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BIG SPRING DAILY HERALD

POOR SUBSTITUTE

AF Officers Agree With Gen. LeMay

By FRED S. HOFFMAN AP Military Affairs Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Many Air Force officers agree with Gen. Curtis E. LeMay that the kind of new bomber they are going to get is a poor substitute for the advanced long-range strike air plane their service really wants.

But these officers still are in uniform. So they are not free to criticize openly Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara's decision to modify the controversial TFX fighter plane into a bomber.

LeMay is retired and is under no such restraints.

In a recent interview with The Associated Press, the former Air Force chief of staff was asked his views on a follow-on bomber to replace the B52 Stratofortress, and about the pending proposal to adapt the TFX to a bomber version.

"We need an advanced manned strategic aircraft," LeMay said.

"The TFX is not really the solution. It could be used, but it lacks size, range and weight-carrying capacity to do the long-range job.

"We may be caught and have to use this aircraft as a poor substitute, for we are long past the time when we should have started production of a new and advanced system."

BETTER THAN NOW

In essence, the Air Force will

Residents May See Spaceship

SPACE CENTER, Houston, Tex. (AP) — Residents across the southern part of the United States may be able to sight the orbiting Gemini 7 spacecraft the next few days.

Space Center spokesmen said lighting conditions should be good but morning haze, trees or tall buildings may get in the way because of Gemini 7's low elevation angle.

First Baptists Hold Open House Today

The First Baptist Church holds its first worship services, Training Union, Dr. Hooper and also open house for the public, in its new plant on Marcy Drive today (see Special Section).

Regular order of services will prevail except all adults from the young married people up will meet in the sanctuary at 9:45 a.m. for instruction on new departmental organization. At 11 a.m. the Rev. Robert F. Polk, pastor, will speak on "My Dream for This Church" and the choir directed by Glenn Faison, will sing an anthem, "Now Let Us All Praise God."

Everyone is invited to the open house from 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Police will direct traffic from Marcy and the church's

Reviewing The

Big Spring Week

With Joe Pickle

The program of base consolidations touched Webb AFB to a degree last week with the announcement that the 331st Fighter Interceptor Squadron would be phased from here to Homestead AFB, Fla. over the next 22 months. The Defense Department estimated savings of \$1,738,000 annually to the government. The effect locally will not be nearly so great. Indeed, the trend of the pilot training program is such that it may by the end of the phase out approach the reduction. In the end, our biggest loss may be the many fine people with the 331st.

On the other side of the ledger, J. H. Strain & Sons of Tye are due to get the contract for construction of the northwest leg of the FM-700 loop. Their

support the McNamara program for a force of 210 FB111 bombers — as the TFX offshoots will be known — because it is a matter of half a loaf being better than none.

McNamara is willing to spend \$1.75 billion to adapt the TFX design and build a fleet of FB111 bombers.

But the defense secretary obviously is unwilling, at least so far, to set in motion a from-a-drawing-board-up advanced manned strategic aircraft — AMSA — that could cost as much as \$1.5 billion for 200 planes.

The Air Force hopes the FB111 will turn out to be only an interim solution—that eventually McNamara and President Johnson will come around to accepting Air Force views.

STILL STRONG

Qualified approval of the new program came from some congressional critics of McNamara's plans to scale down the over-all bomber force — now slated to go from 680 to 565 planes — but sentiment for a brand-new strategic aircraft clearly remains strong on Capitol Hill.

The first FB111 is scheduled to be combat-ready in 1968. This suggests the modifications from the fighter design will be relatively limited.

From available information, it appears the bomber version will have a slightly longer fuselage than the fighter; a somewhat greater wing span and a heavier landing gear; will be equipped with extra fuel tanks to extend its range; will carry most of its 50 high-explosive bombs, weighing a total of 37,500 pounds, under its wings.

NEW MISSILE

The FB111 probably will be equipped with a new relatively short-range missile which the Pentagon has started developing.

This SCRAM, with a range of between 50 and 100 miles, would be carried by an attacking aircraft inside the anti-aircraft defenses of an enemy's borders and would be fired at key targets with accuracy measured within a few feet.

Gemini 7 Astronauts See Signal

SPACE CENTER, Houston, Tex. (AP) — Gemini 7 pilot James A. Lovell Jr. sent a light signal to earth Saturday — as the bearded astronaut headed for a world endurance mark, a church service and rendezvous with a sister ship — all on a busy Sunday in space.

"I got her," shouted Air Force Lt. Col. Frank Borman, the command pilot, as he jockeyed the Gemini 7 so Lovell could track the earth light with his own light beam. Both pilots' voices burst with excitement.

Gemini 7 entered its 107th orbit at 4:11 p.m. (EST).

Mission control said at 2:45 p.m. EST that there was no attempt to transmit Lovell's voice over the light beam on this first time a light signal has been sent from space to earth.

That attempt apparently will come later.

NO TRANSMISSION

Mission control said it was as excited as the astronauts had been on the entire flight to date. "I see a lot of buildings," Borman said. "Looks like antennas around it. Also some smoke on the south side of the hill. I got it. I can see it again. There it is again."

The greenish light beamed spaceward from Hawaii was captured by Navy Cmdr. Lovell who aimed his own pencil thin beam of light at it. The highly disciplined LASER light can carry voice communications as a radio wave does.

PRECISE BEAM

The light beam spreads less than a mile in its precise dash to earth.

Meanwhile, at Cape Kennedy, Fla., flight experts said the countdowns were going so well with the Gemini 6 hunter spacecraft they could have launched it Saturday if they had wanted to.

Gemini 6 will blast off in pursuit of Gemini 7 Sunday — chasing its target through 103,000 miles of sky and flying in formation with it — the first formation flight in space history.

On the successful Hawaii pass, at 2:15 p.m., Lovell noted he had some difficulty picking out the greenish light of the LASER beamed up from earth because his sighting device has a green filter. The only certain way to run the experiment, Lovell said, was to do it at night.

CHURCH SERVICE

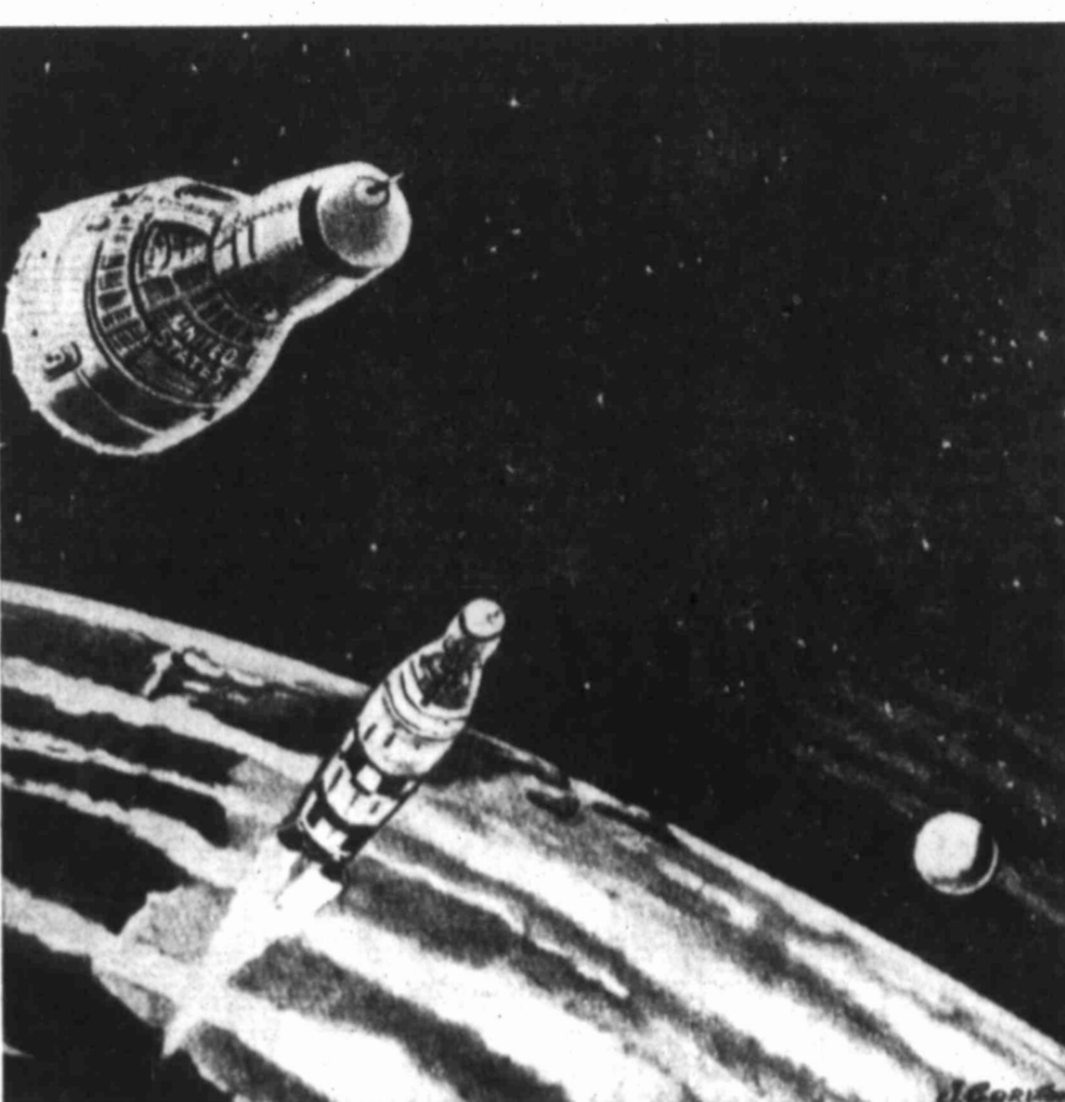
A tape recorded church service will be beamed up to the astronauts Sunday morning. The 15-minute Episcopal communion service was taped in Chicago and flown to Houston. The mission whipped past the midpoint of its 14-days in space at 11:15 a.m. EST.

The astronauts weathered a tumbling, cold night in space, reported they got about five or six hours sleep — "not too good." The temperature in the cabin dropped 20 degrees through the night.

Then, during the day, they tinkered with their electricity-producing fuel cells, trying to perk up a sluggish cell—a minor problem.

"We didn't know we were tumbling until we woke up," Borman said. The tumbling apparently was linked to the temperature drop, caused by steam venting from a part of the cooling system. The slightest push in space can affect the spacecraft's motion. Later the venting stopped or at least dwindled and the temperature stabilized.

Shopping Days Left advertisement with illustrations of Santa Claus and Christmas seals.



Space Rendezvous In The Offing Drawing illustrates the Gemini 6, right, rendezvous with Gemini 7, left, now orbiting the earth. (AP WIREPHOTO DRAWING) today from Cape Kennedy, Fla., for a

Fresh Marines Copter In, But Cong Remains Elusive

SAIGON, South Viet Nam (AP) — Two fresh companies of U.S. Marines surged from helicopters south of Da Nang Saturday to help several thousand other Marines and South Vietnamese troops close the net on a slippery Viet Cong regiment.

Yielding here and there, the foe remained elusive. Contact was reported light though constant in this fourth day of the battle, with the showdown still to come. The maneuvering was so tricky that the allies' supporting warplanes were temporarily grounded.

FIGHTING FLARES

Far from the contested valley, sharp fighting flared between a task force of Vietnamese regulars and a hard core Viet Cong battalion in the Mekong delta.

The Vietnamese ran into machine gun and recoilless rifle fire 35 miles southwest of Saigon, but called in air support and attacked.

A U.S. military spokesman said the battle raged long after dark, with the Viet Cong trying to escape in small units. The

troops reported 42 Viet Cong were killed. There was no announcement on Vietnamese losses.

Other government forces completed a drive launched a month ago against guerrillas based northwest of Hue, the old imperial capital barely 50 miles from Communist North Viet Nam's frontier. The troops reported they killed 140 Viet Cong, captured 20 and seized 49 weapons.

Bad weather limited air operations over North Viet Nam. The U.S. Air Force sent up none of its long-range squadrons. However, Navy planes from the carriers Kitty Hawk and Bon Homme Richard loosed 34 tons of bombs on bridges, roads, truck convoys and storage areas about 20 miles north of the border.

A potential strain on American-Vietnamese relations showed up in a charge by Buddhists that a U.S. Marine had beheaded a golden Buddha and scattered venerated objects about their Khue Bac pagoda in Da Nang, Dec. 3.

U.S. Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge sought to smooth over the incident. He is known to have told the Buddhist hierarchy, a powerful element in some of South Viet Nam's political upheavals, that he will look into the matter immediately and regardless of whether an American was involved, the United States will pay for the damage.

NEW PAGODA

That might mean building a new pagoda, for monks consider the old one now contaminated. Buddhists said the principal monk, Thich Giac Ngo, has offered to disembowel himself because of the desecration. The charge of American involvement is based on a report of one of the monks that he saw a U.S. Marine leaving the pagoda at dawn on the morning of discovery of the damage.

Five hundred Buddhists paraded through Da Nang Wednesday with banners calling on U.S. forces to respect Buddhist property and asking for punishment of the culprit.

JOHNSON RETURNING TO WASHINGTON

Viet Nam War Figures In Series Of Meetings

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson will sound out Allied leaders in conferences beginning next week on deadlocked proposals for setting up a NATO nuclear force, including West Germany, in the face of bitter opposition from France and Russia.

The President will also seek to develop a new basis of relations with Pakistan and India, to promote peace in Kashmir and open the way for negotiation of new U.S. aid programs. Advance word is that he will tell leaders of both countries that peace between them is the key to U.S. aid.

PAKISTAN

Johnson will return to summit-level diplomacy Tuesday in a two-day conference with Prime Minister Mohamed Ayub Khan of Pakistan. Friday he will meet with Prime Minister Harold Wilson of Britain. On Dec. 19 he will open talks,

with West German Chancellor Ludwig Erhard, and manned by countries will be hoped for participation by Britain, West Germany, and Italy as well as the United States, and some smaller allies. The French government of President Charles de Gaulle a year ago made known its adamant opposition to his multilateral nuclear force.

TAKES REST

Johnson turned away from official chores Saturday to get in all the rest possible before returning to Washington and a busy schedule with foreign visitors.

Johnson, who arrived at his ranch near Johnson City Nov. 19 to continue recuperation from his Oct. 8 surgery, plans to leave late Sunday for the capital.

Press secretary Bill D. Moyers said Johnson's recovery from the gall bladder kidney stone operation is progressing

Chase To Require Over Five Hours

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — Gemini 6 astronauts Walter M. Schirra Jr. and Thomas P. Stafford reviewed the complex flight plan Saturday that calls for them to chase Gemini 7 across the sky for 103,000 miles Sunday before catching up.

Navy Capt. Schirra and Air Force Maj. Stafford are to ride a Titan 2 rocket-skyward at 9:54 a.m. EST to start the pursuit.

TAKE PICTURES

At the moment of launching, the Gemini 7 astronauts, Air Force Lt. Col. Frank Borman and Navy Cmdr. James A. Lovell Jr., will be zipping over Cape Kennedy near the end of their eighth day in space.

They hope to be able to spot and perhaps photograph the Gemini 6 blaster.

The Titan 2 will burn for six minutes to insert Gemini 6 into an orbit ranging from 100 to 168 miles high. By then, Gemini 7 will be 1,208 miles ahead, in a circular orbit 185 miles high. Both are traveling about 17,500 miles an hour in the same orbital plane.

Because Schirra and Stafford are in a lower orbit, they require less time to make a global circuit and gradually gain on Gemini 7 at the rate of about 500 miles during each 96-minute orbit.

ADJUSTMENT

After one hour 35 minutes of flight, near the end of the first orbit over the Gulf of Mexico, command pilot Schirra fires jet thrusters briefly to adjust the Gemini 6 apogee — high point — so it is precisely 17 miles below that of Gemini 7. Borman and Lovell are 690 miles ahead.

After two hours 19 minutes, at second orbit apogee over the Indian Ocean, Schirra fires the jets to increase the speed of Gemini 6 by 36 miles an hour. This raises the Gemini perigee — low point — from 100 to 135 feet below.

At five hours 39 minutes into the flight, over Sumatra in the Indian Ocean, Schirra executes a braking maneuver, slowing his speed by 29 miles an hour so the relative difference in the speed of the two space ships is only about three miles an hour. Seconds later, he makes fine adjustments to match the speed of Gemini 7 and the rendezvous starts with the two craft about 100 feet apart.

NEAR AS IS SAFE

Whether the two initially fly side by side or one in front of the other will be left to Schirra's judgment. Schirra will approach as near as he feels is safe after assessing the situation. He conceivably could move within inches of Gemini 7.

Fifteen minutes after the start of rendezvous, Gemini 6 turns around so the two ships face nose to nose. Then Schirra starts a fly-around maneuver. Slowly circling Borman and Lovell with his nose pointed directly at them during this 30-minute exercise, Schirra and Stafford observe Gemini 7 and the astronaut teams take pictures of each other.

miles and changes the catchup rate to about 230 miles an orbit. Gemini 7 is about 480 miles ahead.

After three hours and 49 minutes, at third orbit apogee over the Indian Ocean, Schirra again increases the speed by 36 miles an hour and raises the perigee from 134 miles up to 168 miles, matching the apogee and making the orbit a perfect circle. The catchup rate now is 150 miles an orbit.

RADAR LOCK

At this point, Stafford activates a radar system to lock onto a radar beacon in Gemini 7 which is 161 miles ahead, traveling backward in space so its nose points at the chase craft.

At exactly five hours into the flight, near Brazil at the start of Orbit No. 4, Schirra begins a terminal phase to close in on Gemini 7 by increasing his speed by 23 miles an hour. Gemini 6 is 17 miles below and 39 miles slant range behind Gemini 7 and begins ascending toward the orbit of the target.

Up to now, tracking and control of the flight has been directed from mission control center in Houston. Ground controllers have kept the Gemini 6 astronauts informed of the Gemini 7 whereabouts and calculated firing rates if there has been a deviation in the orbit of either satellite.

For the terminal phase, Schirra and Stafford use their radar, computer and optical aids to effect the rendezvous.

During the 39-minute terminal phase, Schirra makes two small course adjustments to refine the approach. At the 27-minute point, Borman and Lovell turn their spacecraft around so both vehicles are flying forward in space, with Gemini 6 about 3,000 feet behind.

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REMEMBER THE NEEDY

This is the next to last Sunday before Christmas. As you plan your own pleasures, wouldn't it be a good day to remember, even in a small way, some children who don't ordinarily share in Christmas delights?

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Johnson still suffers some discomfort, he reported, especially when he makes a sudden turn or sits in one position for very long.

Asked about the President's spirits, Moyers said with a smile, "I would say he is back in his old form."

HONORED

Moyers released a presidential statement announcing that about a million of the nation's schoolchildren will be honored next year for physical fitness.

The top 15 per cent of all children taking the physical achievement test of the American Association of Health, Physical Education and Recreation will receive presidential fitness awards—a certificate bearing Johnson's name.

It is essential that our young people develop their physical capabilities as well as their mental skills," Johnson said.



**Tipsy Load**

Traffic was partially blocked on US 87 Friday at 5 p.m. when a Caterpillar loader tipped off a lowboy as Earl Massey, 39, of 114 Sun-glow Drive, San Antonio, was attempting a U turn on the highway, 3.3 miles south of town. Highway patrolmen directed traffic around until another trucker helped shove the loader back on the lowboy. The vehicle weighed around 72,000 pounds.

**Texas Traffic Death Count Climbs To 21 Saturday**

**By The Associated Press**

A traffic death toll mounted to 21 in Texas Saturday in a flurry of accidents, one of which killed seven persons.

A two-car collision north of Plainview Friday killed Anastacio Guana, his wife and three of the Plainview family's children. Mrs. Guana's father and a sister also died in the accident. Four persons were injured.

Peggy Price, 17, of Corsicana died Saturday in a Dallas hospital of injuries received when her car struck a tree near Kerens early Saturday.

Raymundo Cantu, 22, and Omar Longoria, 25, of Encino were killed near Edinburg in the Rio Grande Valley when their car struck a palm tree and burned.

Gary Costello, 18, of Waxahachie was killed just west of Midlothian on US 287 when his car struck a bridge abutment and careened into a ditch.

Three persons died in a two-car collision near Hamilton on Texas 36. Killed were two Texas A&M students, George Mack Antilly, 18, of Abilene and Horace Young, 18, of Henrietta. Sgt. Merle Giddings of Kilbuck and Ft. Hood died in the second car.

McCullum, a student at Cisco Junior College, died near Cisco when his car crashed on a curve and crashed on rain-slick US 183.

Mrs. Linda Faye Lee, 17, was killed in a two-car collision at Houston. Three persons were injured.

John Mitchell Jr. of Odessa was thrown from his car and killed at a curve near Monahan.

Two trucks collided five miles east of Roby on US 80, killing Jerry Bailey, 29, of Rotan and injuring Robert Baccus of Roby.

Injuries suffered in an auto accident at Tyler killed R. W. Fair, 79, founder of the Fair Oil Co. His wife, 73, was treated for shock.

Richard Edwards, 32, of near Texarkana, died in a traffic accident in northeast Dallas.

A car-truck collision at Houston Thursday claimed a victim a day later with the death of Sudie Jones Rhodes, 24, of Kountze.

And a Texan died in an Oklahoma accident. Ollie Byrd, 54, of Fort Worth was killed when a semi-trailer truck overturned on a highway bypass near McAlester.

**Three Fugitives Back In Jail**

ANSON, Tex. (AP) — A convicted rapist and his two companion fugitives were back in jail Saturday, their freedom

flight ended in less than a week. Officers arrested Pete Guerrero, 20, Friday night as he hitchhiked near Breckenridge 60 miles east of here.

Less than three hours earlier Kenneth Chase, 30, surrendered here to Sheriff Dave Reeves.

Chase told the West Texas sheriff he, Guerrero and Gerald Knight split up shortly before Knight entered a Dallas theater Thursday night.

Knight, 30, convicted of raping one young girl and charged now with raping another, was captured in the theater after tossing away his pistol.

The thugs fled from the Anson jail before dawn Monday. Two Abilene youths have been charged with aiding their escape.

**Livestock Meet Planned Tuesday**

LAMESA — A general livestock meeting will be held Tuesday at 4:30 p.m. in the Vocational Agriculture department of Lamesa High School for the purpose of planning the 1966 Dawson County Livestock Show. County Agent Lee Roy Colgan has announced.

**YMCA Club Members Due Back Home Today**

Big Spring Hi-Y and Tri-Hi-Y delegates were due back today from Austin after participating in the Youth in Government project.

The group was led by Robert Gossett, who was this district's nominee for governor. In the balloting, he lost out when West Texas split and Southeast Texas groups held together. Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gossett.

Among other delegates were Patty Haralson, June Ryan, Jack Cathey, Mike Weaver, Linda Lee, Sue Burns, Jimmy Johnson, Randy French, Donna Cobb and Nikki Thomas. Curtis Mullins, general secretary, was in charge of the local group.

Robert had served as president of this district for the past year and was named as its nominee at a meeting here earlier in the fall.



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# Col. Butcher On Job As Wing Commander

Now on the job as commander of the 3560th Pilot Training Wing at Webb Air Force Base is Col. Chester J. Butcher. He formally took command the first of the week, and is spending busy days familiarizing himself with all phases of the operation.

Col. Butcher came here from the Pentagon, where he was chief of the Space Division of the Directorate of Operational Requirements and Development Plans. In this role he was concerned with all Air Force satellite space activities, and initiated the Manned Orbiting Laboratory and Communication Satellite programs.

**MASTERS DEGREES**  
The new wing commander has a distinguished academic and flying background. He holds a masters degree from Princeton University in aeronautical engineering and a masters degree in business administration from Georgetown University. He has also completed the advanced management program for senior executives at Harvard University and is a graduate of the United States Military Academy and the Industrial College of the Armed Forces.

He attended Princeton as a result of being selected as an experimental test pilot after World War II.

Upon graduating from Princeton, Col. Butcher was sent to Eglin AFB, Fla., as chief of the Fighter Test Section, responsible for the operational suitability testing of all new jet fighters. This included the later models of the F-80, all of the F-84's and F-86's, several light bombers, including the B-45 and B-46, and subsequently, all interceptors, including the F-94 and the F-86D series.

**FIGHTER BRANCH**  
In 1951, he was assigned to Headquarters, USAF, as chief of the Fighter Branch in Research and Development and initiated such aircraft as the F-100, F-101, F-102, F-104, F-106, and experimental aircraft including the X-3, X-5, F-88, F-90, F-91, F-92, F-93, F-107, and F-108.

Col. Butcher then was assigned to Headquarters, Air Defense Command as chief, Weapons Division, Air Defense Command Weapons Requirements during the in-phasing of new jet interceptors such as the F-102, F-106 and F-101, as well as the Bomarc missile.

**WEAPONS DIVISION**  
Early in 1959, he returned to the Pentagon as deputy chief of the Weapons Division in War Plans, responsible for the initiation and integration of the United States Space Effort. He was then selected as military assistant to the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Research and Development, and later served as executive officer and military advisor to the Under Secretary of the Air Force. He then attended Industrial College and returned as chief, Strategic and Defense Division of the Directorate of Operational Requirements and Development Plans. For the past year and a half, Col. Butcher has headed the Space Division of this same



COL. CHESTER J. BUTCHER

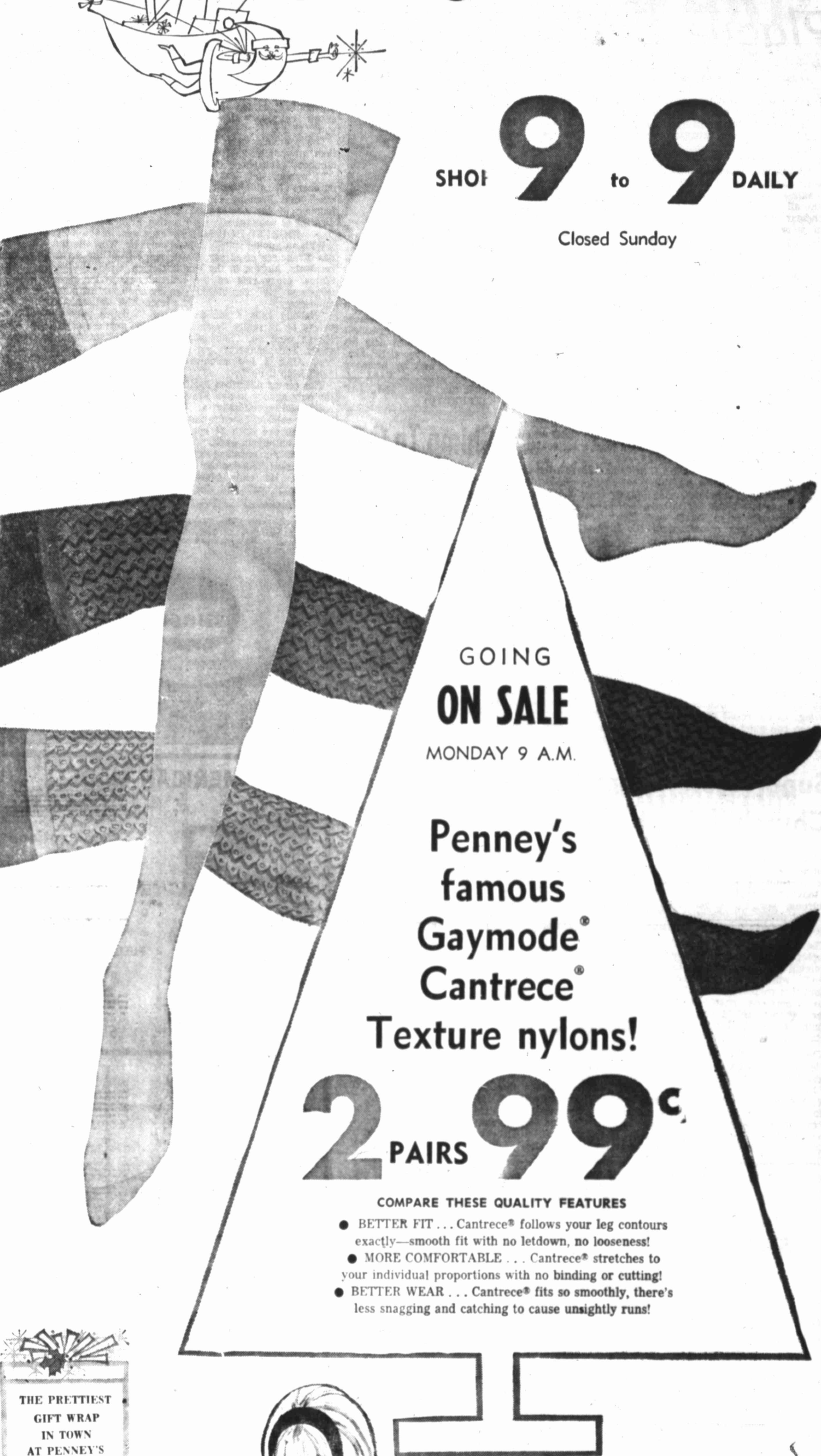
directorate. Col. Butcher's decorations include The Legion of Merit with Oakleaf Cluster; The Distinguished Flying Cross; The Air Medal with three clusters; and the Purple Heart with Oakleaf Cluster.

**IN WORLD WAR II**  
In World War II, while assigned as a pilot and operations officer with the 357th Fighter Squadron of the 355th Fighter Group, Col. Butcher flew both P-47 and P-51 aircraft. In the summer of 1943, he went into combat operations and in January, 1944, he was shot down over southern France. His squadron had escorted bombers on a mission in southern France and was given permission to attack and strafe German JU88 (twin engine light bomber) bases in the area. His P-51 was hit by ground fire, losing part of its tail section. After several violent maneuvers, the aircraft struck a tree at the perimeter of the German airfield and crashed several miles from the field. Circling the wreckage, other members of the squadron reported the colonel as killed in action.

**WOUNDS**  
Col. Butcher, however, miraculously survived the crash, but sustained two broken ribs, a broken arm, a fractured leg, and multiple cuts and bruises. When he regained consciousness, he was able to fashion crutches and attempt to escape through the dense forest area. He eluded capture for several days, but was severely injured by a land mine explosion and captured. In the explosion he received some 100 fragments in his neck and spine, paralyzing him and also fracturing both eardrums. He remained in German hospitals for six months and was then interned in a German POW camp for the remainder of the war.

Col. Butcher is a native of Lafayette, La., and attended the

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# Coming 'Down' In Mock Voyage

"Splashdown" will be Monday at 11:30 a.m. for four Air Force flying officers, who have been undergoing a two-month mock space voyage to test the physiological effects of an oxygen-helium space cabin atmosphere at the Aerospace Medical Division's USAF School of Aerospace Medicine, Brooks AFB, Tex. A Webb AFB officer had a hand in the experiment.

Since Oct. 4 the officers, all aircrew members from the Strategic Air Command (SAC), have been living in the School's space cabin simulator and, since Oct. 13, have been at a simulated altitude of 27,000 feet (258 mm of Mercury or five pounds of pressure per square inch) breathing the 70 per cent oxygen, 30 per cent helium mixture. Normal sea level atmosphere (760 mm of Mercury or 14.7 pounds of pressure per square inch) is 20 per cent oxygen and 80 per cent nitrogen.

The test, being conducted in cooperation with the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, is the longest such U.S. test to date. It is the third oxygen-helium experiment at the school in a year. The other two ended in December 1964 and April 1965.

Timewise, the stationary space voyagers were in the simulator long enough to complete approximately 900 revolutions of the earth during the 56 days at simulated altitude.

The volunteers, who have been at Brooks since Sept. 12, are Capt. Roger C. Gaal, 27, 247 Ralston St., San Francisco, Calif.; Lawrence A. Smulczen-



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ski, 29, 4333 Vista View St., W. Milflin, Pa.; Robert J. Till Jr., 27, 419 Essex St., Bangor, Maine; and Lt. Richard P. Sessler, 28, 105 Simmons Terrace, Syracuse, N.Y. Two other officers, Lts. Clyde E. Bodenheimer, 26, 608 Parkview Lane, Richardson, Tex.; and David J. Johnson, 28, 37 Ferris St., Highland Park, Mich., served as controls outside the chamber until mid-November, at which time they returned to their respective duty stations. Lt. Johnson is stationed at Webb.

During the test, the men conduct their own in-flight physical examinations, watch television, read, write and receive mail exercise and perform psychomotor tests.

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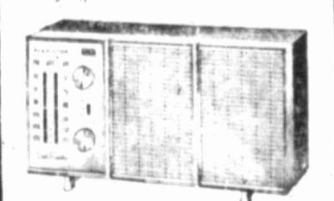
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# Brazen Killers Plague Boston

BOSTON (AP) — In Boston the hoodlums are playing so rough these days, says a top homicide detective, that they go out and kill on their lunch hour and get back to work or hang-out before the 1 p.m. whistle blows.

Greater Boston hoodlums have racked up 28 slayings and a dozen attempts in the past 20 months.

Not all the slayings were lunch-hour jobs but most of them were brazen, committed in the daytime and often before witnesses.

Yet, there have been only two convictions and only five slaying cases are pending in court.

Police complain they are receiving no cooperation from the public.

**FEAR RETALIATION**

"We've talked with dozens of people at murder scenes," said a top officer, "but nobody seems to see or hear anymore. This is not apathy, but obviously a general fear of retaliation," he added.

L. Edward Sherry, veteran Boston homicide squad detective, told The Associated Press: "That figure of 28 gangland-style killings is not the final count. We expect another half dozen or so more such killings."

"Vengeance is a big factor in this thing and we're handicapped by the lack of public cooperation. The telephone doesn't ring and the mail doesn't bring even anonymous tips on these slayings."

Sherry said "Practically all these slayings involve punks gone wild. There's no big overlord sitting on a throne. Nobody's trying to grab power or jurisdiction over any organized racket."

"The majority of these killings are among punks with no regard for human life."

Sherry counts a dozen of the slayings as the result of a feud between two gang factions, one led by the three McLaughlin

brothers of Charlestown and the other by James (Buddy) McLean of Somerville.

"And the feud," said Sherry, "apparently continues although McLean and two McLaughlins were killed and the third McLaughlin is under a death sentence for murder."

"We feel the other murders were the result of double-crosses in such rackets as counterfeiting, narcotics and shylocking" — money lending at usurious rates.

Police Chief Thomas J. O'Brien had this to say about the slayings:

"I felt that when the so-called group from Somerville and Charlestown were pretty near departed that it would be over, but they seem as if they're going to continue it. Evidently it is covering a vast area than we first thought."

**2 BIG ROBBERIES**

O'Brien pointed out that there's \$2.5 million kicking around from the nation's two biggest cash robberies — the Brink's robbery in Boston in 1950 and the still-unsolved Plymouth mail truck robbery of 1962.

O'Brien said there's the possibility one group is trying to extort money from the men who have it and that a second group was hired to eliminate the shakedown men.

Of the McLean-McLaughlin feud, Sherry said:

"This dates back four years during a beach party at Salisbury Beach, a favorite resort on the northern Massachusetts seacoast."

"George McLaughlin is supposed to have made an insulting pass at McLean's girl friend or wife. McLean gave McLaughlin the beating of his life, sending him to a hospital."

"A few days later McLean spotted some men planting a five-stick bundle of dynamite in his parked car. McLean fired a shot at the men and they fled."

**Suppressed Chapter Of Churchill Book Found**

NEW YORK (AP) — Winston Churchill wrote six months before the outbreak of World War II that the world could still "welcome and aid a genuine Hitler of peace and toleration," it was revealed Saturday.

The statement is in the final chapter of a proof copy of Churchill's book, "Step by Step," which was published minus that chapter in June 1939. The suppressed chapter had been written in March, six months before Hitler invaded Poland, setting off World War II.

The proof copy is part of a collection of Churchill's writings presented to Columbia University by Daniel Longwell of Neesho, Mo., formerly an editor of Life and Time magazines and an executive of Doubleday & Co. He said the proof copy had been mislaid and was only recently found.

Prof. Samuel Hurwitz of Brooklyn College, a Churchill scholar, said the unpublished chapter seems to extend the time when Churchill thought Hitler could be appeased.

Churchill maintained in his later book, "The Second World War" that he felt long before that there was no way to appease Hitler.

Longwell, a Churchill scholar as well as collector, said he once wrote Churchill asking why the chapter was omitted from the published book. He said Churchill replied with his standard response that he couldn't remember.

Longwell said he thinks the suppressed chapter expressed a common conservative party opinion that England should stay out of the war and let Hitler and Stalin battle it out.

**Mrs. Smith's Mother Dies**

SAN ANGELO — Mrs. T. C. Lucas, 61, mother of Mrs. Bert Smith of Big Spring, died in a San Angelo hospital at 1:45 p.m. Friday. Services were held at 4 p.m. Saturday in Johnson's Funeral Home Chapel, Rev. Paul Terry, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens, San Angelo.

Born Jan. 6, 1904, in Seymour, Tex., Mrs. Lucas was married to T. C. Lucas Christmas day, 1924 in Altus, Okla.

Survivors include the husband; three other daughters, Mrs. John Line, Odessa; Mrs. Paul Dehnell Jr., San Angelo, and Mrs. William R. Tone, Laurel, Md.; four grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.



Promoted

Dr. Robert C. Seamans Jr. was named Friday as deputy administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, succeeding the late Dr. Hugh L. Dryden. NASA Administrator James E. Webb in making the announcement in Austin, Tex., said President Johnson had agreed with his suggestion to appoint Dr. Seamans to the post. Dr. Seamans has been associate NASA administrator since 1960. (AP WIREPHOTO)

**Chimp To Get Human Start**

NORMAN, Okla. (AP) — Five-day-old Twila began her stint Saturday at the University of Oklahoma.

Twila is a chimpanzee which psychologists are going to raise as a human being — away from any other chimps.

She was flown here in the arms of an assistant psychology professor, Dr. Vera Gatch. The little animal was brought in from a chimp farm at Tampa, Fla.

"For the next six to eight years, she'll be raised just as a human child would be," Dr. Gatch explained. "She'll be diapered, sleep in a crib, learn to eat with a spoon and drink from a cup and walk like a little boy or girl."

The point of the project, said Dr. Gatch, is to learn the difference between human-reared and chimp-reared chimps.

# Suicide Prevention Center In San Francisco Is Unique

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The red telephone rings insistently in the cramped headquarters dedicated to erasing San Francisco's title as the suicide capital of America.

"Suicide Prevention Center," a volunteer named Harvey answers calmly. "May I help you?"

The woman's voice hesitates, then mumbles, "Sorry, wrong number." The phone clicks.

"I wonder if it was a wrong number. It didn't sound like one," said Bernard Mayes, 36, founder of the center and its director of volunteers.

**HIGHEST IN U.S.**

With an annual suicide rate in San Francisco of 30 per 100,000 residents, highest in the United States, every ring on the red telephone is considered an emergency.

"Nobody calls a suicide line unless he is really desperate," Mayes went on. "Suicide is a crisis. The phone? We get very few. After a few minutes he can't keep it up."

The center describes itself as the only agency in San Francisco aimed specifically at preventing suicide. Lines to the red telephone are open 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Mayes, an ordained Episcopalian priest, founded the center in 1962. He calls himself a "worker priest" and does not

use the title of reverend. He stresses that the center is non-sectarian as well as nonprofit.

**BUSIEST PERIOD**

In its busiest quarter to date, last July through September, the center answered calls from 155 women and 108 men who said they were considering suicide.

The "composite" suicide in San Francisco, the center says, is white, married, with two children and middle-class standing. He usually lives in a densely populated area.

No one knows, however, why San Francisco's rate is so high, exceeded in the Western world only by West Berlin. Theories range from the presence of the Golden Gate Bridge to forthrightness by the coroner in calling and counting a suicide a suicide. The National Office of Vital Statistics puts the national suicide average at 10.7 per 100,000 inhabitants. Some representative city rates are: New York 9.9, Boston 6.7, Chicago 9.4, Los Angeles 20.4, and Seattle 21.9. The California average is 16.5.

"Our callers are people with great mental health problems," Mayes said. "More than half have had professional help before, but they never had been able to talk with people."

Each of the center's 56 volunteers — all over 30 years old —

works a four-hour shift once a week. He has a coffee pot at the ready, a rest cot in a small side room, large maps of the Bay area and lists which include emergency phone numbers and dangerous drugs.

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There are more women than men volunteers and many walks of life are represented. A volunteer is anonymous, unpaid and nonprofessional.

"We believe the trained non-professional can be warmer and more sympathetic in talking to potential suicides," says Anne Sawyer, the center's executive director.

How many lives has the center saved?

"Frankly, we don't know," said Mayes, "but more callers finally give their names so we can lead them to professional help. Persons who phone us are desperately seeking to be convinced they should live."

