



GREEN RELAXES AS LEWIS TALKS — William Green (left), president of the American Federation of Labor, relaxes as John L. Lewis, United Mine Workers chief, attacks the Taft-Hartley law during his address at the American Federation of Labor Convention in San Francisco, (AP Wirephoto).

LEWIS OVERWHELMED

Meany And Tobin Emerge As Undisputed Bosses Of AFL

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16. (AP)—A Bronx plumber and a Boston coal wagon driver emerged today as the undisputed bosses of the American Federation of Labor convention.

Control of the convention for George Meany of the plumbers and Daniel J. Tobin of the teamsters carried with it virtual control of the 15-man policy-making executive council which will run the AFL's affairs from now until next fall, when the federation meets again.

As the convention drew to a close today, delegates admitted that the smoothly-operating machine of the 72-year-old Tobin and 53-year-old Meany was the big revelation of the 66th annual get-together of the labor group.

CIO Stands Behind U. S. Foreign Policy

BOSTON, Oct. 16. (AP)—This was clear today: The CIO stands overwhelmingly behind Secretary of State Marshall and American foreign policy.

This is the No. 1 fact of the CIO convention so far.

It was demonstrated yesterday in one of the most violent debates heard at a CIO convention in the last six years.

The convention cheered constantly for right-wing speakers who shouted their support of American policy and fired criticism at Russian and communist methods.

It was an obvious spanking for the CIO's extreme left wing, with President Philip Murray doing part of the spanking.

The loudest and longest roar of applause came when George Baldanzoni of the textile workers said that in Russia President Truman has been compared to a Hitler and then added: "He couldn't be a Hitler, because if he were a Hitler, Russia would work out a pact with him."

Secretary Marshall himself addressed the convention earlier in the day. The delegates gave him an ovation. Murray called him "one of the world's greatest champions of peace."

Marshall spoke of the "urgent necessity" of "positive interim measures" to supply food and coal to Europe "to prevent a fatal deterioration, political, economic and psychological."

He said: "We are faced with the danger of the actual disappearance of the characteristics of western civilization on which our government and our manner of living depend."

At the end of the day, the convention adopted a CIO resolution on foreign policy.

AS REPARATIONS

Plans Are Laid To Dismantle 682 German Industrial Plants

BERLIN, Oct. 16. (AP)—The British-American military governments today announced plans to dismantle 682 German industrial and war plants in their two zones for reparations in the "speediest" time possible to expedite European economic recovery.

Of the factories, 380 are metal chemical and electric engineering, shipbuilding and power plants.

The remainder are war plants from which the statement said much of the general purpose equipment already had been delivered to the inter-allied reparations agency, the Soviet Union and Poland.

The list, prepared under the new level of industry plan for the combined western zones, compared with more than 1,600 plants in the fused zones which were considered for reparations under the old level of industry for all of Germany.

In a joint statement to the German people, Gen. Lucius D. Clay and Marshal Sir Sholto Douglas, the U. S. and British military governors, emphasized that the reparations plan was a "firm" one, but said they would consider "well founded" suggestions for substitution of equivalent individual plants.

Publication of the list of plants to be dismantled has been awaited tensely by Germans since the new level of industry for the combined zones, providing for a ceiling production of 10,700,000 ingot tons of steel, was announced in late August.

German public officials and trade union leaders have attacked the British-American reparations policy as a blow to German economic revival and a source of unemployment. Trade unionists have threatened non-cooperation in dismantling the plants as well as strikes and demonstrations.

Dispatches from the Ruhr forecast sit-down strikes in protest against dismantlings soon after the list was published.



TAKES OATH AS REGENT — Princess Juliana of the Netherlands raises her hand as she takes the oath of office as regent of Holland in a ceremony at the Hague. She will rule for Queen Wilhelmina until Dec. 1 while the Queen rests to regain her health. (AP Wirephoto by radio from London).

General Gives Recipe For Peace

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 16. (AP)—Lt. Gen. Ira Eaker, who says Russia might fight strong enough to attack the United States in 10 years, has this recipe for peace:

Keep the atomic bomb carrier, the Air Force, intact and up to strength. Produce enough atomic bombs to destroy the 50 or 60 vital targets of a country which would attack us. Invest enough funds in scientific research to obtain the best weapons 10 years hence, probably including guided missiles carrying atomic warheads with range of 3,000 to 10,000 miles. Teach a solid brand of patriotism.

