

PLAIN TALK

By BILL PERKINS

We think congratulations are in order for Sheriff Rufe Jordan who was named one of the top five sheriffs in the state Tuesday. The last time he spoke to the Lions club in McLean he was introduced as the biggest sheriff in the biggest state. From now on it will have to be the "biggest and best."

The white blanket of snow that greeted McLean residents Wednesday morning came as quite a surprise, although a welcome one, to most of us. The schools were opened Wednesday but the buses did not make their runs. Besides bringing additional moisture many people who have watched the weather for many years tell us that the longer winter lingers on the less likely violent weather is to occur in later months.

About the time most of us get enough money to buy something that is a luxury, it ceases to be a luxury.

There is quite a hassle in Washington now between the Democrats and the Republicans to see who can do the most first for the unemployed in other regions of the country.

The Republicans propose a tax cut to ease the recession while the Democrats advocate inauguration of public works. We are inclined to agree with House Speaker Sam Rayburn who said this week that "the unemployed are more interested in finding employment than tax cuts on income they do not have."

Although slowed down temporarily by snow, more construction is underway in McLean. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cooke are adding onto their beautiful home; J. B. and Wanda Waldrop have started construction on their new home in the west part of town. Bryan McPherson is building a new service station building on the east bound lane of Highway 66, and Mrs. Legon Burris is getting ready to build an addition to her florist shop. And the Windows' new West Wind Motel is nearing completion.

TACT is the ability to let the other fellow have your way.

Lovett Memorial Library to Observe Open House Sunday

Lovett Memorial Library in McLean will observe the opening of National Library Week on Sunday, March 16, with Open House from 2:00 to 4:00 p. m.

A cordial invitation has been extended to everyone to attend the open house at this time.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, for 77 years the American Red Cross has been on the job, meeting human needs and converting human sympathy, kindness, and the desire to help others into practical neighborly assistance; and

WHEREAS, its primary responsibilities—services to the Armed Forces and to victims of disaster—have been assigned to the Red Cross by the United States government, to be carried out for and in the name of the American people; and

WHEREAS, to these basic responsibilities, in response to community needs, has been added a broad range of other services; and

WHEREAS, this nation, its government, and its people, will continue to look to the American Red Cross for all those humane, friendly services that have done so much to improve community life and to maintain the well-being of our neighbors in time of disaster and emergency; and

WHEREAS, this organization is a great fellowship of good will in which all citizens are welcome, and when we join the Red Cross we identify ourselves with each individual act of mercy this great organization performs anywhere in the world, as surely as if we personally extended a helping hand; now

THEREFORE, E. J. Lander, mayor of the City of McLean, proclaim the month of March, 1958, as RED CROSS MONTH and do here and now urge all citizens of McLean to contribute generously to the 1958 Red Cross campaign for members and funds through our local Red Cross chapter, remembering that increased membership and contributions are required to keep pace with our rising population and its greater need for Red Cross services.

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DISAPPOINTED THIEVES GET LESS THAN \$5 AT SCHOOL

Burglars gained entry into the McLean high school building last Tuesday night following the girls bi-district basketball game, and though it is believed that they were looking for the gate receipts of the championship game, actually less than \$5 was taken.

Entry into the building was gained through a ground floor window on the northeast side of the high school and after they were inside, the door to the principal's office was pried open and the coin box was taken from the Coco Cola machine.

Superintendent Freeman Melton Jr., reported that it was believed the burglars were looking for the gate receipts from the McLean-White Deer game which drew a capacity crowd. Some \$430 was taken in at the Tuesday night game, but the money was not left in the school building. Mr. Melton said that it is a policy of the school to deposit all money daily and that money is not left in the building.

The burglary resulted in more damage than loss of money since the only money the thieves obtained was that in the vending machine and perhaps some small change in the principal's office, which was all estimated at less than \$5. However, a new door facing was required where the burglars had damaged the old one with some type of heavy bar.

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McLean Bank Deposits Up

If a slight business recession is underway throughout the nation, apparently most McLean residents are not affected by it, or so local bank deposits indicate.

In the report of condition of the American National Bank in McLean issued this week the official statement shows that local deposits here are up \$338,232.77 over a year ago.

On March 10, 1957, deposits in the local bank totaled \$1,493,181.27 and the latest statement shows that deposits total \$1,831,414.04 in the American National Bank.

Further checking into the bank's records revealed that deposits are almost twice as much as they were 10 years ago at the same time.

With local economy already looking good, area business promises to get better shortly.

The C. F. Braun Construction of California is due back in McLean around March 22 to enlarge facilities at the El Paso Natural Gas Company's compressor station 2½ miles east of McLean.

Other construction scheduled by the company will be at Shamrock and Skellytown. Many local persons were employed by the company last year when construction of the compressor plant was underway.

DIST. GOVERNOR BILL SMITH TO VISIT McLEAN LIONS CLUB

The Lions Club of McLean will welcome W. L. "Bill" Smith, district governor of district 2T-1, Lions International, which includes 87 clubs in this section of the state. Lion Smith is in the cotton and cotton gin business in Ralls and has been active in civic and state affairs for many years. He is the present mayor of the city of Ralls. Governor Smith, prior to becoming district governor, was president of the Ralls Lions Club for two years, and has served as zone chairman and deputy district governor of this district.

District Governor Smith will visit the McLean club at 12:05 on March 18. The purpose of his visit will be to advise and assist President Amos Page, Secretary Elmo Whaley, and the officers, directors and members of the club on matters pertaining to Lions administration and the Lions' great program of humanitarian service.

Lion Smith is one of the 306 district governors who supervise the activities of the 13,220 Lions Clubs. Lions International was formally founded in 1917 in Dallas, and during the past 40 years has become the largest, most active, and fastest growing service club organization in the world.

There were on June 30, 1957, Lions Clubs in 82 countries or geographical locations of the world with a membership of over 558,115. During the fiscal year of 1956-57, 1,008 new Lions Clubs were organized.

The Lions Clubs' special mission is the promotion of good government and good citizenship, the development of civic, educational, social and moral welfare of the community and nation, and to help create and foster "a spirit of generous consideration among the peoples of the world." The slogan of the International Association of Lions Clubs is "Liberty, Intelligence, Our Nation's Safety." Its motto is "We Serve."

McLean is an active unit of the International Association of Lions Clubs, which is dedicated to community betterment in all its aspects; to national and economic, social and cultural progress; and to the promotion of international understanding and amity. In all these fields, Lions International

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BILL SMITH

... to visit here

has won strong influence and prestige, because of its countless constructive services.

McLean P-TA Meets At Grade School On Wednesday

The Parent-Teacher Association met Wednesday, March 5, at 3:45 p. m. in the grade school cafeteria.

President Naomi McCarty presided at the meeting. It was voted to appropriate \$25.00 to the Cub Scouts which the P-TA sponsors. Mrs. Zolda McClellan, chairman of the nominating committee, introduced the ladies selected by the committee. Election of the new officers will be at the April meeting.

Principal Dale Parvin introduced the program topic, "Youth Tells Its Story." Ruth Magee and Vera Back were in charge of the program. Mrs. Back read a theme written by boys and girls ages 12 to 15. The themes were written about teachers and parents.

Mrs. Priest's room won the room count. Refreshments were served by Mesdames Corcoran, Hinton, Meacham, Willoughby and L. M. Watson.

The P-TA served coffee at the public school open house Friday, April 12 at Shamrock. Several members and officers plan to attend.

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SCHOOL BUS OVERTURNS WEDNESDAY

A Shamrock school bus overturned Wednesday morning one mile west of Lela on Highway 66.

The small Travelall type bus was returning toward Shamrock from Kellierville about 8:00 a. m. Wednesday with five students aboard in addition to the driver.

No serious injuries resulted from the accident which occurred when the bus overturned on the icy road, although two students were taken to the hospital for a medical checkup.

New Hours Revealed For Lovett Library; To Open Saturdays

At the regular meeting of the Lovett Memorial Library board the librarian reported a total of 2,189 withdrawals during the first 60 day period of 1958.

Arrangements were made to put into effect on March 22 the wish of the governing board to extend the services of the library to include Saturday afternoon.

It is thought that this will be of especial convenience to the patrons of neighboring communities.

Beginning March 22 the library will be open from 1:00 to 5:00 p. m. Saturdays and 10:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. Mondays through Fridays.

Doctor to Be Out Of Town Few Days

Dr. H. F. Fabian has announced that he will be out of town for the remainder of the week.

The doctor expects to be back at his office on Monday, March 17.

REVEILLE



... with the boys

A/2 Kenneth Hughes of Walker Air Force Base, Roswell, N. M., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes, over the weekend.

Gray County's Rufe Jordan Named Outstanding Sheriff

Gray County Sheriff R. H. (Rufe) Jordan was named one of the five outstanding sheriffs in Texas by the Texas Law Enforcement Foundation in Austin Tuesday.

Sheriff Jordan, along with four other Texas sheriffs and five prosecutors, was honored at an awards banquet Tuesday night.

Former F. B. I. Agent E. A. Stanfield of Lufkin has been named executive director of the Texas Law Enforcement Foundation. F. O. Detwiler, president of Chance Vought Aircraft of Dallas, who serves as president of the citizens group dedicated to better law enforcement, made the announcement at Austin Tuesday when directors of the foundation met prior to the third annual awards banquet of the organization held there Tuesday evening.