"We can't save them if they're on the bridge. We can only hope to catch the person while he is still ambivalent, seeing between living and dying."

Police are called only in rare emergencies.

The center estimates that 80 per cent of its callers conclude on a hopeful note for continued life.

Although the center never

sees its callers, it is starting a follow-up program on persons who give their names. Most do, he said, after initial extreme reluctance.

**KEPT SECRET**

The names are well-guarded secrets, he said, because of what he terms "the unfortunate taboo about suicide."

"A potential suicide would lose his job if his employer knew his identity," he said. "In many states, also, attempted suicide is a felony. It was in California until recently."

"Suicide is a threat to society. People feel very guilty about it."

Mayes blames much of the feeling of guilt upon religious disapproval of suicide. In his opinion the center better meets the needs of all because of its disassociation from religion or clerical sponsorship.

Telephone suicide prevention centers operate in 200 cities of

the world, mostly in Europe, he said. But they are not common in the United States.

"Rescue" in Boston, "Save a Life League" in New York, and the Suicide Prevention Center in Los Angeles, all well known, differ from the San Francisco center in being either clergy-sponsored or professionally staffed, Mayes said.

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mostly in Europe, he says they are not common in the United States.

"In Boston, 'Save a Life' in New York, and the Prevention Center in Los Angeles, all well known, are in the San Francisco area being either clergy or professionally trained laymen said.

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**Busy Undertaker Amazed At Care**

By RICHARD R. KASISCHKE  
Associated Press Writer

LONDON (AP) — One of the busiest undertakers in London buries only animal pets and he remarks with amazement: "Regularly the mourners return to the cemetery to stand beside the graves. You always find that the graves in the animal cemetery are better tended than those in most human cemeteries."

The British have long scoffed at elaborate United States burial customs as described in Evelyn Waugh's "The Loved One" and Jessica Mitford's "The American Way of Death."

Now they are witnessing some extravagances of their own as little birds and even turtles are interred in a Garden of Rest.

Frank Pettit, district supervisor of the Canine Defense League, entered the undertaking business reluctantly about a year ago when an elderly widow nagged him into buying her pet tortoise, Jimmy.

"At first I thought it was a bit strange and I tried to put her off," Pettit said. "But finally I agreed. I don't know what I was getting into. I thought we might have one burial a month. But now our cemetery already has more than 250 graves and we are making 10 burials a week. The owners of 200 other pets have bought space in advance for when their animals die. We've got mostly dogs and cats, but there are also numerous birds, two monkeys and the original tortoise. The latest on our waiting list is a horse. That'll be a big job but we'll manage it."

The business has got so big the Canine Defense League plans soon to open a new 7,000-grave cemetery with its own modern \$5,800 crematorium and a Garden of Rest with landscaped lawns and rose trees.

A London stone cutter who is sharing the boom is going after business with a brochure showing appropriate headstones for animals.

The only thing the league doesn't offer is full-scale burial services.

"We've had inquiries about services but we discourage this idea," Pettit said.

The pet mourners are mostly old people or childless couples — "people for whom a pet has really become a member of the family and who don't want their pets going into city incinerators with the dustbin rubbish when they die."

The basic burial cost of about \$8.50 applies for a big dog as well as a little bird. It covers the piece of ground, the grave-digging, burial and upkeep.

But for nearly half the burials this is only a start. Some spend as much as \$420.

"We've got coffins in our show room that people pay 30 pounds (\$84) for and headstones that go for 60 pounds (\$168)," Pettit said.

Additionally, some pet lovers make arrangements with florists for regular deliveries of fresh flowers for the graves.

"Most of the people like to see the lid placed down on the coffin and invariably like to shovel the first earth themselves. It's never pleasant. Often I have to lead the people away," Pettit reported.

**Troglodyte Living Attracts Tourists**

By The Associated Press

MATMATA, Tunisia — Dug into the brown, barren earth on the fringes of the Sahara, several thousand Tunisian villagers live in caves like troglodytes of the prehistoric era.

This village, some 25 miles south of the Oasis of Gabes, has become the foremost example of troglodyte living, now a major attraction of Tunisia's expanding tourist industry.

To accommodate travelers, three cave dwellings have been joined by tunnels and converted into a unique underground inn.

Civilization reaches Matmata by a hard-top road from Gabes, and a telephone line has been strung over the brown, parched landscape dotted with palm trees.

Electric current has been brought to light the national guard post watching over the rocky area around Matmata. Several white-walled buildings housing a school, administrative center and infirmary have been built over the ground.

But the bulk of Matmata's 6,000 inhabitants live in some 300 man-made caves, as they have for centuries.

"It's always been like that. People are poor here. The earth protects them from the sun in the summer and from cold in the winter," say the inhabitants.

The cave dwelling of M'barek L'taief is a typical example of a better-off Matmata family. It is reached by a path going steeply down to a large crater-like dugout serving as the central court. All around it are caves forming "rooms" for the 14 members of the family.

The master bedroom is spotlessly clean—with plastic pots and cheap mirrors lined along the clay wall—facets of a modern age conquering the Tunisian south.

On the laundry rope strung outside, sacks from wheat marked "gift of the American People" were hung to dry.

"Only the very poor get the wheat—we get the empty sacks," says Nejma of the house. She was clad in a purple shawl-like robe worn by women of the region, and her face and arms were covered with tattoos.

On the other side of the parched hill, a cave serves as Matmata's "oil factory." In the dim light of the underground

installation, a weary camel turns in small circles. His motion activates a primitive press for squashing olives. Another press squeezes the oil into containers.

Ali Ben Mohammed is the key employe of the plant. He does not work every day, and when he does he earns the equivalent of 60 cents a day. The camel has been condemned to a life-time of underground labor.

The visitor's most memorable impression of Matmata is the originality of the underground inn, operated by the Touring Club of Tunisia. There tourists sleep on hard beds in specially arranged caves that served generations of Tunisians.

Primitive showers have been installed and a simple meal is served in a large dugout lit by oil lamps. A night's stay with dinner and breakfast costs the equivalent of \$2.50.

Occasionally busloads of tourists come from nearby Gabes and the resort island of Djerba. On those days villagers perform colorful southern dances and drums roll late into the night.

Day-time, turbaned Tunisians work on the meager plots of barley growing between their dugouts. On a sports field, school children move rhythmically under the guidance of their physical education instructor. A Bulgarian doctor comes three times a week from Gabes.

But the earth around Matmata is poor and there is not much hope for the people—except for tips left by tourists and American wheat brought in sacks with mysterious colored markings.

**Tommy Edwards Dies, Rites Set**

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stewart left Saturday for Alvin to attend services for their son-in-law, Tommy Edwards, former Big Spring resident.

Mr. Edwards, 58, suffered a heart attack Friday afternoon and a second one at midnight. He died early Saturday.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in Alvin, and burial will be in the cemetery here.

Surviving are his widow, the former Marceta Stewart, two sons and three daughters. The family had lived in Alvin for the past 20 years.

**STATE COURTS**

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—Texas Court of Criminal Appeals proceedings:

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Ronald Gene Dixon, Harris.  
Margaret Calderon, Hidalgo.  
James Daniel Jackson, Wichita.  
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Robert Lee Lewis, Dave Eugene Johnson Jr., Phillip H. Hogg, Gene W. Terrence, and William Freeman Anderson, Harris.  
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Adell Gossett, Billie Sol Thrash, L. C. Gardner, Lonnie Charles Gardner, Lucille Jacobs, Eleanor Guinn Jones and Isaac Jack Lucy, Smith.  
Prior opinion withdrawn, appeal dismissed.  
Ellis Weaver, Nacogdoches.  
Reversed and remanded:  
Bill Johnson, Jefferson.  
Appeals dismissed:  
James Elbio Yarbrough, Dallas.  
Leroy Ralph Kellough, Harris.  
Rose Castillo, Lubbock.  
Lloyd Harold Dixon, Victoria.  
William D. Taylor, Travis.  
Appellant's motion for rehearing overruled:  
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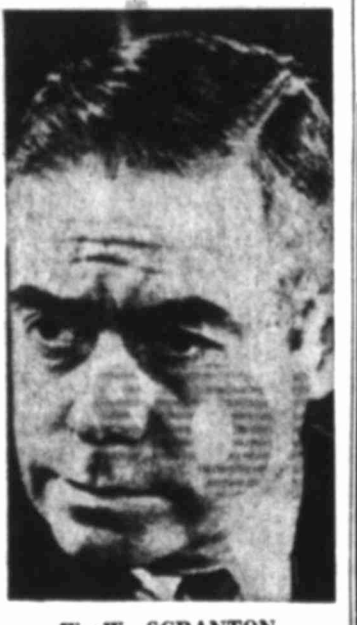
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Republican State Sen. Albert R. Pechan, a trustee of the university, told the Philadelphia Bulletin the post will be offered to Scranton, possibly in the next month.

The position has been vacant for the past six months since the resignation of Dr. Edward Litchfield. It pays some \$60,000 a year.

The position would be a natural for the Republican governor of Pennsylvania, who needs a political platform after he leaves office next year. Scranton is considered a strong possibility as the GOP 1968 presidential nominee.

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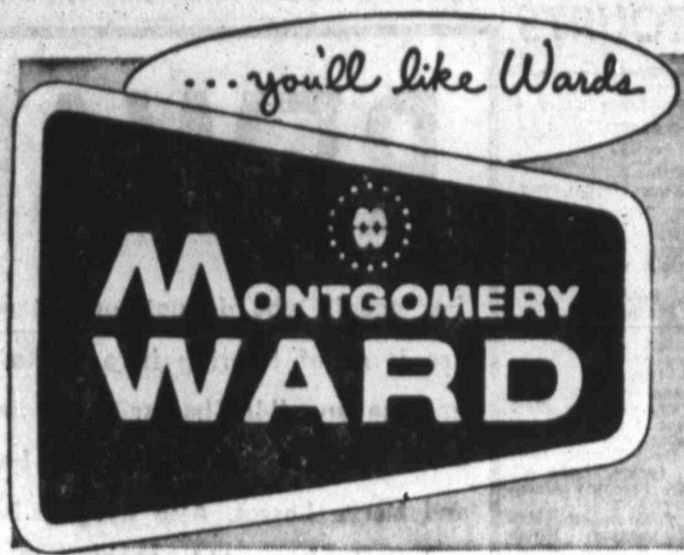
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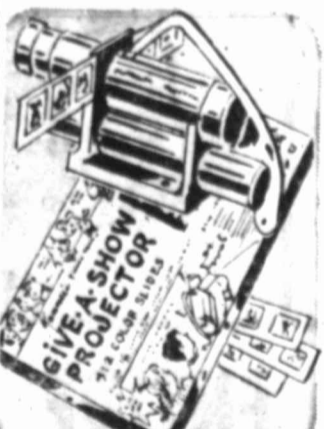
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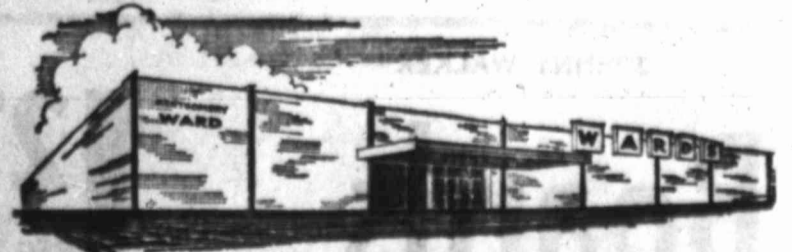
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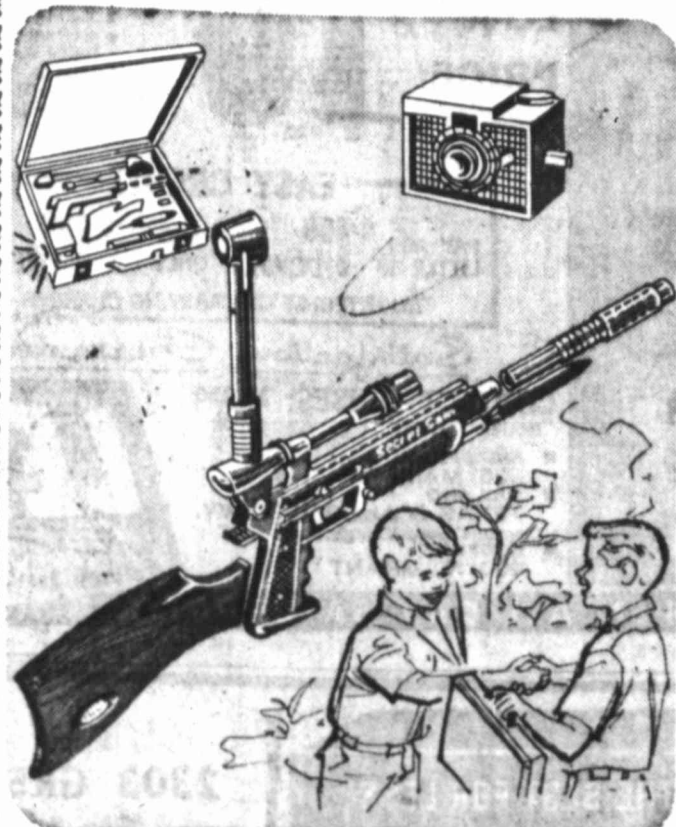
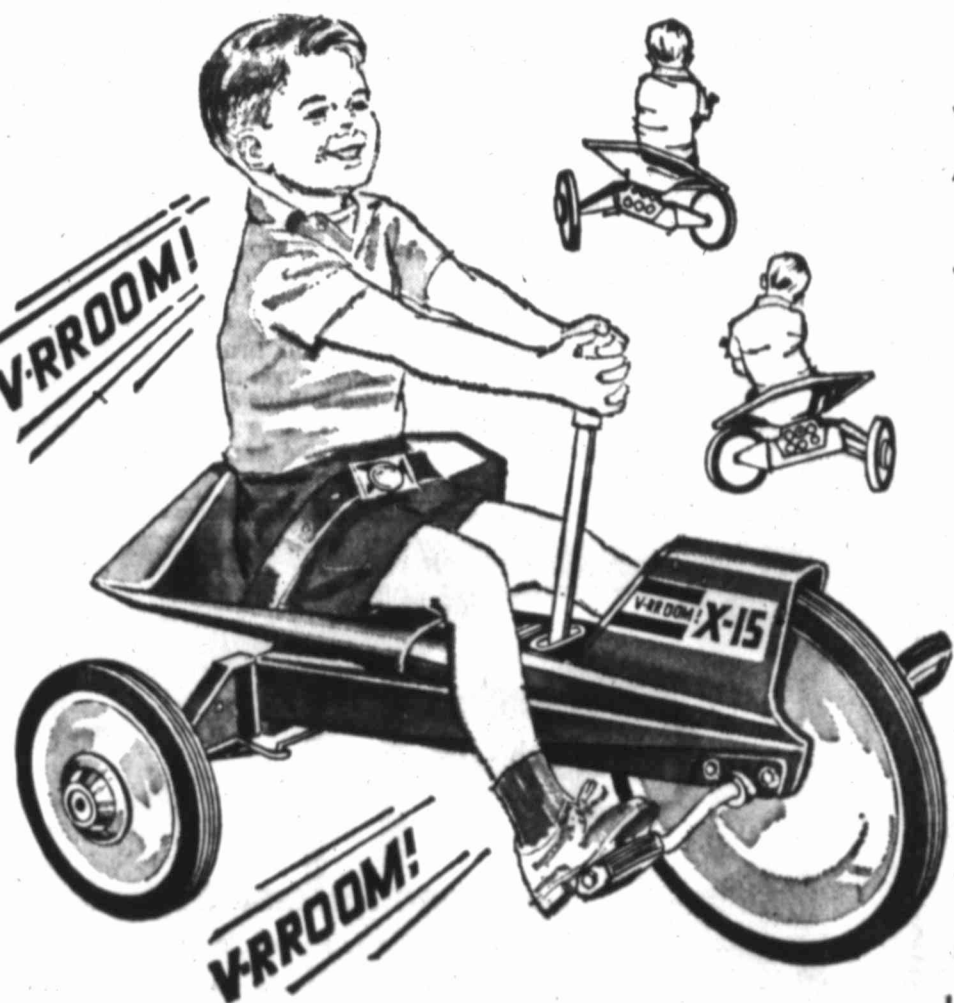


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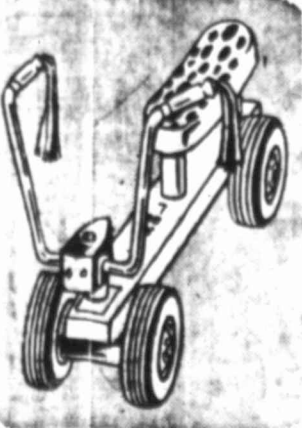
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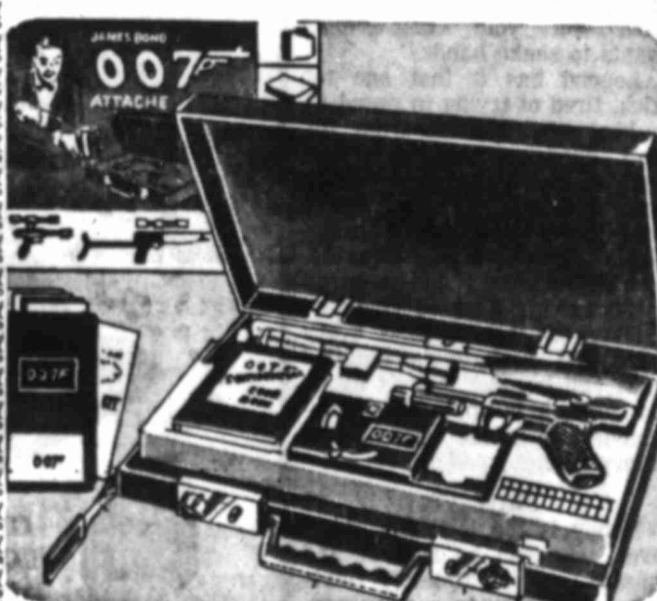
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## Young Africans Protest Having To Buy Wives

LAGOS, Nigeria (AP) — The high cost of wives is arousing many modern Africans.

Government price controls have been suggested to curb inflated prices. Many want to abolish the auction-like atmosphere surrounding marriage arrangements.

The bride price is a hallowed tribal custom which demands a down payment from prospective husbands and additional installments in exchange for permission from the bride's family to marry.

**USUALLY CASH**

In Nigeria the fee is usually cash, payable before the marriage. Kenya custom sometimes permits payment in goods such as livestock, lumber and bicycles. The dowry in Kenya is the groom's income.

A Nigerian schoolteacher commented:

"Even when the price is reasonable it takes away the money a man needs to set up a home, unless of course he is just adding a new wife to an old household."

Africa remains a masculine stronghold. Male offspring are pampered while small girls are set toiling in the fields or put

## Congressmen Flock To Viet To Take Look

SAIGON, South Viet Nam (AP) — Next to walking into a Viet Cong ambush, about the most unsettling thing an American unit can encounter in the field these days is a covey of congressmen taking a look at the war.

This means a four-day VIP tour of major American military installations, with several briefing sessions before a large and complicated map marked with such mysterious terms as "Zone C" and "Zone D."

With Congress out of session, a record number of American politicians have been getting fitted out for fatigues and climbing aboard helicopters to make the combat scene.

**MANY DEBARK**

In two months at least 45 congressmen and 11 governors, plus assorted mayors, judges, commissioners and other plenipotentiaries have debarked among the screaming jets and whirling helicopters at Saigon's airport.

All the politicians, according to one top military spokesman, are most interested in seeing the same thing: constituents.

After that, they want to visit the 1st Cavalry, Airmobile Division, with its more than 450 helicopters buzzing in and out of An Khe Valley; they want to land on the deck of a carrier out in the South China Sea; they want to eat C rations out of a tin can — if there is an obliging photographer at hand — with Marines up in Da Nang.

Because time is short and planes or helicopters are hard to come by, many guests wind up with the 1st Infantry Division, camped in tents in the dust and mud only 25 miles from Saigon.

**VISITOR INFLUX**

The Big Red One has had such an influx of visitors that the dogfaces are used to a sergeant sticking his head inside a tent and bellowing: "All right, everybody from Michigan" or "New Jersey or Idaho or California — off your cots and on your feet, your congressman wants to shake hands."

Legend has it that one top kick, tired of trying to round up a khaki-clad quorum from Illinois, lined up the men he had and relocated them: "You are from Peoria, get it? And you're from Joliet. You, you're Danville. You're Rockford," and so on.

Chicago got a whole squad.

Since the war changes every day, and yesterday's pacified area can become today's disaster zone, it is up to field commanders to decide where a dignitary cannot tread.

**SHOT AT**

Happy is the legislator, however, who can be shot at and missed, and breathlessly relate his experiences to a news conference. It happened to Rep. Seymour Halpern, R-N.Y.

"We were right there in the thick of things," Halpern told reporters after some sniper took a potshot at his helicopter coming out of Lai Khe, 45 miles north of Saigon.

## Horror Comics Are Fad Of Italians

MILAN, Italy (AP) — "Heh, heh, heh, those fools," snarls the man in black. "They'll never catch me."

He's Diabolik, and they never do catch him.

He personifies the latest craze in Italy's mass reading habits — the adult horror comic book. And he's making money for his publishers.

Each month a segment of the Italian public plunks down 150 lire (24 cents) for a chronicle of the misadventures of Diabolik or his newsstand rivals, Sadik, Satanik and Kriminal.

Each is a hero by being fiendishly bad. Their names have an exotic ring because there is no "K" in the Italian alphabet.

Diabolik is a master of disguise. Readers aren't always sure until they've finished the story which character he is as he schemes to inflict evil and violence wherever he can. When he is himself he wears a skintight black outfit from head to foot, revealing only his cruel, piercing eyes.

The new comic books — simply drawn in black and white — were born from a woman's idea to provide entertainment on the way to work.

Angela Giussani, who with designer Enzo Facciolo created Diabolik, explains:

"Looking at the prematurely tired faces of workers going each morning to Milan's factories from nearby communities, I wondered what one could do to relieve their boredom during the daily train ride."

"The newspaper was something too serious for them. The average thriller book was too long and engaging. Needed was something short, of simple attraction and readability — comic-books."

Success was immediate and smashing. But contrary to the author's expectation, Diabolik clicked best among middle-class women. His success spurred publishers to put a legion of similar characters on the market.

Satanik, the only girl of the bunch, is an aging and ugly university teacher. Thanks to a chemical formula, she becomes beautiful a few hours a day. But sweetness and generosity are not part of the transformation. Instead she thrives on cruelty.

Sociologists suggest that ugly girls in real life find in Satanik's adventures a vicarious thrill and an outlet for their frustrations.

An idea how the Diabolik bug has bitten some housewives became evident in Milan. Bruno Parini, a clerk, complained that his wife often failed to have dinner ready on time because she was so absorbed in the horror comics.

## Two To Be Ordained At St. Mary's Friday

St. Mary's Episcopal Church will be the scene Friday at 8 p.m. of an ordination of two men to the sacred order of priests by the current bishop of Northwest Texas.

The two men being ordained are the Rev. Harland (Steve) Birdwell, vicar of All Saints Mission, Colorado City, and St. Stephen's Mission, Sweetwater, and the Rev. James P. Haney Jr., the vicar of St. Mark's Mission in Coleman. Each of these men gave up other career fields to study for the ministry.

Haney was a geologist for Continental Oil Company for some two years following graduation from the University of Pittsburgh. Birdwell, for 10 years owned and operated a service station in Snyder, before deciding to enter the ministry. He was officially sponsored by the rector and vestry of St. Mary's. Birdwell's theological education was made possible in part through the designation of the Easter offering one year.

Bishop George Quarterman will perform the ordination rite as well as being the celebrant at the service. Other clergy participating will be the Rev. Charles Pederson, Episcopal chaplain of West Texas State University at Canyon, the preacher, the Rev. Edward P. Dentzer, rector of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Abilene; the Rev. J. M. Washington, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Lubbock; the Rev. Truman Bennett, vicar of St. John's Church, Snyder; the Rev. Ralph Macy, chaplain to Episcopal students of Texas Tech; and the rector and curate of St. Mary's, Big Spring. Some 20 other Diocesan Clergy will be in the procession. St. Mary's pastor, the Rev. Don-



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### Merry Christmas Trees

Merry Christmas Trees poses with a merry Christmas tree. Merry, 12, is the youngest of the Trees, a Columbus family which also includes boys named Douglas Fir and Jack Pine.

Merry Christmas is looking for an especially merry Christmas this year because "I get to decorate the Christmas tree all by myself." (AP WIREPHOTO)

## Officials Gnaw Fingernails Over Atom Smasher Site

WASHINGTON (AP) — The preliminary on-site inspection of 85 possible locations for a \$280 million atom smasher is over and city and state officials can start gnawing fingernails now awaiting the big decision.

If past performance is a judge, they'll also step up tub-thumping for one of the richest federal bonanzas ever dangled before a chamber of commerce. But a final decision is not expected until the early part of next year and that's a flexible timetable.

A spokesman for the Atomic Energy Commission said Saturday the inspection of the 85 possibilities — out of more than a hundred initial applications — was completed Dec. 3.

The reports of the basic, four-man inspection teams have either been turned over to the National Academy of Sciences or are in the process of being submitted.

The academy is to study the reports and then advise the AEC which five or six sites it considers best suited. AEC commissioners then will recommend a location.

"We don't anticipate the academy will make its recommendations before around the end of January," the spokesman said. "Then it is possible the commissioners will want to in-

spect these before making an actual, final recommendation." Final authorization and appropriations will come through White House and congressional action.

What the inspection teams said in their reports is top secret.

When it was announced last spring a site was to be considered for a proposed 200 billion-electron-volt (BEV) accelerator, the AEC was swamped with 98 proposals from states, counties, cities and individuals.

The atom smasher will be a world wonder, far bigger than the existing 33-BEV American accelerator or the 70-BEV machine the Russians are reported building.

It will cost millions to operate after the huge construction cost, so it isn't hard to see why vultures of such a plum have excited cities and towns from coast to coast.

Each of the teams that inspected the 85 sites culled from the original flood of applications included an AEC managerial representative, a construction engineer, member of the research and development staff and an accelerator expert.

range of facilities, from schools to cultural amenities to available air transportation.

Almost every state was represented by a site visited by an inspection team. Some states submitted more than one site. Many in submitting statistical material on possible places slipped in a plug for scenery, such as Colorado for its Rocky Mountains, and Oregon, for what it termed over-all, grand scenic assets.

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## CIA Silently Weathers Wild Charge Barrages

By The Associated Press

The shadowy business of the Central Intelligence Agency, by its nature, demands secrecy. But in a finger-pointing, pre-conscious democracy there is constant pressure to lift the lid and have a look.

Scarcely a day — or a coup — goes by that someone, somewhere does not accuse the CIA of murder or kidnapping, or bombing or blackmail or bribery or undermining Sukarno, or propping up Gen. Wessing or Wessing or threatening a Communist curtain, or sneaking spies into Cuba or sneaking them out or masterminding this in Tanzania or bungling that in Singapore — all the while strewing American dollars hither and yon.

**PURIC PERPLEXED**  
Since it is inherent in an intelligence apparatus not to confirm or deny anything, the claims, rumors and charges leave the public confused as to whether the agency is exceedingly good — or bad.

The fact that it cannot answer for itself makes the CIA fair game for the wildest of charges and only occasionally does this iceberg of espionage surface — such as the Berlin tunnel that tapped the wires of Soviet military headquarters, or the overthrow of leftist regimes in Guatemala or Iran, the U2 flights over the Soviet Union and the Bay of Pigs invasion.

What the CIA does concern not only the Kremlin. It also concerns a number of critics in the United States. To them the CIA has gone too far into areas of foreign policy, has gone too far into the woodwork to be properly monitored by the government it serves, has dealt low blows to our we-fight-fair-why-don't-the-others-image.

**A SAMPLING**  
The CIA has many spies, few spokesmen. It doesn't talk. But a typical sampling of allegations which have been published in books and newspapers and which are part of the accepted picture of the CIA in many parts of the world provides such as the following:

Allegation 1:

—Two Syrians testified an American Embassy official offered them \$2 million if they could deliver a Soviet naval patrol boat and its rockets to Cyprus. He was asked to leave the country. They were hanged.

Allegation 2:  
—The CIA has rigged elections in Laos. And an American newsman said he saw Communist and CIA agents literally bumping into each other while visiting Congolese parliamentarians to buy votes during a crucial vote of confidence.

Allegation 3:  
—The CIA popped Gen. Mobutu out of obscurity and periodically, propped up his morale, bankroll and ragtag Congolese army. The agency was active in support of the white mercenary army in the Congo and the paratroop attack that liberated Stanleyville.

Allegation 4:  
—CIA agents adulterated a shipment of sugar aboard a Soviet freighter docked in Puerto Rico. The aim was to sour the Soviet sweet tooth on Cuban sugar. President John F. Kennedy became angered when he learned of it, and the sugar thereupon was destroyed by a mysterious fire.

**BRIEFCASE TALE**  
Allegation 5:  
—A CIA agent tailed a courier going from Cairo to the Congo with \$100,000 in a briefcase for the Congolese rebels. While in Khartoum the courier briefly put the briefcase down in the gentlemen's room. The agent promptly walked off with it.

Allegation 6:  
—The CIA tried to suppress the book "The Invisible Government," written by newsmen David Wise and Thomas Ross about its activities and threatened to buy up all the first edition. Former CIA Director Allen Dulles labeled the book scuttlebutt. Privately some CIA people gave it passing grades for accuracy.

The activities of the CIA, in fact or myth, mark the great distance U.S. intelligence has come from simpler pre-cold war days.

As recently as 1929 then Secretary of State Henry Stimson disbanded the department's "Black Chamber" code-breaking operation saying, "Gentlemen do not read each other's mail." Less than two decades before the U2 and the Samos spy satellites, the government was asking its citizenry to send in any postcards it might have of Pacific scenes to aid the war against Japan.

Just how much the United States may be spending on intelligence a year is anybody's guess. Ross and Wise estimate it at \$4 billion. There are few estimates that go below \$2 billion.

Who needs it?  
The United States, says Secretary of State Dean Rusk, who adds that a "back alley war" is going on all over the world. To spurn the sordid, ruthless stealth runs the risk of falling victim to it.

**Two Men Held For Boat Theft**  
Two Yoakum County men — a man and his son — are being held in Howard County jail on felony theft charges. Bonds have been set at \$1,500 in each of four complaints pending against the pair. Neither had made bond late Friday.

**Dies In Crash**  
MIDLOTHIAN, Tex. (AP) — Gary Costello, 18, of Waxahachie was killed Friday in a one-car crash one-half mile west of here on US 287.

## Hit By Train, Critically Hurt

STANTON (SC) — A Midland man was critically injured Friday at 10:05 a.m. when he was struck by a westbound Texas & Pacific Railway Co. freight train about seven miles west of Stanton, according to Stanton Deputy Sheriff G. B. Therwanger.

Billy D. Ward, 24, 1307 Terrell, Midland, and another man were surveying for the US Geographical Survey Map-Making Division when the train struck Ward, hurling him 50 or more feet from the trestle where he was working.

Ward was taken by Ellis Ambulance Service to Midland Memorial Hospital, where he was reported in critical condition Saturday morning with severe lacerations. Stanton Sheriff's officers said Saturday the man had received several pints of blood.

The train's engineer told sheriff's officers he had the whistle on "full blast," attempting to warn Ward when the train struck him. Deputy Therwanger said Ward and his companion said they did not see the train coming.

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# Man Causing The Kissing, Too Busy To Join The Fun

PRIDDY, Tex. (AP)—If you get kissed under the mistletoe this holiday season, you possibly can credit the romantic catalyst to a tough old tree in a semi-dry country in the center of Texas.

Anyone caught under a sprig of mistletoe is fair game to be kissed and the rules say the person kissed cannot haul off and slap the kisser, even if they have a desire to which is unlikely.

The way it turns out is that a large number of girls completely forgot about the game and accidentally halt under the mistletoe sometimes for hours.

Any male in the vicinity had better take notice, even if the girl is right homely, and do his duty because otherwise the girl will have her feelings hurt and

that is not good in the holiday season.

A fellow named Wilford Schuster probably causes as much kissing as a June moon. He doesn't look much like Cupid. He looks more like a rancher, which he is.

Schuster is too busy right now to kiss any woman even if she planted herself permanently under a ton of mistletoe.

Schuster packages and ships mistletoe to 48 states and Canada.

**IT'S SEASONAL**

"It's a hit and run business," says Schuster. "It's strictly a seasonal party product, and perishable at that. Sales are dead after Christmas." The business lasts three weeks each year.

The rancher ships about 100,000 pounds of the plant and is one of four major shippers in this area.

Mistletoe is a parasite. Birds carry the seed from tree to tree in their beaks. The plant is nourished by the tree and sometimes mistletoe can kill its host.

Schuster, in a recent talk with James E. Vance, Fort Worth Star-Telegram farm writer, says the best mistletoe comes from mesquite, and his area has all the mesquite it needs and then some.

The mesquite is a tough plant that grows in a drought or flood and is harder to kill than a spinster's hopes.

Schuster said mistletoe of commercial value is limited mainly to areas of moderate rainfall or semi-drought.

"There's plenty of mistletoe across the South," said the rancher, "but high moisture content causes it to wilt rapidly."

"Farther west," he said, "lack of moisture won't permit size and rich green color."

Farmers and ranchers deliver the mistletoe to weighing stations, from where it is transported to processing sheds to be shipped.

**BELIEVED MAGIC**

The Druids believed mistletoe was magic. Even recently it was considered a cure for sterility.

The best-known story is about

Balder, one of the last Norse gods. Almost everything on earth promised not to harm him, but someone forgot to extract the promise from the innocent appearing mistletoe.

So Loki, a Norse atheist, made an arrow of mistletoe and persuaded Balder's brother, Hoth, to shoot it at Balder as a sort of Viking joke. It couldn't hurt him, could it? All it did was kill him.

That sent the Norse gods into a decline, assisted by Christianity which arrived shortly after that.

Schuster is very happy about the kissing tradition.

"Those people up there in the other states think you need mistletoe to get kissed," Schuster said with a grin.

"Down here we know better."

## Woman's Purse Taken Smoothly

A Midland woman's handbag was lifted from her arm Saturday afternoon, so slickly that a shopping bag (also on her arm) was left undisturbed and she didn't notice the missing bag until she reached for it at the check-out counter.

Frances White, 2007 Bryant, Midland, told officers the incident happened at the TG&Y store in Highland Shopping Center. She said the handbag contained a wallet with \$50 in it, a J. C. Penney credit card, car keys to her Chevrolet and a driver's license.

## A. C. Fleming Dies Saturday

STANTON (SC) — A. C. Fleming, 59, died about 6 p.m. Saturday, while attending to farm interests at Seagraves. A retired school teacher, he also had farming interests in Lenora.

He was a member of the Methodist Church, Masonic Lodge, and Odd Fellows Lodge. Mrs. Fleming has been a teacher more than 20 years and is now teaching at Grady school.

Funeral is pending at the Gilbreath Funeral Home. Survivors include the widow; one son, Jackie Fleming, Midkiff; and two brothers, Dave Fleming and Charlie Fleming, both of Emory.

## WEATHER

**NORTH CENTRAL:** Clear, cooler Sunday. Partly cloudy Monday. High Sunday 48-56.

**NORTHWEST TEXAS:** Partly cloudy to clear Sunday. Cooler Sunday. Partly cloudy Monday. Warmer west and north. High Sunday 53-65.

**SOUTH CENTRAL TEXAS:** Clear to partly cloudy Sunday and Monday. Cooler Sunday. Warmer Monday. High Sunday 53-72.

**SOUTHWEST TEXAS:** Clear to partly cloudy Sunday. Increasing clouds Monday. Warmer Monday. High Sunday 62-74.

**EXTREME SOUTHWEST TEXAS:** Clear to partly cloudy Sunday. Increasing cloudiness Monday. High Sunday 62-74.

**CITY TEMPERATURES**

CITY	TEMPERATURES	MAX.	MIN.
BIG SPRING	.....	75	41
Amprity	.....	68	44
Chico	.....	56	44
Denver	.....	50	21
El Paso	.....	57	27
Fort Worth	.....	58	46
Irving	.....	62	38
San Antonio	.....	74	47
St. Louis	.....	61	38

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**Weather Summary**

Rain was falling eastward from Kansas to the Atlantic and from the Great Lakes south to the Gulf except the southeast states at 7 p.m. EST Saturday. Rain was also falling in the southwest from Washington to California. Snow flurries were falling in the north central states and in New England. (AP WIRE-PHOTO MAP)

## THE WEEK

(Continued from page one)

week. Several members of the foundation board, including Eloise Waters, a daughter of the late Mrs. Roberts, honored us with their presence. Today another open house will be held for the million dollar First Baptist Church plant on Marcy Drive.

Genaro H. Lopez was added to the list of those who have died from violent causes this year. On Wednesday he died from effects of burns in a gas tank explosion Dec. 2. Several others barely missed serious injury or death in highway crashes in this vicinity. You can't be reminded too often to be doubly careful between now and Jan. 3.

The post office department has cut our zip code numbers from two to one—7,970. That means there will be only one number we can't remember.

An interesting wildcat test was announced last week. It will be the C. R. Robinson No. 1 Albert McKinney, four miles northeast of Big Spring and three-fourths of a mile west of the small Lower Strawn pool. Unlike other ventures in the area, this one will be relatively shallow, to 4,000 feet to test the Clear Fork. Sterling County's Fools Creek pool gained a minor discovery when Earl Wells No. 3 Glass completed in the Gorieta for 74 barrels, plus 45 per cent water.

## Vandals Break Car Windows

Two incidents of automobile vandalism were reported to officers Friday, and one Saturday. All involved the breaking of windshields and windows, of officers said.

Gilbert Flanagan, 2404 Lancaster, told officers he heard a noise Friday night about 8:30 p.m., went outside and discovered the windshield of his pickup broken. Vicki Lewis, 305 E. 9th, told officers the left front window was broken out of her car while it was parked in the driveway of a service station at Third and State about 7:30 p.m. Friday. Officers discovered a small amount of blood on the broken window and door, but nothing was missing from the automobile, they said.

McAlister Trucker Co., 1609 Scurry, reported damage to the windshields of four cars belonging to company employees Saturday morning. Company representatives did not know what time the vandalism happened, officers said.

Howard County Junior College knows how Texas Tech felt last year after it was discovered one of the players had not passed sufficient work. Dr. W. A. Hunt, HCCJ prexy, discovered last week that one course taken by a player was in fact a duplication, hence left him with less hours than required. Consequently, Dr. Hunt notified affected schools that games were forfeited and trophies would be returned.

If those Big Spring Steers develop the magic ingredient of poise, they may be poison. Twice last week they built up seemingly insurmountable leads only to tighten and seen them melt away. Experience, however, may take care of that, and if so, the club will be heard from.

The Christmas lighting contest is now under way, and although no avalanche of entries has deluged the Chamber of Commerce, it does appear that there is more and better lighting in most parts of the city. The example of Cecilia Street residents last year had a salubrious effect.

Another old timer slipped away last week. William M. Spears, who was one of the pillars at Coahoma for years, died after a relatively short illness. Mr. Spears came to Coahoma in 1889, and thus for three-quarters of a century was identified with the life of the community.

Little Vic Mellinger had his own interpretation of the Christmas story when telling his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mellinger, what he learned at nursery school. "It's all about those three wise guys and the flying lady," he explained.

John Tabor was cited as the Handicapped Scout of the Year at the annual district banquet Tuesday. John, son of Sgt. and Mrs. Charles M. Barsamian, has not missed a meeting or a camp in six years. Incidentally, Sgt. Joe Maenner, who has been the faithful scoutmaster of this trip, is being assigned to Germany. It's hard to find words adequate to tell what a splendid contribution he has made. Boys in the handicapped troop will never forget him.

Another honor came to one of our young people. Karen Kee, who is a music major, was a winner in the mixed group at the traditional University of Texas Sing Song last week. Competition is tough, so the honor is that much more important.

The new T G & Y store doubtless wanted to make a big splash with its opening, but it had a bigger one than bargained for. A car bounded over the sidewalk, through a plate glass and into the store. Although it did about \$1,200 of damage, it scarcely slowed the merchandising.

If Sam Anderson, superintendent of schools, isn't busy enough already, he has another job to occupy his time. Last week he was named chairman of the District 2-AAAA committee. A month ago he was elected vice president of the Texas State Teachers Association, which means that a year from now he'll probably step into the top spot.

**Fire Demolishes Sabbato Garage**

Fire of unknown origin totally consumed a garage behind the home of Frank Sabbato, 100 Lincoln, about 9 p.m. Saturday, firemen reported.