Gen. Eaker, retiring deputy chief of the Army Air Forces, told the Los Angeles junior chamber of commerce yesterday that Russia is the only potential enemy in the world today powerful enough to "cause us trouble."

Farm Program Committee Is Heading South

Studies Will Determine Long Range Policy

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16. (AP) The House Agriculture Committee headed today for the South's cotton and tobacco fields to continue its study of long range farm policy.

The group, which spent the last three days in New England and Pennsylvania will hold another hearing at Rocky Mount, N. C., tomorrow.

Going South, the committee will travel in a chartered bus—the first time a congressional committee has made an extensive tour by this mode of travel. Chairman Hope said the highway routes would permit close inspection of agriculture.

Rep. Abernethy (D-Miss.) told a reporter New England and Middle Atlantic farmers heard so far "like what they have in price supports, the parity concept and soil conservation. They are telling us they want this refined, expanded and made permanent."

Rep. Johnson, Ill. Republican said:

"We must continue intense soil conservation. Everybody seems to agree the application of mineral fertilizer should be continued. But there is some disagreement as to whether the government should pay part or the farmer bear all the cost."

Local Police Are Kept Busy

Big Spring police department activity experienced a sharp increase during the month of September when 204 arrests were made, according to the regular report submitted to city commissioners by Chief W. D. Green.

In addition to the arrests, which included such offenses as drunkenness, affray, disturbance, gambling and drunken driving, city police also issued 405 traffic tickets.

Fines collected in corporation court during the month totaled \$1,907.50, and a total of \$196.50 was pending at the end of the month. Fines laid out in the city jail totaled \$1,383.

The police radio also was kept busy in September. Recorded were 706 calls to local units, 136 calls to other stations, while 122 calls were received from other stations.

Mahon Will Be Honored

COLORADO CITY, Oct. 16. —A mass meeting of Mitchell County citizens will be held in Colorado City Friday night honoring Rep. George Mahon. Participating in the appreciation meeting will be leaders of all civic clubs of the county and other visitors from the 19th congressional district will be invited. A band concert at 7:15 p. m. in the Riddick Park amphitheater will open the ceremonies.

Have been planned as a homecoming demonstration for Mahon. A member of the Herter committee, he recently returned from a tour of Western Europe where food conditions were studied.

At 7:45 p. m. the formal speaking will begin with State Senator Pat Bullock as master of ceremonies. Six one-minute speakers representing Mitchell county will welcome the congressman home. They are Dr. Harry A. Logsdon, Frank Maddox, Claude Hooks, and Frank Kelley, all of Colorado City; Dr. Bruce Johnson of Lorraine and LeRoy Gressett of Westbrook. Rev. R. Y. Bradford will offer the invocation.

Charles C. Thompson, local bank, rancher, and head of the board of regents of Texas Technological College will introduce Mahon. Thompson and Mahon, both former Lorraine residents, have been lifelong friends and are former law partners.

Planes Cannot Reach Lawmakers

ATHENS, Oct. 16. (AP)—Two Greek army planes set to northern Greece to return two American Congressmen who were under mortar fire Monday, had to turn back because there was no adequate landing strip at an American embassy spokesman said yesterday.

The two congressmen are Olin E. Teague (D-Tex.) and Donald L. Jackson (R-Calif.). The spokesman said they were stranded in a small village near the Bulgarian frontier after two bridges were blown up behind them.

Leonard Crombie, embassy second secretary, said the bridges were blown apparently shortly after the congressmen passed over them in a Jeep.

Teague and Jackson are members of a five-member subcommittee of the House foreign affairs committee on tour of Europe. They escaped injury when several mortar shells fell near them north of Kilkis, near the juncture of the Bulgarian and Yugoslav borders with Greece. They had been scheduled to return to the Greek capital yesterday.

Collections Made On County, State Taxes

Wednesday's tax collections on county and state assessments amounted to \$21,204.10, bringing to \$32,495.36 the total taken in since statements were mailed out over the weekend.