A native East Texan, Stanfield was a special agent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation from 1940 through 1951 when he became personnel director for Lufkin Foundry and Machine Co., a post he resigned to take the new assignment in Austin. He has been president of the East Texas



R. H. (Rufe) JORDAN

... outstanding sheriff

Peace Officers' Association, the Lufkin Lions Club, and holds offices in the Stephen F. Austin College alumni and ex-student associations. Lodge membership includes both Masons and Elks.

He is a member of the Baptist church.

Ten men were honored at the awards banquet Tuesday night when five prosecutors and five sheriffs received certificates from the foundation citing them for outstanding service in their fields.

The ten were selected from nominations made by interested citizens so the basis of their conduct of office, contacts with public, volume and quality of work performed, and cooperation with all law enforcement agencies.

Named as outstanding sheriffs were Don F. Atkins, Runnels County, Ballinger; Ed Darnell, Midland County, Midland; Charles J. Hitzfelder, Medina County, Hondo; R. H. (Rufe) Jordan, Gray County, Pampa; and E. E. Vickers, Hidalgo County, Edinburg.

Foundation activities were scheduled in conjunction with the attorney general's conference held in Austin on Monday and Tuesday this week because of the parallel interest and objectives of the two groups and as a convenience to the many in attendance from all parts of the state.

1958 RED CROSS FUND DRIVE GETS UNDERWAY IN McLEAN



At Home—

NEW BOSS

Lt. and Mrs. Clyde Mounce of Sacramento, Calif., are the parents of a girl born March 7. She weighed 6 pounds, 12 ounces, and has been named Brenda Gail. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hal Mounce of McLean.

Presbyterian Church Announces Plans for Preaching Mission

The Presbyterian Church has announced that a Holy Week Preaching Mission will be held March 31 to April 5, at 7:30 p. m.

The minister, the Rev. Gerald L. Hill, will preach a series of sermons based on the "Seven Last Words From the Cross."

It is also announced that the Presbyterian church will co-sponsor with the Methodist church a noon-time Preaching Mission to be held at the Avalon Theatre.

The services will be at 12:30 each day April 1 through April 4. Two guest speakers, Dr. Hubert Bratcher, Methodist, and the Rev. Ronald Hubbard, Presbyterian, have been invited to speak, along with the local ministers, Rev. Riley and Rev. Hill.

The Presbyterian church invites everyone to attend each of these services during this special season of the Christian year, and share in worship and thanksgiving.

Hillcrest Cemetery Meeting Set Tuesday

A meeting of the Hillcrest Cemetery Association will be held Tuesday night, March 18, at 7:30 in the City Hall.

Plans for the coming year will be made. Everyone is urged to attend.

Chester Bohlar was in Fort Worth and Dallas last week for a medical checkup.

Volunteer workers began soliciting funds for the American Red Cross Monday morning. Freeman Melton, Jr., drive chairman, has announced.

The local quota is \$931.00 this year. Eleven local ladies serving as team captains have organized their teams and a concentrated effort for contributions is underway now and will continue through next week.

In the appeal for local contributions, Chairman Melton released the following information regarding the Red Cross organization:

"This is a critical year for the American Red Cross. Its reserves have been wiped out by the great disasters that have buffeted the country during the past two years. Now it is faced with the gargantuan task of maintaining and even expanding its varied humanitarian services and at the same time rebuilding these reserves, which will be needed in the event of any great national calamity.

"It is important that each one of us recognizes our responsibility in helping the Red Cross toward its 1958 membership and fund goal. Through its blood program, disaster, armed forces, veterans, first aid, water safety, school and other services it probably plays a more important role in the lives of Americans than any other non-governmental agency.

"If a disaster should strike this community, the Red Cross would be here. When blood is needed to save a life, the Red Cross is here. When adults and youngsters want to acquire the skills of swimming, life saving, small craft handling, home nursing and mother and baby care, the Red Cross is here. And when our sons or husbands in the armed forces need help, the Red Cross is there.

"The point that should be emphasized here is that we make these free services possible. We are the Red Cross—every one of us—and it is to our advantage and to our community's advantage that we keep the Red Cross strong and on the job for us," Melton concluded.

McLean Ex-Students Meeting Set Friday At Lovett Library

A meeting of McLean ex-students will be held Friday, March 14, at the Lovett Memorial Library at 4:00 o'clock.

Everyone interested in having an ex-students homecoming is urged to attend this meeting.

Mrs. Chester Bohlar and children are visiting in California.

Society

Double Ring Ceremony Read for Karen Copeland and Duane Kennedy in Canyon

Minister Douglas Rohre, director of the Church of Christ Bible Chair, read the double-ring service which united in marriage Miss Karen Copeland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Copeland of Tulla, and Duane Kennedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Kennedy of Estelina. The wedding was solemnized in the Hill Memorial Chapel on the campus of West Texas State College in Canyon at four o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday, March 8.

An arch of greenery and bronze mums, flanked by large floor baskets of mums and branched floor candelabra holding white cathedral tapers, formed the background setting. In front of the altar area were also tiered candelabra and floor baskets of mums. A white aisle cloth was laid to the archway where the couple exchanged their vows.

Proceeding the entrance of the bride party, Miss Juanelva Rose of Tulla played a prelude of wedding music on the organ and then she played the traditional wedding marches and soft music during the ceremony. She accompanied Mrs. Sam T. Bryan of Happy, soloist, who sang "I Love Thee" by Greig, and "Through the Years" by Youmans.

Candles were lighted by Gerry Kennedy, sister of the groom, and Martha Copeland, sister of the bride. They were identically dressed in pale yellow crystalline frocks over taffeta, with matching nylon gloves and bandeaux of yellow daisies.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a white formal bridal gown of embroidered nylon tulle over taffeta. The gown was fashioned with molded bodice of chantilly lace festooned with iridescent sequins and seed pearls terminating in points over the bouffant skirt, sweetheart neckline, and long pointed sleeves. The fullness of her skirt in the back fell to a chapel train. Her fingertip veil of illusion fell from a crown of seed pearls and sequins. She carried a bridal bouquet of tallman rosebuds with stephanotis and white satin streamers. The ring bearer, young Mark Dovel, nephew of the bride, carried the rings on a white satin pillow with nylon lace ruffles.

Mrs. Milton Dovele of Tulla, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Maid of honor was Miss Shirley Copeland of Amarillo, sister of the bride. Bridesmaid was Miss Becky McCoy of Tulla. They were dressed in identically styled gowns of cotton satin and hats in colors ranging from champagne to bronze to chestnut, with matching gloves, and they carried bouquets of tallman rosebuds.

Paul L. Kennedy of McLean was his nephew's best man. Groomsman were Tommy Copeland, brother of the bride, and Jack Hodges of Dallas. Ushers were Mackie Allen of Memphis and Jimmie Don Adams of Estelina.

Mother of the bride, Mrs. Copeland, chose a navy silk dress with picture hat and matching accessories. Mrs. Kennedy, mother of the groom, wore a black afternoon frock accented with aqua neck trim embroidered with seed pearls, and matching accessories. Both wore corsages of red rosebuds.

Immediately following was a reception in the Church of Christ Bible Chair. The bride's table was laid with an embroidered nylon net cloth over mauve nylon. The floral arrangement of tallman rosebuds was flanked by white tapers in crystal candelabra. The three-tiered wedding cake was iced in white with a rosebud design and topped with a miniature bride and groom. Sandra Pierson and Sue Purrington of Tulla served the cake. Ladonna Burrow of Tulla presided at the crystal punch service, serving frosted golden punch. Miss Monta Jean Kennedy of McLean, cousin of the groom, registered the guests.

For her wedding trip, the bride wore an ice blue silk frock with matching wool duster with rhinestone clips and matching hat. She wore a corsage of tallman rosebuds. The couple will reside at 2604 Sixth Street in Canyon, where they will continue their college work at West Texas State College. She is a primary education major and he is majoring in television and radio work.

A pre-nuptial reception and shower in the home of Mrs. Fowler McDaniel in Tulla on the afternoon of March 1 complimented the pair. A reception honoring them is to be held in the Estelina Methodist Church on the evening of March 15.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Kennedy were hosts for the rehearsal dinner which was served in the Cowboy Cafe in Canyon on the evening of March 7. Duane

Kennedy presented his groomsman, ushers and best man were cuff links. The bride's gifts to the matron of honor and bridesmaids were gloves and linen handkerchiefs.

Attending from McLean were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kennedy and Monta Jean. Mrs. E. F. Kennedy will be remembered as Miss Elizabeth Kennedy, who taught in McLean schools for seven years during the 1930's.

Pioneer Study Club Meets Thursday With Mrs. Stubbiefield

The Pioneer Study Club met Thursday, March 6, in the home of Mrs. Earl Stubbiefield for an interesting study of Peru led by Mrs. Jim Hathaway. She related the interesting story of Macha Picchu, the lost city of the Incas, and told of the many ancestral customs of the people.

President Ruth Whaley was in charge of the business. The nominating committee, composed of Mrs. Jesse Coleman, Mrs. Evan Sitter and Mrs. Clyde Magee, submitted the following names for new officers, who were then elected by acclamation: president, Erma Hester; vice president, Loree Brown; secretary and treasurer, Betty Bunch; reporter, Wanda Lamb; and parliamentarian, Mary Tom Riley.

The hostess served refreshments of chicken salad, stuffed dates, strawberry cake and coffee to the following: Ruth Magee, Clara Hupp, Pearl Bogan, Alice Short Smith, Mary Tom Riley, Lynn Reeves, Leona Sitter, Vera Back, Sinclair Armstrong, Wanda Lamb, Loree Brown, Lavine Hathaway, Erma Hester, Betty Bunch, Bonnie Fabian, Ruth Whaley, and Mrs. Whaley's granddaughter, Mary Ruth Kesterson of Enid, Okla.