No one was injured in the blaze, firemen said. Cause of the fire could not be determined Saturday, but firemen said Sabbato used the garage as a storage room.

# PEACEFUL CHRISTMAS OFFER Just A Propaganda Move

SAIGON, South Viet Nam (AP)—There's one merit in the Viet Cong's conditional proposal for a peaceful Christmas Eve in Viet Nam. It's appealing. But that probably is about all it is.

Some U.S. military and diplomatic officials here agree a halt in the fighting would be a fitting way to observe the greatest holiday in Christendom.

They see nothing significant, however, in the Viet Cong's broadcast offer Monday night to halt attacks from 7 p.m. Christmas Eve to 7 a.m. Christmas Day.

It stipulated that attacks would halt "to allow people on the other side to celebrate Christmas in peace" provided troops carried no weapons and there were "no means" of spying.

**WORDING**

Viet Nam is not a place these days where troop wander about without weapons. As for the second qualification, no one seems to know what the wording means about spying.

One U.S. military officer pointed up the difficulty of carrying out a brief truce in a mixed-up guerrilla war, where there are no fixed lines and the enemy repeatedly takes advantage of the fact he can melt into the population to pull surprise attacks.

"Sure," he said, "it's nice to think there might not be any shooting for a few hours on Christmas Eve. But we're afraid that with these people it will be business as usual."

A military intelligence source

said questioning of a prisoner captured near the coastal town of Qui Nhon had produced information that a number of Viet Cong attacks were planned in that area for Christmas Eve.

This source said it had been impossible to confirm the prisoner's story, but added wryly that it at least indicated not all the Viet Cong were thinking along the line of the broadcast.

**INTEREST HERE**

Officials contacted here noted that the Viet Cong offer aroused considerable interest in the United States, with some persons viewing it as of more propaganda purposes. They were unanimous in dismissing this interpretation.

U.S. authorities on the highest level here have found no sign of peace feelers from the Viet Cong or from Hanoi.

## Fierce Weather Bludgeons Europe

LONDON (AP) — Gales, blizzards and floods hit widespread areas of Europe for the third straight day Saturday, causing death and damage in half a dozen countries.

Heavy snow blanketed northern Italy and three fishermen were feared drowned as storms lashed the Italian coast.

In Britain, the rain-swollen Thames River subsided and Londoners relaxed a flood vigil. The river flooded homes and factories Friday and at one time threatened to flood the House of Commons while legislators were debating.

In other parts of Britain the situation was worse. The Severn River was running 17 feet above normal at Shrewsbury in the English Midlands and flooded parts of the town. Troops helped ferry stranded office workers as the town suffered its second pre-Christmas flood in succession.

Fierce gales that have been battering the Dutch west coast moderated Saturday, but large areas of the country were left under flood water.

Three deaths in England have been blamed on the wild weather.

The Rhine River was running 16 feet higher than normal near the German border. Floods were also reported in Belgium and throughout most of the low countries.

In Denmark, several Jutland towns were flooded and rowboats were the only means of transport along flooded streets.

## Fierce Weather Bludgeons Europe

Blizzards brought havoc to transport in Sweden and ships were warned of gales in the Baltic.

Heavy snowfall blocked roads in alpine areas of Austria, and Norway shivered in subzero temperatures while gales whipped the Norwegian coast-line.

## Woman Injured In Car Smash

Three traffic accidents Friday placed a local woman in Malone and Hogan Foundation Hospital, officers said Saturday.

Sandra M. Collins, 108 Circle Drive, was reported in good condition with possible head injuries by hospital attendants Saturday evening. She was driver of a car which was in collision with a car driven by Annette Larue Felts, Coahoma, at the intersection of Eleventh and Goliad at 11:45 p.m. Friday, officers said.

At 9:12 a.m., the cars of Felicitas G. Arista, 508 NW 10th and R. B. Plowman, 1611 Scurry, were in collision at East Fourth and State, officers said neither was injured.

At 3:42 p.m., the cars of Myra Sue Harris, 2713 Carol, and Lydia D. Arguello, 114 NE 11th, were in an accident at the intersection of Eleventh and Johnson, but neither driver was hurt, officers said.

## G. W. King Dies Friday

LAMESA (SC) — George Warden King, 50, died Friday in a Sacramento, Calif. hospital, after a car-truck accident Thursday in that city.

Born in Lynn County, Mr. King moved to Sacramento 15 years ago from Dawson County. A construction worker, he was a veteran of World War II.

Services will be Monday in Sacramento. The body will be brought to Branon-Phillips Funeral Home for services at 2 p.m. Thursday, with Rev. Milton Ashmore, First Christian Church, officiating. Burial will be in Taboka Cemetery.

Survivors include the widow, Sacramento; a son, George W. King Jr., Sacramento; a sister, Mrs. Nita Lee, Hereford; and three brothers, Charles F. King, Lamesa, Bonnie King, Austin, and Maurice King, Sacramento.

## Fierce Weather Bludgeons Europe

Cited in this connection was the interview made public this week with President Ho Chi Minh of North Viet Nam, in which he again laid down his standard conditions for halting the war. These include a withdrawal of U.S. troops from South Viet Nam.

Also cited as evidence of an absence of any trend toward peace talks is the increasing rate of infiltration of men and materiel from North Viet Nam. Both military and diplomatic officials emphasized this in their reading of the Viet Cong Christmas Eve proposal as propaganda.

## Woman Injured In Car Smash

Our deepest thanks and appreciation is extended to all the friends for their expressions of sympathy, food, and words of kindness.

Family of W. M. Spears

Sgt. AUGUSTIN C. PAREDEZ, 508 24. Passed away Nov. 17, in Viet Nam. Funeral mass Monday 10 a.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Grave side, military rites, Interment City Cemetery.

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# High Quicksilver Prices May Bring Back Terlingua

TERLINGUA, Tex. (AP)—The skyrocketing price of quicksilver may bring new life to this semi-ghost town which is about as far away from anywhere as you can get in Texas.

The town, which once thrived from quicksilver mining, was down to a population of nine in the 1960 census and has not changed materially since.

At last reports, the price of quicksilver, also known as mercury, was nearly \$500 for a flask of 76 pounds, and some call this a false figure because no one but the government is selling the mineral. It was higher until the governor released 50,000 flasks recently.

The last mine shut down in 1959. R. N. Pulliam of Alpine, who closed it, said he sold his final flask for \$165.

Since Jan. 1, eight individuals or companies have filed applications to mine quicksilver from state-owned lands in Brewster and adjoining Presidio counties.

"During the past year," said Pulliam, "people from all over the country have shown interest in mercury mining. They go in and lease anything as long as it's in the vicinity of the Terlingua district."

Mercury has many uses. It is a liquid metal. Most people know it as the material in thermometers. It also is an essential material in firing a gun.

It is reasonably easy to obtain from cinnabar by roasting the ore in a current of air.

California and Texas are the only states producing the mineral. Operators say mines can be worked profitably with as little as 10 pounds of mercury to the ton of ore.

London prices have reached a record \$574 a flask and Pulliam said the Red Chinese and Japanese are scouring the west coast of Mexico for the mineral and are paying what he called "unbelievable prices."

The only firm that has actually started operations is the Texas Mercury Co. of Dallas, a subsidiary of Geochemical surveys.

To reach Terlingua, you go about as far south as you can in the southernmost curve of the Big Bend country. The town is on Farm 2462, branching off from Texas 118. It is two miles

west of Big Bend National Park and about 10 miles north of the Rio Grande.

W. R. Ransome of Texas Mercury said the firm is working on part of the old Lone Star Mercury Co. mine. Several men are renovating the old furnaces.

"This is strictly exploratory work," said Ransome.

Gilbert Felts, formerly of Sabinal, leased 366 acres near the old Rainbow mine.

"I am applying for federal assistance," said Felts. "There's a federal agency which will assist explorations for critical metals and mercury is considered in this class. The government furnishes 50 per cent of the cost up to \$250,000."

Pulliam says it will take more than a pick and manpower to make any operations profitable.

"We have found all of the easy-to-find deposits," Pulliam said. "In the future, it's going to take intelligent and adequately financed operations to make anything off the mines."

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

<b>ACROSS</b>	1 Showing use	64 English county	26 Ailing
5 Accumulate	65 Civil wrongs	27 African plants	28 Coloring
10 Skinny stick	66 Young woman	29 Baby carriages	30 Actor Booth
14 Opera number		31 Distributed	35 Periods
15 Recess	<b>DOWN</b>	1 Texas city	37 Give new form to
16 Irish hill	2 Examination type	3 Mature	38 Fruit drinks
17 Exceeded expectation: 3 words	4 Siesta	5 Of certain mountains	39 Unadorned
20 Cadiz cheer	6 Baseball gear	7 Yearn	40 Move swiftly
21 Man's nickname	8 Yarn	9 Pronoun	41 Show mercy
22 Fragrant oleoresin	10 Sets of steps	11 Unsatisfactory	42 Particular views
23 Vegetables	12 "My Name is ..."	13 Vehicle	43 Both powder
24 Yen		14 Fencing sword	44 French seaport
26 Fabric		15 Smoothly: music	50 Danger
29 Gratiified		23 Fuel	51 Grafted: heraldry
32 Hipbones		24 —Bator: Asian capital	52 Arabian gulf
33 Blow one's top		25 Tear apart	53 Hebrew month
34 English river			54 Egyptian skink
36 Illegal goods: 3 words			55 Pesters
41 Container			56 Colors
42 Cheese			58 Salamander
43 Girl's name			59 Modernist
44 Acolytes			60 Wriggly fish
46 Restricts			
48 Facilitate			
49 Talk loudly			
50 Domain			
53 Soviet sea			
54 Conjunction			
57 July event: 2 words			
61 English gun			
62 Banquet			
63 "The Razor's —"			

Puzzle of Friday, December 10, Solved

# Dust Whirls Into W. Texas

By The Associated Press

Dust whirled through the air in parts of West Texas Saturday, propelled by stout winds from the west and southwest.

And still the incredibly warm late fall weather held on throughout the state. Most temperatures were in the 70s.

West Texas generally was fair. East and Central Texas were mostly cloudy with some minor showers in the east.

Forecasts called for a little cooler weather in most sections Saturday night and Sunday. Even so, the temperatures still will be well above normal.

Big Spring had dust from west winds up to 47 miles an hour. One could see only a mile there. Midland had gusts to 43 miles. Childress 38, Lubbock and Wink 37, Amarillo 35, Mineral Wells 32 and Abilene 31 miles an hour.

To the south and east, Brownsville and College Station had 30 mile winds.

Houston, Tyler, Longview and Texarkana had rain or drizzle in their vicinity.

# W. Somerset Maugham Hospitalized, In Coma

NICE, France (AP) — Celebrated British novelist W. Somerset Maugham, described as "dangerously ill" by his physician, was rushed to the British-American Hospital Saturday from his Riviera villa.

Alan Searle, secretary and long-time companion to the 91-year-old writer, said Maugham was in a coma.

"He hasn't been well for some weeks," Searle said, "and he had rather a bad fall yesterday."

The physician, Dr. Georges Rosanoff, said he could not give a precise diagnosis, but asserted: "He is dangerously ill."

Maugham lives about six miles from here in a white, green-shuttered villa he bought in 1927.

Despite cataracts which prevented him from reading, and increasing deafness which kept him from listening to music, Maugham liked to take daily walks in the spacious garden of his seaside house.

On just such a walk a year ago Maugham fell, but was not seriously injured. Last March the writer was hospitalized briefly for a respiratory ailment.

His widely known works include the novel "Moon and Sixpence" and the short story "Rain," from which the famous play was adopted. One of his novels, "Of Human Bondage," is often considered a classic.



In Coma

British author W. Somerset Maugham fell into a coma Saturday at his villa. This picture of Maugham was taken on his 91st birthday last January. (AP WIREPHOTO)

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# Market Gains Back Losses

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market last week weathered the shock of a raise in interest rates combined with the spectacle of the chairman of the Federal Reserve Board standing up against President Lyndon B. Johnson.

A stampede of emotional selling on Monday morning was the immediate reaction to the rise in the discount rate to 4½ per cent from 4 per cent, despite statements the previous week from the President, secretary of the treasury and others that higher rates were not necessary.

In the past, the market has taken discount rate boosts with only momentary hesitation and then gone on to continue the major trend. This time it was different. The Dow Jones industrial average plunged 17.60 in the first hour on record first-hour volume of 3.94 million shares. Even the high-speed ticker, newly installed, ran 12 minutes late.

Analysts stated that it wasn't so much that the rate had been advanced as the surprise timing of the news, plus the picture of FRB Chairman William McChesney Martin going against the wishes of the Johnson administration.

So-called "bargain hunters" began picking up stock at the sharply reduced prices and the market recovered a good portion of its losses by the time the Monday session had ended with turnover of 11.48 million shares, the fourth largest in the history of the New York Stock Exchange.

The vigorous rebound continued on Tuesday in a nine-million-share session and Monday losses were more than wiped out.

# Holds Yule Party

The Golden Age Sunday school class of Berea Baptist Church held its Christmas party Friday evening in Coker's Restaurant. Mrs. Clifton Fowler spoke on "The Greatest Gift." Mrs. J. T. Gross, teacher, was presented with a gift. The benediction was pronounced by Mrs. E. E. Blankinship. Eight attended the affair.

# Hobbs, N.M.'s Only Woman Mayor Dies

HOBBS, N.M. (AP)—Mrs. Audra Kemnitz, 76, the only woman mayor in Hobbs history, died Friday after a heart attack.

She was mayor for two terms from 1958-1962 and was expected to receive another term next March. Mayor O. H. Gibbs said Saturday.

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# Over 750 Here Eligible For Surplus Food Orders

The number of individuals who are provided with surplus foods through the Howard County Public Welfare office varies only slightly from month to month, according to Ruby Phillips, county welfare officer.

She points out the number served this month is slightly fewer than in August, since the cotton harvest has provided employment for some who were not working in midsummer.

"We always reduce the number at this time of year," she said. "However, when the cotton is picked, they will be back on the rolls."

The program was initiated in this county in June, 1961. It was started in an effort to reduce the heavy expenditure the county faced for food and grocery orders for indigent residents. County officials are convinced it is working well in this respect. The dollar cost of the welfare office operations is materially lower now than in the time before the surplus food program was started.

Mrs. Phillips said that there are 757 persons receiving surplus foods this month. There were 791 in October, 835 in September, and 837 in August.

Distribution of the surplus foods is done each Wednesday morning at the warehouse near the Howard County barn on the

north side of town. The program now is much more effective it is said, than in its early stages. Howard County, however, has been operating only since the amended program was adopted. Prior to 1961, the surplus food distribution involved only a limited

## William Tell Try Kills Daughter

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) — A 5-year-old girl who dared her father to shoot a tangerine off her head died early Saturday from a gunshot wound in the forehead, police said.

Officers said Eugene K. Van Denburgh, 34, a laborer, told investigators he was examining his new 22-caliber rifle when his daughter, Elizabeth Marie, said:

"Daddy, I'll bet you can't shoot this off my head like William Tell."

Detectives said the girl placed the tangerine on her head and stood about 15 feet away in front of a wooden fence.

When police arrived, they said, the girl was lying on the ground bleeding from a bullet wound. Van Denburgh was bending over her.

He was booked on investigation of murder.

number of commodities. This failed, it was pointed out, to provide a balanced diet. The items available were restricted largely to flour, corn meal, rice and a few other staple goods. To be effective, a balance in diet had to be provided. President Kennedy in 1961 issued a directive to accelerate the distribution of farm surplus and the order allowed for the purchase of much of the food by the government for redistribution. Four or five more items were thus made available to enhance the diet of the families who were receiving the food.

The county participating pays 36 cents per person once a year to the state department. This money helps to pay the book-keeping expenses. The food is shipped to warehouses and in turn delivered to the participating counties. Trucks bring it here from San Angelo.

In order to qualify to receive the food, the applicant has to have lived in the state for 12 months and in the county for at least six months.

A single applicant's income must not exceed \$95 per month, if he is to be eligible to participate. Income limits for two persons are \$150; for three \$170; for four \$190 and for families with as many as 10 members, \$310.

## COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"No Jake, I don't think the fashionable short skirts could make me look any sexier!"

## Civil Docket Has 23 Cases Listed

Twenty-three civil cases are listed on a docket which Judge Ralph Caton will call in 118th District Court Monday at 10 a.m. Fifteen of these cases are damage suits.

Judge Caton has ordered a jury panel to report to his court at 1:30 p.m. Any cases announced ready when he sounds the docket Monday morning will be slated for trial.

This will be the last jury panel to serve in 1965. Judge Caton plans no further jury dockets for the balance of December.

The damage suits on the docket to be called Monday are styled Anne Brown Wolf vs. Gladys Ruthann Beaty; Jeff Allred vs. City of Big Spring; Howard F. Dupre vs. Texas Electric Service Co.; Mrs. George White et al vs. John Currie et al; W. R. Morgan vs. John B. Norton; Johnny Tibbetts vs. Mrs. W. G. Anderson; A. A. Thomas Sr. vs. Consolidated Copperstate Lines Inc.; et al; E. S. Crabtree vs. Central Greyhound Lines; John Andrew Brown vs. Greyhound Lines Inc.; Akin M. Simpson vs. R. R. McEwen et al; Raymond Gomez vs. Hugo G. Campbell; C. W. Kesterson, vs. Texas & Pacific Railway Co.; C. J. Sullivan et al vs. Mrs. Tom Horton; Raymond O. Quinn vs. Big Spring Aircraft Co.; Sam Mesker et ux vs. James Berset.

Other cases on the docket: Alfonso L. Rodriguez vs. Travelers Insurance Co., compensation; Richard Chavarria vs. Travelers Ins. Co., compensation; First National Bank vs. Zebbie D. Hunter et ux, suit on note; R. O. Malone vs. Maryland Casualty Co., compensation; Harold Letcher vs. William E. Blanchard, et al, suit on note; Minnie Arnold vs. P. W. Malone, malpractice; Marcella Dorton et al vs. Royal Indemnity Co., compensation.

## LETTERS

### Takes Issue On Man's Moral Sense

To The Editor: I am writing in regards to the two letters on civil disobedience. Mr. Stover tells us when the moral sense of one or more men is greater than that of the state, it is the start of a revolution. (A principle of many civil disobedience movements) I'm sure these people will make our nation great. After all, who should obey the law he doesn't agree with, as long as he has a high moral sense. The more broken laws and civil disobedience we have, the stronger it makes a nation built on law.

We all know the Communists have the same right as everyone else. Most of us would like to find a loophole in the law to take this right away and not hurt the freedoms so many have died to preserve.

Mr. Lewis tells us that no government has the right to demand an individual's life without his consent. The Red Chinese would like to hear a lot of this. The Reds released two prisoners as a reward of our great moral sensed demonstrations across the nation recently.

So Mr. Lewis, when the Reds decide to take us, I will read the Declaration of Independence that states: Our government is instituted to secure life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness to them. You may tell them of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.

JIM BOB ROBERTS  
1315 Tucson

To The Editor: A "hauler" lost three extra large tree limbs on Farm Road 700.

As I dodged them, and drove merrily on, a gentleman from Webb stopped, got out of his Volkswagen, and drug them to the side of the highway.

Just another of the many, many reasons why we think so much of our friends and neighbors at Webb Air Force Base.

GEORGE OLDHAM  
103 Canyon Drive

### Winter Wheat Is Making Progress

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Department said Saturday that winter wheat has made good progress in most of the Great Plains.

A report said there was adequate moisture and that weather had been favorable for germination and growth. In some southern areas of the Plains, top soils were drying out due to lack of recent rainfall.

## Criminal Jury Docket Has 29 Cases Scheduled

Of the 29 county court criminal cases set for disposition this week, six are scheduled for trial Tuesday. Dee Jon Davis, county attorney, said Friday.

Cases docketed for Tuesday, the opening day of the jury docket, are:

R. E. Martin Jr., three cases of aggravated assault; Manuela Correa, DWI, Edward P. Smith, driving with suspended drivers license; Katherine James, selling liquor without a permit. Cases set for Wednesday: Bennie Lee Anderson, driving with suspended drivers license; Rocky Stone, malicious destruction; Israel Mendoza Ortega, possession of barbiturate; Jessie James Wilbourn, theft; Willie James Ross, carrying arms;

Jobe M. McKnight, DWI; Jasper Joe White, DWI; Willard Ray Lane, DWI; Hubert Lee May, DWI; Vincente Garcia, non-support.

Cases set for Friday: E. T. Coates, DWI; Leo Eugene Nix, Weidon A. Lindsey, aggravated assault; Cleofus Rodriguez, malicious destruction; Willie Roy English, carrying arms; Judge Lee Porter has called a jury panel to report on Tuesday. He plans to work in three or four civil cases which were announced ready when he sounded a civil docket some days ago. He hopes to combine trial of the civil and criminal cases in such a way as to clear pending cases from the docket as scheduled.



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## Don Meredith Tops In Win Over Cards

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — Don Meredith passed for three touchdowns and set up two field goals Saturday in leading the Dallas Cowboys to a 27-13 victory over the St. Louis Cardinals.

The triumph kept Dallas in the race for second place in the Eastern Conference of the National Football League and a spot in the Miami Runner-up Bowl.

A crowd cut to 38,499 because of rain watched Meredith have one of his greatest days. He not only was sharp with his passing but ran on third down several times to get first downs and keep drives going.

The teams battled to a 13-13 tie at the half, then Dallas waited until the fourth period for the payoff touchdowns, both on passes from Meredith. One was to Dan Reeves for 23 yards and the other to Pettis Norman for three.



**All-Tournament Teams**  
Pictured above are all-star players chosen at two levels of competition in the annual Big Spring Junior High Basketball tournament, which ended here Saturday night. At the top is the ninth grade unit. From the left, they are James Newman, BS Goliad; Mitch Rambin, Snyder Lamar; Jody Williamson, Lamar; Luven Flores, BS Runnels; and Claude Tucker, Runnels. Ford Farris, Goliad; Kenny Schested, Snyder Travis; and Benny Ward, Monahans.

## Runnels Yearlings Win Cage Tourney

Big Spring Runnels lived up to its role as favorite in winning championship honors in the ninth grade division of the Big Spring Junior High School Basketball tournament here Saturday night, defeating Snyder Travis, 53-46.

The Snyder team gave the locals all they could handle but Claude Tucker's 29 points proved too much for the Travis quintet to overcome.

In the eighth grade finals, Monahans kayoed Lamesa in the finals, 37-26, in a game which saw King score 13 points and Maston ten for the winners.

Lamesa copped third place in the ninth grade division with a convincing 45-25 victory over Stamford.

Members of the ninth grade all-tournament team were James Newman, Big Spring Goliad; Mitch Rambin, Snyder Lamar; Jody Williamson, Snyder Lamar; Luven Flores, Big Spring Runnels; Claude Tucker, Big Spring Runnels; Ford Farris, Big Spring Goliad; Kenny Schested, Snyder Travis; and Benny Ward, Snyder Travis.

All-stars on the eighth grade level were King, Monahans; McNair, Snyder Lamar; Minnex, Lamesa; Ryan, Big Spring Goliad; Woodall, Monahans; McCarty, Big Spring Goliad; and Haston, Monahans.

## Athens Eleven Is Toppled In Little Rose Bowl Game

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — The Perez-Adkins combination stunned heavily favored Fullerton on touchdown passes of 54 and 22 yards in the first eight minutes of the game. The extra point attempts failed.

Fullerton blocked a punt attempt by Perez. The ball was placed on the Cardinals' two, and Fullerton scored on a one-yard plunge by Craig Hastin. The extra point try by the Hornets was blocked.

## CAGE RESULTS

**NINTH GRADERS**  
Championship: BS RUNNELS (53) — Flores 9-3; Newton 2-4; Perez 0-2; Tucker 13-29; Patton 3-9; Brooks 0-2. Totals 137-53.  
SNYDER TRAVIS (46) — Ward 6-13; Briner 0-3; Schested 5-14; Lee 1-13; Rushing 2-6; Garcia 0-0; Elrod 0-0. Totals 16-12-46.  
Score by quarters: Runnels 17 31 39 53; Snyder Travis 17 29 32 46.

## Forsan Wins Girls' Title

ACKERLY — Forsan won the girls' division in the Sands Invitational Basketball tournament by defeating Klondike in the finals here Saturday night, 50-36.

Jody Dodd waxed warm for the Buffalo Queens, scoring 31 points. Flower Grove outlasted Ira to win consolation finals in the girls' division, 24-22.

In boys' consolation finals, Forsan eked by Ira, 51-48. **BOYS' CONSOLATION FINALS**  
FORSAN (50) — Dodd 15-31; Simpson 3-7; Candren 3-8; Walvoen 1-0-2; Davis 1-0-2. Totals 24-36.  
KLUONDIKE (36) — Cozart 3-9; Scott 4-1-18; Miller 2-4-8. Totals 10-36.  
Score by quarters: Forsan 12 28 35 50; Klondike 11 21 27 36.

**BOYS' BRACKET**  
SANDS (52) — Wells 1-2-4; Harrell 4-4-16; Cavazos 2-0-4; Russell 1-0-2; Maxwell 5-0-10; Lancaster 2-3-5; Hambrick 4-3-9; Totals 23-11-57.  
FORSAN (55) — Roy McKinnon 8-3-19; Clayton McKinnon 4-3-10; Irwin 2-0-4; Ellis 3-1-7; Moreno 1-1-3; Duncan 1-2-2. Totals 23-9-55.  
Score by quarters: Forsan 6 26 38 55; Sands 4 24 44 55.

**FLOWER GROVE (44) — Don McMarris 5-5-15; Neil McMarris 5-7-27; Pribby 1-2-4; Howard 4-0-8; Webb 1-1-3. Totals 19-10-48.**  
Ira (48) — Jody Dodd 15-31; Simpson 3-7; Candren 3-8; Walvoen 1-0-2; Davis 1-0-2. Totals 24-36.  
Score by quarters: Ira 7 18 31 48; Flower Grove 5 22 33 41.

## Coahoma Loses In Title Game

COLORADO CITY — Coleman defeated Coahoma, 90-64, in the finals of the Lone Wolf Basketball tournament here Saturday night.

Roy Holladay, who wound up with 99 points for the three games here played, counted 29 points in the title game for the Coleman club while Bobby Pherigo led Coahoma with 13.

In the consolation finals, Mike Hall hit two free tosses in the final five seconds of an overtime period to lead Stanton to an exciting 58-57 victory over Colorado City. Dink Polson ripped the cords for 28 of Stanton's points.

Sweetwater toppled Roscoe, 75-34, in the battle for third place. Westbrook outlasted Stanton in the game for seventh place, 57-43. Ballinger copped ninth place by turning back Merkel, 59-44.

## TOURNAMENT BOX SCORES

**SNYDER**  
Championship game:  
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Roy 0 0 0 0  
Totals 12 10 24 54  
Score by quarters: 15 27 29 54  
Big Spring 19 27 29 54  
Seminole 4 0 0 0

## Steers Gain Revenge For Seminole Loss

SNYDER—Big Spring stomped Seminole, 54-34, in the finals of the Canyon Reef Basketball tournament here Saturday night, gaining revenge for a one-point defeat suffered at the hands of the Indians last week in nets for '19 of Big Spring's

The Longhorns built up a 15-7 lead in the first period and at one stage in the fourth led by as much as 22 points.

Paul Thomas scorched the nets for 19 of Big Spring's

points while two other Steers—Robert Jackson and Simon Terrazos—hit in double figures.

Seminole's only previous defeat this season was to Midland Lee by 14 points.

The win was the eighth in 12 starts for Big Spring, which plays Lubbock High at home Tuesday night. At one time in the fourth, Big Spring had a 22-point bulge.

Jackson and Terrazos of the Big Spring were named to the all-tournament squad, along with Shane and Keyes, both of Seminole.

Big Spring slaughtered Brownfield, 76-32, in the first round Friday and then came back to topple Phillips in the Saturday morning semifinals, 58-45.

Allen Simpson's club had three players in the double figures against Brownfield, Thomas leading the way with 16 points. Terrazos followed with 15 while Jackson tossed in ten.

The Longhorns met one of the tallest clubs in the state in Phillips. The Blackhawks have one player who stands 6-7, another 6-5, two 6-4 and still another at 6-3.

In that one, the Big Springers built up a 30-25 advantage at half time but the Hawks took charge in the third period. A tip by Thomas just before the period ended put Big Spring back out in front, 40-39.

The Bovines widened the gap after that, however. Jackson was read-hot for Big Spring in the semifinal joust, scoring 28 points. He hit 13 times in 21 efforts from the field for 62 per cent.

Seminole turned back Snyder in the other semifinal contest, 80-49.

Against Brownfield, Simpson gave everybody a chance to play and the Big Springers hit 50 per cent from the field and 74 per cent at the free throw line.

## Permian Rambles By Texarkana

FORT WORTH (AP) — A bruising ground game that allowed Texarkana only 10 scoring plays in the second half carried Odessa Permian to a 25-21 victory over the Tigers here Saturday afternoon in Class AAAA semifinals.

Permian meets San Antonio Lee next week for the state championship.

Permian built a 15-13 lead by halftime, then struck for two tallies while Texarkana was getting off only one play. But the Tigers got back in the game with 3:20 to play on quarterback Joe Norwood's four-yard run and his two-point conversion.

Texarkana scored on a 24-yard pass from Norwood to Robbie Patman and Norwood kicked the extra point with 2:35 left in the first period. Permian came right back to add a 43-yard run by Mike Jordan. Beyerly kicked the point.

Norwood then sneaked a yard to score on Texarkana, leaving Permian ahead 15-13.

Permian marched 53 yards for another touchdown after intermission, with fullback Billy Dale going three yards to climax the drive. Beyerly kicked the point.

Jordan's intercepted pass set up Permian's next tally.

Patman's 71-yard punt return to the Odessa four set up Texarkana's final score.

Permian 8 7 7 6—28  
Texarkana 7 6 0 8—21

## Hawks Claim Third Place

ODESSA—HCJC of Big Spring captured third place in the annual Odessa Junior College Basketball tournament by defeating Amarillo College, 76-68, here Saturday night.

Odessa College had turned back the Jayhawks in the semifinals Friday night, 94-84, to qualify for the championship best against Cisco Junior College.

The Saturday night win was the sixth for HCJC against three defeats. The Hawks will return to play at home Thursday night, at which time they oppose NMMI in their Western Conference opener.

Charles Vass bucketed 18 points for HCJC against Amarillo while Kurt Papp had 17 before he fouled out with three minutes to play. Amarillo was led by Ed Daclav, who counted 24.

Odessa was simply too hot for HCJC Friday night, rallying in the second half to pull away.

In that one, Pete Zamiga had 25 points and Haskett 23 for Odessa while Papp poured on the coals for 34 points. He missed the last few minutes of that one, too, because of the maximum number of infractions.

## GRID RESULTS

**HIGH SCHOOL**  
Od. Permian 10-0, Texarkana 21 (Class AAAA Semifinal)  
San Antonio Lee 16, Prepart Brazosport 7 (Class AAAA semifinals)  
Brownwood 15, Weatherford 6 (Class AAA semifinals)  
Piano 40, Iowa Park 8 (semifinals Class AA)  
Wichita Falls Washington 31, Nacogdoches E. J. Campbell (Class AAA Negro Championship)  
White Deer 24, Keller 12 (Class A semifinals)  
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Los Angeles 18, US Santa Barbara 10  
St. John's Minn. 33, Linfield, Ore. 0  
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# Awarded In Pay

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contracts contain 10 payments. and King each will \$100,000 a year base salary. Robinson's old contract was \$75,000. King got \$15,000. King will get \$15,000 more each year. The new contract will be in effect on Jan. 1, 1966. King will be 55 years old when he signs the new contract. He has been at Texas Tech since 1938 and was an assistant athletic director before.

# Shaded

Japan, (AP)—The U.S. Olympic team will be the first to play the final match of the world soccer tournament.

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# Sugar Ray Provides Only Fight Drama

NEW YORK (AP)—Sugar Ray Robinson stole the show from welterweight champion Emile Griffith without throwing a single punch.

Griffith retained his title with a lopsided 15-round decision over Manuel Gonzalez, a hitless Square Garden Friday night wonder from Odessa, Tex., in a boring bout and immediately

# SLAUGHTER SPEAKER Stanton Banquet Slated Monday

STANTON — The Buffalo Boosters Club will host the annual football banquet for high school athletes and their coaches at 7:30 o'clock here Monday evening in the High School Gymnasium.

Various awards will be distributed during the party. Tickets are being sold to the public at a cost of \$1.50 each.

Chief speaker for the event will be David Slaughter, head coach at Sul Ross College in Alpine. It will be the first of two appearances within the area in a week's time. Slaughter is also committed to talk at the Big Spring QBC banquet Friday night.

Under Slaughter, the Sul Ross team recently finished its season with a 10-1 record. The Lobos wound up regular season activity as the state's only undefeated college team, then yielded to Linfield, Ore., in a small-college playoff contest.

A Duaneville High School graduate in 1945, Slaughter has coached at Knox City, Carrollton and Ranger Junior College, as well as at Sul Ross.

Sul Ross' string of 16 games without a loss which ended with the defeat at the hands of Linfield was the longest in the history of the school. Only a 7-7 tie with Texas A&I marred the streak.

They also sang "Deep in the Heart of Texas" and yelled for Manny to go home.

But the farewell tribute to Sugar Ray, the 45-year-old former welterweight and five-time middleweight champion, was a rousing and heart-warming success. It was show biz and saved the program.

The Garden brought in four of Robinson's middleweight title opponents, England's Randy Turpin, Gene Fullmer, Bobo Olson and Carmen Basilio, for the occasion. Sugar Ray and the four other ex-champions all stepped into the ring with robes over their ring togs.

Robinson remained in mid-ring as the others went to the four corners. The crowd applauded them all and then lifted the rafters when Sugar Ray said his farewell.

"To stand here in the middle of the ring for the last time is not goodbye but farewell to a career."

Then, first in French, and then in English, he said: "I'll see you later."

It's a cinch the Garden fans won't be seeing Gonzalez later. The onetime cotton picker had his big chance and blew it.

He kept on his bicycle and rarely punched as the angered champion chased him all over the ring, occasionally catching him with left hooks to the body, and left jabs and rights to the head.

Gonzalez had won a disputed, split decision over Griffith in a non-title 10-rounder in Houston Jan. 26. The fans in the Garden wondered how he even made it close the first time.

The officials voted for Griffith this way: Referee Art Mercante 9-5-1 in rounds; Judge Al Berl 11-3-1 and Judy Tony Rossi 12-3. The Associated Press had Griffith pitching a 15-0 shut-out.

Passes completed—172 (old mark 65, Wilson, 1964). Touchdown passes thrown—18 (old mark 9, Freddie Brown, 1947). Danny Anderson, everyone's All-American quarterback, set his rushing marks last year, rewrote the receiving, kickoff return, and scoring records this season, on follows.

Passes received—68 (old mark 32, David Parks, 1962 and '63 season, Anderson, 1964). Yards gained receiving—797 (old mark 499, Parks, 1963). Touchdown passes caught—7 (old mark 4, several players). Yards gained kickoff returns—541 (old mark 448, Anderson, 1963). Touchdowns—17 (old mark 13, Bobby Cavazos, 1963; Jim Turner, 1953). Total points—102 (old mark 80, Cavazos, 1953). And season letter records took a drubbing.

Pressing yards—2,136 (old mark 1,156, 1959). Passes attempted—291 (old mark 197, 1959). Passes completed—173 (old mark 90, 1959). First down passing, 88 (old mark 53, 1959). Touchdown passes—18 (old mark 11, 1953).



**Dismissed**

Football coach Tom Nugent of the University of Maryland was fired Friday. Nugent had coached at Maryland for the past seven years. He says he has no immediate plans, but will go to Florida to get some sun. A committee has been appointed to screen applicants for a successor. (AP WIRE-**PHOTO**)

# Sloan, Texan Vie For Q'Back's Job

MOBILE, Ala. (AP)—All sorts of battles are shaping up for the annual Senior Bowl football game to be played here Jan. 8 but one of the most interesting might be two members of the South squad.

Alabama's Steve Sloan and Texas A&I's Randy Johnson will fight it out for first string quarterback duty. Each is a record holder.

Sloan, who led the Crimson Tide to an 8-1 mark and a berth in the Orange Bowl, completed 97 of 160 pass attempts during the regular season for 1,453 yards and 10 touchdowns.

His total of 1,499 yards of offense broke school records set by Harry Gilmer 20 years ago for most passes completed, most yards gained passing and total offense.

Sloan finished the year as the most accurate passer in Alabama history. He completed 60.6 per cent of his passes and had only three intercepted despite putting the ball into the air 160 times.

Johnson, meanwhile, was having something of an off year for him anyway. He completed

93 of 177 pass attempts for 1,109 yards and four touchdowns. He rushed 87 times and gained 386 yards, 4.4 yard average per carry.

Sloan, then, holds the barest edge in total offense, 1,499, to 1,495 for Johnson.

But Johnson's career statistics tell why he was the No. 1 draft choice of the Atlanta Falcons of the National Football League.

In 38 games, Johnson passed 673 times and completed 349 for 4,600 yards and 35 touchdowns. For four years, he completed 51.9 per cent of his passes and averaged 121 yards passing per game.

Sloan also was drafted by Atlanta in the 11th round. It may take the best from both South quarterbacks, however, if the Robs equal the aerial show expected from Bill Anderson and Howard Twilly, both of Tulsa.

Weeb Ewbank of the New York Jets will coach the South squad, and Mike Holovak of the Boston Patriots will guide the North.

Each member of the winning team receives \$1,000 and each loser \$750.

The South squad included: Bobby Crockett, Arkansas, end; George Allen, West Texas State, interior lineman; and halfback Bob Brunett of Arkansas and Phil Harris of Texas.

# Eight Cards Are Named

Lamar Tech, which won the championship, placed eight men on the All-Southern Conference football team with Vernon McManus, the ace linebacker of the Cardinals, making the defensive squad for the second year in a row.

Abilene Christian, Arlington State and Arkansas State each landed four. Trinity got three places.

Abilene Christian tackle Larry Cox, Arkansas State guard Dan Summers and Abilene Christian back Mike Love repeated on the offensive unit.

Cox and Summers made the Little All-America and McManus was a second team pick. The first offensive team:

Ends — Truman Franks, Trinity, and Bill Kiggins, Lamar Tech. Tackles — Larry Cox, Abilene Christian, and Ed Marcellini, Lamar Tech. Guards — Ken LaJustice, Arlington State; Wade McClain, Abilene Christian, and Dan Summers, Arkansas Tech (off line).

Center — Bob Utley, Arlington State. Quarterback — Phil Primm, Lamar Tech. Backs — Jackie Hall, Trinity; Harold LaFitte, Lamar Tech, and Mike Love, Abilene Christian.

The first defensive team: Ends — Erwin Okode, Trinity, and Dick Crofton, Lamar Tech. Tackles — Kenneth Oze, Arlington State, and H. K. Reeves, Arkansas State. Linebackers — Mike Berte, Arkansas State; Steve Jackson, Arlington State, and Vernon McManus, Lamar Tech. Defensive Backs — Mike Allman, Lamar Tech; Jack David, Lamar Tech; Dick Ritchey, Arkansas State, and Tommy Young, Abilene Christian.

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LOOKING 'EM OVER

# New Grid Rule Hurts

By TOMMY HART

Sam Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hall of Big Spring, advertised his Yorkshire Terrier for sale in St. Louis recently . . . Who should presently knock on Sam's door but Marty (Slat) Marion, the former great short-stop for the St. Louis Cardinals . . . Marty liked the animal and bought it . . . Texans have been runnersup for the Heisman Trophy the past two years, first Jerry Rhome of Dallas and then Howard Twilley of Galena Park . . . Both attended Tulsa . . . Dick Compton, the former McMurry athlete who is the media party in that controversy between the Atlanta Falcons and the Houston Oilers, is the nephew of Mrs. B. F. (Claudia) McCreary of Big Spring . . . Compton suddenly looms very large in Houston plans after spending most of the season with a Mobile, Ala., farm club . . . Southern Methodist scored ten points in the first quarter of all of its 1965 varsity football games . . . R. H. (Dick) Sikes failed to finish among the top 25 winners on the pro golf trail this year, yet won over \$25,000 in purses, which gives you an idea of how well the touring linksters are doing . . . Under revised TIL rules, Class AA and A football teams will be required to play their 1966 schedules over ten straight weekends . . . In other words, if they want an off-week, they have no recourse but to limit their schedule to nine outings . . . The schools are mounting an offense and will point out that schools in those classifications are discriminated against too much, as it is . . . Allen Simpson, the local high school basketball mentor, gives Pampa a good shot at the 3-AA championship, even though Amarillo High is favored up there . . . Although SMU's Chuck Curtis is getting some publicity in connection with the job, Jim Mac-



R. H. SIKES

Kenzie of Arkansas probably has a better shot at the University of Oklahoma head coaching post—if the Sooner brass elects to go with an assistant . . . MacKenzie played football at Kentucky in the Babe Parilli era.