Property owners have 13 days, exclusive of Sundays, to qualify for the three per cent refund proffered by the county. The offer holds good until Nov. 1.

Truman Hits Price Controls, Rationing

Urges Co-operation In Saving Of Food

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16. (AP)—President Truman appealed today for a new measure of voluntary co-operation in saving food for Europe, saying government price controls and rationing are the methods of a police state.

He also told a news conference there is a tremendous amount of gambling on commodity markets that has pushed up prices of wheat and said Attorney General Clark is making an investigation of the trading in both grain and fibers.

Mr. Truman said that his citizens food committee will consider any necessary alterations in the voluntary food saving program to raise 100,000,000 bushels of grain for Europe's hungry.

But he made plain, however, that he does not want to return to the consumer rationing and price control that he said was necessary in wartime.

Such methods, he said in response to questions, are the methods of a police state. In response to another query, he enlarged this definition to include any control enforced by the state.

Does that mean rent control, too? a reporter asked.

Yes, Mr. Truman said, it meant rent controls.

Mr. Truman, who has been accused by Senator Taft (R-Ohio) of lifting remaining price controls "too soon" after Congress extended limited OPA powers, reminded his news conference there had been Congressional statements that prices would not go up if controls came off.

He was told very vociferously, the President said, that this was a free country and we wouldn't suffer from the things we are suffering from if the controls came off immediately.

Asked if exports of food and other commodities contribute to high prices, Mr. Truman said this was a piece of misinformation. He said that exports pushed prices only slightly higher, adding that the nation always exported about one third of its grain crop in normal times.

The conference was devoted largely to the food-saving campaign and to other aspects of European aid.

Mr. Truman said an extra session of Congress to provide emergency assistance for Europe is still a possibility, but he is still trying to find funds from existing sources to provide stop-gap aid.

He said this effort was met with some success in recent days and cited the use of export-import bank funds and a \$50,000,000 purchase of French francs. But, he said, that does not necessarily mean an extra session won't be needed. He will call one if he finds it necessary, he added.

On other matters: He had no comment on the remarks yesterday of Henry A. Wallace who accused the Administration of being dominated by Wall Street interests intent on war.

Neither would he comment on the book "Speaking Frankly" by James F. Byrnes in which the former Secretary of State tells of discussions with Mr. Truman before his resignation. Mr. Truman said he had read some of the book, but not all.

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OUCH! THAT HURTS — Leo Thomas, 6, registers his disapproval as he is inoculated against typhoid in Miami, Fla., by Dr. Ella H. Heidiger (left) and assisted by Arthur Martin at Red Cross headquarters. (AP Wirephoto).

AT LA GRANGE

York Child Points Out Ross As Killer

LA GRANGE, Oct. 16. (AP)—Thirteen-year-old Ann York, dressed in a plain school dress and speaking in a firm but thin voice today identified Dr. Lloyd I. Ross as the man who shot her mother, father, brother and grandmother to death May 23 on a country lane in Comal county.

Twisting a handkerchief in her nervous hands as she testified, the brown eyed school girl described the Sunday morning slayings of which she was the lone survivor.

"Do you see Dr. Ross, the defendant, in the court room now?" She was asked by District Attorney J. Lee Ditter.

The frail girl stood up and pointed the forefinger of her left hand at the defendant, who at the time was looking at the district attorney.

Ross, Harvard-trained San Antonio surgeon charged with murder in the ambush slayings of the four, entered a plea of innocent through his attorney when arraigned for trial today.

Dr. Ross is being tried specifically in the killing of Mrs. Gertrude York, 43, wife of Willard H. York, an investment broker whom the surgeon blamed for loss of his fortune.

Sitting facing the bench, Dr. Ross said nothing as he removed his spectacles and rubbed his eyes.

Court was 30 minutes late in convening because the district attorney was giving instructions to his witnesses.

The courtroom was packed and people were standing in the doorways. The room seats 200 with another 100 seats in the balcony.



MRS. G. S. TRUE

Mrs. G. S. True Dies At Home

Mrs. George S. True, 75, wife of a pioneer Big Spring physician, died at her home at 501 E. Park street at 8:50 p. m. Wednesday following an illness of several weeks' duration.