Presbyterian Ladies Meet Tuesday

Presbyterian Ladies met Tuesday in the church parlor. The meeting opened with the Lord's Prayer in unison. Mrs. Stubbs conducted a short business meeting.

Mrs. F. E. Hambricht led in prayer, and Mrs. Jess Kemp was leader of the Bible lesson on Luke and the Gentiles.

Present were Mesdames F. E. Hambricht, E. J. Windom, Sr., C. E. Cooke, Fidelle Stubbs, J. M. Payne, Raymond Glass, Petie Everett, John B. Rice, Jess Kemp, C. O. Goodman and Bill Stubbs.

Baptist Girls Auxiliary Meets

The Junior Girls Auxiliary met in the parlor of the First Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon. The president called the meeting to order. The secretary called the roll and read the minutes.

Members present were Molita Back, Barbara Smith, Barbara Simpson, Ginger Ivie, and Paula Stewart.

The treasurer reported \$6.09 in the treasury. The program was on the G. A. steps. Refreshments were served.

Charity is a virtue of the heart and not of the hands.—Joseph Addison.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Head

are the new owners of MILLER'S TRUCK STOP the name has been changed to PORTER'S TRUCK STOP

We invite everyone to come in and get acquainted.

We are now open although remodeling is underway.

WATCH FOR FORMAL OPENING

Baptist WMS Has Business Meeting

The monthly business meeting of the Baptist WMS was held Wednesday night of last week in the church parlor with Mrs. Homer Abbott, president, presiding. Mrs. Louise McDonald led in prayer. Mrs. Abbott read the 100th Psalm for the devotional and the minutes were read by Mrs. Joe Suderman. The treasurer's report was given by Mrs. Joe Taylor, and reports were heard from various chairmen. The meeting was dismissed with prayer by Mrs. L. F. Giesler.

Those attending the meeting were Miss Eunice Stratton, a visitor; and Mesdames Luther Petty, Clarence Voyte; R. L. McDonald, L. L. Tibbets, Paul Miller, Boyd Reeves, Raymono Smith, Leo

Gibson, George Colebank, Lena Jones, Frank Simpson, Gene Herron, E. L. Price, Bunia and Oba Kunkel, Rush Turner, W. N. Pharis, Louise McDonald, Abbott, Suderman, Giesler and Taylor.

Cliff Days Entertain With 42 Party

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Day entertained a group of friends in their home Tuesday night with a 42 party. A very enjoyable evening was reported.

Those attending included Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Price, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carpenter, Mrs. Madge Page, Mrs. Ellen Wilson, Mrs. Alice Wilson, Mrs. Lavada Cash, Mrs. Nina Carpenter, Mrs. Allie Mae Herron and Mrs. Lena Pettit.

Baptist Circle Meets Tuesday

The Rowden circle of the Baptist WMS met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Frank Howard west of town.

Mrs. O. L. Tibbets, circle chairman, conducted the business and prayer was led by Mrs. Homer Abbott.

Mrs. George Colebank taught a Bible lesson on "Philip, the Soul Winner." All present took part in the study and Mrs. Howard led the closing prayer.

The hostess served refreshments of cherry pie and coffee to Mesdames T. D. Key, W. R. James, Ola Henderson, Bill Pettit, Luther Petty, Abbott, Tibbets and Colebank.

The circle will meet next week with Mrs. Colebank.

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Methodist Church Faith Circle Meets

The Faith Circle of the McLean Methodist Church met Tuesday morning at the church. Ruth Ellen Riley had charge of the program on foreign fields.

Georgia Beasley, president, presided at the business meeting. The circle voted to meet every month and to encourage the members to attend the study in addition.

Mrs. H. A. Longino served refreshments to Mesdames Earl Eustace, Guy Beasley, Jack Riley, Jesse Coleman, Clifford Allison and Andra Fuller.

Toboggan sleds were invented by American Indians.

White men cannot vote in Liberia.



In Thee, O Lord, do I put my trust; let me never be put to confusion.—(Psalm 71, 1.)

Those who put their trust in God, completely and without reservation— who say "Thy will, not mine, be done" in wondrous faith, shall evermore be calm and strong, free from doubt and confusion.



SPECIAL VALUES UNTIL MARCH 22

Finest Quality **MEATS**

PINKNEY SUN-RAY SAUSAGE 2 lb bag 69c
 WILSON CORN KING BACON lb 59c
 WILSON CERTIFIED BOLOGNA lb 49c

WILL HAVE DAVID WOODS' CLUB BEEF FOR SALE THIS WEEK

Garden-Fresh **VEGETABLES**

FRESH GREEN ONIONS bunch 5c
 LARGE RED DELICIOUS APPLES each 5c
 FUERTE AVOCADOS each 10c
 SUNSHINE HYDROX COOKIES 12 oz. pkg. 35c
 TENDERCRUST—Thin or Round Top BREAD 1 1/2 lb loaf 20c

TUNA
 CHUNK STYLE
 6 oz. 4 for \$1

Shurfine young **MOTHER HUBBARD** dollar sale

FILL YOUR BARE CUPBOARDS FOR LESS!

APPLE BUTTER 28 oz. 4 for \$1	GRAPE JUICE 24 oz. 3 for \$1
APPLE SAUCE No. 303 6 for \$1	GREEN BEANS Whole No. 303 4 for \$1
APRICOTS Halves Unpeeled No. 303 4 for \$1	HOMINY No. 303 11 for \$1
ASPARAGUS All Green Cut No. 303 4 for \$1	MARGARINE pound 5 for \$1
BEANS & POTATOES No. 303 6 for \$1	MEXICAN STYLE BEANS—No. 303 8 for \$1
BISCUITS 8 oz. 3 for 25c	MILK Tall 7 for \$1
BLACKEYES Fresh Shelled No. 300 8 for \$1	PEACHES—Elberta Sic-Hlv. No. 2 1/2 3 for \$1
CATSUP 14 oz. 5 for \$1	PEARS—Halves Bartlett—No. 303 4 for \$1
CHEESE SPREAD 2 lb 69c	PEAS—Early Harvest—No. 303 5 for \$1
CHERRIES R S P No. 303 5 for \$1	PORK & BEANS No. 300 10 for \$1
COFFEE Reg. or Drip lb 79c	SAUER KRAUT No. 303 8 for \$1
CORN CS or WK Golden—No. 303 7 for \$1	SHORTENING 3 lb 75c
FLOUR Paper bag 10 lb 75c	SPINACH No. 303 8 for \$1
FLOUR Cotton bag 25 lb \$1.69	STRAWBERRY PRESERVES 12 oz. 3 for \$1
FRUIT COCKTAIL No. 303 4 for \$1	TOMATO JUICE No. 2 7 for \$1

AFFILIATED *John* **COOPER'S** FOOD MARKET

THE BIGGEST LITTLE STORE IN THE PANHANDLE

McLEAN, TEXAS PHONE 35



Congressman Rogers Reports— TO THE PEOPLE

H. R. 8002

These initials and numerals do not mean a great deal to many of you, but they represent probably the first hotly contested bill that has come before the present Congress. Although only two days were consumed in the debate and passage of the bill, every moment of this time was taken up with heated argument. The bill, in its original form, proposed to limit the power of Congress to appropriate more money during one year than could be expended during that year. This sounds very good on its face and would certainly appeal to everyone if such practice could save money. If it were possible to conduct the government's business on that basis to the best interests of all, I do not think there would have been one vote against the measure when it came up in the House. However, there is a keen division of opinion on this subject. The proponents of the measure argue that by adopting this procedure, it would make it impossible for the several agencies of the government to carry over appropriated but unspent funds from year to year. They further contend that this would enable the Congress to channel unspent funds into other projects and require less demand upon the taxpayers for additional sums. Certainly we would all agree that the bill should be passed if this was the case.

for more money than was estimated but not appropriated. Several amendments were offered and one was adopted which virtually constituted a substitute for the bill. It placed in Congress certain powers of limiting the amount of expenditures of the several departments each year, which is, of course, very good. Whether or not the amendment went far enough to effect measurable savings is difficult to determine. I felt that the bill should be returned to the committee for some additional study on this phase, and then returned to the House for approval. However, the House did not choose to give further study to the measure in this particular and wanted to either pass or refuse the bill as amended. Under the circumstances I voted for the measure, because I think it will afford an opportunity to explore an area whereby some savings can be effected. However, very close vigilance should be maintained in the application of this law so that immediate corrective steps can be taken in the event the stepped up missile program is even slightly jeopardized.

Other Controversial Issues
Congress is now moving into that period of each session when hotly contested issues begin to come to the floor. Up until now all of the work has been progressing in the several committees, perfecting the particular bills to be debated. One of these will be the Alaskan statehood bill. Efforts are being made at the present time to push this through at an early date. The Hawaiian bill is still in committee, but it is understood the Alaskan bill will not be brought before the Congress until the committee passes favorably upon the Hawaiian bill and recommends its passage. There is little question that the Hawaiian bill will be approved by the committee, because the Alaskan bill was approved last year, and I believe that only six of us voted against it. There will probably be a few more votes in committee against the Hawaiian bill, but it will pass out of the committee with a good margin.

Top Award for Understatement
The highest award for a masterpiece of understatement goes to Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson for a remark he made in a recent news conference and which I quote "If our critics say we are doing too much for the farmer, I don't agree." I am sure this is one statement on which Benson and the farmers fully agree.