Seminole never should have been that close to Big Spring in the first place but it was pretty well agreed that the final buzzer sounded before Kenny Roberts tipped in the two-pointer that enabled the Indians to defeat the Steers, 53-52, the other night in Seminole . . . After all, how often do you see a team bring the ball from one end of the court to the other and get two shots at the bucket in five seconds time? . . . One official signalled the two-pointer didn't count . . . The other one might be wise to check his hearing . . . Odesa Permain has such fine backs as Jody Coleman, David Routh, Ricky McNurlen, Billy Rogers and Billy Dale returning next season but may have problems in its football line . . . The turnout for the White Deer-Coahoma playoff game at Plainview, probably less than half that which saw the Bulldogs play the previous week in San Angelo, was almost exclusively from the White Deer and Coahoma-Big Spring areas . . . The Plainview people have hosted so many playoff games they've become rather blasé about it all . . . On the other hand, the Invitational Basketball tournament being staged there at the same time was very well attended . . . Albert Fierro of Big Spring and Midland Lee's Tommy Casbeer will be team mates on next year's University of Nebraska football team . . . When the Big Spring Steers played Lamesa in basketball here the other night, they were scouted by Paul Steckler, the Midland Lee coach . . . No wonder the NFL teams shoot for second place in the standings—it's row possible for a member of a runnerup squad in divisional standings to earn an extra \$3,700 . . . He can do it by (1) getting approximately \$1,000 for his club's finish; (2) qualifying for an extra \$1,200 if he is a member of the winning team in the Playoff Bowl (the loser's share is \$500); and (3) reaping another \$1,500 if he is a member of the winning team in the Pro Bowl game at Los Angeles Jan. 16 (the loser's share is \$900).

# Colts Slated For 61 Tilts Under Lights

HOUSTON—The Houston Astros will open their 1966 official home schedule against the World Champion Los Angeles Dodgers Monday night, April 18, in the Astrodome. The Dodgers will open the home season with three night games April 18, 19 and 20 followed by the second place San Francisco Giants, who will meet the Astros in a four game week-end series April 22, 23 and 24. The fourth place Cincinnati Reds and St. Louis Cardinals will also play the Astros during the Astros' first 10 game home stand in April. The Astros will play 61 of their 81 home games at night in the Astrodome. There are 20 home day games.

There will be three day-night split doubleheaders on three different Saturdays during the season, and one straight doubleheader with the New York Mets on September 18. Forty-two of the 81 games will be played on weekends. All Wednesday home games will again be ladies nights with ladies receiving a \$1.00 reduction on all tickets. The popular Oldtimers' Game is scheduled for Saturday, August 20 prior to the Cincinnati game. All night games will start at 7:30 p.m., Saturday day games will start at 12:15 p.m. in 1966 and Sunday games will begin at 1:30 p.m. A special 5:00 p.m. starting time has been set up for Monday, July 4th. Tickets for all of these games may now be ordered by sending check or money order to: Tickets, Houston-Astros, Box 1691, Houston, Texas. The entire 1966 baseball schedule in the Astrodome follows:

PRE-SEASON GAMES  
 March 19, 20 (D) Los Angeles Dodgers  
 April 7—Detroit Tigers  
 April 8—Detroit Tigers  
 April 9 (D)—Detroit Tigers  
 April 9 (H)—Minnesota Twins  
 April 10 (D)—Minnesota Twins  
 REGULAR SEASON  
 April 18, 19, 20 (L)—Los Angeles  
 April 22, 23, 24 (D)—San Francisco  
 April 25—Cincinnati  
 April 27 (L)—St. Louis  
 May 1, 4 (H)—Chicago  
 May 6, 7, 8 (D)—Atlanta  
 May 20, 21, 22 (D)—Philadelphia  
 May 24, 25 (L)—New York  
 May 26, 27, 28 (D-N)—Pittsburgh  
 June 7, 8 (L)—San Francisco  
 June 10, 11, 12 (D)—Chicago  
 June 20, 21, 22 (L)—Los Angeles  
 June 23, 24, 25, 26 (D)—St. Louis  
 July 1, 2 (D-N), 3 (D)—Cincinnati  
 July 4 (1:30 p.m.), 5, 8 (L)—Atlanta  
 July 9, 20 (L)—Philadelphia  
 July 22, 23, 24 (D)—Pittsburgh  
 July 25, 26, 27 (L)—New York  
 August 5, 6, 7 (D)—Los Angeles  
 August 15, 16, 17 (L)—Atlanta  
 August 18, 19, 20 (OT), 21 (D)—Cincinnati  
 August 22, 23, 24 (L)—St. Louis  
 August 26, 27, 28 (D)—Chicago  
 September 13—Pittsburgh  
 September 16, 17 (D)—Philadelphia  
 September 18 (DM), 19, 20—New York  
 September 24, 25 (D)—San Francisco

# Sid Gillman Could Use Better Image

By The Associated Press  
 The San Diego Chargers can wrap up their third consecutive Western Division championship of the American Football League at Houston Sunday but there's the strong possibility that another title would leave Coach Sid Gillman in his accustomed spot—a king without a crown. For Gillman, the San Diego's controversial head coach, never has won enough friends and influenced enough people to win Coach of the Year honors. Gillman, 54 and in his 31st year of coaching, both at the college level and in the pros, numbers only three losing seasons in his 20 years as a head coach. He also numbers such outstanding proteges as Ara Parseghian of Notre Dame,

Paul Dietzel of Army and two AFL coaches—Al Davis at Oakland and Bones Taylor at Houston. Still, there is the Gillman personality. With his bow tie bobbing on his Adam's apple, Gillman can be a charming, personable man. But when the bow tie bobs excessively, Gillman can be a sharply, cutting man. This is the way it will be Sunday win or lose, with the Chargers, at 7-2-3, needing either a victory or a loss by Oakland, 7-4-1, and Kansas City, 6-4-2, to clinch a return against Eastern Division champion Buffalo. While San Diego is at Houston, Kansas City will be at Buffalo, New York at Oakland and Boston at Denver.

The Chargers have Paul Lowe, with 990 yards gained rushing, ready to become the first two-time 1,000-yard ground gainer in AFL history, going against a Houston team that has lost five in a row. The Oilers also may be without two receivers—Charley and Willie Frazier. The Bills will have to find a replacement for receiver Charley Ferguson but otherwise will be at full strength for the Chiefs. Kansas City has been stronger recently with quarterback Len Dawson finding the range with his passes. Tom Flores has taken over again at quarterback for Oakland, swapping with Dick Wood, but Clem Daniels has been the key to the Raiders' late-season surge. The Jets, mauled by San Diego, 38-7 last week, may have to go without center Mike Hudock. The Boston-Denver game matches the cellar teams in each division, the Patriots 2-8 in the East and the Broncos 4-8 in the West. Jim Nance and J. D. Garrett are giving Boston offensive punch on the ground but Denver has Cookie Gilchrist.

# Chargers Likely To Sew Up Title

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP) — San Diego is favored to wrap up another Western Division title in the American Football League Sunday by defeating the Houston Oilers. But don't try to peddle champagne to Charger Coach Sid Gillman. "We're not in yet," Gillman says. The Chargers, with a season record of 7-2-3, can claim their fifth division title in six years by dumping the injury ridden Oilers. The Oilers are 4-8 for the season. "This is a big game for us," says Gillman, whose club leads Oakland by one game and Kansas City by 1 1/2 with two games remaining. "We're going to have to play a big game to win."

The Oilers will be battling to snap two bad streaks. Houston has lost five straight this season and has dropped its last five games with San Diego, including a 31-14 clobbering last Oct. 10. The explosive Charger offense, ranked the league's best, will again be led by the No. 1 AFL passer, John Hadl, half-back Paul Lowe, who is the league's top rusher, and flanker Lance Alworth. Lowe, with 990 yards this season, should easily crack the cherished 1,000 yard barrier and assault the AFL seasonal record of 1,090 set in 1963 by Oakland's Clem Daniels. Alworth leads the AFL with 12

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Award Winners

Denny Anderson, left, Texas Tech's All-American halfback, and Preston Davis, SWC cross-country champion from the University of Texas, are shown with their awards presented them Friday by the Southwest Conference Lettermen's Association. (AP WIREPHOTO)

# Wills Point Wins, 20-14

By The Associated Press

Three Rivers fell Friday night to remove the third pre-season championship favorite in the tumultuous Texas schoolboy football race. Three Rivers, the title choice a dozen weeks ago, was upended 20-14 by undefeated, untied Wills Point at Temple, and it furnished one team for the Class A finals next week. Edna rolled on undefeated and untied in 14 straight games Friday night as it plowed Needville under 33-0 to advance to the Class AA finals. Wills Point was pulling a startling upset in the victory over Three Rivers but there was no fluke about it—Wills Point had 359 yards total offense to 170 for Three Rivers and it was able to come from behind twice for the triumph. The payoff was a screen pass from Roy Deen to John Shepard that the latter carried 51 yards to the winning touchdown. Deen was the big man of the night—he passed for two touchdowns and ran 45 yards for the other. Arlen Zamzow ran a kickoff back 83 yards for one Three Rivers touchdown. David Franke passed to Gibby Moreno for the other. Danny McBride and Bobby Moon and a rugged defense carried Edna to its smashing victory over Needville. Needville never could penetrate the Edna 30-yard line and was held to 93 yards total offense. McBride scored three touchdowns, one with a 78-yard pass interception return, and Moon racked up two touchdowns.

Arthur Ashe Is Tennis Titlist  
 ADELAIDE, Australia (AP) — Arthur Ashe of Los Angeles defeated Australia's Roy Emerson for the South Australian men's singles tennis title Saturday and Nancy Richey of Dallas, Tex., beat Lesley Turner of Australia for the women's crown.

# Porkers, Bengals Apt To Set Off Fireworks

DALLAS—Arkansas and Louisiana State, 1966 Cotton Bowl principals, are equipped to produce an offensive spectacular typical of this New Year's Day Classic that owns 10 of the nation's major bowl records for excitement. The neighboring rivals, whose football feuding dates back to 1901, led their respective conferences in scoring and ball-carrying yardage per game. Arkansas' scoring mean was 32.4 and LSU's 25.1. Each reached its season's peak for efficiency on November 20, the day Cotton Bowl invitations were clinched by each. Arkansas whipped Texas Tech, 42-24, in extending its winning streak to 22, while the Tigers shalacked arch-rival Tulane, 62-0, to finish the regular season with a 7-3 record. For each of them this will be a sixth post-season participation in seven seasons. Arkansas has appeared in the Cotton, Gator and Sugar bowls during that span, while LSU has thrived post-season audiences in the Orange, Sugar, Bluebonnet

and Cotton bowls. The Cotton Bowl Classic has produced the greatest total offense for a single post-season game (980: Missouri 514 and Texas 466, 1946) and the best single-game passing record (13 of 14 completions by Texas against Missouri in the same game). Likewise, the best punting for a bowl game (SMU's 67.8 average against Oregon, 1949). The top individual attainments have been even more spectacular. The Dallas dueling has generated post-season's longest run from scrimmage (95 by Rice's Dickie Maegle—on the famed bench-lackle play—against Alabama, 1954), the longest forward pass (87), Ger Schwedes to Etienne David of Syracuse against Texas, 1960) and the longest punt (84, Kyle Rote of SMU against Oregon, 1949). Maegle's 265 yards rushing against Alabama also stands as a major bowl standard, as does Bobby Layne's 11 of 12 completions against Missouri in the 40-27 thriller of 1946. That game broke all prior bowl records for point production and it still

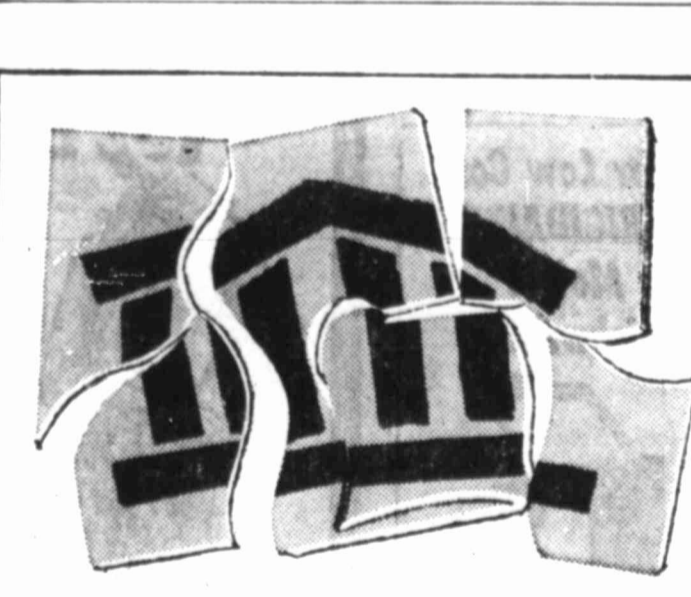
ranks third for touchdown thrills. Moreau kicked 30 of 33 conversion placements and three field goals for LSU.

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# Good Freeze Needed To Defoliate Cotton

About a fifth of Howard County's 1965 cotton has now been ginned, according to survey figures by the Texas Employment Commission. Ginnings through Friday stood at 8,639 bales. No change in the crop estimate has been made.

Farmers report that the freeze, which had been expected to do a defoliation job for the farmers, failed its purpose in some sections. Higher lands did not defoliate. Farmers say now that to get the job done, a cold spell of 18 to 20 degrees which would hold on for a long time and be followed by dry weather is needed.

The moisture which rode the heels of the recent freeze is said to have prevented the cold from doing as well as it had been hoped.

The damp weather of Friday also slowed down operations to a considerable degree over the county. The promise held out on that date of possible showers Saturday was not hailed with any joy by the farmers.

Dawson County has ginned 75,401 bales of its 1965 crop. A labor problem is developing in that big cotton county. Men are needed to operate strippers and drive cotton trailers.

Midland TEC office has looked over the cotton situation in hail battered Martin County and decided the crop will do better than was at first thought. An increase in the estimated crop of 5,000 bales has been posted. The gins have handled 17,430

bales — about half of the estimated total crop.

Cotton harvesting is nearly over in Glasscock County. The gins have processed 9,240 bales of the 12,000 bale crop.

Midland County has handled 6,268 bales. Crop is estimated at 15,000.

Out of the Sweetwater TEC office came news Friday of increases in the crop estimates of two of the four counties it serves.

Scurry County crop is now pegged at 43,000 bales — an in-

crease of 8,000. The Scurry ginnings stood at 12,315 Friday.

Mitchell County, with its crop estimate up 5,000 bales to 45,000 bales, has ginned 8,159. Fisher County has ginned 20,455 of its 45,000 bale crop. Nolan has ginned 8,153 of its 20,000 bales.

In all of these counties numerous strippers are at work — far more than are operating in the counties further west.

Through Friday, the gins in the eight counties had handled 167,500 bales.

# Lamesa Office Classes Big Work Load

More samples were classed last week than any week so far this season, according to J. N. Brevard, officer-in-charge, of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's, Lamesa Cotton Classing Office. Even with the increased work load, the office was able to catch up by mid-afternoon each day. The work force can handle a larger volume of samples than was received last week and keep current with receipts.

Last week 13,776 samples were classed bringing the seasons total to 71,426 samples classed in the Lamesa office.

The predominate grade was middling light spotted with 37 per cent. A further breakdown of grades shows: middling 17 per cent; strict low middling 33 per cent; strict low middling light spotted eight per cent.

The staple fell in the following principle categories: 29-32 inch—16 per cent; 15-16 inch—71 per cent; 31-32 inch—12 per cent.

Micronaire readings this week declined slightly with 78 per cent falling in the 3.6 to 4.8 range.

Prices quoted on the Lubbock Spot Market Dec. 9, were: middling 15-16 inch — 27.65; strict low middling 15-16 inch — 26.45; middling light spotted 15-16 inch — 26.50.

# Humidity Keeps Plants In Fields From Drying

Sample receipts at the USDA, Cotton Classing Office in Abilene were light during the first part of the week. Although most of the cotton was killed by frost, rain and humidity kept plants from drying. Samples classed during the week ending Dec. 10 totaled 26,500 which was 10,000 short of the previous week's total. The season total on Friday night was 243,909 compared to 161,834 at the corresponding date in 1965.

The quality of District 1 (Howard, Martin, Midland, Glasscock) samples changed very little. White cotton totaled 34 per cent, light spotted was 44 per cent and spotted cotton made up 2 per cent of the total. The four county area of District 1 accounted for 5,350 of the Abilene Office samples.

Predominant staple lengths were: 29-32, 20 per cent; 15-16, 56 per cent, and 31-32, 14 per cent.

Mike readings were less desirable with one per cent 2.6 and lower; five per cent 2.7-2.9; 18 per cent 3.0-3.2; 18 per cent 3.3-3.5; and 58 per cent 3.6-4.8.

Commodity Credit Corporation loan entries increased slightly during the week. Prices offered farmers were steady to slightly lower than for the previous week.



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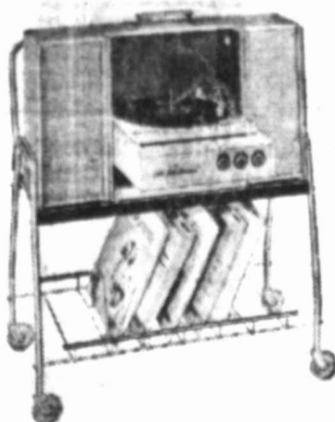
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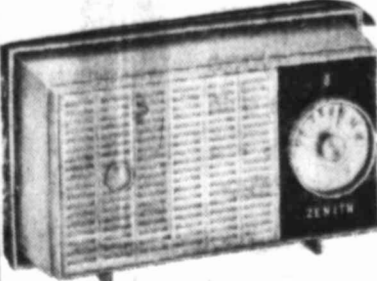


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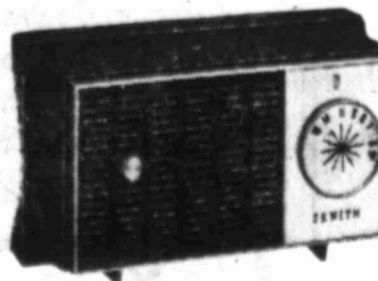
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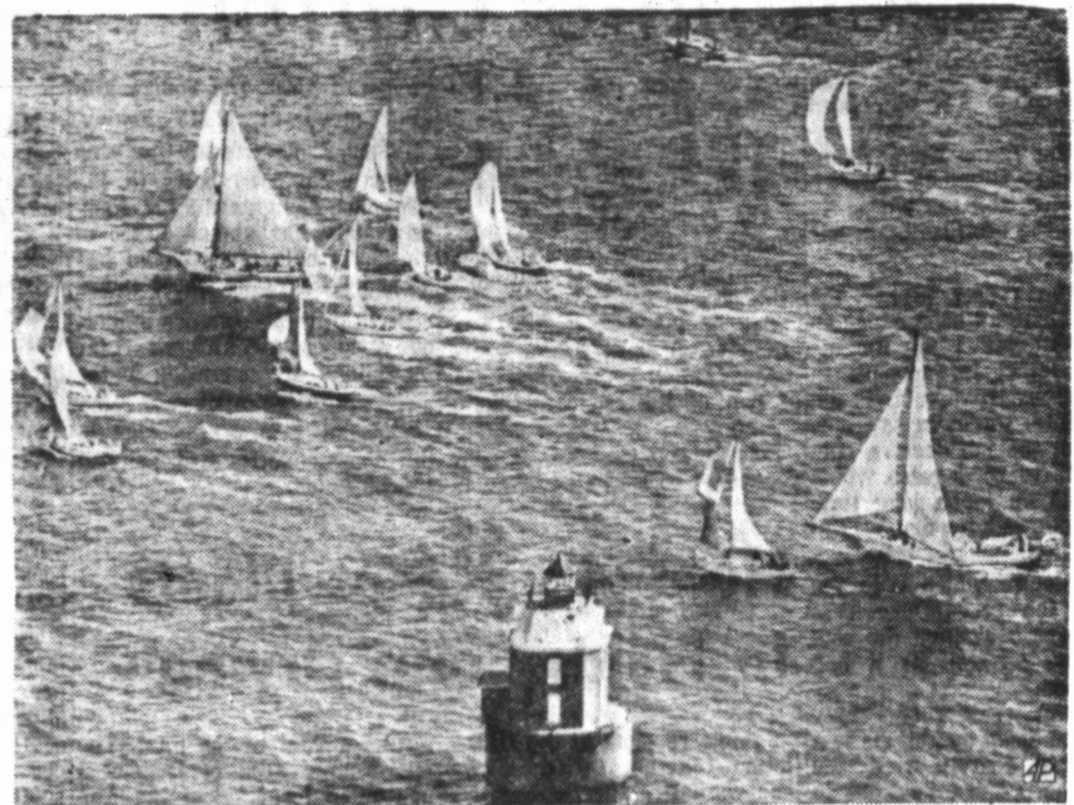
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**PRIMPING THE LION** — Hugh Bundy, wearing a hood for protection against abrasives applied under pressure, cleans the stone lion which guards entrance to Indiana World War Memorial in downtown Indianapolis. Masked "rider" gave passerby cause to pause.



**'PIETA' LEAVES** — Michelangelo's "The Pieta," on loan to World's Fair by the Vatican, is lowered to deck of Cristoforo Colombo in New York for return to Italy.



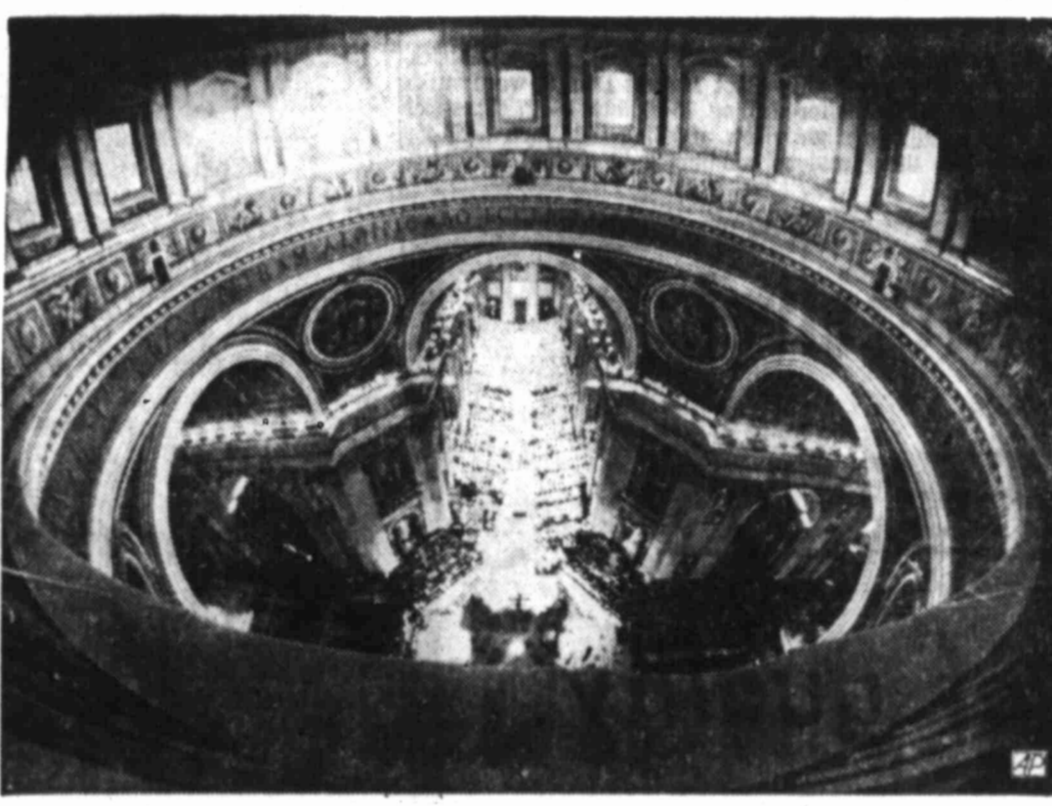
**RENEW A TRADITION** — Two skipjacks, sail-powered Maryland oyster boats, are accompanied by smaller boats as they pass Sandy Point Light off Annapolis, Md., on renewal of traditional Chesapeake Bay race. The event was restaged after a 35-year lapse.



**BLOW THERAPY** — Mark Watson, 5, patient in Denver hospital for correction of respiratory trouble, blows to keep ping pong ball moving during breathing exercise.



**TOP RIDER** — Jesse Davidson, 25, has ridden more than 300 winners in 1965 — riding day and night in Maryland and West Virginia. He'll be national jockey champion.



**COUNCIL MEETING** — This unusual view of the central nave of St. Peter's Basilica at Vatican was made with super-wide, "fish-eye" lens during public meeting of Ecumenical Council. Prelates sat on both sides of aisle leading from main altar, front.



**CRIER'S FINALE** — Arthur P. Snader, 81, said to be last town crier in western hemisphere, has retired in Provincetown, Mass. He was plain "tired out," he said.



**BUTTON COLLECTOR** — A. H. Albert of Hightstown, N.J., shows his collection of military buttons in Concord, N.H. Confederate Army buttons are rare, he says.



**INDIAN SAND PAINTER** — Fred Stevens, Navajo sand painter, nears completion of a ceremonial design titled "Father Sky," in art gallery of Interior Department in Washington. He worked during exhibition of Gilbert Maxwell collection of Navajo art.



**ACTRESS** — Tilla Durieux, 85-year-old Vienna-born actress, first played on the Berlin stage in 1913 in "Pygmalion." Today she has a role in the Berlin production of Helleherin.



**TOURING HORN** — A Southern Illinois University student on his way to band practice on campus at Carbondale, Ill., hitches a ride on rear of a two-man scooter.



**SEABOARD SKIMMER** — Britain's Anne Wilton rounds a marker at more than 30 miles an hour off Ashford, England, in training for world ski championships in Australia.



**'JOHN'S' SISTER** — Actress Debbie Reynolds, who spent weeks learning, strums a guitar and sings a tune in the new film, "Brother John," in which she plays a nun.



**DAY OF THE IGUANA** — Looking for all the world like a prehistoric monster is this 6-foot iguana which wandered into a residential section of Miami. E. L. Williams of Miami prepares to make the capture and start the lizard on its way to the Miami Zoo.

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# BIG SPRING HERALD



Cosden proudly salutes another of its **'SENIORS'**

**NORMAN R. HOLCOMBE**



Norman R. Holcombe reported to work as a yardman at Cosden on November 13, 1950. For most of the years that have followed he has been at the No. 1 crude unit, where he has advanced to Operator No. 1.

The native of Stanton had two years of Army service during World War II. He served with the 45th Division in the action in France and Germany.

Holcombe married Janie Clinkscales, a native Big Spring, on February 24, 1947. They make a home at 1708 Purdue for their children. Steven Dale, 10, is a fifth grader at Boydston, and Jarrell Norman, 6, is in the first grade. Holcombe's stepson, John McDaniel, is a helper at Cosden's No. 2 crude unit.

For recreational pursuits this Cosden senior turns to sports and fishing. Football, basketball and baseball entertain him. He loves to trout fish in New Mexico or Colorado, and the whole family goes along on these excursions. He is also a coin collector.

The Holcombes attend Wesley Methodist Church.

**Cosden Oil & Chemical Company**

# Air Pollution Research Gets Industry Boost

By MAX B. SKELTON  
Associated Press Oil Writer

HOUSTON (AP) — Air Pollution research is receiving increased emphasis from the petroleum industry.

The American Petroleum Institute estimates oil companies will spend more than \$41 million next year on such research. This would boost such expenditures since 1956 to more than \$250 million.

The institute also has earmarked \$1.8 million for air and water conservation studies the next 12 months and has established a new staff unit to accelerate the program.

Frank N. Ikard, president of the trade group that represents all segments of the domestic industry, has said conservation matters overshadow all other problems oilmen now face at the governmental level.

Ikard, a former Texas congressman, has expressed fear that emotionalism could prompt hasty actions by Congress or state legislatures.

"Obviously, a large and necessary job lies ahead for this nation," Ikard said recently. "Our industry must give its fullest cooperation in this national effort to improve our air and our water resources. At the same time, we must also do what we can to put a good cause on a rational track."

"Industry cooperation is not made easier by the emotionalism with which the matter is now charged — an emotionalism we can see intensified."

In recent speeches, Ikard has discussed a new amendment to the clean air act of 1963 and a 74-page report released Nov. 5 by the environmental pollution panel of President Lyndon B. Johnson's scientific advisory committee.

The clean air act amendment gives the Department of Health, Education and Welfare to set standards for emissions from new motor vehicles. Its provision for increased federal air study of automotive hydrocarbon emissions from the carburetor and fuel tank.

The report by the environmental panel includes more than 100 recommendations. The report also says "the pollution from internal combustion engines is so serious and is growing so fast that an alternative nonpolluting means of powering automobiles, buses and trucks

is likely to become a national necessity."

Ikard says the report, however, does not conclude that urban air pollution, while having some unfavorable effects, has not reached the stage where the damage is as great as that associated with cigarette smoking.

Automobile exhaust fumes are a major target but the petroleum industry's air pollution re-

search program also is aimed at minimizing emissions from refineries, storage tanks and other facilities.

Studies by the petroleum industry and automobile manufacturers indicate there are four sources of air pollution caused by motor vehicles. They are:

Tailpipe exhaust—65 per cent  
Crankcase vents—20 per cent  
Carburetor vents—9 per cent  
Fuel tank vents—6 per cent

Starting with 1966 models, practically all the cars sold in California will carry special devices designed to reduce exhaust hydrocarbons by an estimated 70 per cent.

Major automobile manufacturers also now are installing on some models ventilation valves and systems designed to divert crankcase gases to the carburetor so they can burn in the regular combustion process.

## Oilman Heads OIC Programs

DALLAS — Boone Macaulay, Dallas, assistant vice president, The Atlantic Refining Co., will head statewide School Program activities of the Oil Information Committee of Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Assn., OIC state chairman Charles F. Heidrick, Dallas, has announced.

The new OIC state school chairman succeeds D. W. Deane, Continental Oil Co., Fort Worth, who transferred to an out-of-state company assignment.

Macaulay formerly served the Texas Oil Information Committee as state employe information program chairman in 1957. He later held posts in oil and gas industry public affairs organizations in Oklahoma, Wyoming and New Mexico.

The Atlantic official joined the French To Help

PARIS (AP) — The French Red Cross announced it would provide its share of aid to Asian war victims including those in both North and South Viet Nam as requested by the International Red Cross. Awaiting estimates of needs in Viet Nam, Pakistan and India, the French group is donating medicines and money to relief in those places under existing programs.

## HITS INVESTMENT

### Gas Rate Decision Shakes Producers

FINDLAY, Ohio—In an address before the New York Society of Security Analysts, Clayton L. Orn, general counsel and a director of Marathon Oil Company, said the Federal Power Commission's decision fixing ceilings on Permian Basin area natural gas rates has "badly shaken" the confidence of producers as to the profitability of finding and selling gas in interstate markets.

Orn, who addressed the analysts on the meaning of the FPC decision affecting the West Texas and New Mexico area, said that something must be done to restore this confidence if producers can be expected to accelerate their search for new gas supplies or commit additional reserves to the interstate regulated markets. Management cannot be expected to invest corporate funds in ventures which do not appear financially attractive, he stated.

In its decision, the Commission employed composite, or average, costs in a cost of service and based its ceiling prices thereon. Yet, the Commission had rejected cost of service in

an earlier rate case as not sensible or workable, Orn said.

These composite costs, Orn said, "do not reflect the gas costs of each producer, nor do the ceiling prices constitute just and reasonable prices for gas sold by the numerous producers in the Permian Basin area whose costs necessarily are different."

Orn stated that based on the volume of 1963 Permian Basin interstate gas sales, the ceilings fixed by the FPC would result in a cut of about \$16,800,000 in total revenues of Permian Basin gas producers. And the Commission has established 22 other gas-producing areas in which it is moving to fix price ceilings, he said. Based on the same 1963 sales volume in all of these areas, under the same pricing method as that fixed in the Permian Basin, the gas producers of the United States "might suffer an unjustified reduction in their interstate gas contract prices of as much as \$181 million per year," Orn said.

More importantly, he stated, natural gas reserves are declining—from a 22.5-year supply in 1954 to an 18.2-year supply in 1964—and unless exploratory expenditures are increased will further decline. At the present rate, by 1975 only a 12-year supply of reserves will be available, Orn said.

### Well Completions Show Sharp Drop

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Railroad Commission reported Saturday that 172 oil wells and eight gas wells were completed in Texas this week.

The completions bring the year's totals to 6,488 oil wells and 2,305 gas wells. Comparable figures last year at this time were 7,877 oil wells and 2,560 gas wells.

Wildcaters reported six oil discoveries, two each in Dist. 4 and 10 and one each in Dist. 3 and 9. No gas discoveries were reported.

A total of 169 wells were plugged, including 94 dry holes.

### Things Missing

Mrs. Shelby Hall, 1804 Scurry, told officers Saturday a woolen blanket, a pillow and a water glass are missing from her residence. She said she suspected a renter who recently left without paying about \$7 she owes.

## Oilman Heads OIC Programs



BOONE MACAULAY

## Texaco No. 1 Randle Is Spraberry Confirmer

Texaco Inc. has confirmed the Gin Spraberry pool in Dawson County with completion of its No. 1 Randle, and testing continues in the Mississippi.

The Spraberry was perforated at 8,009-067, and was fractured with 20,000 gallons of oil and 22,000 pounds of sand. It was completed for a 24 hour flowing yield of 239 barrels of 39.1 gravity oil.

Flow was through a 22-44 inch choke with 140 tubing pressure with gas-oil ratio of 229:1. It also produced 26 barrels of load water on the potential test. The Mississippi is perforated 11,439-469, and that zone has been acidized with 500 gallons. Latest gauge on that formation was for 18 hours, during which 30 barrels of new oil and 14 barrels of load water were swabbed.

The project is five miles west of Lamesa, one location southwest of the opener of the two well pool, 660 from the south and west lines of section 8, block 36, T5N, T&P.

## Three Million Own Oil Stock

Nearly three million persons—one of every seven shareholders in America today—own stock in US oil companies, according to a study published by the New York Stock Exchange.

The nation's total shareowning population, now estimated at more than 20 million, has more than tripled since the Exchange made its first study of this kind in 1952.

Of the total, an estimated 2,970,000, or almost 15 per cent, own shares in 212 publicly-owned domestic corporations engaged in the production and refining of petroleum and natural gas.

At the end of 1964, these shares in oil and gas companies had a market value of \$79.4 billion, accounting for 12 per cent of the market value of all corporate stock available to the general public in the country.

## Offshore Drilling School Scheduled

The American Association of Oilwell Drilling Contractors is sponsoring a new school—The School of Offshore Drilling Operations. Purpose of the school is to train engineers, tool pushers, drillers and others in the unique aspects of offshore drilling and completion techniques. Aspects of offshore operations that are duplicates of those used at onshore locations will not be covered.

Plans for the school call for a twice-a-year operation, spring and fall, at Baytown, Texas. The course will take ten full days. The first term will be conducted at the Holiday Inn, located on Route 146, Baytown, beginning January 31, 1966, and extending through February 11,

## Rig Count Up Only Little

Reed Roller Bit Co., on the Friday survey of rotary drilling activity in the Permian Basin listed 211 rigs with bits on bottom, six more than the 205 reported one week ago and 14 fewer than 225 on the comparable survey for 1964.

Pecos County is first on the list with 29, two more than last week and Lea County, N.M., is second with 26, an increase of one.

Reagan County is third with 15, a decrease of one for the week.

Rigs by county, with last week's in parentheses are:

- Andrews 12 (8); BORDEN 3 (3); Chaves 2 (0); Cochran 1 (0); Coke 3 (2); Concho 1 (0); Crane 3 (2); Crockett 7 (5); Crosby 1 (0); DAWSON 4 (4); Ector 3 (5); Eddy 11 (11); Fisher 1 (0); Gaines 6 (7); GARZA 1 (1); GLASSCOCK 2 (2); Hockley 4 (7); HOWARD 4 (5); Irion 1 (1); Kent 3 (2); Lea 26 (25); Loving 2 (1); Lubbock 1 (1); Lynn 1 (1); MARTIN 0 (1); Midland 5 (5); MITCHELL 3 (1); Nolan 1 (2); Pecos 29 (27); Reagan 15 (16); Reeves 11 (12); Roosevelt 7 (11); Runnels 7 (7); Schleicher 2 (4); Scurry 1 (2); STERLING 2 (1); Stone-wall 1 (2); Terrell 1 (1); Terry 1 (0); Tom Green 5 (1); Upton 2 (2); Ward 5 (4); Winkler 7 (5); Yoakum 3 (5); Total 211 (205).

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AM 4-5101

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THOMAS TYPEWRITER OFF. SUPPLY  
101 Main AM 4-6621

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wood cabinet	1 S.S. U. offence record
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1 walnut color desk with glass and chair	39 folding chairs
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3 lamp tables	1 roll away bed
1 small coffee table	4 refrigerators - electric
10 miscellaneous tables	1 gas cook stove
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## Captains To Be Promoted

The following Webb Air Force Base captains have been selected for promotion to the temporary grade of Major and will wear the new rank beginning Dec. 15: Vincent P. Bakies, Niles A. Carter, David R. Eby, Richard C. Fontaine, Robert C. Hammerle, James C. Hess, Robert L. Hurst, Charles F. Luther, William L. Nelson, Bernard A. Regets, and Francis W. Ethun.

Seventeen other officers will be promoted to Major during the 1966 selection cycle and will wear their new rank by next December:

G. M. Benson III, James F. Bosick, Ronald F. Boyle, James M. Brown Jr., Serafino A. Carri, S. G. Flowers Jr., Frank T. Hamela, William T. Hascall, Loren H. Hiniker, Edward M. Hudgens, Robert H. Laurine, James E. Redden, Gerald F. Ryder, Gene E. Taft, Elmer W. Wasseroth, and Douglas W. Wingate.

Also promoted from captain to major is a former Webb officer, Tom Normile, who will assume his new rank Dec. 15. Capt. Normile presently is attending the Air Force Staff and Command School at Montgomery, Ala.

## College Christmas Concert Monday

The Howard County Junior College Choir, boasting its largest number of voices, will present the traditional Christmas concert Monday at 8 p.m. in the college auditorium.

The program contains a wide range of music, from the predominantly classic sacred themes in the first portion of the opening part of the program, to the lighter, contemporary tunes and familiar carols.

College students will be admitted on activity cards, and the admission for others is \$1 adults and 50 cents student with all proceeds going to the college music scholarship fund.

Soloists will be Cynthia Pond and Marilyn Lawson. Harland Thornton will again serve as accompanist for the choir and Miss Lawson. Merry Lee Dibrell will accompany Miss Pond.

Included in the first part of the program are: "Fanfare for Christmas," Lloyd Pfautsch; "The Three Kings," Lawrence Houseman and Healy William; "Cantata Domino," Giuseppe Pitoni; "O Magnum Mysterium," Tomas Luis da Vittoria; Schubert's "Ave Maria," Cynthia Pond; "Sofis of Eve," anonymous; "and three Roy Ringwald and Robert Shaw arrangements — "Joy to the World," "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear," and

"Angels We Have Heard on High."

For the second part the choir will sing: "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing," another Shaw-Ringwald arrangement; "The Holy Infant's Lullaby," Norman DeLo Joia; "The Holly and the Ivy," a Shaw-Parker arrangement; Adolphe Adam's "Oh Holy Night," sing by Marilyn Lawson; "White Christmas," Irving Berlin; "Carol of the Drum," Katherine K. Davis; "Winter Wonderland," Leo Arnaud arrangement; and "Do You Hear What I Hear," Harry Simeone.

## T-TA Slates Extra Flights

Trans-Texas Airways has scheduled an additional 45 flights throughout the six states it serves for the anticipated Christmas travel rush.

A. G. Kamel, vice president-sales for TTA said that all TTA flights are filling fast for travel on Dec. 22-24. The additional flights or extra sections are operating on routes where the advanced bookings have been the heaviest.

## Safety Urged For Holidays By Garrison

AUSTIN — Past experience indicates some 100 persons will be killed in traffic accidents during the 10-day Christmas - New Year's holiday period, it was reported by Col. Homer Garrison, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Garrison said in addition to the grim traffic death projection made by DPS Statistical Services, it is also estimated that there will be 43 homicides and suicides and 42 deaths from accidents other than traffic, for a total violent death toll of 195.