Little hope had been held for her recovery since she suffered a stroke after she had entered a clinic for diagnosis of an ailment.

A native of Tennessee, Mrs. True was married to Dr. G. S. True in West Point, Tenn. on Sept. 5, 1888, and they moved to Big Spring in March of 1909 to make their home.

Always devoted to her family, she had especially enjoyed it for the past three years since Dr. True, dean of local physicians, retired from active practice.

Outside of her home, Mrs. True was especially active in the affairs of the First Methodist church, in which she had held membership for 39 years here. She also was a member of the Eastern Star and of the VFW auxiliary.

Rites will be said at 3 p. m. Friday at the First Methodist church with the pastor, Rev. C. A. Long, officiating. Burial will be in the city cemetery. The body will lie in state at Eberley Funeral home until shortly before time of

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IN HOUSING PROBE

Solons Will Check Union Restrictions

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16. (AP)—A house labor subcommittee set out today to learn how much of the national housing shortage may be blamed on restrictive practices by building trades unions and the construction industry.

Chairman Gurnea (R-NY) said his group would concentrate on government officials at today's first hearing "to find out what the government knows about this problem."

"We want to know whether the government is going to restore freedom to the housing industry," he told reporters. "It is our belief that a lack of free exchange of labor and materials is the cause of the present shortage."

The first scheduled witness was Raymond Foley, administrator of the housing and home finance administration, followed by Professor Corwin D. Edwards of Northwest

ern University, formerly a justice department attorney.

The hearings here will last two days, Gurnea said. The committee will then visit principal cities across the country to study building conditions.

"We are not announcing where we will go or when," Gurnea said, "because we sometimes find that we cannot get the information we want if our schedule is known in advance. We will go only to cities where we are wanted, and where city officials are ready to help us out."

The investigation will cover the operations of 10 major unions, Gurnea said. These are carpenters, electricians, painters, bricklayers and masons, plasterers and lathers, plumbers, glaziers, hood carriers and laborers, engineers, and steel and iron workers.

FROM DISTRICTS 6 AND 7

Explanation Asked On Seven Planks In WTCC Referendum

Explanation of seven planks included in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce referendum were detailed for representatives of affiliates in districts No. 6 and No. 7 at Lamesa Wednesday afternoon.

At the same time, delegates re-elected John D. Mitchell, Odessa, to head district No. 6 and J. L. Pinkerton, Monahans, as district director of No. 7. Pinkerton's invitation to hold the 1948 bi-district meeting in Monahans was accepted.

Special emphasis was given to the plank which calls for abolition of the state ad valorem tax for general revenue purposes and an optional county levy not to exceed 30 cents for lateral road and flood control (soil conservation) purposes, and to the plank authorizing the WTCC executive board to extend financial aid to its industrial development committees provided results of such aid be made available to all affiliates.

M. H. Ulmer, Midland, contended that if the WTCC participated in committee activity on industrial development, it should be on an equitable basis as between committees. Joe James, Abilene, research director for the WTCC, said it was not the intention of the regional unit to participate in special committee surveys (such as the T&P railroad and cities along it), but only in research governing some basic industry which would affect the whole of West Texas.

Explained also were planks which reaffirmed the WTCC policy of studying commodity freight rates and to seek parity in this field as well as on class rates; to urge equitable distribution of adjusted rates for Southwestern carriers.

Favorable reaction greeted proposals to develop security benefits for full-time chamber of commerce workers in West Texas, and to seek creation of a Latin-American relations commission in West Texas. Member cities were urged to make other suggestions for the WTCC program of work. Charnell Jobe, Lamesa, was host WTCC director.

Attending from Big Spring were J. H. Greene, Frank Campbell and Joe Pickle.

State Legion Leader Backs Truman Plan

AUSTIN, Oct. 16. (AP)—Texas American Legion and auxiliary members today had the recommendation of State Legion Commander George S. Berry of Lubbock to "cooperate to the best of their ability" with the nationwide food conservation program.

"The President's proclamation should be and is our program and it is most assuredly fitting that legionnaires lend every encouragement and practical assistance to this endeavor," Berry said.