Dear Friend:
A sad old story was told once more in the announcement that the cost of living hit another new high last month. Living costs advanced six-tenths of one percent above the December figure and three and one-half per cent above January, 1957.

not, in my considered opinion, call for pessimism about the future. They do call for careful, prudent study and for positive, soundly conceived action to prevent our nation from sliding into really hard times.

This is the 19th increase in 21 months. It is the biggest monthly jump since the middle of 1956. In terms of purchasing power during the period covered by the years 1947-49, the dollar is now worth only 81.7 cents.

Congress is aware of the problem. To recognize the problem and to take steps to meet it is not to express any loss of confidence in the future of the country. On the contrary, when we make investments in projects that will produce wealth in the future and also provide needed jobs in the present, we are showing a very realistic faith that the American people will go upward to new heights of prosperity and progress.

This latest rise in the cost of living comes at a time when the country is in a general business slump—when between four and one-half million people and five million who want jobs can't get them. It hurts even more than previous increases.

That is the faith I have, and I believe it is the faith that the overwhelming majority of Americans have.

Unemployment in Texas is now estimated at approximately 210,000, which is close to 6 1/2% of the total working force. That is a far cry from the 14% unemployment figure that Texas knew in the worst of the depression. But the man who is out of work today cannot find much comfort in the knowledge that many more men were jobless during the depression.

We can assure the future by tackling head-on the problems of the present. That is what Americans have always done. It is a procedure that has always worked out successfully. We have every reason to feel confident it will work again.

The major part of the unemployment is in small businesses, on farms and in small towns. The bad farm picture—with a year of floods following eight years of drought—has driven many farm owners and farm workers into town, looking for work.

Social Security Benefits Explained
Increases in social security benefits based on additional earnings after retirement are not automatic, John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo district office, says. Such increases must be applied for to be received. Many people do not want to stop working as soon as they reach retirement age. Some of them work full time as long as they can, and some taper off their earnings by doing part-time work. Frequently, then, the question arises, "Will the earnings I have had, since I filed my claim, enable me to draw higher benefits?" The answer is, "Yes, they possibly will."

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PHONE 44

If you are a beneficiary over age 72, still working, and have never inquired about having your benefits refigured, it might result in an increase in your payments if you contact your social security office. This is particularly true if you have made over \$4200 in any two of the last three years, starting with 1935 and are not now receiving \$108.50 per month.

Tax Man Sam Sez:

By this time of the year a lot of folks are wearing out the lid to their mail box looking for their tax refund check. Some folks start looking for the refund check a few days after they have filed their tax return. The tax folks in Dallas have to be pretty fast in figuring tax returns and getting out refund because it takes several months at the rate of 10,000 checks per day to get out over 700,000 refund checks. You have to remember that there are millions of taxpayers and there are a lot of steps required by law in checking your return before Internal Revenue can send you your refund check. If you move, tell Uncle Sam your new address and give him a little time and your check will probably be along within a couple of months. Don't write and ask for it before July 1.

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MEMBER F. D. I. C.
McLEAN, TEXAS
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS MARCH 4, 1958

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts \$ 478,802.78	Capital Stock \$ 50,000.00
Banking House 45,483.52	Surplus 75,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures 7,145.38	Reserves 35,000.00
Stock in Fed. Reserve Bank 3,750.00	Undivided Profits 28,663.37
U. S. Bonds and Other Obligations Guaranteed by U. S. Government \$ 538,839.00	DEPOSITS 1,831,414.04
Other Marketable Bonds 439,077.19	
Cash on Hand and Due From Banks 506,979.54— 1,484,895.73	
TOTAL \$2,020,077.41	TOTAL \$2,020,077.41

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Editorial

AN OLD STORY

U. S. News & World Report says: "Two simple facts give you a clue to what has been happening in American industry:

"Fact one is that output of goods in factories for each man-hour of work has risen only a trifle more than 1% in the two years since 1955.

"Fact two is that hourly pay of factory workers has in that same period gone up a bit more than 10%."

This trend could produce something new in this country—a depression accompanied by high and rising prices. This is the kind of inflation that has destroyed currencies and brought collapse to governments all through history.

THE REASON FOR THE "SPREAD"

Dr. Karl D. Butler, a well known authority on agricultural matters, writes that in the last 10 years the farmer's share of each dollar the consumer spends for food has dropped from 52 to about 40 cents.

This development has stirred much discussion and ill-feeling. The charge has been made, for instance, that processors and retailers have been taking an unjustified share of the food dollar, at agriculture's expense.

Dr. Butler, however, shows that there is no case to be made here. The Department of Agriculture is authority for the statement that the food chains earn a profit of only 1.1 cents on that dollar. And the processor's profit dropped from 4% in 1946 to 2.9% in 1956.

Where, then, has the money gone?
 Dr. Butler traces the various factors that help to account for the widened spread between what the farmer

gets and the consumer pays. And he finds, the biggest one, by a wide margin, "can be found in what has been happening in the kitchen of America." He goes on: "Apparently most of the farmer's missing share of the consumer's food dollar goes into processing hundreds of ready-to-serve and ready-to-cook items. It would appear Mrs. Housewife and Mr. America are willing to pay someone to do the housewife's work and have it done before reaching the home."

This increasing emphasis on "built-in-convenience" is true of many other goods sold at retail. It requires much labor and costs money. It is done because the consumer demands it. So there's the big reason for today's spread—not profits.

THE COMMUNITY LIFE RECORDER

In honor of National Newspaper Week, the Putnam County Courier of Carmel, N. Y., sponsored an essay contest among high school students. The assigned topic was "What My Hometown Newspaper Means to Me." A distinguished panel of judges chose the winner. She is Estelle Duhrles of Carmel, and her essay was devoted to what the hometown paper means to an average, busy teenager.

Miss Duhrles listed many features of the paper that help her keep contact with the community—vital statistics, social and church notes, news of sports and entertainment, the comings and goings of people, and so on. Then at the end she said, "The hometown newspaper is an essential part of the 'American Way of Life.' It stresses the importance of the everyday citizen in the modern world, and I am one of them."

That is an interesting and accurate point of view. The hometown paper is a unique institution. Nothing duplicates it, nothing can take its place. It provides a running history of its community, and of the people whose lives influence the community in one fashion or another. It is the backbone of community life and progress.

40 Years Ago— IT HAPPENED HERE

Taken from the Files of The McLean News, 1918

Celebrate Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. A. Stanfield extended the hospitality of their home to their many friends on last Saturday evening to come and help them celebrate their 20th wedding anniversary. In response, many friends came, each bringing a beautiful piece of china.

On arrival, each guest registered. Music was furnished and many of the old time games were engaged in until a late hour, when refreshments were served.

As each guest took their departure, they wished the host and hostess much happiness and hoped they would remain 20 years young.

Among those present were J. S. Morse and family, Mont Noel and family, J. E. Cubine and

family, I. P. Evans and family, Bob Jordan and family, L. O. Floyd and family, C. E. Bogan and family, Chas. Carpenter and family, Rev. Osborn and family, S. R. Jones and wife, Scott Johnston and wife, S. E. Boyett and wife, T. M. Wolfe, D. A. Davis and wife, Geo. Cash and wife, Mesdames John B. Vannoy, Luther Coffey, Sallie Coffey and Pollard, Misses Frankie Upham, O'Neal of Amarillo, Ethel Cash and Opal Davis.

Meat Markets Consulate

Russell & Son have sold their meat market to the Haynes-Mertel Grocery Co. The Russell market has been closed and Mr. Russell employed as meat cutter in the Haynes-Mertel establishment.

Personals

Miss Mary Henry returned Sunday from Lubbock, where she

visited friends.

"Toad" Cash was here last week from Dalhart visiting home folks. He went back Sunday.

Mrs. Billie Biggers came over from Groom Saturday to see her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Ficyd.

W. E. Jackson of Lakeview came in Tuesday night for a visit with his son, R. S. Jackson.

Bill Bundy, Erwin Rice, Dewey and Roy Campbell went to Clarendon Sunday.

Miss Faye Sullivan has accepted the position in the Palace Drug Store vacated by Miss Winnie Newton, who has gone to Dallas to train as a nurse.

G. W. Street and wife of Alan Reed were in the city Saturday.

Josh Turner arrived today from Ft. Sill for a few days visit with home folks and friends.

Mrs. Walter Foster was taken to Amarillo Saturday where she underwent an operation.

Miss Floy Glass, who is teaching at Leila, was at home Saturday and Sunday.

Geo. Saye sold his ranch to G. M. Lane of Ramsdell this week. Mr. Lane also bought the Gracey place from S. H. Bundy and will move his family there soon.

Miss Frankie Upham and Miss O'Neal from Amarillo were here last weekend visiting Miss Upham's folks.

Miss Hattie Thompson spent the weekend with Miss Lucile Horton at Shamrock.

Claude Swafford and wife went to Amarillo Wednesday.

W. S. Copeland was over from Lefors Wednesday.

G. S. Loyd had business in Shamrock Thursday.

Uncle Ben Pierce was here from north of town Saturday.

Miss Ruth Bullock was over from Groom Saturday visiting with friends.

Elmer Reeves and Clyde Slavin were over from Alanreed Tuesday.

R. S. Jordan and wife went to Amarillo Tuesday, returning the same day.

Chas. Guill and wife went to Amarillo Sunday to see Mrs. Guill's parents.

