three today for immediate U.N. action on the Arab killing of 11 Israeli bus passengers in the Negev Desert, but diplomats here anticipated the Security Council would delay action.

The council was to meet late today for further debate on Israeli charges that Egypt is blockading cargoes destined for her via the Suez Canal. U.N. sources believed the council would want to dispose of this matter before turning to the bus incident, for which Israel blames Jordan.

Jordan, which has denied responsibility for the ambush 12 miles from her border last week, informed U.N. Secretary General

Dag Hammarskjold officially yesterday she would not meet with Israel to discuss their border troubles.

Human Rights Issue Talked At Caracas; Resolution Backed

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP)—The 20-nation Inter-American Conference, having hurdled thorny issues of communism, colonialism and imperialism, moved today toward completion with a lone committee still trying to clear its agenda.

The Juridical-Political Committee began consideration of a revision and clarification of the principles of diplomatic and territorial asylum.

A declaration on human rights, expected to be called the Declaration of Caracas, was approved by the committee yesterday after lengthy and often stormy session.

The resolution:

1. Reaffirmed adherence to the principle of human rights contained in American and United Nations declarations;
2. Reiterated the right of each state to "freely choose its own institutions . . . without intervention on the part of any state or group of states, directly or indirectly, in their domestic and external affairs and particularly without the intermission of any form of totalitarianism"; and
3. Renewed the conviction of the American states that "one of the most effective means of strengthening their domestic institutions consists in heightening respect for the individual and social rights of man, without any discrimination whatsoever."

the killing in October of some 53 Arabs in an Israeli raid on the Jordan village of Kibya.

Spearheading the drive for immediate council action on the new Israeli charge, the Jewish nation's ambassador to the United States and the U.N., Abba Eban, planned to meet in Washington today with Secretary of State Dulles.

Eban was expected to press Dulles also for arms for Israel and a ban on such shipments to the Arab states.

Representatives of the seven Arab states had called on Dulles Tuesday. Afterward they said they told him "mounting tension in the Near East . . . is caused by Israel" and that they would regard an aggression against any one of the Arab nations "as being upon them all."

Eban conferred last night with Hammarskjold, who earlier yesterday had discussed the tense Palestine situation with Henry Cabot Lodge Jr., the chief U.S. delegate; Lodge's deputy, James J. Wadsworth; British Delegate Sir Percival Dixon; and Charles Lucet of France.

Texas Man Held In Alabama Case

FORT PAYNE, Ala. (AP)—A 27-year-old Texan who escaped from Kibby prison two months ago is being held here after, police said, he was caught breaking into a store at nearby Fyffe.

DeKalb County Sheriff G. H. Noles said Melvin Lybrand, formerly of Lubbock, Tex., was caught entering the Hammond Brothers store Sunday night.

The sheriff said Lybrand was accompanied by Laverne Lybrand, 19, Mobile, Ala., whom he identified as the wife of Lybrand's stepbrother. Noles said she was released under \$2,500 bond.



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Entertainment will be provided by the Big Spring High School choir, directed by Harry Lee Plumbley, Wendal Parks TB chapter president, has announced.

All service clubs and similar organizations in the city have been asked to send representatives to the meeting. The public is invited.

Another feature of the annual session will be the election of officers for the next year. George Melear, chairman of the nominating committee, will present a list of officer and director nominees.

Reports on the past year's work also will be given. Joye Harmon will make the financial report; Bryce Wiginton is to report on Christmas bond sales; Cain Griggby will tell of results of the Christmas Seal sales, and Vic Alexander is to report on the mass X-ray survey of 1953.

Showdown Asked On Panel's Staff

WASHINGTON (AP)—Rep. Kearney (R-NY) has renewed a demand for a showdown on what he termed an "intolerable" staff situation on the House Un-American Activities Committee.

Kearney told newsmen yesterday that Chairman Velde (R-III) had called a committee meeting for yesterday, but did not show up and sent a telegram postponing the session until April 1.

Velde was campaigning in Illinois and was not available last night, but an aide said the congressman may have a statement today.

Kearney, who joined with Rep. Walter (D-Pa) in criticizing committee staff operations last January, said the situation has not improved. Staff investigators, he said, have been "jockeying for advantage over one another, trying to get raises which are undeserved, and engaging in back-biting."

Whale-Shark Battle Viewed In California

LAGUNA BEACH, Calif. (AP)—There was a life and death battle in the surf off Aliso Beach, near here, yesterday, between two 30-foot whales and a 15-foot shark, but the outcome finally was shrouded by the deep water of the Pacific.

Two lifeguards who watched the marine giants flail the surf for several minutes said the whales chased the shark onto the sand and there was a deadly exchange that left a section of the strand blood red. Then the battlers plunged into deep water again and disappeared.

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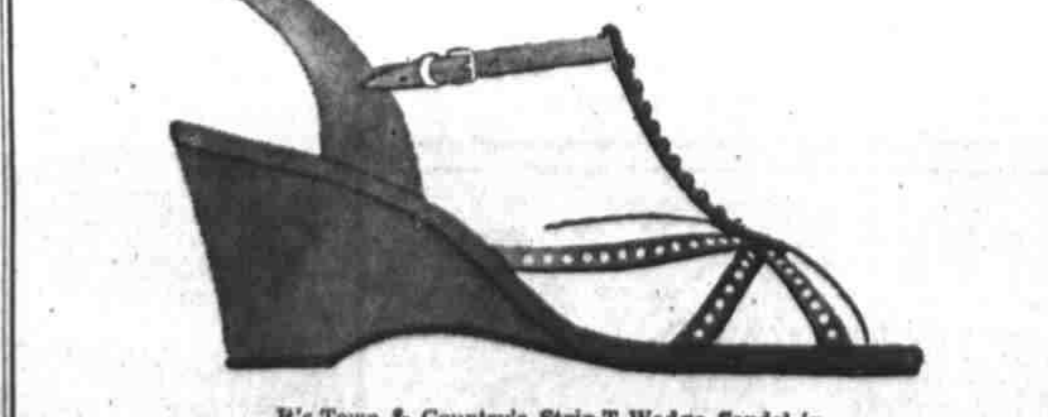
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