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DAMAGED BY HURRICANE — A hurricane which swept in from the Atlantic Ocean flattened the Trinity Church on Tybee Island (Savannah beach) near Savannah, Ga. No one was in the church at the time and most of the island's 1,500 residents had been evacuated. (AP Wirephoto).

AT YOUNG DEMO MEET

Rayburn May Lash Factions In Party

By Paul Bolton

Herald Austin Bureau
AUSTIN, Oct. 16. — The various shades of political complexion within the Democratic party in Texas are liable to get a verbal lashing next Saturday when former Speaker Sam Rayburn makes the keynote address at the Young Democrats state convention in Longview.

The Texas meeting, and the national convention of Young Democrats in Cleveland starting November 13, actually are rehearsals for the respective state and national conventions. Members of the Young Democrats clubs are the party ringers-of-doorbells; in reality the only active organization which the party has.

And right now the Texas organization is in precarious balance with the so-called "right wing" struggling for control. Labeling the various shades of political complexion in Texas is dangerous business because the persons given a label never agree with it. However, this much is clear about the current young Democratic control:

At the Houston convention a year ago, the liberals, or left wingers, were pushed clear out, and a new group came in. Unquestionably there are many in the clubs today who are as far to the "right" as some of the ousted members were to the "left." But there are also some in the party who do not subscribe to either of the radical wings. The present state president, Pete McNee of Henderson, is one liberal; another is Crawford Martin of Hillsboro; and another, Ray Roberts of McKinney—a protégé of Congressman Rayburn.

The conservative branch, or right wing branch, is advancing the candidacy of Jimmy Brinkley of Houston. Brinkley is a lawyer. The group which does not go along with the right-wingers — (They're not quite left-wingers!) — have not put forward an opposition candidate as yet, but one may develop before the meeting.

Meanwhile, all over the state and particularly in the larger cities, the local clubs have been extremely reluctant to meet for this reason: Members of the political action committee of the CIO have stated openly that they are going into every young Democratic club in the country, and they hope to control a good number of them before the national convention meets in Cleveland. If they win that control, they'll actually control the active nation-wide organization which the Democratic party possesses.

As an example of the trend within the organization in Texas, a new Travis county Young Democrats club has received recognition from the state organization. Members of this new club were not before members and are not associated with the former liberal leaders who were in control at the Houston convention last year.

The president of the former

group, Attorney Robert Eckhardt of Austin, hasn't decided whether his group will attempt to send delegates to the state convention. The position of the group now in control stated his case like this: "They wouldn't let us in when we were trying to get recognition. We don't intend to let them in now."

It was pointed out that in 1942 the Young Democrats had suspended their organization until after the war; and that the revival was without the consent of the former active workers.

It is very much like the Texas Regular fight of 1944, excepting that the tables are turned.

The situation is likely to have a bearing upon the candidacy of Texas Roy Baker of Sherman for the national presidency of the organization. Baker has commitments from all of the southern states, and some others. But if the PAC dominates northern and eastern delegations to the Cleveland convention, it will make quite a hole in his support.

Whitesboro Man Dies From Blast Burns

DENTON, Oct. 16. Burns suffered in an explosion of an asphalt truck Tuesday proved fatal yesterday for Wayne V. Carter, 29, of Whitesboro. The explosion occurred on the grounds of the public construction company here. Carter was a company foreman.

The explosion also severely burned Aubrey Gordon, 43, of Allen, Collin county.

Medium-grey or buff paint will last considerably longer than white paint of the same kind, say chemists of the Department of Agriculture. More durable paints are dark in color, like red barn paint. Dark pigments absorb the actinic rays of light which are destructive to the oil binder of the paint.

Quick and hearty: Add a little minced onion and parsley to seasoned mashed potatoes and put between two slices of luncheon loaf. Bake for 20 minutes in a moderate oven. One "sandwich" to a person makes a hearty main dish.

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As the name would indicate, the firm carries a full line of automobile parts, accessories and other related items which have been giving top service to local motorists and garage men for almost seven years.

In addition, however, a complete automotive machine shop extends Staggs services to a much broader scope. The machine shop, which is capably staffed, specializes in rebuilding all types of motors, re-grinding crank shafts and reconditioning bearings and rods.