Cicero Smith Improves

The Cicero Smith Lumber Co. office force claims to be a busy people, and this claim seems to be more than "camel flags." Early last fall they started to re-decorate the office, covering the walls with wall board, painting, re-flooring, and general rearrangement being planned. They only managed to get started last fall and it was not until this week that they had time to do any more. When finished their office will be one of the prettiest places in town, and we are wondering how they intend to keep tired people from making it a place of rest so much that business operations will be handicapped.

I GIVE YOU TEXAS BY BOYCE HOUSE

Let me tell you about the most unusual educational institution Texas has ever known.

You probably never heard of it; it was known as the Thurber Training School.

For that matter, you may not even have heard of Thurber Thurber around 1900 and for nearly 20 years thereafter was a coal mining town, some 16 miles east of Ranger. At one time, it was said to have been the largest town between Fort Worth and El Paso. You can see the remnants as you glide along Highway 80—a smokestack and a few empty brick buildings, a filling station and two or three houses which are occupied.

The Thurber Training School—as you have probably figured out—was at Thurber. And it came about in this way:

A number of young men employed in the office of the Texas Pacific Coal Company wanted to play football.

"But," somebody objected, "you can't just form a team. The only opponents you can find are the clevers of high schools and colleges and they wouldn't play anybody except another high school or college."

"All right," said another of the ambitious athletes, "we'll start a school."

So they organized Thurber Training School—an institution without buildings, classes, campus, teachers, books, courses of study, or alumni.

In fact, the only tangible evidence that there was such an institution was the stationery, "Thurber Training School," on which letters inviting games were written.

A schedule was lined up readily. (The coach played fullback.) All the contests were played away

from home. The Thurber town band performed and a pep squad was organized, the members being the young ladies who worked in the company office. They even had a school song.

If some educator remarked, "I don't believe I ever heard of your institution, a 'student' would say, "Oh, it emphasizes practical, rather than academic training"—and change the subject in a nutty.

Half the gate receipts went to each school and Thurber Training school's half was divided among the players.

By the end of the season, the athletes were pretty well battered and the project was not revived next fall.

Such is the brief history of Thurber Training School, Texas' most unusual educational institution, which was not exactly a scrap of paper but was just pieces of stationery—and a football club.

GAS-TOONS

By ERNEST WATSON



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PONTIAC SWEEPS NASCAR SAFETY HIGHWAY PASSING TESTS!

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Pontiac again proves it is AMERICA'S NUMBER 1 ROAD CAR in the year's toughest test of SAFETY, HANDLING AND PERFORMANCE!

HOUSEWIFE VICKI WOOD AND HER '58 PONTIAC taught men drivers a lesson in winning the 50 m.p.h. safe passing event. The elated Mrs. Wood reported, "... our new Pontiac handled and performed like a dream ... so smooth and easy I couldn't believe it".



Winner of the 30 m.p.h. passing event and high over-all winner of the safety tests with his standard 4-door Pontiac Catalina, magazine auto expert Jim McMichael cracked, "I could have told them before the tests started—this '58 Pontiac is in a class by itself".

Chances are you'll never be up against the precise and exacting demands that NASCAR puts on test cars and drivers.

But you can put Pontiac through your own everyday driving paces and learn why test drivers call Pontiac America's Number 1 Road Car.

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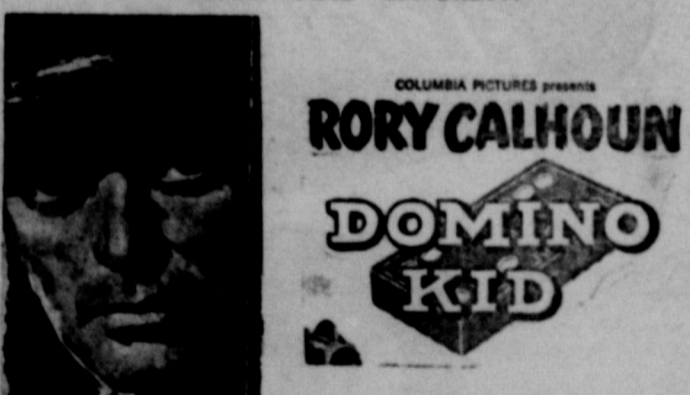
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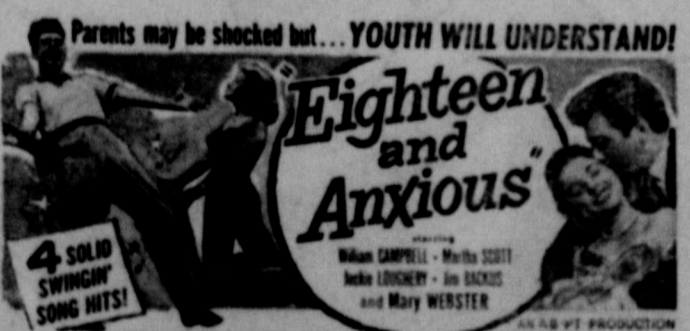
THURSDAY



FRIDAY AND SATURDAY



SUNDAY — MONDAY



WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

IT'S A MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF LAUGHS!





By VERN SANFORD

It has long been said that the moon is made of green cheese. Now scientists everywhere seem to be determined to find out if it's so.

Army, navy, air corps and civilian experts apparently are scrapping among themselves to see who gets there first.

Anyway, whether it is the Sputnik or the USnik, the costs so far have gone higher than the devices.

It's true that all of us want to know what's in outer space. We're not complaining about the costs, for all of us are interested in the rest of the universe.

Also there are a good many of us who want to know more about what's going on "down below." Fishermen in particular are interested in the creatures of the deep.

So, maybe you'd like to hear

about a little experiment that is going on along the Texas coast. There, aquatic biologic scientists are trying to find ways to create an artificial snapper reef.

They have an adequate budget. Not as big as the nuclear scientists, but adequate. The Game & Fish Commission has earmarked some \$7,000 for the venture. This money will buy a couple hundred old automobile bodies. These bodies will be linked together with a piece of oil field cable and dropped into the Gulf of Mexico at the 10 fathom curve near the whistling buoy off Port Aransas.

Tentative coast guard approval already has been given. The old autos must be planted where they will be a little too deep to affect navigation, and away from the range of shrimpers' nets.

This will be one of the most interesting experiments ever undertaken in Texas to increase off-

shore fishing for red snapper and other salt water fighters. If it works, other artificial reefs will be created from time to time to improve fishing along the Texas coast.

This little experiment may make the world a better place in which to live—rather than one to get out of.

At the present time snapper fishing is done mostly from party boats at ranges from 15 to 100 miles out in the Gulf of Mexico. There has been a little snapper fishing around the oil derricks in the offshore waters. These derricks are indicative that snapper can be caught around the artificial reefs.

It is hoped that the old automobile bodies will work like a brush shelter and serve as a hideaway for red snapper, ling, pompano, barracuda and other smaller fish. That of course means that the big ones will be lurking nearby. Result: good fishing for everyone.

Alabama has tried the idea with some success. If it works in Texas our coastal fishing will be much better, because these artificial reefs will afford cover not only for snapper, but for many other good fighting fish.

It might also be a place to get rid of thousands of old automobile bodies—which can't be shipped to the moon.

It has been suggested by some that old auto bodies might be used in fresh water lakes to provide cover for fish.

This would be very dangerous. Our lakes in Texas are not large enough. Even a few old automobile bodies dumped into Texas lakes would produce navigation hazards we don't need. Let's keep them clean.

If there is any tendency to dump auto bodies in the lakes in your area, then it would be wise for municipalities to pass ordinances as soon as possible to stop it.

Speaking of ordinances, what about asking your city to provide safe boat launching ramps in waters controlled by it? The city of Austin has just completed a new one within the city limits, on Lake Austin. It will help relieve the situation greatly.

Bass Tournament Dates

If your fishing is of championship qualities then you will be interested in knowing that the Texas bass tournament will be held this year on three of the Highland Lakes near Austin.

For several years this annual bass tournament has attracted many fishermen to Lake Whitney. Moving it to the Highland Lakes will draw more fishermen, especially from Southwest Texas.

The tournament is scheduled for May 22-25 on Buchanan, Inks and Granite Shoals Lakes. Tentative headquarters will be at the Inks State Park.

Earl Golding of the Waco Tribune and Russell Tinsley of the Austin American will be the tournament managers. Entries will be accepted after April 1 at either newspaper.

Last year Ray Creel and Herman Findley of Keene won the team trophy.

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Check Your Lines

At the risk of becoming redundant, we want to remind fishermen again to check your lines. Too many big fine fish are lost every year because we take a chance on a line that has been used for two or three years and we think it still is good.

If you decide your line is good, then at least take off the first 10 feet. This is the part which gets the most strain, running through the guides, hanging in brush and getting much more usage than the rest of the line.

There is nothing that makes a man feel quite so bad as to have a line failure just about the time he is fixing to boat a big bass. It isn't worth it when you can get a new line for so little by comparison to your cost on other equipment.

Outboards With Thermostats

Temperature control long has been used on automobiles. Now comes Evinrude with a thermostat on its Lark and Starlite

outboards. Temperature control means better performance and a saving on sparkplugs, fuel and oil. Also considerably less motor wear, as the motor will run at an even temperature at all speeds.

Evinrude regulates cooling capacity by placing a thermostat in the cooling system. Control is made more efficient by a recirculating system which maintains constant temperature, discharging water only when it is heated to 150 degrees.

Feshoma Gets a Plug

An article describing boating and fishing facilities at Lake Texoma appears in this month's issue of Popular Boating. Included is an invitation from Gov. Price Daniel to visit the vacation spot.