"We would like to appeal once again to the driving public to join us in an all-out effort to cut down on this terrible toll, particularly in traffic where observance of traffic laws and rules of safety can actually do something about it," the DPS director said.

In an effort to call attention to the dangers involved in holiday travel, the DPS will conduct its annual "Operation Deathwatch" during the 10-day period. From 12:01 a.m. Dec. 24 (Christmas Eve) through 11:59 p.m. Jan. 2, violent deaths will be tabulated and the totals announced three times daily from the department headquarters in Austin. Every available patrolman will be on duty.

12-B Big Spring (Texas) Herald, Sun., Dec. 12, 1965

DEAR ABBY

## Cure's Not The Same



DEAR ABBY: After 12 years of marriage, Fenwick told me he wanted a divorce. (I knew he'd been running around on me, but then, nobody is perfect.) He said he was "in love" with a woman he'd met at work. (She is 44 and divorced. Fenwick is 36.) I told him I wanted to meet her, and if I thought she was good enough for him I'd sign the papers. Well, I met her, and she was worse than I had expected. I just calmly told Fenwick that I wouldn't sign any papers to free him so he could marry THAT. I didn't stop him from seeing her. I just let the affair burn itself out. In six months it was dead as a dodo. Now Fenwick is thanking me for being so wise and sensible. Maybe other women with the same problem can use my formula. NOT SO DUMB

DEAR NOT: What will cure some patients will kill others. All generalizations are worthless, including this one.

DEAR ABBY: I have been meaning to write to you for over a year about my husband's sister. (Let's call her Nellie.) Well,

Nellie has been having trouble with her husband and she's driving us crazy with telephone calls night and day, asking what she should do. It seems her husband wants a divorce because of another woman, and Nellie refuses to give him one. The whole story is only HER side of it. No one has heard her husband's side of it. Anyway, Nellie tells her troubles to everyone who will listen, and she asks for advice. It's disgusting. We told her a year ago that she was foolish for trying to hang on to a man who didn't want her, but she got hysterical. I suggested she talk to her clergyman. She did, and he told her to let her husband go. We want to help her. What should we do?

TIED HANDS  
DEAR TIED: Nellie doesn't really want "advice." She is searching for someone (anyone!) who will support her decision to hang on to her husband. She needs an impartial counselor. But even he can't help her if she refuses to listen.

DEAR ABBY: I wonder how many thousands of women have

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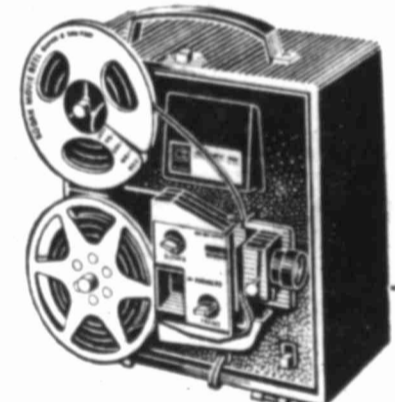
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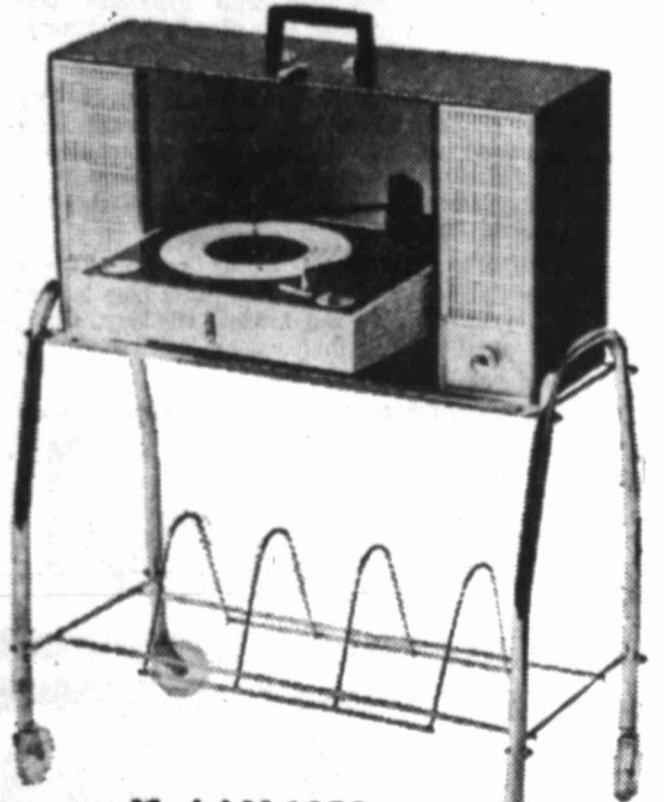
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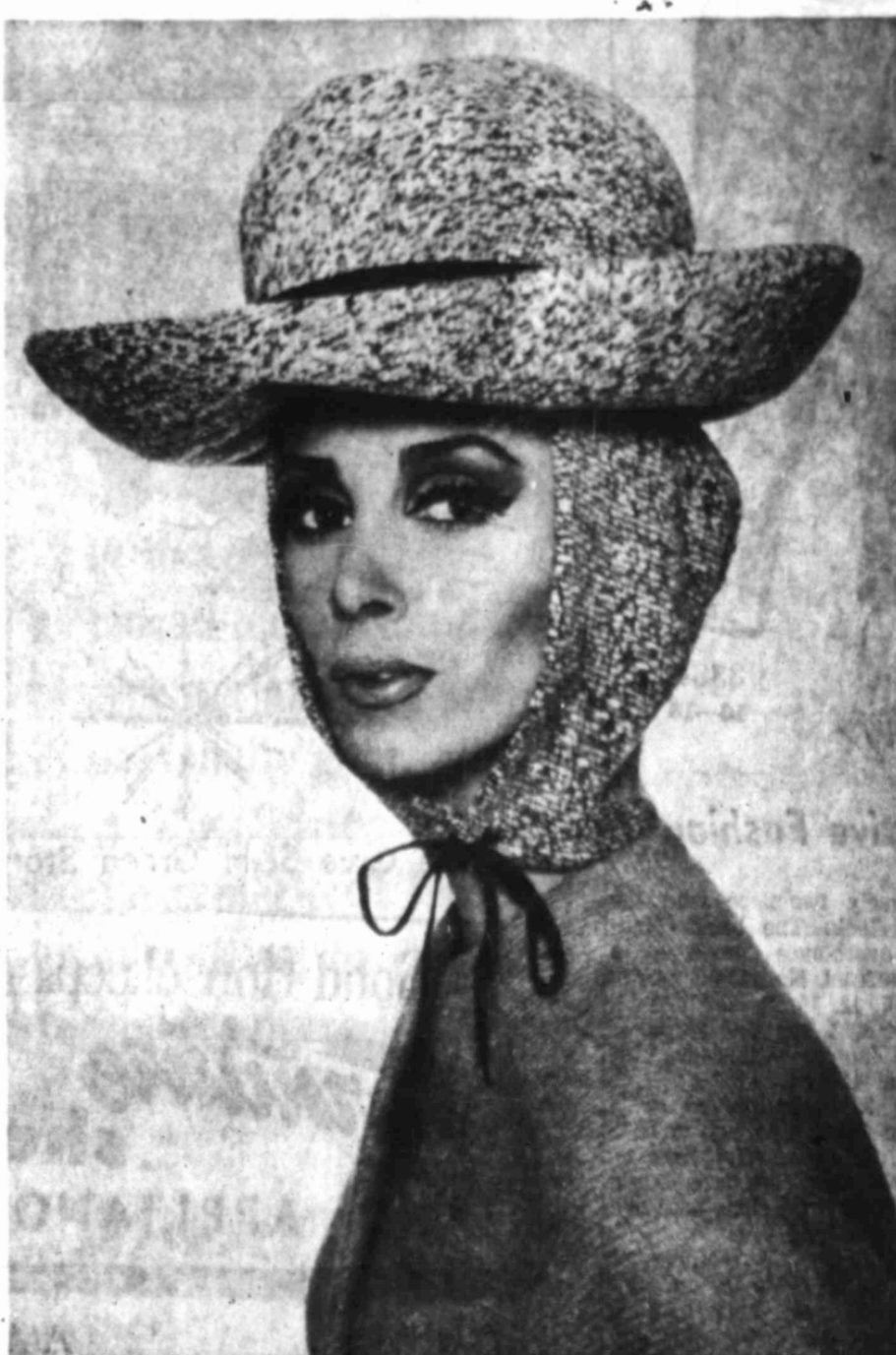
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 BIG SPRING HERALD  
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 BIG SPRING, TEXAS  
 SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1965

# Couple Recites Vows In Chapel Ceremony

Miss Mary Lynne Guthrie became the bride of Lt. Glen Howard Perry Saturday afternoon at three o'clock in the Webb AFB Chapel. Chaplain William H. Warren officiated for the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Guthrie, 609 Washington, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Perry, Morristown, Tenn.

Mrs. Leslie Green, organist, presented the musical selections, "Because" and "The Wedding Prayer."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a powder blue knit suit complemented with a ribbed jacket. Her flower girl hat was attached to a matching veil, and she wore white kid gloves with white alligator shoes. A top white prayer book, she carried a bouquet of white orchids encircled with stephanotis and showered with satin picot streamers.

An altar background was formed with large arrangements of white chrysanthemums, gladioli and emerald fern trees. White satin aisle markers flanked the white prie-dieu.

ATTENDANTS  
Mrs. George B. Nichols, Tacoma, Wash., was matron of honor, and Miss Kim Guthrie, niece of the bride, was junior

bridesmaid. The attendants wore identical dresses of yellow linen with beige accessories. Their bouquets were nosegays of white chrysanthemum pompons centered in blue and tied in blue satin streamers.

Attending his son as best man was R. H. Perry, and ushers were Lt. Mohamed Dahhou of

Morocco, and Kimball Guthrie, brother of the bride. Will Guthrie, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

For a wedding trip along the Gulf Coast, en route to the bridegroom's home town, the bride wore her wedding suit as a traveling costume. The couple will reside in Big Spring.

The bride graduated from Big Spring Senior High School and attended Howard County Junior College. The bridegroom graduated from the University of Tennessee, where he was a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity. He is an instructor pilot at Webb AFB.

The reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Wasson, 800 Edwards, where the honored couple, parents and attendants welcomed guests.

SILVER AND CRYSTAL  
The refreshment table was set in silver and crystal and was accented by a swirl candelabrum holding votive lights. The centerpiece was an arrangement of Fujii chrysanthemums and carnations interspersed with leather fern.

Assisting with the serving of refreshments were Miss Paula Gregg, Mrs. John Fort, Mrs. A. J. McNallen and Mrs. Kimball Guthrie. Miss Margaret Perry was in charge of the register.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Welch, San Diego, Calif., grandparents of the bridegroom; Mrs. Hallie Burden, Merkel; Miss Janet Blackaby, Portales, N.M.; and Johnny Harrison, Snyder.



## To Marry

Maj. and Mrs. Paul M. Jenks Jr., 23 Albrook, are announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Paula Faye, to Lt. Glenn Arthur Belcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Belcher of Fessenden, N.D. The couple plans to be married Dec. 28 in the chapel at Webb AFB.

## Arkansas Family Visits In Knott

KNOTT (SC)—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burchill, Van Buren, Ark., are visiting their children in Luthier and other communities.

Mrs. Buster Bedwell and son, Big Spring, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Free.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Taylor, Westbrook, visited her mother, Mrs. Jewel Smith, Wednesday.

## COMING EVENTS

**MONDAY**  
JUNIOR AUXILIARY to the VFW Auxiliary, Christiana: Ticker Post No. 2015—post home, 4 p.m.  
BIG SPRING HERMANN SONS LODGE No. 18—Ponderosa Motor Inn, 7 p.m.  
BRITISH WIVES CLUB—Flame Room, Pioneer Natural Gas Company, 7:30 p.m.  
SOCIAL ORDER of the Beauceant—Masonic Temple, 7:30 p.m.  
XI MU EXEMPLAR Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi—Mrs. Faye Shannon, 8 p.m.  
MU KAPPA, Epistola Sigma Alpha—Mrs. Hanson Lawson, 7:30 p.m.  
EAGLES AUXILIARY—Lodge hall, 7:30 p.m.  
BETA SIGMA PHI—Mrs. Charles Daddan, 7:30 p.m.  
FORAN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL P-TA—school cafeteria, 7:30 p.m.  
POTPOURI CLUB—Pizza Hut, 7 p.m.  
LEES HD CLUB—Mrs. B. Armstrong, 2 p.m.  
LEGAL SECRETARIES ASSOCIATION—George Thomas office, 7:30 p.m.  
TEXAS NURSES ASSOCIATION—Nurses quarters, VA Hospital, 7:30 p.m.  
MARTHA WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD, First Methodist Church—church parlor, 7:30 p.m.  
ST. ANNE'S GUILD, St. Mary's Episcopal Church—parish house, 7 p.m.  
W.M.U. Stadium Baptist—of church, 7:30 p.m.

**TUESDAY**  
BIG SPRING REBEKAH LODGE No. 284—IOOF hall, 7:30 p.m.  
BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL Women's Club—Wagon Wheel restaurant, 7:30 p.m.  
JOHN A. KEE REBEKAH LODGE No. 153—lodge hall, 7:30 p.m.  
LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION—Big Spring Country Club, all day golf.  
NCO WIVES CLUB—NCO open mess, 7:30 p.m.  
WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION—Cadden Country Club, 2 p.m.  
PAST MATRONS, OES.—Downtown Tea Room, 2 p.m.  
PRECEPTOR DELTA, Beta Sigma Phi—Mrs. Tommy Gage, 8 p.m.  
ORDER OF THE SABBOW FOR GIRLS—Masonic Temple, 7 p.m.  
SPOUDAZIO FORA STUDY CLUB—Holt day inn, 7 p.m.  
TOPS POUND REBELS—Student Union Building, Howard County Junior College, 7:30 p.m.  
TALKERS Toastmasters Club—Officers Open Mess, Webb AFB, 7:30 p.m.  
LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION—Webb AFB golf course, 8:30 a.m.  
CENTER POINT HD CLUB—Mrs. Eern Holt, 2 p.m.  
KENTWOOD P-TA—of school, 3:30 p.m.  
WASHINGTON P-TA—school, 3:30 p.m.  
W.S.C. First Methodist Church—of church, 9:30 a.m.  
WMS Westside Baptist Church—of church, 9:30 a.m.  
ALTAR SOCIETY, Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church—of church, 9:30 a.m.

**WEDNESDAY**  
LADIES HOWARD CLUB, Salvation Army—Citadel, 2 p.m.  
DOWNTOWN LIONS AUXILIARY—Coker Restaurant, 12 o'clock noon.  
LADIES SOCIETY of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, Carpenter's hall, 3 p.m.  
PROTESTANT WOMEN of the Chapel, chapel annex, 7:30 a.m.

**THURSDAY**  
ROOK CLUB—Mrs. W. A. Miller, 12:30 p.m.  
MARY JANE CLUB—Mrs. Charles Parrish, 9:30 a.m.  
BIG SPRING CREDIT WOMEN'S CLUB—Settles Hotel, 12 o'clock noon.  
1965 HYPERION CLUB—Mrs. Hayes Stripling Sr., 9 p.m.  
1966 HYPERION CLUB—Mrs. Lloyd Wasson, 2 p.m.  
OFFICERS WIVES CLUB—Officers Open Mess, 1 p.m.  
IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY Mother's Club—school cafeteria, 7:30 p.m.

**FRIDAY**  
EAGER BEAVER SEWING CLUB—Mrs. Vernon Permmter, 2 p.m.  
LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION—Big Spring Country Club, 1:30 p.m.  
AIRPORT HD CLUB—Mrs. B. A. Bunn, 1 p.m.

## Duplicate Played For Master Points

Master Point night was observed during duplicate games played Thursday evening in the Officers Open Mess at Webb Air Force Base. It was announced that the charity game will be played there Dec. 30.

Winners were George D. Pike and Dr. Jack Tyson, first; Mrs. Ray McMahan and Mrs. D. A. Brazel, second; Mrs. Aya McGann and Mrs. J. H. Holloway, third; and Mrs. Robert Dyer and Mrs. Bill Emerson tied for fourth and fifth places with Mrs. Wally Slate and Mrs. Ron Kibler.

## Coahomans Leave

COAHOMA (SC)—Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Harris and children, Sand Springs, will be moving soon to make their home at Mertens near Dallas.

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## Herbert Loves See Lubbock Game

COAHOMA (SC)—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Love were in Lubbock last week to visit his niece and family, the Clarence Horns, and to attend the Permian-Monterey football game.

Mrs. Sam Buchanan was in Lockney Saturday night to visit her sister, Mrs. Fannie Keeter.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cole have moved back here.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Pherigo and family, accompanied by Mrs. J. B. Fricke and daughter, Christ, and Debbie Caffey, were in Slaton Saturday to visit with Truman's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Greenfield. They attended the football game in Plainview.

Smith Cochran and their son, Phil, spent Sunday in Childress with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Cochran.

## Secret Pals Told At HD Luncheon

Secret pals were revealed at the Christmas covered dish luncheon of the Lomax Home Demonstration Club. The members met at the home of Mrs. Neil Fryar for the Thursday noon luncheon.

Following the gift exchange, refreshments were served to the 11 members and six guests present. Guests were Mrs. G. B. Putman, Mrs. J. S. Blissard, Mrs. E. W. Lomax, Miss Twila Lomax, Mrs. A. J. Stallings and Mrs. Carl Fambro.

The next meeting will be Jan. 6 at the home of Mrs. Bob Glynn.



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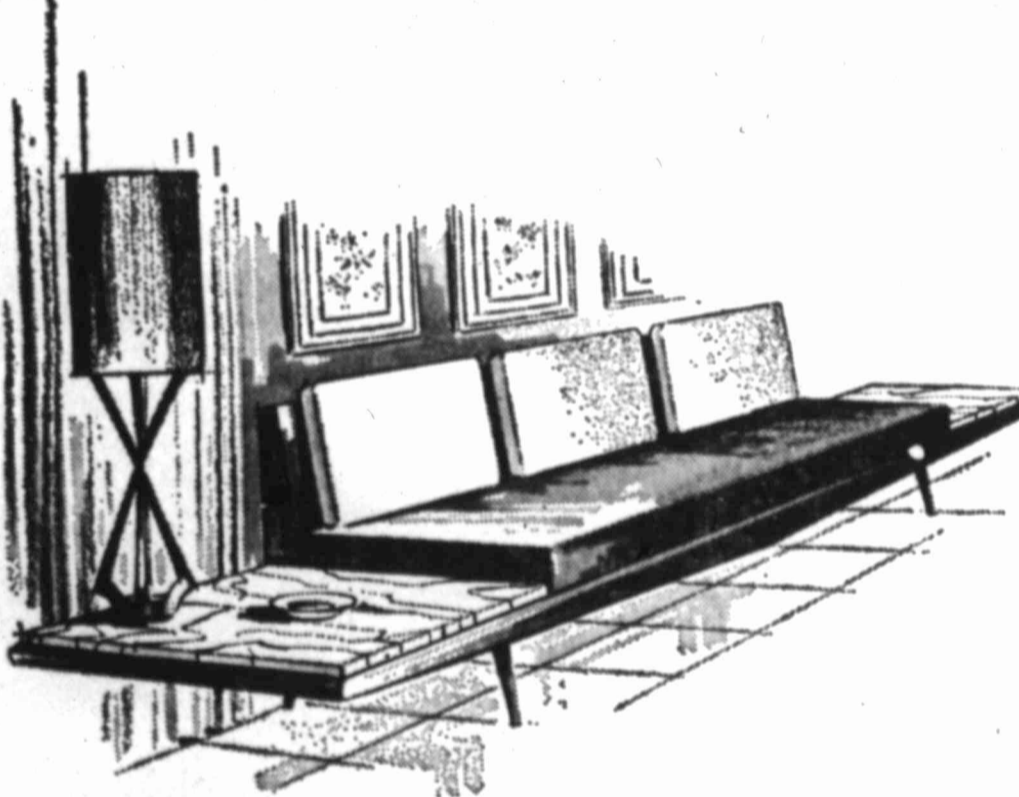
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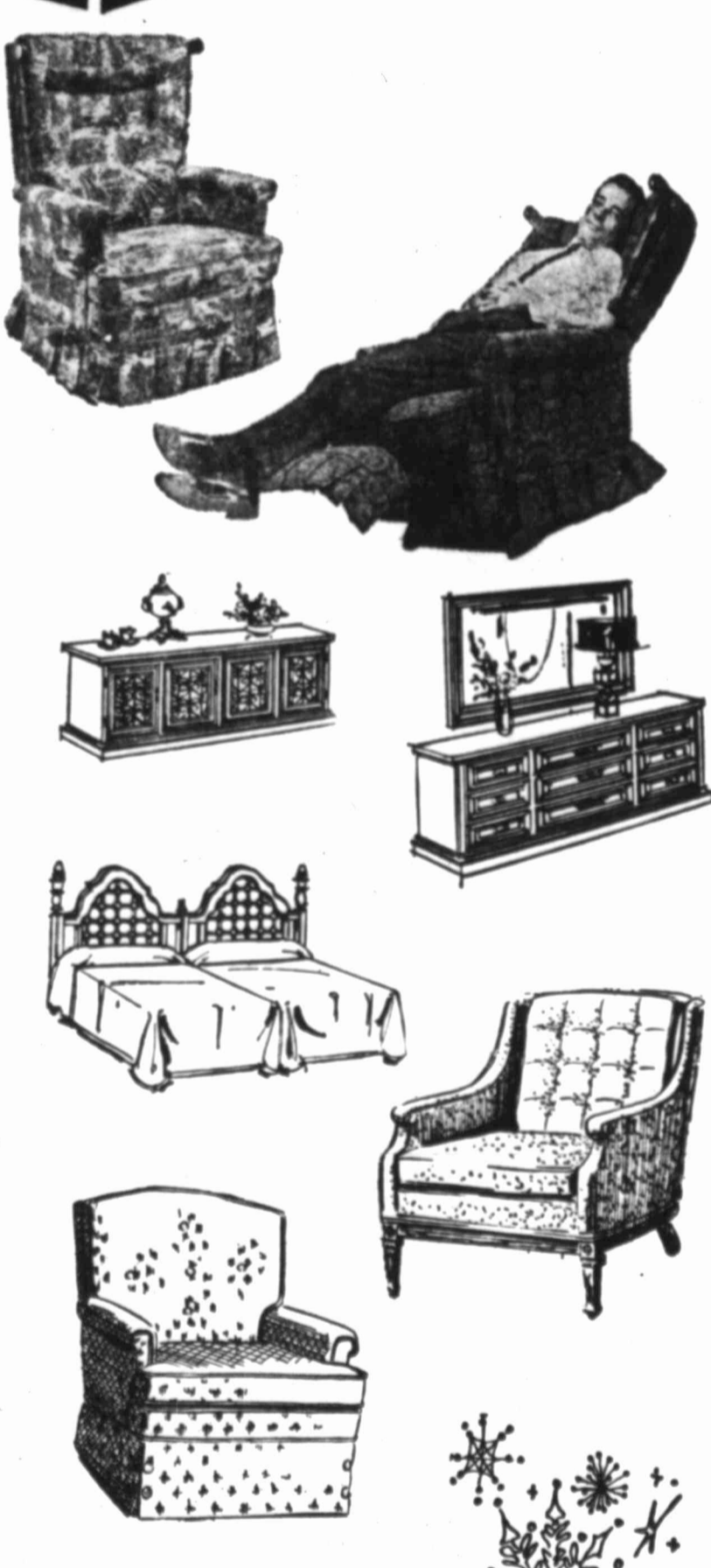
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# Sam Smiths Observe Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Sam E. Smith, 2008 Runnels, will be honored this afternoon on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house in the Community Room of the First Federal Savings and Loan Association building. Calling hours will be from 2 to 5 p.m. at 500 Main.

Hosting the affair are the honored couple's daughters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Falkner, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Peurifoy.

Smith's parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith of Stanton, and Mrs. Smith's parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Riley of Lubbock. Both families were living in Coahoma when the young couple met during their school days. Coming to Big Spring on Dec. 12, 1915, a Sunday afternoon, the couple were married by a minister named Hawkins in his home. They were accompanied to Big Spring by Banker Brown of Coahoma and two of the bride's sisters, now Mrs. J. B. Collins of Abilene and Mrs. Vance Yates of Phoenix, Ariz.

### IN COAHOMA

Smith was a barber, and the couple resided for the next 15 years in Coahoma where their children were born. Later they moved to Stanton where Smith farmed with his father until 1935 and then moved to Big Spring. Smith drove an oil transport truck for several years and is now associated with his son-in-law, Carl Coleman, in the Smith and Coleman Oil Company with offices on North Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith are members of the Fourteenth and Main Church of Christ where he is a deacon. Mrs. Smith's main interest is her church work, and she has worked with the Red Cross in the past.

This afternoon, Mrs. Smith will be presented a white orchid corsage, tied with gold, to wear with her pale green silk suit. A boutonniere will be given to Smith.

The Smiths have nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Two of the granddaughters will preside at the serving table this afternoon. They are Mrs. Gene Wilson of Odessa; and Mrs. Kenneth Lane. Guests will be registered by Miss Gayle Coleman and Miss Penny Peurifoy in a white anniversary book engraved in gold.

## Party Held In Forsan

FORSAN (SC)—Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wash recently honored their daughter, Dianne, with a party on her 12th birthday.

The music was provided by "The T. B. Karriers," a combo from Howard County Junior College.

The refreshment table was decorated to represent a Fiesta and the centerpiece of the gift table was a miniature Fiesta doll.

Thirty guests attended and out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Parker and family, O'Donnell; and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wash and family, Big Spring.

## WEBB WINDSOCK

By KAREN SKANCHY  
Maj. and Mrs. W. E. "Lucky" Lowmanelli gave an old world spaghetti party complete with checked tablecloths and matching bibs in honor of Capt. and Mrs. Warren Wood last weekend. The Lowmanelli boys acted as stewards with their checked ties adding a perfect touch to the evening. They placed checked napkins over their arms as they served the guests, members in the 331st FIS. Maj. Lowmanelli presented Capt. Wood with a memento of the evening's festivities—a most distinguished wood carving he had brought back from the Philippines.

Mrs. E. D. Davis was hostess for an egg nog party for wives in the DCO group Thursday afternoon. A styrofoam tree covered with parsley and cherry tomatoes centered the serving table.

**IP WIVES TEA**  
The IP wives in B Flight honored their student wives, Class 66-H, FO Section, with a tea last week in the home of Mrs. E. M. Hudgens. Cream puffs, cookies and fruit cake were served from a table decorated with pink and white mums accented by pink candles.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Helseth arrived last weekend for a visit with their daughter and family, Lt. and Mrs. L. E. Kennard. They plan to spend the Christmas holidays in Big Spring.

A welcome sight to the 331st FIS was Capt. and Mrs. James Short. The former B Flight com-



MR. AND MRS. SAM E. SMITH

The register table will be graced with a single white rose in a gold vase.

**TABLE**  
A floor-length white satin cloth, with an overlay of chiffon, will cover the refreshment table. The three-tiered cake will be topped with bridal figurines and the numerals '50'. The centerpiece will be of gold chrysanthemums and yellow pompons arranged with gold foliage in a

## Santa Claus Distributes Gifts For TOPS Club

Mrs. Edward Rogers, dressed as Santa Claus, distributed the exchange gifts at the Christmas party held Friday for the TOPS Club. The group met in the Downtown Tea Room for dinner and sang carols. Piano accompaniment was by Mrs. Walter Osborne and Mrs. Walter Trim.

Game prizes were won by Mrs. W. L. Goodwin, Mrs. Ray Woolverson, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Doris Vaughn, Mrs. Harold Bell, Mrs. Osborne and Mrs. Trim.

Twenty-seven were seated at a U-shaped table where the centerpiece was of red and white roses. Other decorations were of red poinsettias with white berries and green cedar forming the base for Santa Claus figurines. A lighted Santa Claus was placed near the tree.

The Dec. 14 meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Student Union Building at Howard County Junior College.

**Hunters Return From Van Horn**  
FORSAN (SC)—Back from a deer hunt near Van Horn are Kenneth Cowley, Bob Cowley, G. L. Monroney and Jim T. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Wash left Friday for a week's visit in Waco, Dallas and Fort Worth. Mrs. C. V. Wash was hostess to the Pioneer Sewing Club at her ranch home recently. Twelve members and Mrs. Mary Archer, guest, attended. Mrs. T. R. Camp will have the Dec. 21 Christmas club at her home.

## Luther HD Club Has Yule Dinner

Secret pals were revealed at the Thursday afternoon Christmas party of the Luther Home Demonstration Club. The 11 members present met at the home of Mrs. Pauline Hamlin. Guests were Miss Pauline Hamlin, Miss Jan Dunagan, Mrs. Una Dunagan, Mrs. Clyde Eager, Mrs. Bonnie Bennett, Mrs. Ruby Simpson, Miss Alice Ward, assistant county HD agent; and Mrs. Delaine Crawford, county HD agent.

mander, who just returned from Viet Nam, was entertained in typical 331st style and sent on his way to his new assignment at George AFB, Calif.

DCO bridge was held in the home of Mrs. W. B. Blackwell Monday. Prize winners were Mrs. F. W. Eihun, high; Mrs. Nona Bower, second; and Mrs. L. L. Shane, low.

Mrs. A. K. Halverson was hostess for a golf tournament and luncheon Wednesday honoring Mrs. E. E. Miller. "Let Shirley Win Tournament" set the theme for the day. Lunch was served at Mrs. Halverson's home to the honored guest and close friends.

**GET-ACQUAINTED**  
Capt. and Mrs. M. J. Carroll hosted a get-acquainted party Saturday evening for the students and their wives in Class 67-D, FO Section. The wives in Class 67-B, F1 Section, gave a farewell coffee for Mrs. Neal Reavely last week. The affair was held in the home of Mrs. L. J. Rajczi. OWC monthly bridge will be held next Thursday at 1 p.m. in the Officers Open Mess. Bring your own partner and be 10 minutes early. The OWC plans to start sending out a monthly newsletter to each member. If you are interested in working on this, please contact Karen Skanchy, AM 3-6858. There are a number of openings, and most of the work can be done at home. We need people with journalism and typing experience particularly.

## GIA Elects Convention Delegates

Delegates to the 1966 Cleveland, Ohio, convention were elected during the Thursday afternoon meeting of the Grand International Assembly to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. Eleven members met at Carpenter's Hall with Mrs. L. N. Brooks presiding.

Mrs. R. D. Ulrey was elected delegate and Mrs. C. L. Kirkland is the alternate delegate.

New officers, to be installed in January, were also elected. They are Mrs. L. A. Griffith, president; Mrs. J. T. Anderson Sr., vice president; Mrs. Ulrey, secretary; Mrs. D. C. Pyle, treasurer; Mrs. Kirkland, chaplain; Mrs. J. C. Cravens, guide; Mrs. C. B. Sullivan, sentinel; and Mrs. E. A. Williams, relief secretary.

The members were invited to attend a Dec. 14 Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Anderson.

## Church Class Has Holiday Dinner

The Holiday Inn was the scene of the Thursday evening Christmas dinner of the Willing Workers Class of the Baptist Temple Church. Mrs. Modene Wyatt, president, welcomed the 20 members and guests.

Mrs. A. W. Page, a guest, gave the devotion entitled "When Christmas Came to Bethlehem." Gifts were exchanged. Guests were Mrs. S. J. Kamin, Mrs. Edward Mikolajczyk, Mrs. C. A. Nichols and Mrs. Robert E. Graham.



## Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon H. Cook, 1716 Purdue, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Carolyn Jean, to Hollas C. Hoffman. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Mable Hoffman, Thorndale, and the late Clarence Hoffman. The wedding is scheduled Jan. 22 at Segarten in the home of the bride-elect's aunt, Mrs. Charles Clark.

## Gift Party Fetes Sand Springs Pair

Mr. and Mrs. James Banks, were honored Friday evening with a housewarming at their new Sand Springs home. Hostesses were Mrs. W. T. Stockstill, Mrs. Harold Gilmore, Mrs. R. D. Kiser, Mrs. Alvin Husky, Mrs. M. A. Dunagan and Mrs. Stanley Lewis. Thirty guests attended and decorations followed the Yule season theme.

## Miss Jerry Adams Weds A. L. Monson

Miss Jerry Adams and Airman 2.C. Alfred L. Monson exchanged wedding vows at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening in the chapel at Webb Air Force Base with Chaplain William H. Warren officiating for the double ceremony.

Forming the background were emerald fern trees and altars vases arranged with white gladioli and chrysanthemums.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Roselyn Adams, 226 Spring, Batavia, Ohio, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Monson, Rt. 1, New Richmond, Ohio.

Attending the couple were S. Sgt. Carey Matthews and Airman 2.C. Rick Downey.

The bride, an honor graduate of New Richmond High School, attended the Ohio State University College of Education and School of Journalism. She was formerly associated with the Clermont Sun Newspapers, Batavia, and is now employed by the Big Spring Herald. Airman Monson was graduated from New Richmond High School and is an aircraft maintenance specialist in the Air Training Command at Webb AFB.

## Mrs. A. L. Young Hosts Meeting

WESTBROOK (SC)—Mrs. A. L. Young was hostess to members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of Methodist Church for a business and social meeting Monday afternoon. Mrs. Price Hendrix brought the devotion, and a Christmas message taken from the year-book.

During a business session, plans were made for Christmas activities. The members will meet Dec. 29 to pack and deliver Christmas boxes.

Refreshments were served to seven.

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**J. F. WHEAT**

# Miss Anna Hoover Marries Curtis Lewis Arnold Friday

Miss Anna Ruth Hoover exchanged wedding vows with Curtis Lewis Arnold Friday evening at the First Baptist Church in Burnet. The Rev. W. M. Hoover, Fort Worth, brother of the bride, officiated for the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lewis Hoover, Rt. 2, Burnet, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Curtis Arnold, 3621 Hamilton.

The altar background was formed with candelabra and centered with arrangements of gladioli, carnations and autumn flowers. Traditional wedding music was presented by Eugene D. Hoover, organist, brother of the bride, who accompanied Mrs. Kay Ward and Mrs. Fay Brinkley, vocalists, sisters of the bride.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of white lace over taffeta. The fitted bodice was designed with a scalloped neckline and long tapering sleeves, and the flowing skirt was highlighted by tiers of lace and net. She wore a shoulder-length veil of illusion attached to a tiara of seed pearls. Her bouquet was an arrangement of white carnations.

### ATTENDANTS

Mrs. Norman Arnold, sister-in-law of the bridegroom, was matron of honor. Miss Betty Ruth Hoover, niece of the bride, was bridesmaid.

The attendants wore identical formal-length dresses. The red velvet bodices were designed with scooped necklines, elbow-length sleeves and Empire waist lines. The skirts were of pink crepe with trains. Each attendant carried a single long-stemmed red rose.

Norman Arnold, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Ushers were John W. Hoover and Charles Brinkley, brother and brother-in-law of the bride.

Miss Anita Kay Ward was flower girl and Miss Marsha Hoover and Mark Hoover were ring bearers. Dennis Hoover was altar taper lighter.

For a wedding trip to Austin,



MRS. CURTIS LEWIS ARNOLD

## Ten Tables In Play At Club Duplicate Games

Ten tables were in play at the Friday afternoon duplicate bridge Master Point games at the Big Spring Country Club. North-south winners were Mrs. Joe Steyer and Mrs. Hayden Griffith first tying for second and third were Mrs. Jack Irons and Mrs. Fred Lurting with Mrs. Myrtle Lee and Mrs. J. H. Fox; Mrs. B. B. Badger and Mrs. Ayra McGann, fourth. East-west winners were Mrs. C. A. Nelson and Mrs. E. M. Bunn, first; Mrs. J. H. Hollo-

way and George D. Pike, second; Mrs. Truman Jones and Mrs. Fred Kasch, third; and Mrs. E. L. Powell and Mrs. Hudson Landers, fourth.

Players were reminded that Dec. 17 would be the Christmas social hour beginning at 11:30 a.m., with play to start at 1 p.m.

It was also announced that the Dec. 18 and Dec. 28 games would be Master Point and would be the only games played for the remainder of the year.

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### RECEPTION

Following the wedding, a reception was held in the church parlor where the honored couple, parents, and attendants greeted guests.

The refreshment table was

## Forum Has Luncheon

A Christmas luncheon was held Friday by members of the Modern Woman's Forum at the home of Mrs. M. A. Cook, 1611 Main. Mrs. W. C. Parmenter gave the invocation, and Mrs. W. E. Moren presided.

Mrs. J. P. Dodge read a letter of thanks for the club's donation from the Howard County Rehabilitation Center of the Dora Roberts Health Center. Mrs. Dodge also gave the treasurer's report.

Refreshments were served to the 15 members attending from tables centered with holiday season decorations.

Mrs. W. A. Laswell gave the closing prayer, and the next meeting will be Jan. 14 at the home of Mrs. J. E. Brown.

## Bride-Elect Honored With Party

Miss Sylva Edwards, bride-elect of Lt. Kenneth Bernard Zella, was honored with a Friday afternoon dessert-bridge at the Big Spring Country Club. Hostesses were Mrs. C. L. Puckett and Mrs. H. S. Smith.

The bride-elect's chosen colors of red and white were carried out in room decorations with arrangements of holiday flowers and poinsettias.

The honoree, her mother, Mrs. W. K. Edwards Jr. and her grandmother, Mrs. Elmer Conley, Lubbock, were presented with poinsettia corsages.

A coffee percolator in Miss Edwards' china pattern was the hostess' gift.

The couple plans a Dec. 30 wedding at the Webb AFB Chapel.

## HD Clubbers Have Dinner

"The Three Chests" was the holiday reading given at the Tuesday afternoon Christmas party of the Fairview Home Demonstration Club. The 13 members and guests met at the home of Mrs. H. S. Hanson.

Mrs. Shirley Fryar gave the devotion and the Christmas reading, and plans for the Christmas season were told by the members.

Mrs. Delaine Crawford, county HD agent, installed the 1966 officers, and secret pal names were revealed.

Other guests were Mrs. Albert Davis and Miss Alice Ward. The next meeting will be Jan. 4 at the home of Mrs. Fryar.

## Woman's Forum Meets Thursday

A discussion of seasonal home decorations was the program at the Thursday morning meeting of the Progressive Woman's Forum. The nine members present met at the home of Mrs. Granville Hahn, 1805 Thorpe. Refreshments were served from a table covered with a net and felt cloth designed with Christmas ornaments.

### MRS. WIEHE DIRECTS

## Carolers Sing For P-TA At Boydston Program

A program of Christmas carols was presented at the Thursday afternoon meeting of the Boydston Parent-Teacher Association. The 110 members present met at the school with Mrs. E. M. Wright presiding.

Mrs. Ray Ebling introduced W. M. Irwin, who gave the opening prayer.

Mrs. Douglas Wiehe directed the sixth grade students in singing songs of the Yule season from foreign countries.

During the business session, the members planned a canned food drive for the Christmas

packages distributed by the Salvation Army.

It was also announced that the selling of savings stamps would be stopped from Dec. 15 through Jan. 12.

M. R. Turner, principal, reported on the Corpus Christi convention, and Mrs. Raymond Phillips, project chairman, will be in charge of the approved cash donations to the landscaping of the present school yard and that of the new building to be completed in the fall.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. C. S. Boight, Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Jack Barber.

## Christmas Dominates Music Club Program

Mrs. L. L. Beauvais, president, welcomed members and guests of the Big Spring Music Study Club who attended the club's annual reception and Christmas program Wednesday afternoon in the sanctuary of the First Presbyterian Church.

The program began with the singing of "It Came Upon A Midnight Clear," the hymn of the month, led by Mrs. Max Nelson. Afterward, Mrs. Louis Heinze, organist, played a selection of carols.

The Howard County Junior

College choir, under the direction of Gary Ebersberger, presented sacred music of the Christmas season. Selections included traditional carols as well as songs done in Latin and others in modern arrangements. Miss Marilyn Lawson was the featured soloist on "O, Holy Night."

Following the program at the church, the club hosted a tea in the banquet room at Ramada Inn where members of the social committee, Mrs. C. B. Marcum and Mrs. Robert

Heinze, were hostesses.

Approximately 50 members and guests were served from a table covered with white linen and accented with a red runner. Centering the table was a large white cake, trimmed in green, flanked by red candles in silver holders. A crystal punch service was used.

Mrs. B. F. Meacham will be hostess for the Jan. 12 meeting.

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# Art Gallery Showing Bronze By Russell

One of the highlights of the new Fall Art Showing at the Baker Company Collector Gallery in Midland is a stunning "portrait" eleven by four inches, in bronze, of Will Rogers, done by the late, great artist-sculptor of the West, Charles M. Russell.