The machine shop operates exclusively on a wholesale basis, and it is operated for the sole purpose of assisting garages and mechanics with their heavier and more complicated problems.

Mechanics also have learned that they can obtain the best quality tools at Staggs. Included in the mechanics' and garage needs are all types of automotive shop and service station equipment. These items, of course, are all distributed on a wholesale basis.

Retail items for individual auto owners include the regular accessory stock, with attractive seat covers, etc.

Glass has been made to resist bullets, to filter the sun's rays, to conduct electricity and now to resist fogging in cold weather.

More than 20,000 of the 180,000 species of beetles are found in the United States.



MAN-MADE RAIN — Nearest thing to man-made rain is this sprinkler irrigation system, distributed here through the Big Spring Tractor company and shown in operation on the James Eason place east of the city. Water is sprayed from special light-weight pipe that can be moved easily from one location to another. It is especially adapted to sandy soils and has the advantage of even distribution of water as well as simulating atmospheric conditions of rain. (Jack H. Haynes Photo.)

Steak Machine Proving Boon To Home Cooks At O'Brien's

O'Brien's grocery, located at 1201 11th Place, recently put into operation a "Steak Maker," a machine devised to tenderize all meats prepared for human consumption.

The electrically-operated machine has proved popular with housewives who desire to prepare meats for family tables without loss of time.

The establishment also has on order a compartment for frozen foods which will be put to use immediately upon receipt.

O'Brien's is serviced four times weekly with fresh fruits and vegetables from Southern California and the Texas Valley, winter and summer. The more popular brands of canned food adorn the concern's shelves.

O'Brien's meats are prepared by Armour and Company and local packing houses, a fresh supply of which is kept in the store vaults at all times.

George O'Brien, owner, takes pride in having "the clearest little store in Big Spring." Business hours are from 7:30 a. m. to 7 p. m. daily. Business telephone is 1622. A lending library has also been opened in the store, a library

boasting most of the latest best-sellers. The volumes of the facility's shelves are ordinarily changed about once a month. Subscribers can check out books for three-day periods for a nominal fee.

Coleman Camp Rates Among The Largest

The Coleman tourist camp, located at 1206 East Third street and owned and operated by L. E. Coleman, is the largest of its kind between Fort Worth and El Paso and one of the largest in the Southwest. A total of 60 cabins are in operation at the camp.

Ivy At Caroline's

There's something intriguing about a wall bracket, with a bit of ivy arching over the edge and dipping in a graceful billow toward

the floor. No ivy is more fitting for this delicate assignment than devil's ivy, which may be had at Caroline's Flowers.

Meat-Freezing Aids

Home freezer units offer new convenience, and Big Spring Locker offers services to help you get maximum results. Fresh meat needs to be chilled and properly aged before cutting and wrapping. For best quality and flavor, meat should be sharply frozen before putting into storage—either at home or at the plant.

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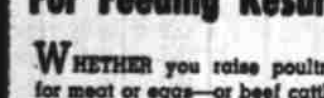
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Fifty Persons Attend Luncheon Of Home Demonstration Council

Fifty persons were present at the meeting of the County Home Demonstration clubs Wednesday noon at the luncheon given at the First Methodist church.

Reports of the 4-H Club Round-up were given by Martin Fryer and Mary Ellen Dolan. Martin also gave a report of the 4-H Club boys who went to the State Fair in Dallas on 4-H Club and Home Demonstration Day. Mrs. J. W. Wooten gave the highlights of the Home Demonstration exhibits.

Other reports of the Texas Home Demonstration Association that

Garden Club Is Organized

Mrs. James T. Brooks presided at the organizational meeting of the Garden Club at the Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. D. Willbanks acted as secretary and Mrs. Cecil Collins read the proposed bylaws for the first time.

Mrs. Cliff Wiley gave a discussion of the advantages of belonging to the garden club.

A nominating committee composed of Mrs. B. B. Reeder, chairman, Mrs. R. T. Piner, Mrs. R. E. Satterwhite, Mrs. Cecil Collins and Mrs. Cliff Wiley was appointed to give a report at the next meeting at which time officers will be elected.

The next meeting will be Oct. 22 at 2:30 p. m. at the Presbyterian church.