Writer of the story is L. A. Wilkie, one of the co-authors of Outdoors in Texas.

Mrs. Otha Carter of Shafter, Calif., sister of C. S. Rice and Mrs. Laura Stratton of McLean, died in a Bakerfield, Calif., hospital Sunday. Mrs. Carter had visited in McLean each summer for a number of years.

Tax Man Sam Sez:

The Internal Revenue Service offices are having tax information day every Monday again this year in the North Texas offices. Every year more taxpayers are learning that the best way to figure their tax is to spend time studying the tax instructions and figuring out for themselves just what they owe.

Once upon a time a few taxpayers took all their checks and a low sack full of receipts down to the Internal Revenue Service office and the tax people spent a lot of time adding up their income and deductions for them. The revenue folks decided, however, that it was the taxpayer's job to do his own accounting and that the tax folks should spend their time answering questions and showing the taxpayer where to put the figures instead of doing a whole lot of simple accounting for a few taxpayers. If you have any questions or need help in getting your income on your tax return, the tax folks will be glad to have you come

in. If you need help in doing your adding and subtracting, you probably need to find a good tax practitioner to help you.

It is another's fault if he be not grateful; but it is mine if I do not give.—Seneca.



If for all your evil you know how to give your children what is good, how much more will your Father give the Holy Spirit from Heaven to those who ask Him?—(St. Luke 11, 13.)

First we ask our Father, Almighty and Eternal God, for the gift of His love, in true and humble devotion. Then, knowing in faith that it is ours, we begin to live a new life that is joyous and useful in His service, in love and brotherhood.

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EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT
FRIDAY, MARCH 14 — 8:00 p. m.
MAIN EVENT — MIXED TAG TEAM MATCH
MIDGET AND GIANT VS. MIDGET AND GIANT
THE GREAT BOLO & IRISH JACKIE
—vs.—
CYCLONE ANAYA & TINY TIM
(Best Two out of Three Falls — 60 Min.)
SECOND EVENT
ZORRO vs. ONI WIKI WIKI
(Masked Man)
(Best Two out of Three Falls — 45 Min.)
FIRST EVENT
MIDGETS
IRISH JACKIE vs. TINY TIM
(One Fall — 20 Minutes)
NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY
SHAMROCK, TEXAS
\$1.50 Ringside - \$1.25 Rsvd. - 90c Gen. Adm. - 50c Child
Tickets on Sale at Blakemore Chevrol—Phone 87

All Big Eaters

WORLD CHAMPION MILKER. Green Meadow Lily Pabst, boasted a hearty appetite during her record production of 42,805 lbs. of milk in a 365-day test as a seven year old. Her daily menu: alfalfa-brome pasture day and night, 40 lbs. of grain, and all the alfalfa hay she wanted. Last two months on test, she tucked away an extra bushel of carrots daily. Her home—Green Meadow Farms, Elsie, Mich.

APPETITE of a two-ton hippopotamus, with a four-foot mouth and a stomach about 10 feet long, calls for a 75 pound bale of chopped hay daily. (N. Y. Zoological Society Photo)

SHREWS ARE RAVENOUS. mouse-like animals that eat their own weight daily. Native to the U. S., they eat mostly bugs and worms but get so hungry they attack and devour animals larger than themselves. (Chicago Natural History Museum Photo)

LARGEST "BAG" OF ALL. is this new McCormick hay baler, capable of baling 30 times its own weight every hour. USDA indicates today's farming methods enable farmers to produce a ton of hay with only half the labor required 15 years ago. Production per farm worker has doubled since 1940. Development of other labor-saving machinery is certain to bring even greater efficiencies in farming during the years ahead.

Reduce Delinquency

REAL LOVE FOR A CHILD?
(A distinguished Texas judge offers pointers on combating our rapidly increasing juvenile delinquency problem.)

By JUDGE SARAH T. HUGHES

Real love, so necessary in combating juvenile delinquency, is not trying to "own" the child, not giving him so many material things. It is giving him a sense of his own significance in his home and among his friends.

Real love does not over-indulge him, does not provide the repeated entertainment excitements nor the continual new possessions he childishly begs for. Instead it provides understanding, emotional security, stability, as he runs up against the hard knocks life hands us all from time to time.

No Stability for Her

At the end of one day in a custody case I told a 4-year-old she would stay with her mother that week-end. "My old mother or my new one?" she asked.

Patsy, with two mothers and two fathers, had been shifted from one to the other and consequently had no sense of security, of belonging—such a necessary part of love in a child's life.

What Saved Him

On the other hand, a young soldier taken prisoner in Germany kept his sanity by remembering his room at home, mentally counting the things in each drawer there. He felt a security in knowing that each would be in its place when he got home.

Next: Their Deep Needs.

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PASTOR'S STUDY

BY Jesse Leonard, Pastor First Baptist Church

"FAITHFULNESS"

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It is very strange that the employer always expects his employees to be present for work. We all recognize the utmost importance of having our children to assemble for instructions in our public schools. Who would be so bold to say that the family does not need to assemble around the table for food three times daily?

Nature testifies to the effect that we need to assemble ourselves together. Birds go in coveys and flocks, fish travel in schools, cattle go in herds, grapes

grow in bunches, bananas grow in bunches, and on heads of grain you will find many seeds. Every time we find an assembly we find unity and when there is unity we know there is strength. An army is an assembly, a team is an assembly, a city is an assembly, a family is an assembly, and most of all the people who attend church constitute an assembly.

In studying God's word, the Bible, I find that everything that God wants us to do is for our benefit. God wants us to assemble ourselves so that we can be helped and help others. This is life. The Final Day is drawing near and it could be and should be said to all residents of McLean, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant, thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many."

Upon the first day of the week we should assemble ourselves in God's house. In the mining country donkeys were used in the

mines. One bunch was used seven days a week while another was used only six. The bunch that was used seven days went blind. Could it be possible that we could learn something from a donkey?

Be sure and attend the church of your choice next Sunday with your talents, possessions, and praises to Jesus Christ, the blessed Son of God.

If it is good to assemble on Sunday morning, logic and experience would tell us that it is equally well to attend Sunday night and other services of our church. Christ must be Lord of all or not at all.

CHURCH CALENDAR

(Churches of this area are invited to run their activity calendars weekly in this column.)

McLean Methodist Church
 Each Sunday:
 Church School 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship 10:55 a. m.
 M. Y. Fellowship 6:00 p. m.
 Evening services 7:00 p. m.
 A cordial invitation is extended to the public, to attend any or all the services. Make plans to attend every Sunday.
 Jack Riley, Pastor

First Presbyterian Church
 SUNDAY
 Church School 10:00
 Morning Worship 11:00
 Westminster Fellowship 6:30
 Study Groups 7:30
 TUESDAY
 Presbyterian Women 2:30
 WEDNESDAY
 Choir Rehearsal 7:30
 You are cordially invited to attend the Presbyterian church and worship with us.

Those having need, great or small, will find the minister and people anxious to serve.
 "The Master is here and calleth for thee."
 Gerald L. Hill, Minister

Church of Christ
 Sunday Services:
 Calendar of Services
 Bible Study 10:00 a. m.
 Preaching 10:50 a. m.
 Communion 11:45 a. m.
 Bible Classes 6:00 p. m.
 Preaching 7:00 p. m.
 Wednesday Services:
 Ladies Bible Study 2 p. m.
 Bible classes, all ages, 7:30 p. m.
 You will always find a cordial welcome at our services. The Bible is our only guide. If you love Bible teaching and preaching you will enjoy meeting with us.

Church of the Nazarene
 Sunday Services:
 Sunday School 10 a. m.
 Preaching 11 a. m.
 Evening worship 6:30 p. m.
 Wednesday:
 Mid-week prayer service 7:00 p. m.
 Missionary service each 2nd Wednesday
 Come and Get Your Faith Lifted.
 W. E. Bond, Pastor

First Baptist Church
 Sunday:
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Worship service 11 a. m.
 Training Union 6:30 p. m.
 Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
 Tuesday:
 W. M. U. meetings
 Wednesday:
 Sunday School teachers and officers meet at 6:45 p. m.
 Prayer meeting and Bible study at 7:30 p. m. followed by church practice.
 Jesse Leonard, Pastor

Pentecostal Holiness Church
 Sunday Services:
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11 a. m.
 Youth meeting 6:30 p. m.
 Evening worship 7:30 p. m.
 Mid-week service Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
 Woman's Auxiliary meets on Thursday, 1 p. m.
 Prayer changes things for soul and body.—1 Thes. 5:23.
 Leon Bird, Pastor

Alanreed Baptist Church
 Sunday:
 Sunday School 10 a. m.
 Morning worship 11 a. m.
 Training Union 7 p. m.
 Evening worship 8 p. m.
 Monday, W. M. S. 2 p. m.
 Wednesday:
 Prayer meeting 8 p. m.
 Come and worship with us. Be among those who say, "I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord."
 Psalm 122:1.
 John I. Herndon, Pastor

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 J. R. Lawson, Pastor

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Senator Yarborough's

WASHINGTON REPORT:

One of the major contributors to unemployment and other recession conditions in Texas today is the excessive flood of foreign oil imports. This cheap foreign crude oil comes into this country virtually tax free and wipes out markets which would normally go to Texas and other

domestic oil. This is a matter of bread and bacon importance to every man, woman and child in Texas because our Texas oil production is so closely tied in with the entire state economy.