The Baker Gallery currently is showing many outstanding pieces of art, including paintings, by the Wyeth-Hurd family. The public is invited to view the collection, which is open (511 West Texas Avenue, Midland) today from 1 to 5 p.m. and for the next week from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The Will Rogers bronze was acquired by the gallery for a private collector, and is on loan just for the Midland showing.

Will Rogers and Charles M. Russell were lifelong friends, having met in New York City in 1904 on Russell's first trip to the East. Years later, Rogers wrote in one of his syndicated columns, "Charlie Russell was trying to sell a few paintings and I was trying to sell a few jokes when I first met him in the East. This was before either of us was known much outside of his home town. He went up the ladder of fame a lot faster than I did."

This bronze was given to the Rogers family by Russell and in later years was presented to Noah Beery by Will Rogers Jr. following the completion of the movie on his father's life. Beery played the part of the late Wiley Post in the film.

The bronze is a masterpiece of detail, showing Rogers seated on one of his favorite horses. Not only is the face of Rogers readily identifiable, but in the facial expression, mouth, turn of head, shock of hair under the hat, Russell captured the humor and great character of the man.

It is noted that the interest in the portrayal of Rogers cannot overshadow that which made Russell so great in the first place, his superb and unique ability to portray the anatomy



'WILL ROGERS' BY CHARLES M. RUSSELL  
Bronze on exhibit at Midland

of horses, cattle and other animals.

Additional new exhibitions by Baker include paintings by artists well known in the Permian Basin.

A horse and jockey watercolor scene came from the estate of the late Randall Davey, N.A., along with a rare group of signed lithographs and early etchings by Davey, a nationally admired artist who chose to live in Santa Fe until his death in 1964.

Gene Kloss, A.N.A., who recently moved her studio from Taos to Colorado, is featured with a selection of watercolors, and a number of signed etchings that demonstrate expert mastering of a difficult art medium. Charles Stewart is represented with beautifully painted, yet

delightfully humorous, owl subjects.

The most extensive group of early Texas documents to be shown in the gallery will include a very rare, authentic "Texian Loan" certificate signed by Stephen F. Austin. Other documents, all dated between 1836 and 1845, include "Texian Navy" vouchers, "Republic of Texas" bonds and currency.

New paintings by the distinguished artists regularly featured in the gallery include Kenneth Adams, N.A., Henry Gasser, N.A., Frank Gervasi, N.A., Peter Hur, N.A., Henriette Wyeth Frank Tenney Johnson N.A., Roy Mason, N.A., Doel Reed, N.A., Jackson Hensley, Peter Rogers, Doris Steider, J. N. Watson.

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## Party For Insurance Members

Three guests were welcomed at the holiday party held Thursday evening by the Insurance Women of Big Spring. They were Miss Pam Hamm, who represents the organization at civic affairs, Mrs. William H. McDonald and Miss Gloria Toombs. Mrs. Tommy Harvell, 2201 Alabama, was hostess.

The buffet dinner was served from a table decorated with a white runner dotted with green felt trees and baubles. At the center was a blue and green net Christmas tree. The quartet tables were centered with miniature trees, and nut cups were in the form of angels. A side table held an arrangement of cedar, candles and ornaments, and blue and green, accented with silver, was used in decorations throughout the home. A crystal punch service was used.

The Jan. 6 meeting will be held at Big Spring Country Club at 7 p.m.

## Harley Grants Visit In Area

FORSAN (SC)—Visiting with the A. O. Jones' this weekend are Mr. and Mrs. Harley Grant, Jimmy, Gary and Ricky, of McCamey.

Mrs. O. W. Scudday was a Tahoka visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Lamb were Fort Worth visitors. His mother, Mrs. John Lamb, returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy G. Klair and Ricky will spend Sunday in Kermit with the Phil Moores.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cardwell are in Odessa this weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Breithaupt and Karen.

## STORK CLUB

**MALONE AND HOGAN FOUNDATION HOSPITAL**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fran Bordofski, 3307 Auburn, a boy, Terry Wade, at 10:40 p.m., Dec. 2, weighing 6 pounds, 1 ounce.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Armando Guzman, 212 N. Goliad, a boy, Richardo Luevano, at 11:13 p.m., Dec. 2, weighing 6 pounds, 10 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Greenfield, Box 428, Rankin, a girl, Sonya Kay, at 6 a.m., Dec. 4, weighing 7 pounds, 5 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Pruitt, 110 E. 18th, a boy, Steven David, at 11:26 p.m., Dec. 7, weighing 7 pounds, 10 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith, Sterling Rt., Box 61, a boy, Bryan Alton, at 12:30 a.m., Dec. 8, weighing 8 pounds 6 ounces.

**COWPER CLINIC AND HOSPITAL**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Fleming, 200 Jones, a boy, Eddie Glenn, at 11:30 p.m., Dec. 8, weighing 5 pounds, 8 ounces.

**MEDICAL ARTS CLINIC AND HOSPITAL**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Martinez, Box 107, a girl, Lucy, at 2:53 a.m., Dec. 7, weighing 6 pounds, 4 1/2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Kibby, Coahoma, a girl, Lavetia Sue, at 6:32 a.m., Dec. 7, weighing 5 pounds, 8 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ornelos, 508 NE 10th, a girl, Sylvia, at 10:32 a.m., Dec. 7, weighing 8 pounds, 12 ounces.

**WEBB AFB HOSPITAL**  
Born to Airman 2.C. and Mrs. Lloyd L. Sanborn, 1208 W. Ohio, Midland, a girl, Stacy Lynn, at 3:47 p.m., Dec. 1, weighing 6 pounds, 4 1/2 ounces.

Born to Airman 3.C. and Mrs. Don R. Moore, 801-B Willa, a boy, Jeffrey Don, at 3:32 p.m., Dec. 3, weighing 8 pounds.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Morris K. Yorkman, 1609 E. Hemlock, Midland, a boy, Tony Jay, at 3:22 a.m., Dec. 4, weighing 7 pounds, 14 ounces.

Born to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Donald M. Creager, 226-A N. Langley, a boy, Robert Joe, at 10:15 a.m., Dec. 7, weighing 8 pounds, 4 ounces.

Born to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Gene G. Roose, 123-A Dow Drive, a girl, Emily Jean, at 10:31 a.m., Dec. 7, weighing 5 pounds, 1 1/2 ounces.

**HOWARD COUNTY HOSPITAL FOUNDATION**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alberto Salazar, 410 N. Gregg, a boy, Fabian Villa, at 5:20 p.m., Dec. 5, weighing 8 pounds, 6 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gregorio Quinonez Gaboldion, Box 14, Tarzan, a girl, Maria Celia, at 7:19 p.m., Dec. 5, weighing 7 pounds, 1 1/2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Felipe Lopez, 200 NW 3rd, a girl, Mary, at 2:55 a.m., Dec. 7, weighing 6 pounds, 8 1/2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Faustino Aguilar, 208 Carey, a girl, Juanita, at 2:08 p.m., Dec. 9, weighing 6 pounds, 11 1/2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Felipe Rodriguez Ulloa, Rt. 1, Box 36, a girl, Mary Lu, at 7:55 a.m., Dec. 10, weighing 6 pounds, 12 ounces.

**Gift Shower Held Monday Morning**  
WESTBROOK (SC) — Mrs. Royce Feaster, Big Spring, was honored with a pink and blue shower at the fellowship hall of the Baptist church Monday morning. Hostesses were members of the Ruth Sunday school class and games were directed by Mrs. Sam Scroggins.

Mrs. Herman Parsons presided at the register. Mrs. Rex McKenney and Mrs. Ralph Bryant assisted at the refreshment table. Mrs. Feaster is the former Judy Ranne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ranne.

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## COSDEN CHATTER

### Arriving From Ponce To Spend Holidays

George Grimes is due home from Ponce, Puerto Rico, Thursday to spend the holidays with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Guthrie are in Austin this weekend to visit their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Lee, Carol Joy and Scott. They will attend the grand opening of the new Safeway store that Lee will manage.

Lewis Thompson of Dallas was a visitor in the Cosden offices Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Davidson are in Lubbock this weekend with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bradbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Earnest are expecting their children home next week. They include a daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Aberegg of Wichita Falls; another daughter, Kay Earnest of Las Cruces, N.M.; and the Billy Badgetts of Big Spring.

Mrs. Doryne Hefer and her mother, Mrs. Ora Conn, are visiting in Dallas this weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walls.

J. W. Woods has begun a two-week vacation, part of which he will spend hunting in Stonewall County.

The H. F. Merrells have as guests for a few days his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Merrell and David Jr., of Dallas.

John Seale is utilizing part of his vacation to hunt birds in Stonewall County.

Boyce Patton will enjoy a week's vacation in Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Doris Perkins' home was the scene of a Christmas party and salad supper for the women employees on third floor Friday evening.

Pauline Sullivan and Mrs. Jewel Kuykendall are in Odessa this weekend as guests of Mary Gilmore, who received a ten-year pin from Odessa Junior College at the annual faculty dinner Saturday evening. She is a former Big Springer.

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By LUCILLE PICKLE

The time has just about arrived when there are going to have to be some decisions made about who is getting what and how the cost of gift-giving is going to be held down.

I don't know of a year when we haven't gone through these last weeks before the big day trying to get the toys and gifts bought in time of Santa to distribute them along with those of the friends and relatives. Always with an idea of keeping the cost down this year, this year goes and another year comes and we always are trying the same thing . . . never have worked it out yet.

We have erector sets, electric trains with extra cars and miles of track, racing cars, electric basketball, football, baseball and hockey games, football, basketballs, soft balls, bats, archery sets, Lincoln logs . . . and these are what the older boys left when they went off to service and college. We are getting quite a collection from No. Three. But like all other parents, we must keep some of what the boys liked best . . . who knows it may get to be the thing to get out all the old Christmas toys and play with them again.

MRS. KENT MORGAN is in

Greenville with her newest granddaughter who was born last Tuesday to MR. and MRS. FRANKLIN WILLIAMSON. The Williamsons have another little girl. Mrs. Morgan plans to be in Greenville until after Christmas.

Nine-year-old MIKE THOMAS had better luck with his deer hunting this year than many men several times his years. He has bagged two deer while hunting with his father, DR. CLYDE THOMAS.

The LUCIAN JONESES are hunting at Junction this weekend.

MRS. HAROLD HARGIS, who has been here with her parents, MR. and MRS. H. F. TAYLOR, and other relatives, planned to return to her home in Fort Worth this weekend.

Having a good time escorting her little granddaughter, Julie Hurt, about the Christmas displays Friday was MRS. HARRY HURT SR. Julie is the daughter of MR. and MRS. HARRY HURT JR. whose home is in West Covina, Calif. She has been here two months with Mrs. Hurt and also has her other grandparents, the HORACE BEENES, to visit here.

## Willing Workers Meet Thursday

Mrs. Jim Hodnett was hostess for the Thursday evening Christmas party of the Willing Workers Sunday school class of the Vincent Baptist Church.

The room was decorated with a Christmas tree and refreshments were served from a table centered with a gold and white handmade Christmas angel and an open Bible.

Mrs. Vernie Barr directed the games and gave the devotion.

The Dec. 20 meeting will be at the Bennett House to present a program and gifts to the patients.

Mrs. J. C. Shepherd, a past teacher of the class, was presented the Billy Graham book of "World Aflame."

Looking at the new pretties in her father's store this week was attractive MRS. ROWLAND TESSIER of Roswell, N.M. The former Sandra Swartz has three sons to help brighten her Christmas.

Petite MARIKO SAKAI, exchange student, made a big hit with members of The Woman's Forum when she was their guest Friday at their Christmas luncheon. When she spoke of her native Japan her voice softened and her eyes brightened as she told of the beautiful mountains and shrines that she has seen all her life. She has a delightful sense of humor and appeared to be very much at ease. When asked if she had been trained in the art of flower arranging she said her generation had rather play a guitar . . . but, she quickly added, her mother's generation had learned the art well.



## Help Decorate Hospital

The Big Spring State Hospital has been given a festive air for the holidays by the addition of Yule decorations done by local clubwomen and members of the hospital staff. Decking

the halls for the Dec. 21st Christmas party are Mrs. W. L. Wilson Jr., Mrs. Odell Womack and Mrs. Joe Myers, all of the Rosebud Garden Club.

## Christmas Party Held By Forsan Study Club

The annual Christmas party of the Forsan Study Club was held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. C. B. Long. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Hamlin Elrod and Mrs. Elmer Patton.

The refreshment table was covered with an iridescent blue-green brocade floor-length cloth. The centerpiece was formed with blue crystal goblets holding blue, green and gold balls

centered with green and blue candles. Completing the arrangement was a large golden ribbon bow with streamers extending the length of the table. The same color motif was repeated in the large replica of a Christmas package that formed the background for the piano.

Christmas decor and candlelight were used throughout the entertainment area. Traditional music was presented by Mrs. Oscar Boeker and Mrs. W. R. Cregar. Christmas carols were sung by the group, and gifts, to be distributed in the holiday packages to the needy, were brought by the members.

Guests were Mrs. W. C. Moore and Mrs. Charles Phillips, both of Big Spring; Mrs. Arthur Barton, Mrs. W. E. Stockton, Mrs. J. B. Anderson, Miss Nancy Anderson, Mrs. True Dunagan, Mr. and Mrs. David Redwine, Mrs. Leo Parker, C. B. Long, Hamlin Elrod, W. P. Cregar and Elmer Patton.

## Spend Weekend With Parents

COAHOMA (SC) — Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pipes and girls spent the weekend in Lubbock with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pipes. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Read and children, Eddie and Meshia, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lemay in Plainview. On Sunday they visited with Reed's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Cates, and in Hale Center with Mrs. Read's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tinner spent the weekend in Lubbock with his sister, Mrs. Ethel Biggs. Frank Barnett, Paducah, spent Monday night with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Ward. Visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Swan and son, Marky, is Swan's mother, Mrs. O. J. Swan, from Gustine.

## Taos Guests Visit Floyd Gressetts

WESTBROOK (SC) — Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gressett, Taos, N.M., visited in the home of his cousins, the L. E. Gressetts, recently.

Guests in the Dalton Conaway home were their daughter and family, the Andy Hancock, Midland.

Mrs. A. K. McCarley, Colorado City, was a guest in the home of her daughter and family, the W. A. Belis.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Geron had as guests his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Geron, sweetwater.

## ESA Tells Yule Plans

Holiday plans were discussed at the Thursday evening meeting of the Alpha Chi Chapter, Epsilon Sigma Alpha. The members met at the home of Mrs. Glyn Mitchell, Sand Springs, with Mrs. D. M. Moore conducting the meeting.

Plans were made for the Dec. 18 Christmas dance at Cosden Country Club, and to decorate the Christmas tree at the Veterans Administration Hospital Dec. 19. Also, the members will assist with a Christmas party at the state hospital Dec. 21.

Mrs. Bill David presented a program entitled "Women in Their Creative Hobbies," and secret pal gifts were exchanged. The next meeting will be Jan. 13 at the home of Mrs. Moore.

## Glass Doors Gain Space

Just as the Roman families of centuries ago, today's homeowner is attracted by atrium living which combines the best qualities of indoor-outdoor living.

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The same principle exists today when we substitute an outdoor barbecue grill for the Roman hearth. Biggest advantage that today's family has over their Roman counterparts is the availability of sliding glass doors which bring together the patio area and the interior of the house.

They increase the amount of light coming into the room and can be made to any specification.

## Color Samples

Painting? Paint a sheet of paper so you'll have a color sample when you shop for new fabrics or accessories to go in the room.

## 'Original Christmas' Sets Altrusa Theme

Members of the Altrusa Club had their annual Christmas dinner and gift exchange Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. C. O. Nalley, 908 Gregg. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Loyd Wooten, Mrs. E. B. Martin and Mrs. Willard Hendricks.

The buffet dinner was served from a table covered with a handmade red net cloth featuring Christmas ornaments and centered with a tall candelabrum entwined with holly and mistletoe. Silver and crystal appointments were used.

The individual tables were covered with white linen cloths and centered with small candelabra surrounded with holiday greenery. The individual place markers were small Yule season

figurines. Arrangements of poinsettias were highlighted throughout the serving area.

Mrs. Hendricks gave the opening prayer, and Mrs. Norman Read presented the Christmas readings of "The Original Christmas Story," "Jesus, the Perfect Man" and "The Perfect Christmas Gift."

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If one boy's interest is racing cars, a series of plaques shaped like the racers can be a focal point of decor in one wall section. Palettes of varying sizes can be the theme for the family member who dabbles in art.

Dad might be a football fan. His wall section could be devoted to an outline playing field, complete with players.

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**Tells Plans**

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**Cafe Curtains Brighten Room**

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**Teenagers Hold Dance At Settles**

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The parent hosts and hostesses were Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Dyer, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Fish and Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Lipscomb.

Music was recorded for standard ballroom dancing as well as current fad dances. Dancing games were played with prizes awarded. Refreshments were served from a table centered with a silver gumdrop tree with greenery, and the ballroom was decorated with red and green streamers and balloons. A white net pinata, filled with balloons, was suspended over the center of the dance floor.

**Jesse Overtons Visit In Odessa**

FORSAN (SC)—Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Overton were accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Rankin, when they visited in the Odessa Hospital with Calvin Rankin.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Cowley visitors were Mrs. Jimmy Hagar and children, Pecos; and Mrs. Douglass Williams, Abilene.



**Weather Wives Stuff Toys**

Little Reed Williams approves of the stuffing project of the 'Weather Wives' of the 24th Weather Squadron at Webb AFB. The toys they are making will go into baskets that will be distributed in the city by various denominations of the Base Chapel. From left are Mrs. Jane Knight, Mrs. Betty Werking, Mrs. Shirley Stoeklin, Mrs. Leigh Turk and Mrs. Muffy Williams.

**Hyperions Told Season Story**

Poetry told the story of Christmas when the 1955 Hyperion Club's holiday season meeting was held Tuesday in the home of Mrs. J. B. Apple, 419 Westover. Cohostesses were Mrs. Jimmy Morehead and Mrs. Walter H. Ross.

Mrs. James Cape introduced the speaker, Mrs. John S. Rife, who used the topic, "Christmas Ideals," in setting the holiday theme. She read four poems, in sequence, to tell the story of Christmas. They were "What Is Christmas," "Lots of Love," "Christmas Cards," and "Let's Think of Christmas." All were based on the Christian's conception of the birth of Christ.

Mrs. D. H. McDaniel presided for a brief business session as Mrs. Tip Anderson read the proposed budget which was approved. The resignation of Mrs. Carroll Davidson was accepted. During the social hour, Mrs. Apple accompanied the group at the organ as carols were sung, and gifts were exchanged from a white flocked tree trimmed in pink.



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**Church Circle Has Week Of Prayer**

The Christmas program for foreign missions was observed by the Lottie Moon Circle of the Baptist Church, Ackerly. The week of prayer was from Nov. 29 to Dec. 3 at 9:30 each morning. Mrs. Joe Gillispie, prayer chairman, planned the various programs.

**HINTS FROM HELOISE**

**Make Packages Gay With Outside Paint**

Dear Heloise: A couple of years ago, after I'd wrapped all the different, individual Christmas packages to be shipped to my family in far-away places, I just hated to put them into ordinary old cartons with labels and printing all over them, even though I was going to cover them with brown paper. So, I took some green rubber-based paint left over from painting a game room, painted all sides, tops and bottoms of the sturdy cartons.

(Any color of paint would do; I just happened to have green.) I packed the small packages into the cartons carefully, tied them all up with red string, put on mailing labels and off they went—with no additional wrapping necessary. They were attractive inside and out! ... A Reader

Dear Heloise: We have 13 grandchildren and most of them are dating and using the family car. Dating seemed to be quite an expense for mom and pop when it came to buying gasoline for the auto, and this became a bone of contention in the family.

When Christmas rolled around, the presents for the grandchildren made quite a dip into our Christmas savings, as I could never find much they might appreciate for three dollars apiece. Now Granddad and I go to our favorite filling station and pay for 10 gallons of gas for each child who is old enough to drive. This leaves a credit for each one, and the gasoline can be used five gallons at a time, or any way they see fit.

For the grandchildren who live out of town, we just enclose three new one dollar bills with a holiday card and say, "This is for gasoline for your next date."

Now, all the grandkids look forward to their gifts each year. Sure solved a problem for us. ... Grandma and Grandpa

What a wonderful idea. Next time you pour a cup of coffee, drink it for me. ... Heloise

Dear Heloise: My little grandson spent the night with me. The next day there was a lot of snow on the ground, and he wanted a snow shovel.

I didn't have a shovel for his size so I got a dustpan and a broom handle and fixed one for him by inserting the broom handle in the dustpan handle. Worked beautifully. ... Grandmother Mary

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THURSDAY — Pork chops, green beans soubise, glazed sweet potatoes, hot rolls, cherry festival salad and milk.

- FRIDAY — Hamburger patties, asparagus, apple, celery, raisin salad, corn bread, ice cream (elementary), applesauce crunch (high school) and milk.  
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THURSDAY — Hamburger on buttered bun, lettuce, onions, pickles, French fries, milk and ice cream.  
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The honorees, who reside in the R Bar Community northeast of Big Spring, met in their early childhood while attending school in Coahoma. He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Reid, and his wife is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith. Both were pioneer families in the county.

The Reids were married in 1915 at a Methodist parsonage in Big Spring, arriving in town in a 1914 Model T Ford over rough roads. They have made their home at the present location since 1924 except for two years, 1917-18, that were spent in Fort Worth and Arizona during a drought. They farmed until their retirement and now enjoy hunting and fishing.

The Reids have three sons, Jull of Stanton and Clay and Carl of Coahoma. There are ten grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

### Planters Meet At Holiday Luncheon

Mrs. Frank Wilson, 1503 Eleventh Place, was hostess for the Christmas luncheon held Wednesday for members of the Planters Garden Club. Mrs. Donald Hines and Mrs. W. H. Muegge attended as guests, with Mrs. Muegge becoming a new member.

Mrs. R. L. Collins presided, and gifts were exchanged.

Mrs. J. W. Trantham, 1319 Stadium, will be hostess Jan. 12 when the Big Spring Nursery will provide a speaker on soil conservation and fertilization.

### Westbrook Group Attends Event In Colorado City

WESTBROOK (SC) — Seventeen members of the First Baptist Church attended "M" night services at the First Baptist Church, Colorado City.

Recent guests at the home of the Keith Williamson family were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Williamson, Crystal City; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Williamson and daughter, Wanda, and Miss Janelle Williamson, all of Big Spring. Mrs. J. K. Williamson returned to Crystal City with the Lloyd Williamsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ferguson, Lubbock, were Sunday afternoon guests of the Altis Clemmners.

Mrs. Irwin Myrick, Stanton, spent Tuesday night with her sister, Mrs. Edith Conaway, Colorado City, and visited here with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Roberts, Wednesday.

Sgt. I. C. Grady Nelson visited with his niece and her family, the R. L. Clemmners. Nelson has recently returned from Korea, and was en route to his new assignment at Salt Lake City, Utah.

### Gardeners Donate To Center Landscaping

A cash donation to the landscaping of the Dora Roberts Health Center was approved at the Wednesday morning meeting of the Oasis Garden Club.

The members met at the home of Mrs. J. D. Leonard, 2310 Roberts, with Mrs. Jim Zike as cohostess.

During the program session, Mrs. Zike narrated color slides of the children's therapy work being done by the Garden Culture Club, Denton.

Original seasonal centerpieces were exhibited by six members. Mrs. Tom Rosson showed a red and gold cornucopia, and Mrs. Lee Porter made a breakfast table arrangement.

Using a tall ceramic Madonna. Mrs. W. F. Taylor created a holiday open house centerpiece, and Mrs. Leonard exhibited a buffet centerpiece using a small white and gold Madonna.

The arrangement shown by Mrs. P. B. Baldrige was made with shades of red and pink roses, and Mrs. M. C. Stulting

did a New Year's Eve arrangement using confetti and brightly colored paper balls.

Mrs. Paul Kionka demonstrated the project to be used in the Dec. 16 therapy work at the Special Education School. She will be assisted by Mrs. Porter and Mrs. Rosson.

The next meeting will be Jan. 12 at the home of Mrs. Porter.

### Ladies League Makes Aprons

Aprons, designed with seasonal ornaments, were made at the Wednesday afternoon meeting of the Ladies Home League of the Salvation Army. The 17 members met at the Citadel with Mrs. William Thomas presiding.

The members also planned to wrap Christmas gifts for patients at the Veterans Administration Hospital.

### Muleshoe Family Visits In Knott

KNOTT (SC)—Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Airhart were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Airhart and children, Muleshoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Elliott, Westbrook.

Mrs. R. L. Flemings, Big Spring, is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Flemings.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Shortes and Dee were in Lubbock over the weekend to visit her father, Otto Barkosky, a patient in Methodist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. David Airhart and family, New Home, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Airhart.

Marcia and Weldon Nichols, Elbow, spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Harrell.

### Jar Lids Save Spot In Laundry

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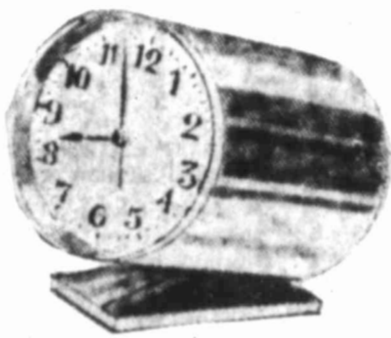
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# Maenner Bids Farewell To Handicapped Scouts

**By SAM BLACKBURN**  
There wasn't as much fun in evidence as usual last Thursday afternoon at the regular weekly meeting of Boy Scout Troop 81. Somehow things seemed quieter. There was less laughter, more solemnity than is usually the case when Troop 81 meets.

The dent in the troop's normally happy attitude was because the 32 regulars on hand were bidding farewell to the scoutmaster who has built the troop into what it is and who has put in six years making Troop 81 one of the best in the town.

**OVERSEAS DUTY**  
S. Sgt. Joe Maenner is leaving Dec. 17 for an overseas assignment in Germany. He was at the regular Thursday meeting to officially present his successor to his troop. Effective now, Jerald Wilson, a teacher in the school system, is scoutmaster of Troop 81.

Troop 81 is sponsored by the American Legion. It is different from any other scout troop in town. All of its members are handicapped boys. Their handicaps run the gamut. Some are mentally retarded; others are victims of crippling illnesses. Despite their handicaps, Maenner points out that the troop boasts one Star Scout, seven first class scouts and all of its other members are second class. The boys, to achieve these ratings, had to work harder than the boys in other troops. And the man who watched over their efforts and helped them with their task had to be a fellow with a lot of compassion and patience in his makeup. That man was Joe Maenner.

**HONORED**  
Last Tuesday night, the Boy Scout organization paid signal honor to Maenner for his services. It also recognized one of his boys as the Handicapped Boy Scout of the Year. That boy was John Tabor, one of six members of Troop 81 who have been with Maenner since he took over the troop.

"It's took a lot of time," Maenner admits, "but it has been time well spent. The Air Force has been most helpful—they have arranged so I could be off on Thursday afternoons to meet with the kids.

"We meet at the school on



**Troop 81 Veterans And Friend**

Sgt. Joe Maenner, center, front row, Thursday relinquished his post as scoutmaster of Troop 81, Boy Scouts. He posed in this picture with six of his scouts who have been with him since he took over the troop in 1959. Upper

row, left to right, Bill Sturgeon, John Tabor and Ezequo Cervantez; lower row, Bill Marks, Maenner, Gary Pope and Jerry Tibbets.

looks like he is to have a full time assistant. I never did."

**GO TO CAMP**  
Each summer since Maenner has had the troop, he has seen to it they went to camp at Fort Davis or elsewhere. "They look forward to these camps," he said.

Troop 81 is made up of boys of all races. Maenner is a career Air Force man. He plans to stay in until retirement which he will reach at the ripe old age of 38.

"He'll have one edge that I didn't," said the sergeant, "it

of his new overseas hitch, Mrs. Maenner and their three children will be in Fort Worth. Later, they will join him.

However, the Maenners have plans to come back to Big Spring.

"We have our home here," said Maenner. "We plan to come back to 612 Caylor sooner or later."

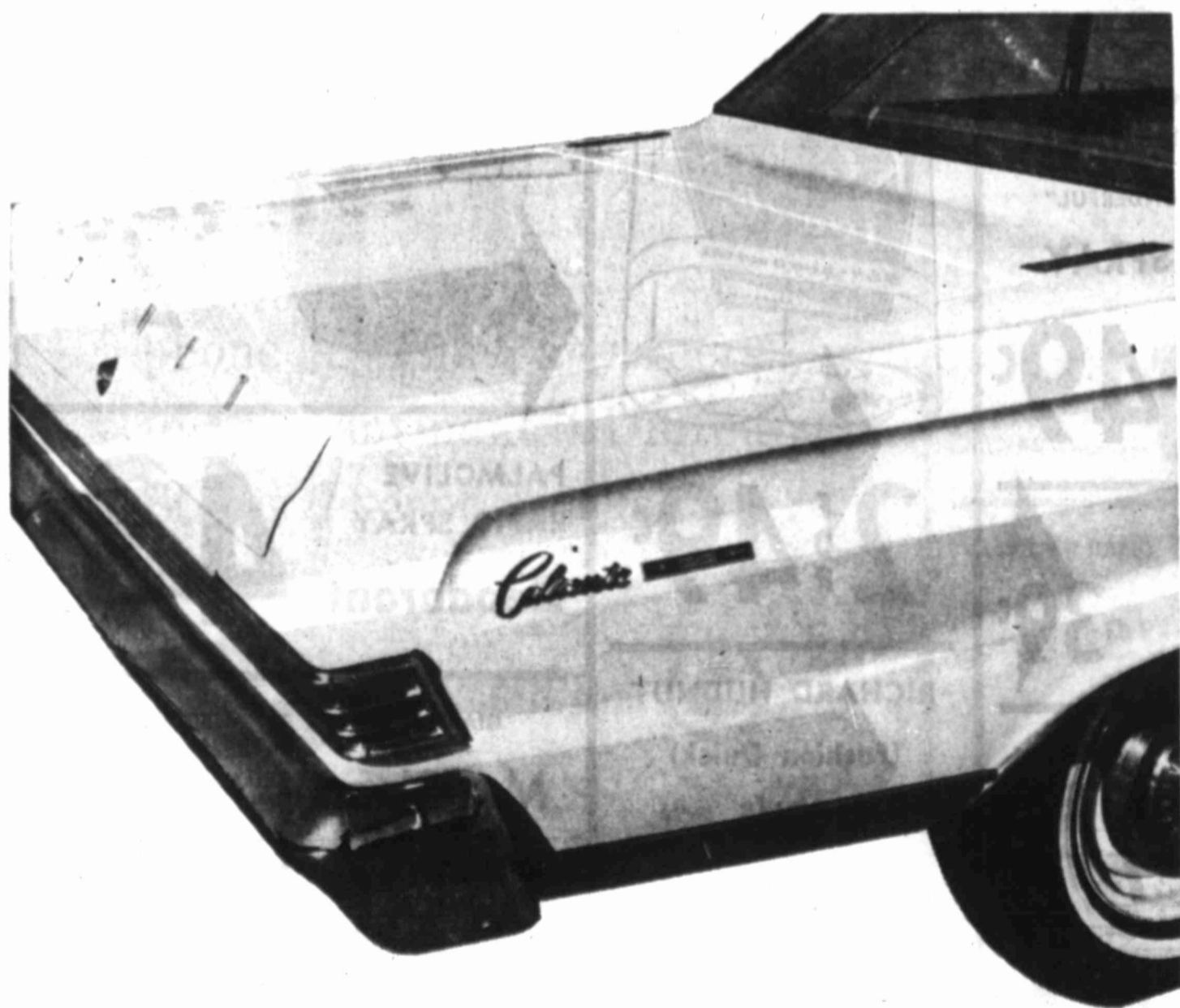
**FOUNDER**  
Maenner was one of the founders of the Big Spring Coin Club.

"I'll be back next Thursday afternoon to see how Jerald is getting along and find out if there's anything I can help with in the few days I'll have left," said Maenner.

"Besides," he added "I want to see the kids once more before I leave."

Troop 81, to a man, will want to see Joe, too.

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## Lamesa C-C Sets Banquet Wednesday

The Lamesa Chamber of Commerce and Board of City Development will hold its annual banquet Wednesday, at 7 p.m. at the high school gym, 700 N. 14th St. Featured speaker will be Gov. John Connally.

The SlumTown SymFunny will provide the dinner music. Toastmaster will be Ray Renner, and retiring chamber of commerce president W. B. Beeson and incoming president LeRoy Olsak will also be featured on the program.

The chamber of commerce annual Top Hand Award, presented to an outstanding chamber member, will be presented at this meeting.

Out-of-town dignitaries attending will include Congressman and Mrs. George Mahon, 19th District, State Senator and Mrs. H. J. Blanchard, 28th District, State Representative Randy Pendleton, 28th District, and C. Woodson, president of Southwestern Dailies Incorporated.

## 'Witch' Quartet Sentenced To Die

**DAR-ES-SALAAM, Tanzania (AP)**—Three women and a man, described by the prosecution as "witches" who murdered a man as a human sacrifice, have been sentenced to death by hanging.

The victim was the husband of one of the women. The man accused, Sefu Shante, told Tanzania's high court that one of the "witches," Salima Bakari, rubbed his face with medicine, charming him into killing Sultan Nyerembu with a spear.

He said he lost his senses and could not remember anything except Bakari urging him to harm Nyerembu.

The prosecution said that Nyerembu's wife was asked to provide a sacrifice for a ceremony and she selected her husband.

## Construction Dips During November

Only \$169,592 in building permits were issued by the building inspector's office in City Hall in November, the lowest value in permits of the year, and the fourth lowest number of permits—55—on the 1965 list.

Next lowest permit value month this year was May, when \$203,652 in permits was issued. Only 38 permits were issued in February, 41 in January, and 50 in March.

September remains the year's high permit value month, \$3,510,948 in permits issued. Largest number of permits so far issued this year was in June, when 184 were bought.

There were five new residence permits issued in November, at a value of \$68,000. Two new commercial permits totalled \$58,000. One of these was a new business at 606 Johnson Drive, to be constructed by Robert A. Heine; the other, a \$28,000 service station, to be built by Chevron Oil Co. at 1101 Lamesa Highway.

Eleven additions totalled \$15,790. Six structures were remodelled at a cost of \$7,200. Ten re-roofing cost residents \$4,307. Signs erected by 10 residents cost \$13,520. Ten structures were moved about the town (and out

## Military Signup Lags In Germany

**BONN, Germany (AP)**—Voluntary enlistments in West Germany's territorial defense reserve are slipping too low and 10,000 men will have to be drafted for the year beginning March 1, 1967, the defense ministry said Friday.

The reserve, West Germany's only force not under Atlantic Alliance control, now numbers 33,000 volunteers, the ministry said. It resembles the U.S. National Guard and requires 15 days of service a year.

### COMPARATIVE FIGURES

	Nov. 1965	Nov. 1964	Oct. 1965
New Business .....	\$ 58,000	\$120,500	\$364,191
New Residence .....	\$ 68,000	\$ 21,800	\$ 80,500
Total New Business and Residence	\$126,000	\$151,500	\$444,691
Total All Permits .....	\$169,592	\$172,160	\$627,721

## School Trustees To Meet Tuesday

Trustees of the Big Spring Independent School District have a full agenda awaiting action Tuesday evening. They meet at 7:30 p.m. in the central offices on the Runnels Junior High School campus.

They will consider an agreement with the City of Big Spring on the joint use of the Lakeview campus as a park; the appointment of a textbook committee; the 1966 school census to be conducted in January; John Burgess' contract for delinquent tax collections; consideration of bids for science furniture and equipment for the high school; and other routine matters.

## Death Toll Off

**AUSTIN (AP)**—State police said 2,634 persons had died in traffic to noon Friday, compared to 2,701 last year.

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# Gun-Toters Cause Heavy Damage To Road Signs

By SAM BLACKBURN

These are bad days for the men whose job is to keep the highway markers and signs on roads and highways readable and in good repair.

"Highway signs," comments a release from the Texas State Highway Department, "are erected for the safety and convenience of the motoring public and not to provide gun-toting punks with a handy target for plinking."

## REPAIRING DAMAGE

Clint Kent, district state highway maintenance engineer, said that year around, his men are kept busy repairing damage done to highway signs by vandals. At this season, the marksmen come into action and the number of signs perforated,

defaced by gunfire climbs.

"We have to replace dozens of signs each month," said Kent. "At this season, the circular red signs with the legend 'stop' seem to be the favorite of the frustrated hunters who use them for targets."

"What the hunter doesn't seem to realize is that it costs about \$10 to replace one of these signs. And that \$10 comes out of the taxpayer's pocket."

Annually, the vandalism cost for damaged highway signs in Texas runs close to half a million dollars. A major share of this damage is caused by rifle and shotgun fire. Bullet-riddled roadside markers account for 85 per cent of all signs which had to be replaced in one West Texas highway district. Kent estimates that the

85 per cent estimate would apply to the signs in this county.

## SMALLER ONES

He said that most of the gunfire is levelled at the smaller signs. However, there have been numerous examples of expensive larger signs being battered by this senseless barrage.

At the highway department building on the Snyder highway, Kent's department has a huge warehouse filled to the brim with scores of signboards needed to properly mark and safeguard the highways and roads. The bulk of the signs on hand are for replacement where vandals damage or destroy the original markers.

The state highway department points out that the half million dollars spent in replacing shot-

up signboards could be much better used to build roads.

"Sometimes," said Kent, "a damaged signboard is big enough and elaborate enough to require several hundred dollars expense to replace."

There's more to it than the damage, the department points out. The signs are erected for the convenience and safety of the driving public. A battered sign, left unreadable by bullet scars, could lead to a tragedy if the motorists on the road could not heed its warning.

## HEAVY FINE

There is a heavy fine for vandalism to signs or other road structures. The problem is catching the offenders in the act.

The law also can compel the offender to repay the state for the damage he has caused. Here again, the difficulty the department has is catching the gunman at work.

Southwest of town, there are two stop signs on a ranch road which are badly hammered by bullets and shot.

It is obvious from the damage on the signs that whoever fired the shots, causing the dents, fired his weapon across the highway. This could be most dangerous as the road is well travelled and very often approaching cars cannot be readily seen



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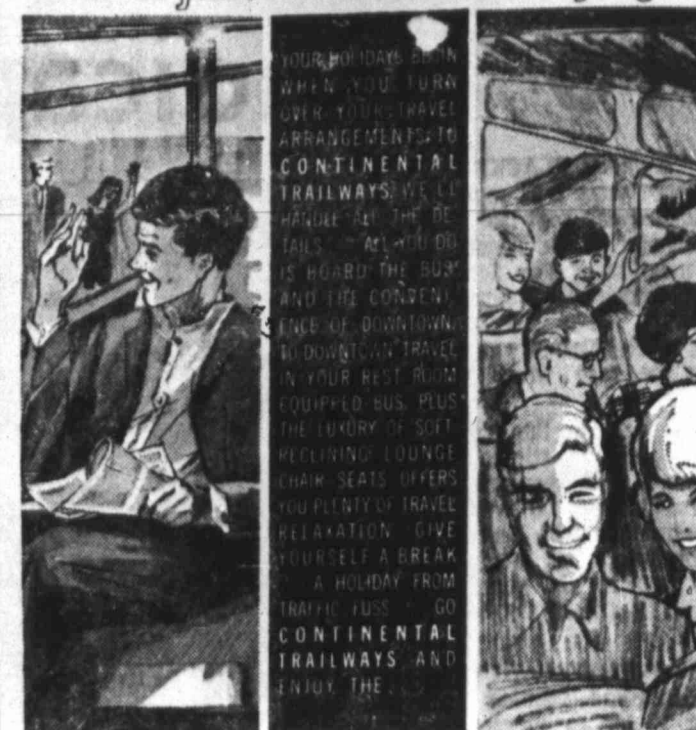
from the intersecting secondary road where the marksman stood.

Farmers and ranchers dread to see the hunting season open because of the threat careless hunters offer to livestock and

to human life. The highway department is equally disturbed when shooting time rolls around. It knows that its maintenance crews will be working overtime replacing shot-up signboards and markers.

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Thomas A. and Mrs. J. South Route commissioned Lieutenant after from the Candidate School, Ga., De

During the Grant military leadership, tactics, units, map graph reading, administrative p

Lt. Grant, in July, 1964. The 21-year-old 1963 graduate of School and County Junior Spring.

Army Pfc. Wall, Star R was assigned duty with the Cavalry Regiment, Germany Nov.

Wall will be continuous assignments designed to mediate notice of aggressive activity in northern sector of German border.

Wall is a Headquarters' 1st Squadron, near Fulda, Germany. He completed the Fort Polk, La. stationing at Fort Polk, La. before arriving in Germany, 1965. The 1963 graduate of School His wife in Germa

# MEN IN SERVICE

Thomas A. Grant, son of Mr. and Mrs. David E. Grant, South Route, Coahoma, was commissioned an Army second lieutenant after being graduated from the Infantry Officer Candidate School at Fort Benning, Ga., Dec. 3.

During the 23-week course, Lt. Grant received instruction in military leadership responsibilities, tactics of small infantry units, map and aerial photograph reading and Army administrative procedures.

Lt. Grant, entered the Army in July, 1964 and received basic training at Fort Polk, La. The 21-year-old lieutenant is a 1963 graduate of Coahoma High School and attended Howard County Junior College, in Big Spring.

Army Pfc. Emery C. Wall, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wall, Star Route 1, Lamesa, was assigned to border patrol duty with the 14th Armored Cavalry Regiment in West Germany Nov. 15.

Wall will be taking part in continuous surveillance missions designed to provide immediate notification of any aggressive activities along the northern border of the East-West German sector.

Wall is a radar operator in Headquarters troop of the regiment's 1st Squadron stationed near Fulda, Germany. He entered the Army in June, 1964, completed basic training at Fort Polk, La., and was last stationed at Fort Knox, Ky., before arriving overseas in January, 1965. The 18-year-old soldier attended Lamesa High School. His wife, Lattie, is with him in Germany.



**RALPH ATCHISON**

Ralph Atchison, FN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Atchison, 1007 Sycamore, Big Spring, is presently home on leave for 20 days from the USS Stoddard, out of San Diego.

The 18-year-old sailor attended Big Spring High School. He joined the Navy in November, 1964, and was last stationed with the Recruit Training Command, San Diego.

The USS Stoddard recently returned from a six-month tour of the Southeast Asian countries and will be operating out of San Diego for the next six months.

David E. Harris, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryant A. Harris, Garden City, was promoted to sergeant Nov. 18 at Fort Hood, where he is serving with the 1st Armored Division.

Sgt. Harris, a military policeman in the division's 501st Military Police Company, entered the Army in August, 1963 and

has served in Korea. A 1961 graduate of Garden City High School, the sergeant attended Howard County Junior College.

Airman Joseph D. Parker, son of Mrs. Mattie M. Parker, Lamesa, has been selected for training at Sheppard AFB, Tex., as an Air Force communications specialist. The airman, a 1959 graduate of Lamesa High School, recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex.

Curtis R. Rasberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Rasberry, 107 W. 10th St., Big Spring, has been promoted to technical sergeant in the U.S. Air Force.

Sgt. Rasberry is an administrative supervisor at James Connally AFB, Tex. He is a member of the Air Training Command which operates the world's largest technical school system to train personnel for Air Force duty. The sergeant is a graduate of Knott (Tex.) High School.

Sonar Technician Seaman Kenneth R. Gafford, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Gafford, 1607 Indian Hills Drive, Big Spring, is participating in the Project Gemini GT7-GT6 mission as a crewmember aboard the guided missile destroyer USS Cochrane, a unit of Task Force 130 in the Pacific Ocean. The Cochrane is stationed along the spacecraft's flight path in the event the mission is aborted over the Pacific.

James R. Booth, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Booth, 1505 Lancaster, is home from his Army station in Germany for 15 days before leaving for a new assignment—Viet Nam. The native Big Springer, a

Spec. 4, received his orders at C Co., 2nd Battalion, 34th Infantry Division, Augsburg, Germany, last Friday. He took leave last Saturday.

His orders assign him to the First Cavalry in Viet Nam. While in Germany, Spec. 4 Booth operated tracked vehicles and Jeeps.

Fireman Travis D. Oliver, USN, son of Mrs. Chester Oliver of 2006 Johnson, is participating in the Project Gemini GT7-GT6 mission as a crewmember aboard the destroyer USS Rupertus, a unit of Task Force 130 in the Pacific Ocean. Rupertus is stationed along the spacecraft's flight path in the event the mission is aborted over the Pacific.

## Legion Holiday Party Monday

The American Legion will sponsor its annual Christmas party and family night Monday at 7 p.m. Santa Claus will make an appearance and will distribute gifts to the kiddies. Legionnaires also are holding a free family night supper for all those participating.

## GOREN ON BRIDGE

BY CHARLES H. GOREN  
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WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ  
Q. 1—As South vulnerable, you hold:  
♠A62 ♣AQ5 ♦AK963 ♣A7  
The bidding has proceeded:  
South West North East  
1♦ Pass 2♣ Pass  
3NT Pass 5♦ Pass  
What do you bid now?  
Q. 2—Both vulnerable and as South you hold:  
♠A642 ♥Q75 ♦AKJ5 ♣63  
The bidding has proceeded:  
South West North East  
1♦ Pass 1♥ 1♠  
What do you bid now?  
Q. 3—You are vulnerable, partner opens with four hearts, and you hold:  
♠AK1064 ♥Q ♣642 ♣AKJ5  
What do you bid?  
Q. 4—As South vulnerable, you hold:  
♠AQ105 ♥AQ3 ♦AA ♣9762  
The bidding has proceeded:  
South West North East  
1♣ 1♥ 1♠ Pass  
What do you bid now?  
Q. 5—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:  
♠74 ♥K104 ♦AKQ73 ♣A63  
The bidding has proceeded:  
South West North East  
1♦ 1♠ 1NT Pass  
What do you bid now?  
Q. 6—Neither vulnerable and as South you hold:  
♠K53 ♥AJ10 ♦754 ♣10984  
The bidding has proceeded:  
North East South West  
1♦ Pass 1NT Pass  
2♣ Pass ?  
What do you bid now?  
Q. 7—Both vulnerable and as South you hold:  
♠AKQ109 ♥A104 ♦Q105 ♣J2  
The bidding has proceeded:  
North East South West  
1♣ Pass 1♠ Pass  
3♠ Pass 4♥ Pass  
4♠ Pass ?  
What do you bid now?  
Q. 8—Neither vulnerable and as South you hold:  
♠Q9642 ♥Q82 ♦92 ♣642  
The bidding has proceeded:  
North East South West  
1♦ 1♥ Pass Pass  
1♠ 2♥ 2♠ 3♥  
3♠ 4♥ Pass Pass  
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[Look for answers Monday.]



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### A Devotional For The Day

The word of God is living and active, . . . discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart. (Hebrews 4:12, RSV)  
**PRAYER:** Our Father, we thank Thee that Thou hast spoken to us so clearly in scripture and in the life and witness of Jesus. Grant unto us a deeper understanding of all Thou hast said, and art saying, to us; through Christ, our Lord. Amen.  
 (From the 'Upper Room')

### Is There Something Deeper?

In an attempt to avoid old ruts and to infuse new, personal interest in the development of a program of work, the Chamber of Commerce conceived the idea of asking business people to come pool their suggestions and criticisms as trade groups. There was nothing to sell, no commitments to do anything—just an earnest invitation to all who are concerned in the community to give the benefit of their thinking.

What happened? The first group had four attend out of 32 invited. Another had one out of about 30, a third group of 35, and one none out of about 50. Only one group, the realtors, had a fair representation. Seven of them turned out and came up with some good ideas.

One of the groups which had only one asked for another chance. The Rev. James Fickett, president of the Big Spring Pastors Association, felt there might have been misunderstanding, and thus he rescheduled a meeting of the pastors for Tuesday.

We hope that there are others who share his concern, for frankly it concerns us no little that the response has been so utterly disappointing. Forgetfulness would be bad enough, but there is a disturbing, haunting thought that there may be something deeper. These could involve, for one thing,

apathy. Is this a manifestation of the spirit of "I don't care," or "Let George do it?" Another is preoccupation, this 'thing of feeling that one is too busy, and thus that the obligations toward a community should be shifted to someone else. Still others are antitheses—satisfaction with the way things are going and the sort of program that is being offered; or dissatisfaction with the program to the extent of condemning it by absence and silence.

What the Chamber has attempted to do in these meetings may or may not be the best way to get at the problem, but this is no reason why individuals should not take just a few minutes out of the entire year to voice an opinion on it, and indeed about any other thing that is not being done or things which are being done that the individual thinks should be done.

If we cannot muster a corporal's guard who will take the effort to honor an invitation and by so doing say simply "I care about my community," how can we expect to organize for action on the major issues and challenges that face us?

This is not something which may involve only disappointment for those who plan for these meetings. It is something which goes to the very heart of the community and its attitude.

### Makes Us A Better Place

The First Baptist Church occupies for the first time today its vast new facility on Marcy Drive. This is something of significance to far more than the members of the congregation. As the largest congregation among the denomination, numerically, in the city, the First Baptist has a responsible role. Thus, what it is saying in the investment of a beautiful plant con-

ceived with the next generation, and the next after it, expressed faith in God and faith in the community and the place of the church in the community. Thus, the entire community joins in joyous appreciation of this occasion, just as it does with every new church home. Bold steps such as this new temple are the things that definitely help make us better.

## Marquis Childs

### The Fight Over 'Tight' Money

WASHINGTON—As though the air were not sufficiently charged with political tension, Chairman William McCleskey Martin's action in casting the deciding vote for the higher interest rates ordered by the Federal Reserve Board adds a new element. The reaction of the stock market, particularly in bank stocks, makes it plain this was a welcome Christmas present for the financial community.

WHEN CONGRESS comes back there will be angry cries for Martin's head. The most impassioned screams of outrage have come from those who still speak for the Populist South and Southwest, notably Sen. Russell Long of Louisiana and Rep. Wright Patman of Texas. There is the loud echo of William Jennings Bryan—the "Cross of Gold," the "Conspiracy of the Wall Street Bankers," the farmer and the working man caught in the money squeeze.

IT SO HAPPENS that both Long and Patman are powerfully placed to direct an attack on the Federal Reserve stockpile in the best tradition of the Old West. Long has said he intends to take the chairmanship of the Senate Finance Committee left vacant by the retirement of that gracious guardian of the financial establishment, Harry F. Byrd. At the same

time, Long means to keep his post as majority whip, second in importance only to that of majority leader.

As chairman of the House Banking and Currency Committee, Patman has kept up a constant harassing attack on Martin and "tight money." As the unadulterated voice of Populism, he is as loathed by the powers that be in oil and banking in his native Texas as he is in Wall Street.

BUT BECAUSE of his wide-ranging knowledge of the economy and how it operates—he was for many years professor of economics at the University of Chicago—the opposition of Sen. Paul Douglas of Illinois will have a greater weight. Bankers themselves concede in their more candid moments that Douglas knows as much about the mysteries of finance and the money market as anyone in this capital, not excluding Martin himself.

Out of this background Douglas challenges the heart of the argument for higher interest rates. He contends that inflation is not a threat today since the United States has had the lowest increase in prices of any industrialized Western country. On the face of it the record is phenomenal—a 3½ per cent rise in wholesale prices, using the 1957-59 level as a base.

WESTERN EUROPEAN countries have had rises as high as 10 and 12 per cent in the same period of full or virtually full employment. Only Japan among the industrialized powers has done as well. This background will be fully developed in the investigation into the FED's action already announced by the Joint Economic Committee. Patman is chairman of that committee and Douglas is vice chairman.

As for the struggle over the FED in January, Martin happens to be a poor target. Before a hostile committee chairman he can be as bland as a bowl of jelly. In the words of one of his most frequent critics, "It's like punching a piece of dough. There is no permanent impression."

WITH CLOSE TIES with the financial community Martin is a man of wealth who lives modestly. He has come through many attacks with a skill that a professional politician might envy. Five more years of his term as a member of the board are still to run. Since he became chairman of the board in 1961 he has dealt with Presidents Truman, Eisenhower, Kennedy and Johnson and no one can say that he came off second best.

Partly this may be put down to the built-in independence of the FED. Whether that independence will be modified as a result of the political embroilment beginning in January it is too early to say. But the power of the FED's chairman and the banking community should never be underestimated.

### Billy Graham

It seems to me that all hope has gone out of life. Even Christianity, (and I heard you say so) is on the wane. What, in your opinion, is the answer to our staggering problems?  
 G.F.

It is obvious that the world cannot be changed unless men, themselves, are changed. Therefore, the only hope I see for the world is the transformation of the human spirit by the power of Christ. When Jesus came to the world it was in a sad state. Rome was marching across the world, conquering little, helpless countries, and taxing them almost beyond endurance. Religion had lost its dedication, devotion and discipline. But into the midst of this chaos came a lowly Galilean named Jesus Christ. A few men caught His spirit, believed His Gospel, and the record says, "They turned the world upside down."

Christ's Spirit is still in the world, if we would only subject ourselves to His contagion and power. If the world we lived in would take Christ seriously, this present world could be turned upside down too.

Once a bewildered, perplexed student went with many questions to Phillips Brooks. After the interview the young man realized that he had forgotten to present his questions. He told a friend, "What I needed was not the solution of a special problem, but the contagion of a triumphant spirit." If the world could catch a glimpse of the triumphant Christ, our problems and questions would be quickly forgotten, and a new spirit would prevail in the world.

## Editorials and Opinion

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'NOW... ACCORDING TO MY CALCULATIONS...'

## J. A. Livingston

### Federal Reserve Now May Influence The Money Market

By J. A. LIVINGSTON  
 Yes, Mr. President, there is a Santa Claus. But he wears a business suit. William McCleskey Martin Jr., chairman of the Federal Reserve Board, made you a Christmas gift beyond compare. He offered himself as a scapegoat.

If anything goes wrong economically in 1966, if we have a stock market slump, an industrial slowdown or a recession, Martin's your blame-man.

And if all goes well, if total output of goods and services climbs, it's to your credit, Mr. President. Martin has fixed it so it's hard for you to lose.

True, you tried to fend off Martin's sacrifice. You had indicated your preference for low interest rates. An increase in the rediscount rate from 4 per cent to 4½ per cent was incompatible with your idea of "administered prosperity."

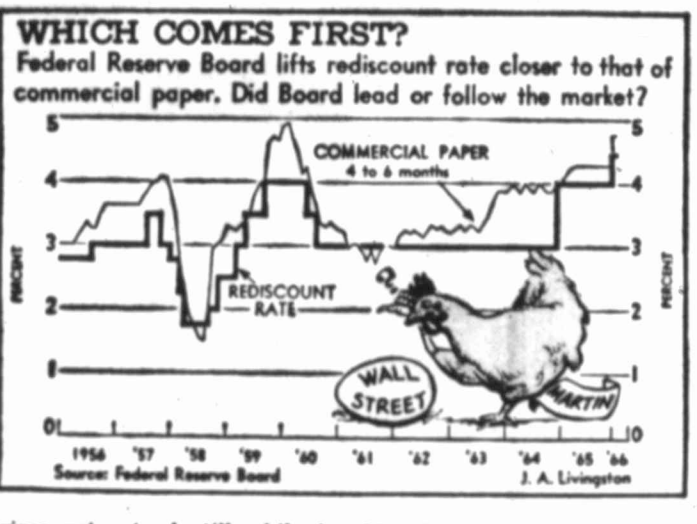
Martin wouldn't take the blame. Why? Because he was in an impossible predicament. The Federal Reserve System was out of step in its own parade. It had fallen behind the money market.

WELL-CHOSEN WORDS  
 Not since November 24, 1964, had the rediscount rate been advanced. Then, the Reserve Board acted to defend the dollar. The Bank of England had boosted its rate from 3 per cent to 7 per cent during the pound crisis. Too great a discrepancy in rates—between Wall Street and Lombard Street—would draw gold from the United States.

But President Johnson tried—like King Canute—to roll back the market consequences. Several large commercial banks decided that a higher rediscount rate required a higher interest charge to their best customers—usually the big-name corporations. This is the "prime rate."

They tried to go up from 4½ per cent to 4¾ per cent. In a few well-chosen words, the President changed their stance. Higher interest costs would impede the economic growth.

So, the rediscount rate and the



prime rate stood still while interest rates on high-grade corporate bonds, Treasury issues and commercial paper went up.

No wonder bank loans have increased 13 per cent in the last year! The banking system has become a bargain basement for credit. Low interest rates encouraged corporation treasurers to borrow at banks rather than lay interest rates in the capital markets.

CHEAP CREDIT  
 So, the banking system was overburdened. And banks scrambled for deposits, and even borrowed funds—to meet demand.

The Johnson administration was converting the Federal Reserve System into an "engine of cheap credit" even as the Truman administration made it an "engine of inflation" in the 1948-51 Federal Reserve-Treasury struggle.

Martin was a key figure in that settlement. Truman and John W. Snyder, then Secretary of the Treasury, wanted government bonds to sell at 100 cents on the dollar. During the war and postwar period, the Reserve Board assured that. Its function was to finance the war. It made credit plentiful. The Treasury was able to sell long-term bonds at 2½ per cent. But now the war was over.

NEVER CONTRACTING  
 First, Chairman Marriner S. Eccles and later Thomas B. McCabe indicated to Snyder that the Reserve Board could not sustain a 2½ per cent government interest rate. Any insurmountable government, could once company or bank, holding dump them on the Federal Reserve at par.

By buying them, the Reserve System pumped out excess reserves—lending power—to banks. It lost control of the money market—of interest rates. It was always expanding, inflating, never contracting.

When finally McCabe said he could no longer play Atlas to the money market, President Truman and Secretary Snyder designated Martin, then an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, to work out an "accord." He did. And when McCabe, shortly thereafter, resigned the Reserve Board chairmanship, Martin replaced him.

Before the accord, Federal Reserve Board policy was sectioned off from the real money market. Similarly, the "administered" 4 per cent rediscount rate for many months (see chart) has been out of line with the money market.

This has now been corrected. The Reserve Board has now caught up to its own parade. Instead of following the money market, it may now start influencing it.

## To Your Good Health

### Two Kinds Of Hardening Of The Arteries

By JOSEPH G. MOLNER, M.D.  
 Dear Dr. Molner: Does hardening of the arteries in one part of the body mean that the same thing is taking place in other areas? Or can this be a spotty thing? Does the process ever reverse itself?—H.M.D.

There are two kinds of hardening of the arteries. One involves the middle of the three layers which make up an artery. The fibrous tissue accumulates calcium deposits and such arteries become "hard." They become quite rigid and can be felt in such spots as a wrist. X-rays depict them clearly because of the calcium.

Yet these arteries, while hard, usually retain a quite adequate space inside, and circulation remains adequate. This type of hardening is called arteriosclerosis.

The other type of hardening, called atherosclerosis, is the red, herring. The arteries don't become rigid. Calcium does not gather. Without the calcium, an X-ray does not show a clear picture unless some added procedure is used, such as an injecting a dye into the artery so it will show up on an X-ray film.

Instead, the problem here is not actual hardening, but rather the presence of plaques or

clumps of fatty material at one or more points in the artery, just as rust or sludge may form in a deposit inside a water pipe.

If this clump or plaque becomes large enough, then it can cut off circulation somewhere, or reduce the flow of blood and cause trouble.

If circulation is completely shut off, that creates a problem. If it is in some part of the arteries which serve the heart muscle, the result is a heart attack. If in the brain, it is a stroke. It can occur elsewhere, of course. In the foot, the result will be gangrene. In the kidney, high blood pressure or other difficulty will ensue.

The calcium-type of real hardening tends to be rather general in the body, not that some arteries won't be harder than others.

The atherosclerosis, or fatty plaques, may occur more especially in one part of the body, or may occur in several areas, although real trouble may develop in one place and not in others.

If a blockage occurs, the patient may very well recover, perhaps developing some collateral circulation (enlargement of other vessels in the same area, to make up for the circu-

lation which has been lost) and therefore have adequate circulation for years to come.

Difficulty from hardening of the arteries in one spot does not necessarily mean that you are going to have the same trouble elsewhere.

Dear Dr. Molner: My husband claims there are vitamins in mushrooms but I disagree.—MRS. P. S.

You're mistaken. Mushrooms, while not particularly high in calories, have very real food value, and some vitamins—a modest amount of Vitamins B1 and B2, a fair amount of nicotinic acid, and a little Vitamin C. They are high in potassium.

Are you bothered with ringing in the ears? If so, write to Dr. Molner in care of The Herald for the booklet, "Ear Noises—Their Causes and Cures," enclosing with your request 10 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Dr. Molner welcomes all reader mail, but regrets that due to the tremendous volume received daily, he is unable to answer individual letters. Readers' questions are incorporated in his column whenever possible.

## Around The Rim

### Couldn't Deactivate A Better Squadron

Now that the guys at the 331st have gotten their names in the papers, courtesy of Defense Secretary McNamara, I ought to say something about them.

First, I would like to say that I am mad at Mr. McNamara, who seems to be more interested in juggling figures than he is in my personal feelings.

AND I MIGHT add that he may deactivate a lot of squadrons before he's through, but he's not going to deactivate any better ones than the 331st. I could be prejudiced. It has been my good fortune to have been rather closely associated with many of its officers and men all through the outfit's seven-year tenure here. It dates back to the arrival of the first group from Newburgh, N.Y., when the newcomers got some help from the community in meeting housing problems and various other adjustments connected with their setting up operations in a new part of the world.

A LOT OF fine men have come and gone, but virtually without exception they have been knowledgeable, intense, eager, zealous young men, completely aware of what their military mission was (and is), and completely ready to perform it at any time.

WHEN THEY get the time, the three-thirty-fifters play hard. Most of the time they are working even harder. You don't fly around in a highly-instrumented supersonic aircraft without having done your homework. You are not ready to give the ultimate in warfare without having built your foundations. The guys

in this squadron have passed these tests. They are a professional group, and as such stick together, with an esprit de corps that is heart-warming to see. Again, you don't zip around chasing targets without looking after the guy on your wing, and this very circumstance makes for a camaraderie that is not often seen in the humdrum of civilian life.

THIS FELLOWSHIP makes for a lot of fun in off-hours, but it also makes for teamwork when the alarm sounds.

The 331st proved its mettle twice in emergencies while it has been here. It was on the designated site for action during the Cuban crisis within hours after the alert. It was there again when the Dominican situation looked ugly. In each case, the job was done professionally, and was so recognized.

WELL, THAT'S their job. But you have satisfaction in seeing professionalism, whether it be in the courtroom, on the stage or in the Air Force.

In a matter of months, as it appears now, the 331st Fighter-Interceptor outfit will have written off another chapter in its history. Many of its men will be in the battle zone—as, indeed, many of them already are. Some of them might not come back. But I would bet, as the saying goes, my bottom dollar that they will have given a good account of themselves.

They have while they have been based in Big Spring, and there's no reason to anticipate any changes.

—BOB WHIPKEY

## David Lawrence

### Communists And Morality

WASHINGTON—Any reporter who goes all the way to Moscow and gets an opportunity to interview the Soviet premier is to be envied by members of his profession. But what the head of the Communist government said this week to James Reston of the New York Times—as revealed in a transcript subsequently authorized for publication—can only bring dismay and disappointment to the American people.

FOR ALEKSEI N. KOSYGIN used the occasion to transmit to an American audience a bitter denunciation of the government of the United States as an aggressor and as an evil force eager to make war throughout the world.

These tirades from government spokesmen have been issued before by the Kremlin, and similar criticisms are broadcast daily by Moscow over the radio and through press statements reaching far and wide. What Premier Kosygin has just said is not so important in itself, but does he really believe what he says?

WHAT, TO BE SURE, motivates the Soviet mind? What are the influences that persuade as high an official as Mr. Kosygin to disregard all the facts of life and the truths of the modern world and imagine that he can paint a picture of America as an aggressor? The record, on the contrary, clearly shows countless acts of aggression committed by the Communists to which the United States and its allies have properly risen in defense. Was America the aggressor when it came to the aid of the Russian people in 1917 and again in 1941?

THIS CORRESPONDENT has often wondered if it would be possible some day for a reporter to interview the Soviet premier, or anyone in high

office in Moscow, on a single subject—morality. What do the Communists really think is moral or immoral? How do they arrive at their standard for judging what is right and what is wrong? How would they define the word "freedom" for the individual? And do they honestly believe there is no supreme being watching over the destinies of mankind?

A government composed of men who have seized power and have the physical means of maintaining themselves in office can be an absolute monarchy. There is, in fact, little difference between the rule of the Czar and the ritualistic discipline inflicted today on the Russian people by the Communist party.

THE COMMUNIST party may feel it can only retain power and high office for its leaders by persuading the Soviet people to believe that an attack and aggressive war are being threatened by countries which do not accept communism. Communist doctrines are the subject of bitter controversy everywhere. But there is not the slightest evidence that the American people have ever wanted to engage in a war thousands of miles away solely for the purpose of establishing colonial power or to promote selfish interests, as the Soviet premier charges.

THE TRAGIC FACT is that morality seems to have been shunted aside by the Communists. If it has not, then a dialogue on what the Russian leaders really believe is or is not morality in the world of today would indeed be enlightening. For religions in all ages have taught at least one major truth—that without a better understanding of morality there can hardly be peace between individuals or nations.

## Art Buchwald

### The California Split

LOS ANGELES—The latest news from California is that they're thinking of breaking it up into two states. The idea, which was a joke a few years ago, is now being talked about seriously. The people I have spoken to have strong feelings about it. One man said:

"I've always believed there should be a South California and a North California. Of course I think the United States will support South California, because, after all, the Communist menace is located in the north at Berkeley, and if we don't stop them now, we could lose Oregon, Washington, and Idaho."

"How do you know the menace comes from the North?"

"WE HAVE proof CAL students have been infiltrating down from the north especially during football games, and they're being supported by students from Stanford, and the College of the Pacific."

He showed me a draft card that he said had been burned in Hollywood. "This is a North California draft card found in the pocket of a Berkeley student who was picketing Grauman's Chinese Theater. I think it speaks for itself."

"What do you hope to gain by splitting the state?" I asked.

"WE'LL GET rid of Sacramento for one thing. The North government has always treated South California as a stepister. Now we'll have our own government probably located in Los Angeles. Mayor Yorty has just been in Viet Nam to study how their government works there. We'll probably use the South Vietnamese government as a model for our own."

"Aren't there many very different problems that have to be resolved before the division of the state is made?"

"OF COURSE there are, and we're willing to negotiate all of them."

"How would you go about it?"

"Well, first we'd bomb San Francisco. Then we'd tell the North Californians we'd be willing to stop the bombing if they were willing to go to the table and talk."

"But why would you bomb San Francisco first?"

"If we didn't, we wouldn't have anything to stop doing if they agreed to our terms."

"I see."

"LOOK, WE don't want anything for ourselves. We just want to be left alone to prosper. It's the North Californians who are going to be the aggressors."

"But how do you know they will be the aggressors if you haven't even divided the state yet?"

"Well, you've had North Korea and North Viet Nam. Do you think North California is going to be any different?"

"LET'S SAY, after the split, that you and North California have your differences and finally you agreed to go to the negotiating table. What would be the primary objective of the negotiations?"

"I should think it would be to bring about a united California. If it was open to a vote, the North Californians would never want to live under a Communist system."

"Do you mean to say that after you take all the trouble to divide the state you will want to work at uniting it again?"

"BUT WITH one difference. This time South California would be the capital, and North California would have to dance to our tune."

"And if they didn't?"

"Then there's always San Francisco!"

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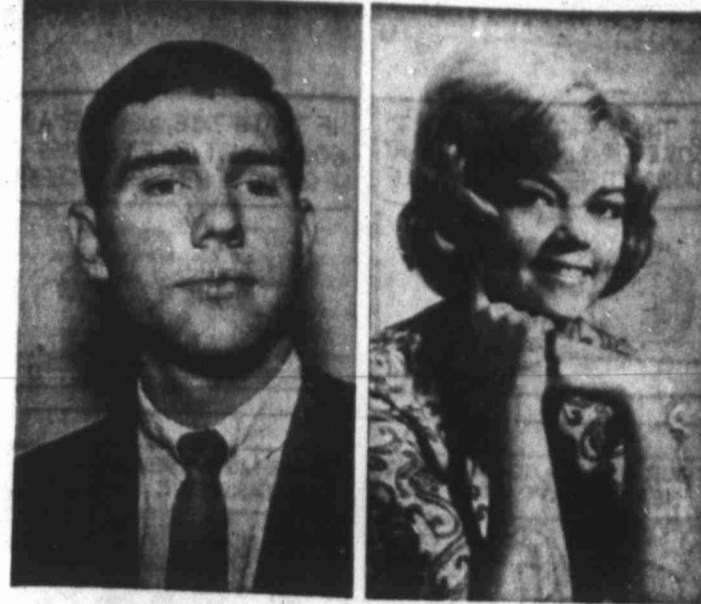
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HCJC

Sophs Chosen Mr. Miss Jayhawker

By JEAN FANNIN David Berry and Theresa Foster, sophomores, have been chosen Mr. and Miss Jayhawker by the student body of HCJC. Dr. and Mrs. Leonard Blomquist, Indonesian missionaries for the Methodist Church, will describe the Christmas customs and their experiences in Indonesia and present musical compositions in Christmas Assembly, Wednesday at 10:45 a.m. Phi Theta Kappa, honor fraternity, inducted four members Sunday afternoon, Dec. 5, in the SUB parlor. Beth Whitley, president, presided over the induction. The four were Sonja Peach, Veri Hallmark, Byrum Lee and Diane Smith.

Phi Theta Kappa will sponsor a Christmas formal Thursday night from 8 to 12 p.m. in the SUB. The Screaming Skulls from Oklahoma City will play. Admission is one activity card per couple. The theme is "White Christmas."

Monday night the HCJC will present "Festival of Christmas" in the HCJC auditorium at 8 p.m. Cynthia Pond, freshman soprano from Big Spring, and Marilyn Lawson, sophomore soprano from Big Spring, will be featured soloists. Merry Lee Dibrill will accompany Cynthia and Mr. Harlan Thornton, Language Department, will accompany the choir.

Martha Love Is Chosen For Play

ABILENE — Martha Love, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. Herbert Love, Coahoma, has won the role of the Lady in Abilene Christian College's student production of "The Braggart Warrior." Plautus' third century drama of Imperial Rome will be staged Dec. 11. Miss Love, a 1965 graduate of Coahoma High School, is a freshman speech education major.

Sands Wins First Place In Forsan Tournament

By JUDY FLEMING ACKERLY — The Sands boys won first place in the Forsan Basketball Tournament on Saturday Dec. 4. Oren Lancaster won the award for the most valuable player and Lynn Maxwell was on the all tournament team.

The Sands Annual Invitational Basketball Tournament was held Dec. 9-11. The teams that entered were Stanton B, Klondike, Ira, Forsan and Flower Grove. The games started Thursday afternoon and trophies were given out after the last game Saturday night.

The Homemaking IV class had a Christmas party Tuesday morning in the Home Economic Department and invited the senior boys. The refreshments were made and served by the senior homemaking girls. Mrs. Dan Eliason, Mr. Bolly J. Underwood and Mr. Henry Ball were the teachers who attended.

The A girls' and the B boys' basketball teams played in the Flower Grove tournament Dec.

Goliad Students Choose Liz Healy, Ford Farris, Favorites

By GWYNN BONNER Liz Healy and Ford Farris, freshmen, were chosen all-school favorites in elections during the past week at Goliad.

Gayle Coleman and Greg Lewis were chosen freshmen favorites; Denise Estes and Richard Ethun, eighth grade, and Kim Guthrie and David Vasquez, seventh grade.

The student council will sponsor its annual canned food drive Dec. 13-17. Prizes will be given to the homerooms bringing the most cans in each grade. The food will be distributed to needy families in this area by the student council.

MEGAPHONE NEWS FROM THE SCHOOLS

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Garden City Wins Regional

By BRENDA CLEMENTS GARDEN CITY — The student body assembled Monday for the presentation of the Regional Trophy which the Garden City football team won Dec. 3 in Lamesa.

Sidney Hirt, president of the school board, presented the trophy to coach Jack Woodley. Coach Woodley presented it to the football team. Lonnie Short, Michael Hoch, Riley Chandler, Vernon Newsom, and Walter Taylor accepted the trophy for the football team and presented it to Superintendent Roy Thurston.

The annual staff will sponsor a Christmas formal dance Dec. 17 in the cafeteria. The dance starts at 7:30 p.m. and admission will be 50 cents, stag; 25 cents per couple to help cover expenses.

The Garden City Basketball Tournament was held Thursday through Saturday.

FRESHMAN WINS RECORD

Rita Hightower, a Flower Grove freshman, is the winner of this week's free 45 rpm given away each week by The Record Shop, 211 Main. She may pick up her record certificate at The Herald.

2 Area Students Attend Del Mar

CORPUS CHRISTI — Lanora Falk, daughter of F. C. Tibbs of 611 Bell and Donald Grissom, son of Donald L. Grissom of Big Spring are attending Del Mar College this fall. Enrollment is more than 2,500 day students this fall, approximately 23 per cent more than attended Del Mar last fall. With regular increases in enrollment, the college is in the midst of a building expansion program, both on the main campus and at Del Mar Technical Institute. Although Del Mar is a community college, many students come from out of town.

RUNNELS JR. HIGH

Junior High Tournament Held In Big Spring This Week-End

By LORRIE WATSONS The Big Spring Junior High School Basketball Tournament began for the Runnels teams Friday at 3 p.m. in the gym. The tournament was held exclusively in the Runnels and Goliad gyms and all games were played on Friday.

Students wishing to see the first game at Runnels were excused from their sixth period classes. Admission was 15 cents. Game schedule was: ninth grade - Runnels vs. Snyder Lamar, 3 p.m., Runnels gym; eighth grade - Runnels vs. Snyder Travis, 4:30 p.m., Runnels gym. The eighth grade championship contest was held at 6:30 p.m. Saturday and the ninth grade title contest was held at 8 p.m., both in the Goliad gym. The consolation finals were held at 5 and 6:30 p.m. in the Runnels gym.

The Runnels basketball teams, seventh, eighth and ninth grades, played against the Goliad Mavericks Tuesday night in the high school gym. The seventh and eighth grade Yearlings were defeated while the freshmen came out with a 51-32 victory over the Mavericks.

A pep rally was held Tuesday during sixth period. Miss Glenda Whisenant, cheerleader sponsor, led the student body in the Pledge of Allegiance and introduced the cheerleaders.

Mrs. Charlotte Irwin, ninth grade Language Arts teacher, gave a short pep talk. The band, directed by Mr. Don Turner, accompanied the students and faculty as they sang the school song.

Forty-five members of the Runnels choir journeyed to Midland Tuesday night to hear the concert presented by the Midland - Odessa Symphony and Chorus. Transportation for the students was provided by bus and the sponsors for the group were Mrs. Kenneth Bell, Mrs. Milas Wood and Mrs. Roy Watkins. The trip in which the Goliad and high school choirs also participated, was sponsored by the Big Spring Choir Boosters.

The high candy salesmen from Runnels were Debbie Rutherford and Donald Duncan. They were each presented with a five dollar bill by the Choir Boosters, who sponsored the sale.

The speech classes will present a Christmas Pageant Dec. 22 for the student body. Mrs. Sue Willbanks, ninth grade Homemaking teacher, has been helping the girls make angel costumes. Mrs. Judy Spencer, speech teacher and director of the pageant, took her classes to see the dress rehearsal of "The Mousetrap" Thursday night.

Ninth grade students have begun to get their individual pictures. The pictures, made by Barr Photocenter, are at the studio. The Student Council met Monday and discussed the Christmas dance. The dance, which will be held Dec. 17 in the gym, will be sponsored by the council. A committee was chosen to help promote the Canned Food Drive for the Salvation Army. Mary Ellen Hedges is chairman and other members are Gary Hinds, Kyle Rosene, Jenny Jones, Clay Harris and Sammy Cranill. Susie Armstrong was named

Sandy McCombs, Gregg Pate Best All-Around

By CIL PACHALL Sandy McCombs and Gregg Pate were announced Best All-Around at the Christmas formal Saturday night. Janet Jones and Bobby Griffin were announced senior class favorites; Debbie Duncan and Gary Rogers, juniors; and Sonja Whittington and Jack Cathey, sophomores.

Also running for Best All-Around were Kay Bettle, Sue Burns, Sue Clark, Sue Frazier, Patty Haralson, Nancy Mathis, Susie Engle, Beverly Peters, Mack Frazier, Kirby Horton, Charles Lacy, Jackie Thompson and Freddie Stiehl.

Running for senior favorites were Marilee Carr, Robbie Chapman, Jimmy Johnson, Danny Reagan, Don Shive, Mark Cook and Bill Morton.

David Holmes, Kay Statter and Linda Cochran ran for junior favorites.

Lonnie Clanton, Jimmy Redden and David Vasquez, Carla Wadsworth, Nikki Thomas, Linda Gray, Debby Estes, Linda Lile, Teresa Conner, Jenna Clitkscales and Janice Anderson were also running for sophomore favorites.

Kathy Shaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Shaw and a BSHS junior, placed fourth runner-up out of 100 girls in the Senior Division of the "Make It Yourself With Wool" contest held in Lubbock last Saturday. She modeled a white, three-piece suit she had made and received a sewing kit from Coats and Clark.

"South Pacific" will be presented Thursday through Saturday nights, Dec. 16-18, in the high school auditorium. The play will begin at 8 p.m. and admission prices are \$1.50 for adults and \$1 for students. Tickets may be purchased from any

member of the cast or chorus, or at lunch in the foyer at high school. Mr. Dan Shockey, director, urges everyone who possibly can to come and see the play.

There will be a junior class meeting Monday, in the auditorium after school and every junior is asked to be present at this meeting if at all possible.

The Canned Food Drive, sponsored by the Student Council will begin Monday. Students will bring food to their homerooms and a representative will pick it up from there.

Members of the British Officers' Wives Club will present a program of different Christmas customs at the FHA meeting Thursday, Dec. 16, after school in the cafeteria.

The Girl's Choir presented a program of music Tuesday night, Dec. 7, for the Marcy Elementary P-T. Among their selections were "Glorious Apollo," with a trio consisting of Fran Long, Linda Roberts and Beverly Burroughs, "Beautiful Savior," "Silent Night," and "O, Come, All Ye Faithful."

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er selections will be "Glorious in Excelsis Deo," by Robert McCowan, "Ave Maria," by Rachmaninoff, and "The Angel's Song," by Paul Tschesnokov.

Soph Leads Top Five

WESTBROOK — Patricia Bell, sophomore, leads the Westbrook NHS Top Five for the second six weeks period. The members of the Westbrook High School National Honor Society Chapter are selected from the top three classes in high school on the basis of scholarship, character, service and leadership.

The names and ranks of the Top Five are Patricia Bell, sophomore, 96.60; Vee Iglehart, junior, 95.46; Carole Bell, senior, 94.80; Vickie Chambers, junior, 91.59; and Maritha Oden, senior, 90.73.

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Stanton Principal Resigns Position

By EUNICE STEPHENSON STANTON — Mr. Bill Johnson, who has been principal of Stanton High School since Au-

gust, 1961, is leaving at mid-term to accept a superintendent's position at Blanket, Tex. At this time no one has been named to take his place.

Monday the students were entertained by a professional acrobat who presented a program on exercise. He stressed the fact that it is important to do some kind of strenuous exercise each day.

Cindy Pickett was selected as candidate for area officer in FHA, Tuesday. Becky Saunders gave a report on the Christmas card drive. The group collecting the most cards was comprised of Cindy Clements, captain; Cindy Davis; Sharron Kuhlman; Carolyn Kuhlman; and Eunice Stephenson.

The cards were taken to the state hospital last Wednesday. The program was presented by Cindy Pickett and Katina Johnson. They outlined the steps a person goes through to become a naturalized citizen.

The Student Council met Wednesday and decided to have a Christmas party, Dec. 20. The party will be informal and consist of games such as basketball, volleyball, ping pong, and dancing. The admission fee will be a small gift or 50 cents.

The council is also sponsoring a door decoration contest. Each club and class may decorate a door. Prizes of \$7.50, \$5, and \$2.50 will be given to first, second and third place winners. Only \$2 may be spent on decorating the door.

October, November Boy, Girl Of Month Chosen

By DONNA DUKE COAHOMA — Terry Edens and Keith Hodnett are girl and boy for the month of November. Terry is a junior and the daughter of Mr. E. E. Edens. She is a cheerleader for the Bulldogs and was chosen football sweetheart, junior favorite, and is an active member of the FHA.

Keith is a senior and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hodnett. He is on the football team, the student council, and is a member of the FFA.

Nadine Honeycutt and Wayne Oglesby were girl and boy for the month of October. Nadine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Honeycutt, is a senior. She was chosen Homecoming Queen, is a drum major for the Bulldog Band, a member of the student council and National Honor Society.

Wayne, son of Rev. and Mrs. Dan Oglesby, is also a senior. He is president of the student council, member of the football and basketball teams, and a member of the national honor society.