Without substantial oil production, the people of Texas in many walks of life would have to look to other means for billions of dollars of their income. As you know, due to excessive imports of cheap foreign oil, the market for Texas oil has become smaller and smaller. Stored up crude oil has accumulated to the point that only nine days of crude oil production will be allowed in March. This daily allowable cutback of 500,000 barrels means a \$1.5 million loss of income for each producing day.

It is a critical blow at an already critical time when unemployment in Texas stands at 200,000, the highest since the tragic 1930's.

Government officials have promised action in answer to my pleas and demands for effective curbs on these excessive cheap foreign oil imports, but the promises have not been effective in keeping imports down below the danger point. To force a curb on this flood of foreign oil, I have introduced a bill to raise to 84 cents a barrel the import tax duty on foreign crude; and to increase the duty to three cents a gallon on gasoline imports and five cents a gallon on lubricating oil imports.

Based on imports of crude

alone during the past fiscal year, this bill would bring in an additional quarter of a billion dollars in tax revenues for the federal government per year. More important, this import duty would permit Texas and other domestic oil to compete with these cheap foreign imports.

"When faith and hope fail, as they do sometimes, we must try charity, which is love in action."
 —Dina Maria Mulock.



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March 23rd - 30th

10 A. M. - - 7:30 P. M. DAILY

SUNDAY SERVICES:

BIBLE STUDY 10:00 a. m.

PREACHING 10:50 a. m.

PREACHING 7:00 p. m.

Special Service for
 Young People March 28th

EVERYONE WELCOME

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chase and Mrs. Rolena Bradley visited in Mobeetie Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Kunkel of Pampa and D. H. Belew of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. Oba Kunkel and Mrs. Bunia Kunkel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rogers and son of Amarillo visited Mrs. T. J. Reeves Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Nate Thomas of Lubbock visited Mrs. W. M. Tibbets in the Groom hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Trout and son, Donnie, of Borger visited his mother, Mrs. Susie Trout, over the weekend.

Mrs. Luther Petty visited in the B. L. Stokes home at Shamrock Friday afternoon with Mrs. Kate Stokes.

Edward Simpson underwent surgery Friday morning at Gaston Hospital in Dallas.

Mrs. W. C. Kennedy and Frank Simpson returned home Sunday after spending several days with their brother, Edward Simpson, in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simpson remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Glass and Mr. and Mrs. Rush Turner were in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Barrett of Amarillo spent the weekend with their daughter, Mrs. Harold Butrum, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tip Windom and family of Morton visited relatives in McLean over the weekend.

Rev. Jerry Hill was in Wichita, Kans., last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Cass Archer and daughters of Seminole visited Mrs. Archer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fulbright, over the weekend.

Mrs. E. J. Windom, Sr., and Mrs. Raymond Glass were in Shamrock Wednesday.

Mrs. Maggie Capps of Crowell is visiting in the Duane Capps home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cooke and children, Carol and Tommy, of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cooke and children, Beverly, Cathy and Kelly, of Borger visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cooke over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eustace were in Pampa on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Kesterson and family of Enid, Okla., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Whaley. Mary Ruth Kesterson returned home with her parents after spending a week with her grandparents.

Mrs. Emily Smith of Letors is visiting the Boyd B. Smiths this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Switzer and family of Kellerville had dinner with Mrs. Minnie Erwin and girls Sunday.

Ed Day and family of Amarillo visited in McLean briefly Tuesday with his brother, Cliff Day, and Mrs. Day.

Mrs. Susie Trout and daughter, Suzie, spent Sunday night in Letors with Mrs. J. D. Taylor and family. They went to Pampa Tuesday for dental work.

Pauline Erwin visited relatives in Oklahoma City over the weekend.

Mrs. John Bayless and sons of Borger visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abbott, last week. Mr. Bayless visited in the Abbott home during the weekend and Mrs. Bayless and sons returned home with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Mantooh were in Amarillo and Weatherford, Okla., Tuesday.

Jill Page spent the weekend in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cooper and family.

The Larry Fullers moved to Boise City, Okla., Friday.

Mrs. Martha Aldridge is visiting in Hobbs, N. M., this week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Aldridge.

Monta Jean Kennedy of Canyon spent the weekend in McLean with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kennedy.

Mrs. Jan Grigsby left Sunday morning for Florida to visit her family. After visiting in Florida a few days she will leave for Morocco to join her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack R. Riley, Geraldine McPherson, Laura Mae Switzer and Nancy Meacham attended the girls' regional basketball games at Lubbock Saturday.

Charlie Carpenter was in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Simpson and son, Jimmy, and Jane Simpson visited in Dallas Saturday and Sunday with Edward Simpson, who is a patient in Gaston Hospital.

George Washington laid the cornerstone of the national capitol.

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new gifts—crystal, ass, white and the a stock dinnerware. lvy plants now. none 184. 11-2c

Nice two-bedroom Ruel Smith. 8-tfc

Wire cages for 36 g hens. Phone 116. Mrs. Hess. 1c

For Sale—Sorghum alnum seed. Will take P. M. A. payment when buyer receives check. Seed clean and tested. See Truitt Johnson. 9-tfc

For Sale—1942 Plymouth coupe in good condition. See H. Longan or Phone 126J, McLean, Texas. \$70.00. 9-4p

For Sale—Chulo lots. See or call Mrs. Lucille Gaines. Phone 281J or 193. tfc

Several thousand de-headed sorghum alnum bundles and approximately 300 tons of on-silage for sale. See Paul Kennedy, McLean, Texas, Phone 253M. 4-tfc

LOST AND FOUND

Lost—Boy's glasses with brown frames. If found call 13J or return to Mrs. Raymond Glass. 1c

MISCELLANEOUS

IMPORTANT DATES—March 23-30. Hear Joe Laird of Oklahoma City preaching the truth in love—at the Church of Christ. 10-3

General carpentry and cement work. Phone 242M. Ed Jones and Luke Henley. 8-4p

See me for income tax returns. Paul Kennedy, Phone 253M, McLean. 4-tfc

WATCH REPAIR: One week service. All work guaranteed. BROWN'S REXALL DRUG. tfc

I am in the market for some good fat calves. Slaughter house is now in operation. J. A. Meador, Phone 113J. tfc

Rid your home of roaches and termites. Work guaranteed. Phone 256J. G. W. Humphreys. 10-7p

Will do saw filing. J. E. Smith, Phone 30W. 1-tfc

NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS! There will be a government trapper at work on RO Ranch until May 1, 1958. W. J. LEWIS. pd to May 1

FOR RENT

For Rent—3-room house with bath. See John Mertel. 5-tfc

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HOUSE for rent. Call Mrs. T. E. Crisp, Phone 226W. 11-tfc

WANTED

WANTED to buy wrecked and used cars. Willoughby Garage and Salvage. Phone 287. West Highway 66. 10-4

Now taking applications for carrier boys for the morning Amarillo paper. See Johnny Gustin or Phone 1714. 1



TEXAS' Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow is 17-year-old Judy Talley of Moody high school, Moody, Texas. She will receive a \$1,500 scholarship from General Mills for gaining the highest score in the state in a written homemaking examination.

McLean FFA Boys Express Thanks

Jack Dyer, agriculture teacher at McLean High School, has asked The News to express appreciation of the local chapter of Future Farmers of America to local businesses and organizations for their support in the recent stock show and sale held in Pampa.

Dyer said they are especially appreciative to the buyers of the calves and pigs, including the Lions Club, the American National Bank in McLean, Brown's Drug and Cooper's Food Store.

Dyer explained that all of the stock was resold, with the exception of the calf purchased by Cooper's, which was to be butchered and sold over the counter locally.

Dyer said the boys were paid approximately 10 cents a pound above market price for their animals.

McLean 4-H Club Meeting Is Held

The McLean 4-H Club met Tuesday in the grade school cafeteria. Donna Hinton called the meeting to order and Mary Hall read the minutes of the last meeting.

Susie Tucker gave a very interesting demonstration on salads and reminded the girls that the county-wide party would be held Saturday night at 7:30 in the American Legion Hall.

The 4-H Club will have a bake sale March 22. A county-wide contest will be held March 29 and several members have entered.

CARD OF THANKS

We appreciate the cards, letters, visits and inquiries regarding our visit to the doctors in Dallas. May the Lord's richest blessings rest upon each of you. Ora and Guy Saunders

CARD OF THANKS

We thank everyone for the nice flowers, cards and visits while Roy was in the hospital. The Roy McCracken Family

Mrs. Beatrice Street of Oklahoma City visited friends and relatives in McLean over the weekend.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE McLEAN NEWS is authorized to announce the following candidates for the office under which their names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

For Representative, 87th District: GRAINGER McILHANY (Re-election)

DONLEY COUNTY, Commissioner, Pct. 4: JESS FINLEY (2nd term) BERNARD McCLELLAN

GRAY COUNTY, Commissioner, Precinct 4: BOYD MEADOR TRUETT JOHNSON JOHN W. DWYER O. L. TIBBETS (Re-Election) B. J. (JINKS) SHAW

Justice of the Peace, Precinct 5: CLIFF H. DAY JOE H. GREEN

For County Clerk: CHARLIE THUT (Re-election)

For County Treasurer: OLA GREGORY (Re-election)

From the State Capitol HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS

By VERN SANFORD

Bare Cupboard

State's fiscal cupboard is bare at the moment. By the end of the month it'll probably be about \$20,000,000 short, says State Treasurer Jesse James.

Texas' treasury has been running in the red during spring months for several years. Situation corrects itself some time after April when sizable tax payments come in. For more than a decade the state has come out solidly in the black by the end of each fiscal period.