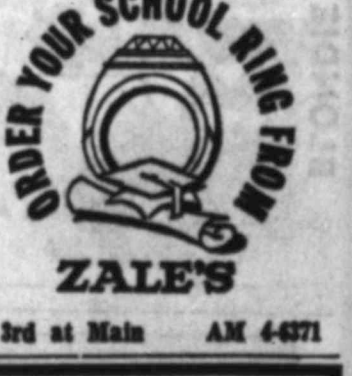
The date of the Library Club Christmas party has been changed to Dec. 22, 8 p.m. in the high school library. An FFA meeting will be held

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Wednesday Dec. 22 at 7:30 p.m. There will also be a young farmers and young homemakers banquet in the grade school cafeteria.

Boys making the A basketball team are: Marshall Williams, Tony Butler, Lawrence Lepard, Mike Hinsley, Mike Mosley, Bobby Lindsey, Eddie Torres, Bobby Pherigo, Dean Bohannon, and Johnny Gibson.

The girls' and boys' basketball teams travel to Jim Ned, Tuesday, Dec. 14, to open district play. The teams are also in the Stanton Tournament, Dec. 16-18. The girls play Thursday at 12:30 and the boys at 2 p.m. Vicki Willin was left out of last week's honor roll. She is a freshman and she had five A's.



Forsan Has Three Players In 6B All-District Football

By JODY DODD FORSAN — Three Forsan High School boys have been selected as All-District players in the 6-B football district. They are: Jackie Shoults, a senior center, winning honors in both offense and defense; Douglas Franklin, a senior end, winning the honor in defense; and Jack Ellis, a junior quarterback, winning the honor in offense.

the Sands boys. Second place honors went to Loop girls and Forsan boys, while the consolation winners were Rankin girls and Water Valley boys. Those receiving all-tournament awards from the Forsan teams were Jody Dodd, Patsy Gooch, Sara Findley, Ray McKinnon and Douglas Franklin. Mr. W. R. Cregar presented the trophies.

program, to be presented Dec. 21, have been selected. Jody Dodd will be Mrs. Santa Claus; Jaunita Henderson, Santa Claus; Terry Wooten, Mr. Alex; and Marlin Medlin, Dr. Smith. Other characters will be played by the elementary students. The high school chorus will sing several Christmas selections during the program.

Monday night, the FHA hosted a Christmas dessert party in the school cafeteria for the members' mothers. The devotion was given by Jody Dodd, and Jaunita Henderson led the group in singing Christmas carols. A program was presented by Cynthia Condon, Jaunita Henderson, Velinda Osborn, and Lacy Vaughn. Mrs. Ronnie Gandy narrated the play. Girls in Homemaking I and II prepared desserts for refreshments, while the Homemaking III girls decorated. All officers served as hostesses.

Thursday the Spanish Club met to discuss plans for their Christmas party to be held Thursday, Dec. 16, in the school cafeteria. Patsy Gooch is in charge of getting the entertainment. Individual gifts will be exchanged at the party.

Seniors ordered their graduation invitations from the Schmidt Engraving Company. Graduation is scheduled for May 27, 1966.

The Student Council met Monday and discussed the Christmas dance. The dance, which will be held Dec. 17 in the gym, will be sponsored by the council.

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A committee was chosen to help promote the Canned Food Drive for the Salvation Army. Mary Ellen Hedges is chairman and other members are Gary Hinds, Kyle Rosene, Jenny Jones, Clay Harris and Sammy Cranill. Susie Armstrong was named

First place winners in the Forsan tournament — ending Dec. 4 — were the Forsan girls and

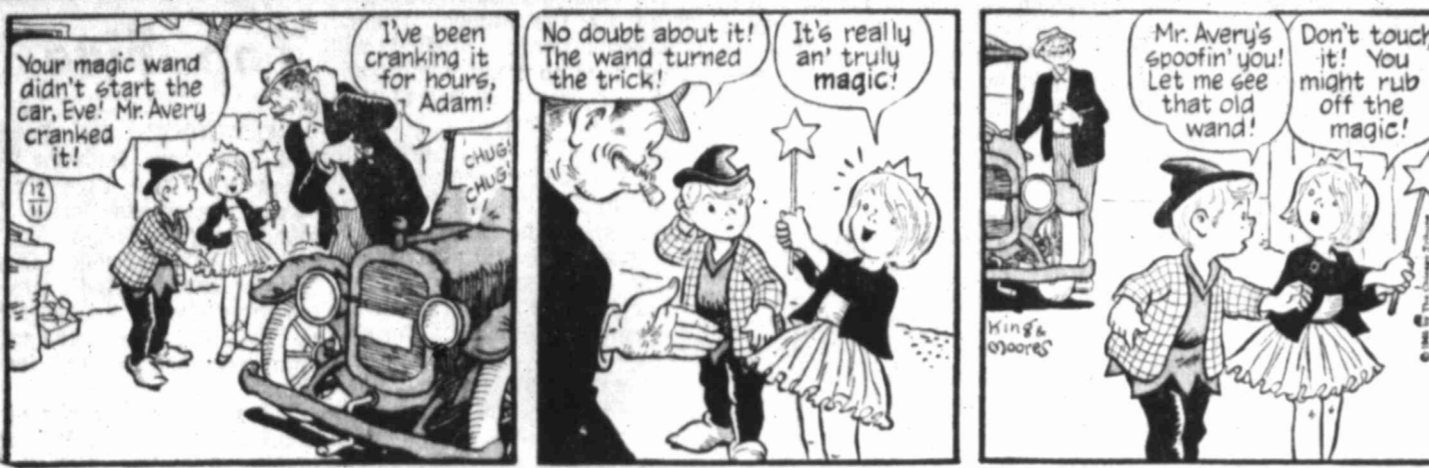
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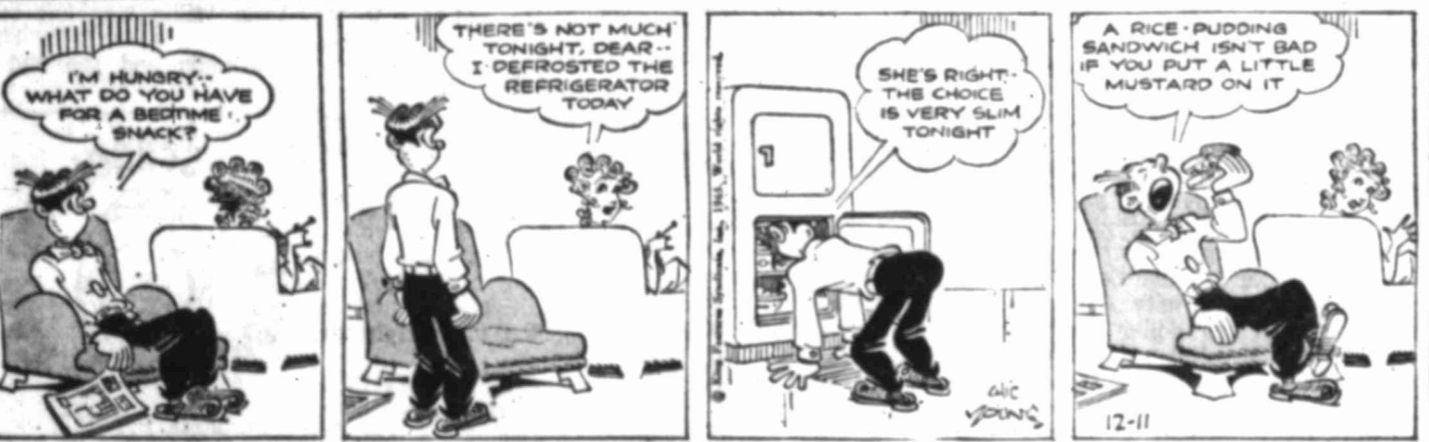
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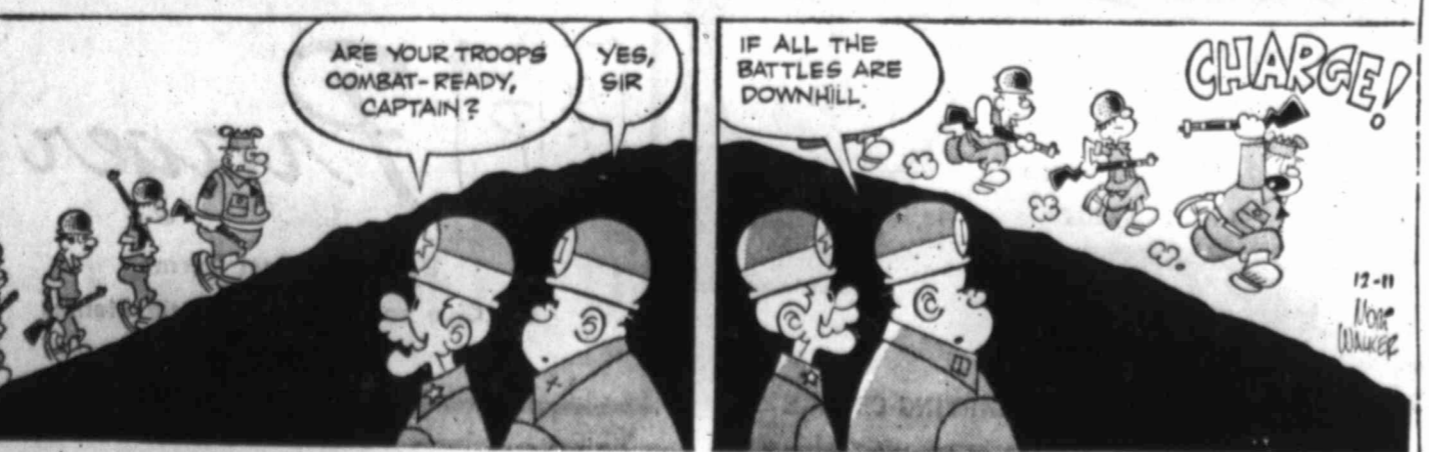
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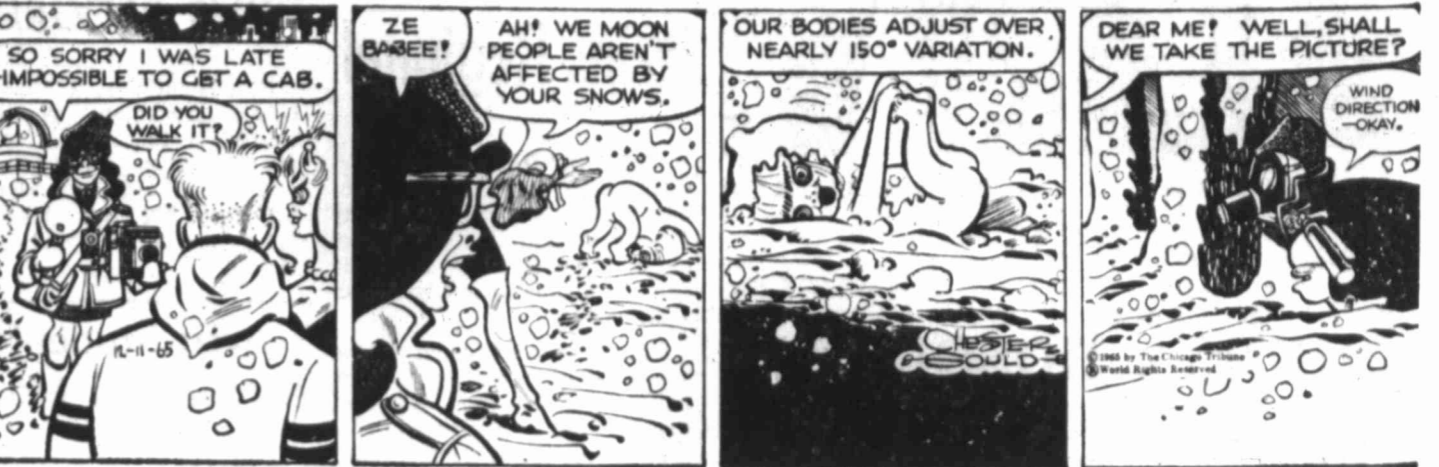
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# WEEK'S PLAYBILL

**RITZ**  
Sunday through Tuesday  
**THE BEDFORD INCIDENT**, with Richard Widmark and Sidney Poitier.

Wednesday and Thursday  
**SYNANON**, with Chuck Connors.

Friday and Saturday  
**THE SKULL**, with Peter Cushing, and **MAD EXECUTIONERS**.

Saturday Matinee  
**SANTA CLAUS**

**STATE**  
Sunday  
**OUTLAWS IS COMING**, with Three Stooges, and **WOMAN WHO WOULDN'T DIE**.

Friday and Saturday  
**HAVING A WILD WEEKEND**, with Dave Clark Five, and **WAR OF THE WORLDS**, with Gene Barry.

**JET**  
Sunday through Tuesday  
**OPERATION CROSSBOW**, with Sophia Loren.

Wednesday through Friday  
**BLOOD AND BLACK LACE**, with Cameron Mitchell, and **YOUNG DILLINGER**, with Nick Adams.

Saturday  
**GO GO MANIA**, with the Beatles, **LA DANCE A GO GO**, and **THE HUSTLER**, with Paul Newman and Piper Laurie.



**'SYNANON'**  
Stella Stevens, Chuck Connors, Alex Cord  
**'Synanon' Tells Story Of Rehabilitative Life**

There is no such word in the dictionary nor place on the map as "Synanon," the release at the Ritz Theatre. Yet Synanon is a living, dramatic colony on the ocean front in Southern California and a way of life that has salvaged rejects, rebels and misfits from the human junk pile and turned them into mature and purposeful human beings.

It started in 1958 when Charles E. Dederich, an ex-alcoholic who had drunk his way out of business executive jobs and had lost friends and family, found himself the center of a group of derelicts on the ocean front sidewalk. Living in a deserted store, they found that as a cooperative group they could beat their drinking problem.

They were joined by drug addicts who soon outnumbered them and who also discovered that, under Dederich's direction, vigorous and mutual self-help could cure them of their addiction. As other social outcasts and offenders against society joined them, they moved into a series of houses and buildings. They were of both sexes and of all races, creeds and colors, and all were offered an open doorway to life.

# Looks At Books

**WESTVIKING.** By Farley Mowat. Atlantic, Little Brown, \$10.  
Mowat's book had been completed before the recent announcement from Yale University that it had acquired a map of the mid-15th Century (that is, pre-Columbian) which shows a land called Vinland, with legends in the margin crediting the

Norsemen Bjarni and Lief with finding that portion of North America.

The map serves as icing on the cake of the Norse sagas.

What Mowat has done is to use the old Norse sagas as a framework for a reconstruction, in narrative form, of what it must have been like for the westward-dressing Norse seamen to probe the new land.

# STAMPS Population Theme On New Issue

By SYD KRONISH  
AP Newswriter

A new commemorative stamp with the theme "Population Trends and Development" was issued by the United Nations Postal Administration on Nov. 29. There will be three denominations — 4 cents, 5 cents and 11 cents. The design will feature, by means of progressively larger silhouettes, the expansion of world population throughout the years. Also shown is the U.N. emblem and the inscription "Population Trends and Development." The designer is Olav S. Mathiesen of Denmark.

Basis for the stamp was the recently held World Population Conference in Belgrade, Yugoslavia, under the auspices of the United Nations. The purpose of the conference was to improve understanding of population problems, especially those related to economic and social development, to stimulate scientific research and to enhance the effectiveness of work in these fields.

Also announced by the U.N. Postal Administration were the following stamps to be issued for the first half of 1966: Jan. 31 — World Federation of United Nations Associations (WFUNA), March 25 — a \$1 regular stamp to replace the original stamp issued in 1951, May 23 — United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) and its recently established training institute, June 10 — 11 cent airmail postcard for use overseas.

Austria has issued a special stamp commemorating the sesquicentennial of the Vienna University of Technology. The 1.50 blue violet stamp depicts the facade of the university. Also appearing on the stamp is the inscription "150th Year." The university was opened in November, 1815.

The U. S. Post Office Department has announced that there were 613,484 first-day covers canceled when the 5-cent John Singleton Copley "American Painting" commemorative was placed on sale at Washington on Sept. 17. There were 1,238,235 stamps sold that day with a value of \$61,911.75.

From Ceylon comes word that the definitive issue of four stamps with a theme of birds which had been postponed several times has now been printed and will be available in December. The 5 cents shows a grackle, 15 c peacock, 60 c jungle fowl and 75 c black-headed olive.



**'THE BEDFORD INCIDENT'**  
Richard Widmark and Eric Portman

# Widmark Stars In Sea Story

Richard Widmark as a U.S. Navy commander of a destroyer on North Atlantic patrol, and Sidney Poitier as a journalist-photographer aboard the vessel to do a "picture story" of modern-day maritime automation, are starred in "The Bedford Incident," which opens today at the Ritz Theatre. The suspense-adventure is not truly a "war" story but is what Hollywood has hailed as one of the finest examples of screen entertainment around.

Based on the best-selling novel by Mark Rascovich, "The Bed-

ford Incident" is the story of the USS Bedford, the destroyer which discovers an unidentified submarine lurking in the icy depths off the coast of Greenland. Widmark drives his crew to the breaking point as he maneuvers to bring the submarine to the surface, without concern for what he is doing to the submariners themselves; that they must inevitably strike back is apparent to Eric Portman, as a former U-boat commander aboard the Bedford as an observer for NATO. And what Widmark is doing to a young ensign, James MacArthur, and to his sonar operator, Wally Cox, is apparent to both Poitier and to Martin Balsam, the ship's doctor.

The novel by Rascovich, a veteran of World War II who saw service on the Murmansk run, is truly a "salt spray" story and James Poe, Academy Award winner for his "Around the World in 80 Days" script, brought to "The Bedford Incident" screenplay his own background as an Annapolis graduate and Navy lieutenant during World War II.

# Airplane Fatality

VICTORIA (AP)—Grady Lee Pitts of Houston was killed Friday night when the small private airplane he was piloting crashed about 12 miles west of Victoria.



**'THE SKULL'**  
Peter Cushing poised to kill

# Peter Cushing Has Lead In Ritz Horror Film

Some psychiatrists claim that horror stories are a release for pent-up aggressions and emotions. There are many arguments pro and con about this subject. "The Skull," in Technicolor opening Friday at the Ritz Theatre, is a thrilling shocker that's sure to be a horror hit.

The screenplay of "The Skull," written by Milton Subotsky, is based on the Robert Bloch novel, "The Skull of the Marquis de Sade." Dealing with an evil remnant from the grave, "The Skull" is a frightening power of terror that inflicts its violence upon all who possess it. The eerie mobility of this gleaming cranium presents a unique storyline that will intrigue horror fans.

Co-produced by Max J. Rosenberg, whose last shocker success was "Dr. Terror's House of Horrors," and Milton Subotsky, the film is first class professional. These two masters of horror enlisted the renowned talents of Peter Cushing for the starring role of a possessed and

unfortunate holder of the skull. For Cushing, the flavor is the same, but the setting is refreshingly different. "The Skull," unlike usual horror films set in ghostly and ghoulish mansions adorned with cobwebs, has a present day motif. Thus, for the first time in horror films, Peter Cushing is seen clean shaven and wearing contemporary clothes.

Each unlucky individual who gets possession of the skull becomes engulfed in a morass of crime—proving that the villainess of a man whose name to this day remains a symbol of all that is worse than human nature, still reaches out beyond the grave to infect its victims with a merciless evil fate.



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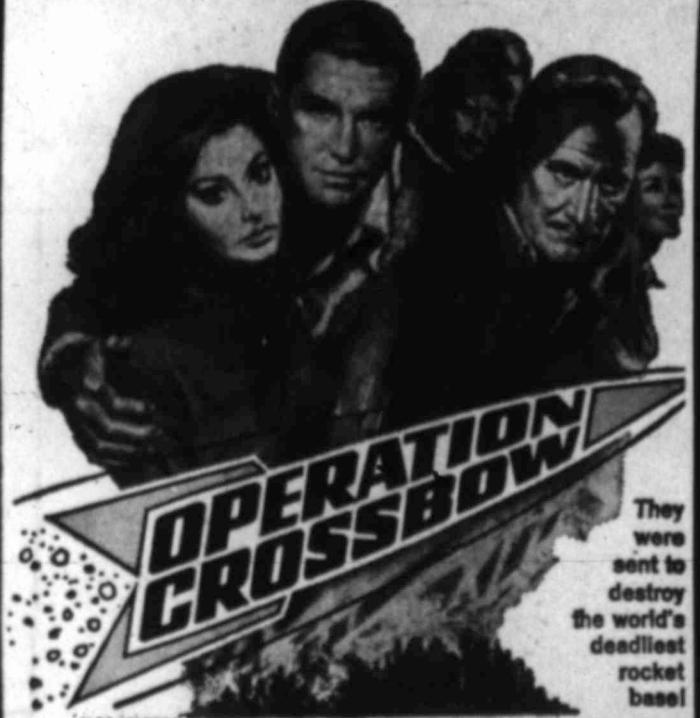
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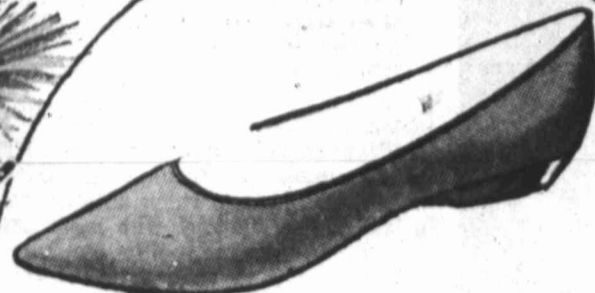
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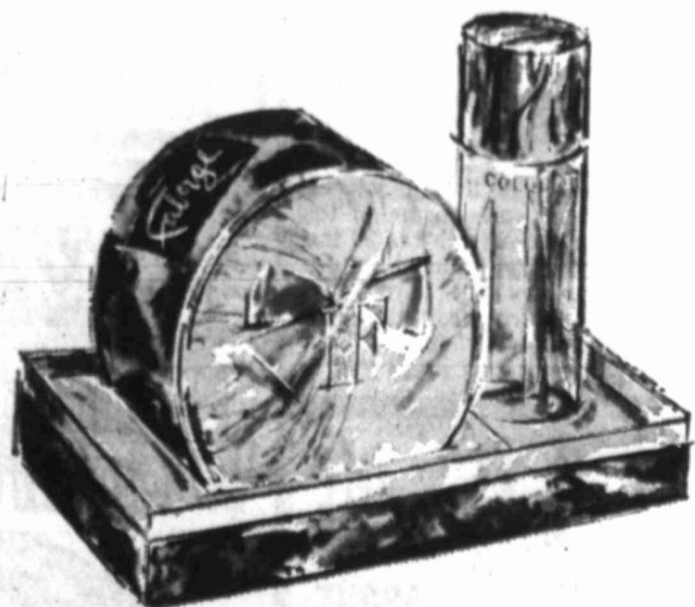
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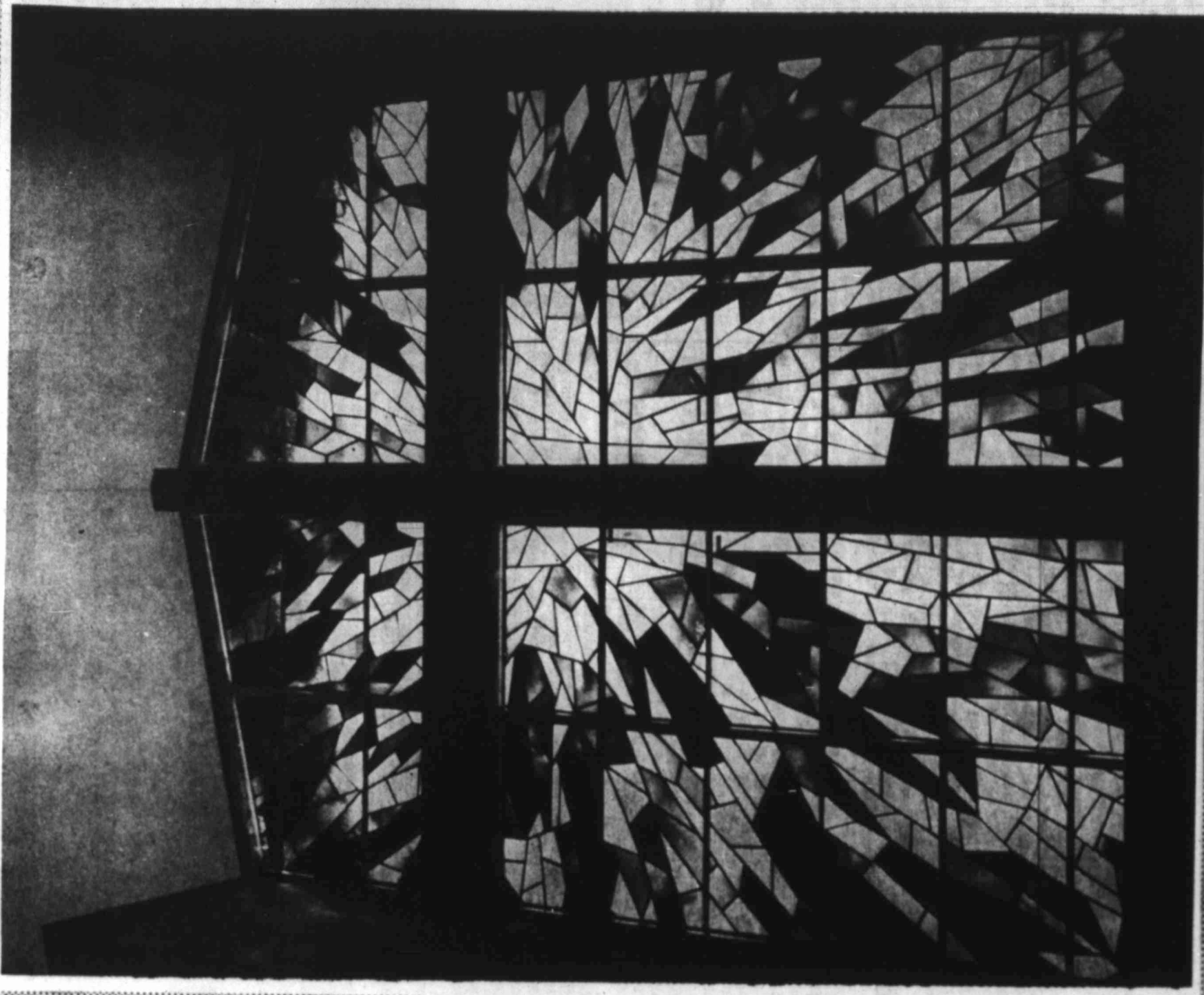
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announcing  
**Open House of the New Church Home**

**2:30 - 5:30 P.M. — Marcy Drive**

Today brings with it dreams of six years of a new home for the First Baptist Church in Big Spring. Architects have sought to erect a building of such beauty that it will testify to the glory of the Everlasting God, and of such quality and beauty that it will be an abiding inspiration for worship and religious education. For the first time our Sunday School will be held today at 9:45 a.m. in the new building, and the first worship service at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

With all the hardships of our hearts, we invite you to share in this significant occasion and to join us for the open house today and Dec. 19 from 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

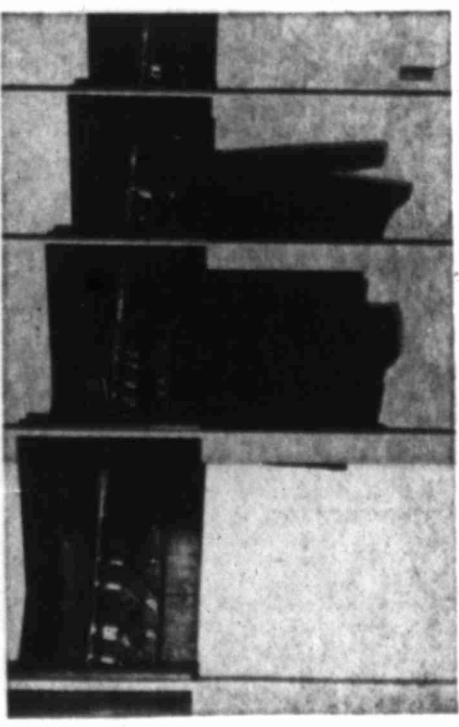
Next early today, but always the spirit of this church are open wide to all who seek to know the will of God. In the name of Jesus Christ we welcome you.

—R. F. POLK, Pastor

## Special Services

In the spirit of dedication, the selections by Bachmannoff and the First Baptist Church congregation for the new home will occupy its Tuesday. Dr. Grayson Tennison, Southern Baptist Missionary, will speak on "Dedication to Missions," and Wellesley, will deliver the first sermon at 11 a. m. today in the new, spacious sanctuary on the "Church Dedicated to Worship." First Baptist Church here will follow from 2:30 to 5:30 p. m. and the entire area is invited to view the new plant.

Dr. Hooper Dilday, Dallas, at James L. Williams, Abilene, presiding, will deliver the dedicatory prayer at 7 p. m. Dr. P. D. O'Brien, pastor, will deliver the dedicatory prayer at 8 p. m. The church is invited to the new church planning session at 8 p. m. The Big Spring High School Choir has been invited to sing and its feature number will be "Behold I Build An House," written by Luther C. Foss for dedication of the Boston University chapel in 1950. The choir will sing three other services.



HANGERS WILL ACCOMMODATE 750 COATS

## Twinge Of Sadness Closes Old Building

When final services were accounted the latest word from the First Baptist Church (1956), it was not enough for the church to hold the evening service, nor was there enough for the church to hold the evening service in a house of worship. The church family gathered in a hall of the old building to hold a series of services. The church family gathered in a hall of the old building to hold a series of services. The church family gathered in a hall of the old building to hold a series of services.

The pastor, the Rev. Dow H. Heard, was in charge of dedicatory services and the laying of the cornerstone (with a box containing mementos of the occasion) on Nov. 3, 1959, just a week over a year after the previous building had burned. The church family gathered in a hall of the old building to hold a series of services.

## Secretary Held Tenure Record

While Dr. P. D. O'Brien, now of Houston, holds the record of longest tenure (almost 29 years) as pastor of the First Baptist Church, the record of continuous service belongs to another member, Mrs. Inez Lewis, who became church secretary in 1957 and served to the beginning of 1964 when she retired. Members were universal in their conviction that none ever had greater loyalty and devotion to the church.



REV. R. F. POLK

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BOBBY J. PRIDDY

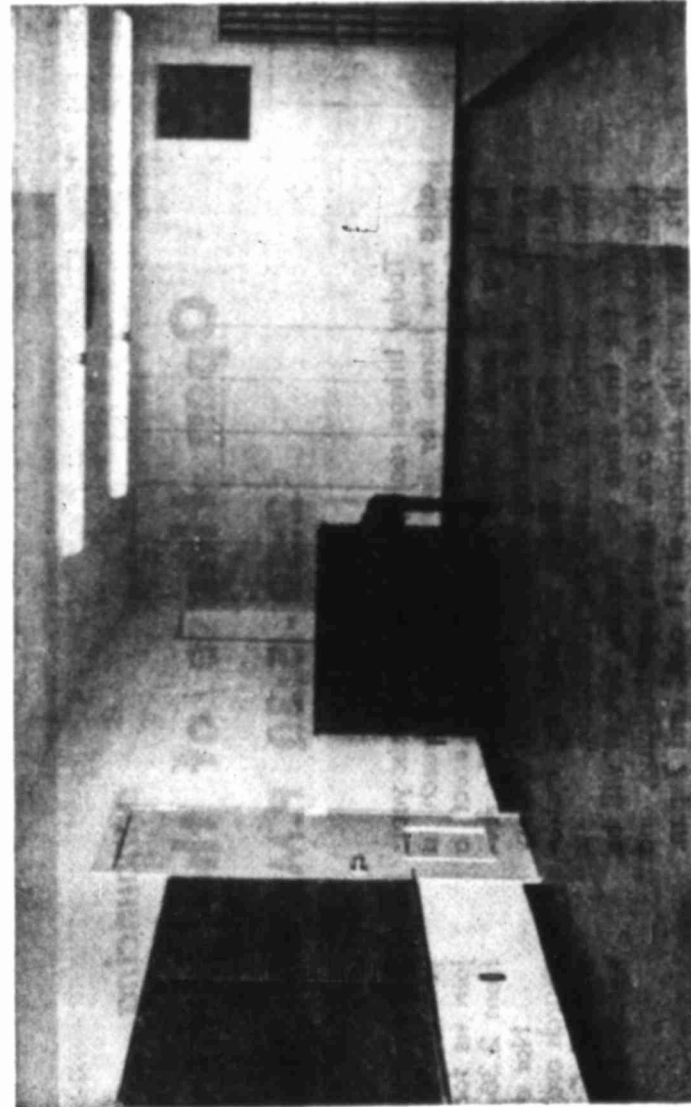
## Professional Staff Guides Church Work

The Rev. Robert F. Polk, 41, with 20 years of service as a pastor, is pastor of the First Baptist Church. He is also pastor of the First Baptist Church in Big Spring since September, 1962. Accepting the call here just last week, he is responsible for the church's new building. He was graduated with a BA from Baylor University and a M. Div. from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Nashville, Tenn. He has served in the church here for the past 21 years (1949-53) and has served as pastor of the church here for the past 11 years (1953-55). He is a member of the Texas Baptist Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention. He is also a member of the First Baptist Church in Big Spring.

## Associate Organizations

The First Baptist Church of Big Spring has all the organizations which are generally associated with churches cooperating in the Baptist General Convention of Texas and the Southern Baptist Convention. The church family gathered in a hall of the old building to hold a series of services.

The main entrances of the First Baptist Church sanctuary are so located that those entering will not be brought face to face with the congregation. The church family gathered in a hall of the old building to hold a series of services.



CHOIR PRACTICE ROOM HAS MUSIC AND ROBE STORAGE, ROBING ROOMS

## Years Required To Develop Plans

A project of the size and scope of the First Baptist Church's final decision to build a new home requires years to develop. The beginning of the idea may be traced to the late 1940s when the church members of the First Baptist Church in Big Spring, Texas, consulted with architects and members of the church to acquire additional land intensively with Texas and South-Adrian, and while it was agreed that the building should be a division of whether it churches throughout the South-ferent location.

Those on the building committee in January of 1959 the church (see page B-10) were R. B. Reeder, chairman, and a land survey committee consisting of Joe Pickle, chair; W. Malone, Ronnie Coker, G. G. Burnett, John A. Coffey, J. A. and Mrs. Clyde Angel, secretary; Faulstich, Dr. J. E. Hogan, LeRoy Hollingshead, Clabert LeBon scores, Roy Moorehead, Mrs. W. B. Younger, and Dr. P. D. O'Brien, pastor. The committee sought the advice of the board of deacons and the board of trustees. The church family gathered in a hall of the old building to hold a series of services.

## HISTORY

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for \$31,800 (Howard County this year acquired 1.35 of this FM-700 right of way).

## CONTRACTS

The church contracted with Gray & Hohertz for architectural services on Sept. 14, 1960. The church family gathered in a hall of the old building to hold a series of services.

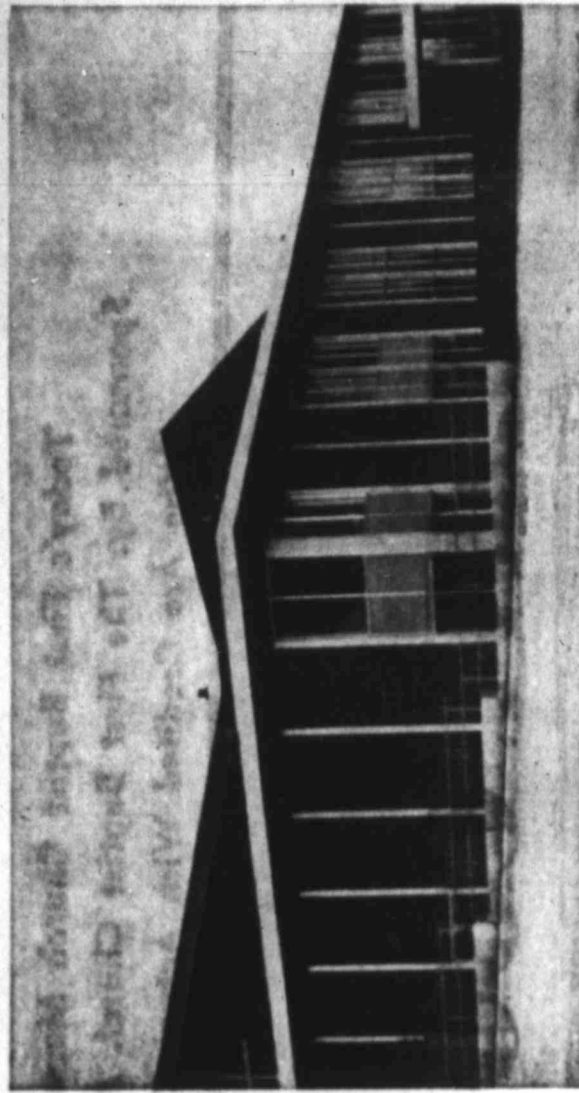
## Designed For Special Needs

In addition to the no-step feature for elderly people, the First Baptist sanctuary has two other design elements to serve special needs. The church family gathered in a hall of the old building to hold a series of services.

One is the wide double doors—four are six pairs of them—for easy entry and exit for the elderly and for those with wheelchairs. The church family gathered in a hall of the old building to hold a series of services.



SPACIOUS CORRIDORS MAKE FOR CONVENIENCE



SOUTH WING PROVIDES 35,000 SQ. ARE FEET OF EDUCATIONAL SPACE

## Over Half Of Space Used For Education

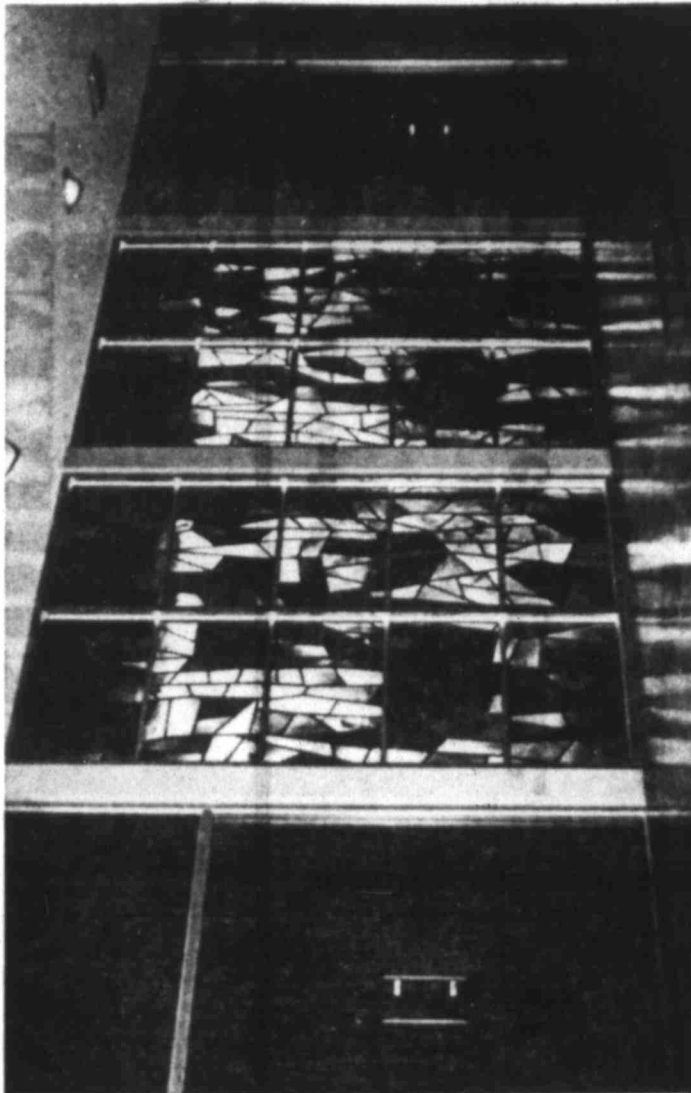
Underlining the importance of adult departments are on the second floor of the south wing easily experience these. There is also ample toilet facilities in the front wing and the departments for the toddlers and infants. The church family gathered in a hall of the old building to hold a series of services.

Between the three wings devoted to this purpose are enough classrooms and assembly areas to accommodate a Sunday school of 900-1100 children. The church family gathered in a hall of the old building to hold a series of services.

The building contains space for 26 separate departments for nursery, day care, and other child-related activities. The church family gathered in a hall of the old building to hold a series of services.

## Balcony There, But It Isn't

The First Baptist Church sanctuary has a balcony—but it room. The church family gathered in a hall of the old building to hold a series of services.



STAINED GLASS SETTING FOR HUGE VESTIBULE AREA