This year Treasurer James predicts incoming revenue will wipe out the deficit by May or June.

But there's a difference this year. Lagging oil revenues have choked off a sizeable hunk of expected tax income. Comptroller Robert S. Calvert, the state's official income estimator, sees another—and worse—deficit by next fall. By the end of the present budget period in August, 1959, he estimates the state will have spent \$32,000,000 "on the cuff." This estimate holds even if oil production picks up within the next few months.

Meanwhile, state banks are still cashing the state's warrants and holding them until the state gets enough money in to pay them.

A Penny Saved

With an eye on the state's depleted coffers, the Legislative budget board is asking state departments to look for ways to pare expenses.

Board's letter calls on department heads to "review . . . each activity in your organization to determine if there is anything that can be eliminated without detriment to the citizens of Texas."

Defense Need Cited

It won't be just Texas that will suffer if oil importing continues, says Railroad Commission Chairman Olin Culberson.

In an Austin speech to members of Texas Service Stations Associated, Culberson took the usual swat at imports for draining some \$1,000,000 a day from Texas economy.

But above this, he said, is the danger to national security if the domestic oil industry is strangled and the country becomes dependent on oil fields "half a world away."

BIRTHDAYS

March 14—Jack Glass, Wayne Woods, Cliff Lee.

March 15—Mrs. Gene Henley, Jimmy Farren, Richard Andrews.

March 16—Marsha Joyce Smith.

March 17—Marilyn McIlroy, Gerald Patterson.

March 18—Faris Hess, Mrs. Jack Lisman, Jimmy McDonald, Jesse Leonard, Johnny Vineyard, LaJune Blackshear.

March 20—Mrs. Arthur Erwin, Mrs. Odessa Gunn, Mrs. F. E. Durham, Howard Hardin.

March 21—Preston Morgan, Margaret Glass, Mrs. A. L. Conatser.

March 22—I. D. Shaw, Frankie Smith, Mrs. Mary Webb.

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It's suicidal," said Culberson. He doesn't see prospect of cheaper gas from imports, said the railroad commissioner. Europeans, who get all their oil from the Middle East, pay from 80 cents to \$1.10 per gallon, he said.

No Trend Yet

Texas Employment Commission's latest report showed a slight drop in number of jobless—from 79,604 to 79,079.

But the change was not enough to indicate a "turning point, the hoped-for spring upswing in job activities.

TEC's figures include only those unemployed persons covered by unemployment insurance.

Difference in View

Texas Supreme Court is considering the arguments of rival groups of optometrists who don't see eye to eye on advertising.

One group, associated with Texas State Optical, contends a law passed by the last Legislature prohibits eyeglass advertisements mentioning price. Opponents from Lee Optical declare the section of the law limiting advertising is unconstitutional because it wasn't mentioned in the caption of the bill.

Suit is part of a long history of legal maneuvering between competing optometry firms.

Loan Study Set

Small loan study group of the Legislative Council will hold a series of fact-finding hearings over the state. First will be April 4 in Houston.

Numerous organizations and officials have, for some years, called for an overhaul of loan laws, charging that small borrowers

have been exploited. State Junior Bar of Texas set the "loan shark problem" as its principle target at its recent meeting in Austin.

Sen. Abraham Kazen, chairman of the study committee, said any interested person with information or recommendations is invited to appear before the committee.

Annual Sessions Urged

House Speaker Waggoner Carr of Lubbock wants Texas voters to approve a proposed constitutional amendment to provide annual sessions of the Legislature.

Carr is campaigning over the state for re-election to the speakership. Voter approval of annual sessions also is being urged.

Budgeting on an annual basis would be much more businesslike and efficient, he said, than on the present two-year plan.

Salary Squabble Flares Plans to supplement the \$15,000 salary to get a qualified executive director for the state hospitals and special schools has bumped into a lawmaker's indignation.

Sen. William S. Fly of Victoria said the supplement would violate the appropriation bill he helped to write. He said the \$15,000 salary was purposely set below that of several other staff members to reflect that the executive

director was "serving" and not "over" the higher paid staff members.

Six applicants for one of the higher paid jobs reportedly turned it down because of the "unworkable" situation.

'Taint' That Tainted

No point in throwing away money, says the GOP, even if it's "tainted" oil money.

Texas Republican state committee, meeting in Austin, voted to use \$100,000 raised by National Committeeman Jack Porter for its state budget. National GOP wouldn't touch the money after Eastern newspapers headlined Porter's fund-seeking letter which reminded Texas oil and gas men they needed GOP support to pass the natural gas bill.

State committee gave Porter a vote of confidence in a resolution saying that New Dealers had distorted his intent.

Short Snorts

Texas' driving habits seem to have improved thus far in 1958. Reports (not final) from the Department of Public Safety for the first nine weeks of 1958 show a traffic death toll of 267 compared to 319 for the same period last year.

Almost twice as many degrees are awarded in teacher education than in any other field in Texas state colleges and universities. Business administration, liberal arts, engineering, sciences follow in that order. Listing is by the commission on higher education. State revenue collections from

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liquor sales dropped \$300,000 in January below collections for the comparable month a year ago, liquor control board figures show. January collections this year totaled \$1,201,306.

Governor Daniel, as hard-beset as any Texan in this year of flu sieges, took to his bed for the third time. Members of the governor's family also have had the flu.



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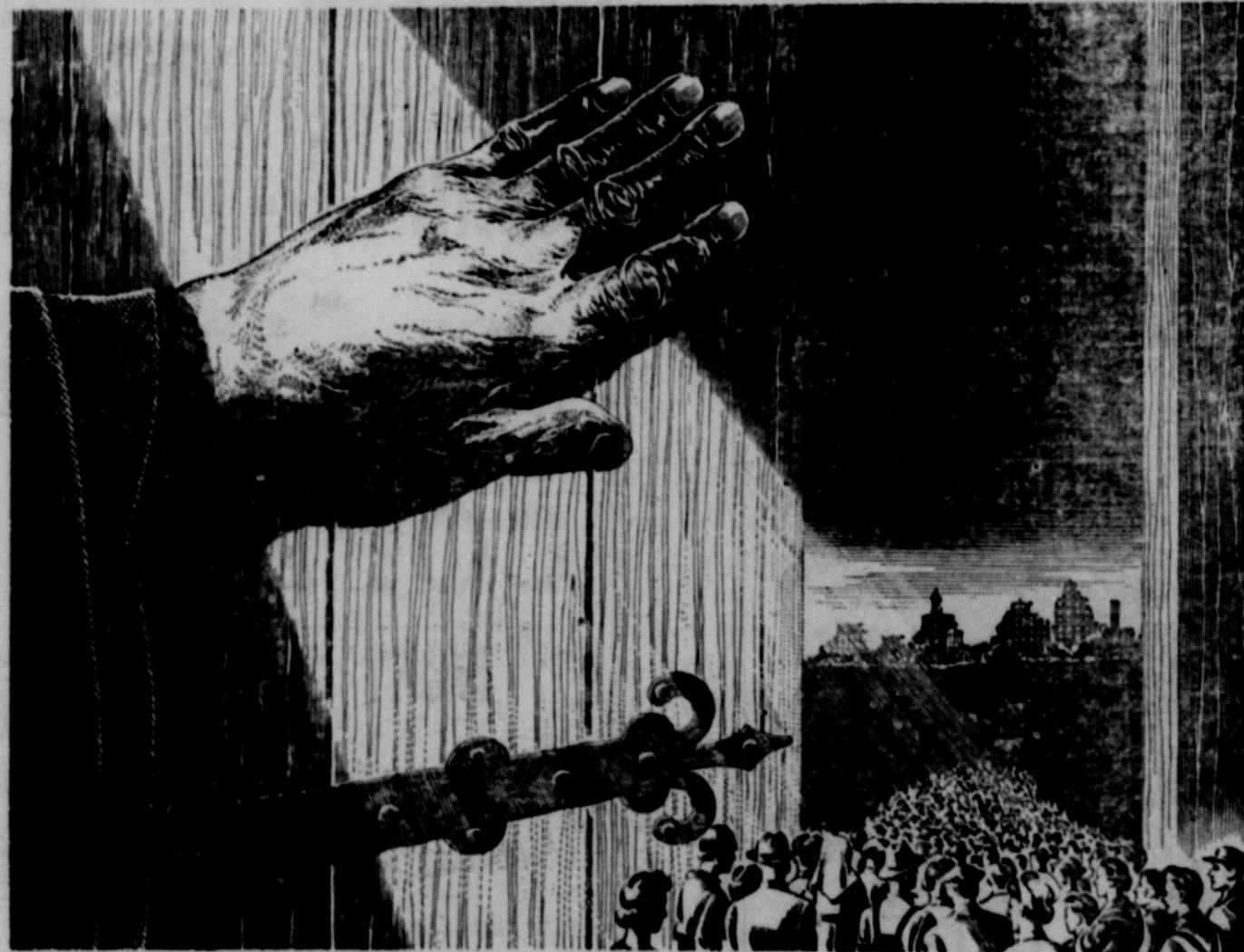
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Complete freedom of speech and of the press is the light that builds understanding, helping all mankind to advance onward and upward through the opening door of each tomorrow.



"The sun," wrote the youngster in his school essay, is good to have around, but the moon does much more for the human race than the sun. After all, the moon gives us light at night, when we need it. The sun's only with us in the daytime, and we don't need it then."

"So you met your wife at a dance. Wasn't that romantic?"

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