Others attending were Mrs. Harry Montgomery, Mrs. John A. Coffey, Mrs. D. Davis, Mrs. H. W. Wright, Mrs. James M. Morgan, Mrs. J. D. Benson, Mrs. R. L. Tollett, Mrs. J. Gordon Bristol, Mrs. Ray R. Ricker, Mrs. J. C. Dabberly, Helen Wolcott, Mrs. L. L. LaFever, Mrs. Duval Leonard, Mrs. Dewey Colman, Mrs. Marvin Sewell, Mrs. Preston Sanders and Mrs. Olan Packett.

South Ward Gives Radio Program

The South Ward was in charge of the radio program sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association this afternoon. The fourth and fifth grades were in charge of the meeting with Mrs. J. A. Pitt, second grade teacher as accompanist and Mickey Petroff of the second grade as announcer.

The program was opened with the singing of "America" by the group and closed with the singing of "Star Spangled Banner" by the group.

The fifth grade sang, "This is My Father's Word" and "With Happy Voices Sing." Glenn Coffey, Rodney Mae Lamb, and Patsy Dunn gave piano solos and Jane Watson and Reba Riddle sang a duet.

Fireman Auxiliary To Have Banquet

The Fireman Ladies Auxiliary will have an anniversary banquet Nov. 24, at the VFW Hall at 6 p. m. The members decided at the meeting Wednesday afternoon.

A called meeting will be held Oct. 29 at 6:30 p. m. and all members are requested to be present.

Lois Hall presided at the meeting at which those present were Irene Parks, Sarah Griffith, Jewel Williams, Susie Wilson, Minnie Skalkley, Marvin Louise Williams, Ethel Van Pelt, Alice Mims, Gladys Blusser, Annie Wilson, Minnie Barbee, Bessie Bower, Willie Pyle, Billie Anderson, Stella Johnson, Rebecca McGinnis, Florence Rose and Helen Gill.

Parents Of Daughter

STANTON, Oct. 16, (Spl)—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Haynes are the parents of a daughter, Clara Frances, born Oct. 6 at 4 p. m. in the Cowper-Sanders hospital in Big Spring.

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Renfro-Cervenka Rites Performed By Rev. Smith

STANTON, Oct. 15, (Spl)—In rites solemnized by the Rev. W. D. Smith, First Methodist pastor, Helen Renfro became the bride of Bill Cervenka, Waco, here Sunday morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Renfro. Double ring vows were exchanged.

The bride wore a blue gabardine suit with black accessories and a corsage of gardenias. Attending her was Frances Renfro, Abilene, her sister, who wore a palomino gabardine suit with black accessories and a corsage of yellow mums. Rudy Cervenka, Dallas, brother of the groom, was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Cervenka were honored at a wedding breakfast, attended by members of the family and the Rev. Smith.

Mrs. Cervenka is a graduate of Stanton high school and TSCW at Denton, where she was a member of the Alpha Lambda Delta and Alpha Chi honor societies and the press club. Following a wedding trip, the couple will be at home in Corpus Christi.

In social activities preceding her wedding here Sunday, Helen Renfro was honored with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. J. L. Hall. Assisting Mrs. Hall as co-hostesses were Mrs. Vera Blackford, Mrs. Marcelle Henderson, Mrs. Gene Grown, Mrs. Dee Rogers, Mrs. Morgan Hall, Mrs. Bill Howard, Mrs. Clayton Burnam and Nina Cason.

Guests were met by Mrs. Henderson and Frances Renfro, sister of the honoree, presided over the bride's bachelorette party.

Mrs. Blackford and Miss Cason served punch from the crystal bowl on a reflector centered in an arrangement of queen's wreath on the lace covered cloth. Queens wreath and roses were used for decorations throughout the house.

The honoree was attired in a black dress and wore a pink carnation corsage. Her mother, Mrs. J. D. Renfro, wore a navy blue dress with a corsage of white carnations. During the evening the bride was presented with many gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Renfro gave a picnic supper at the park Saturday evening for their daughter, Helen, and Bill Cervenka, Waco, to whom she was married here Sunday. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Hall of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Howard, Mrs. Mae Howard, and Frances Renfro, Abilene.

Citizens Of Stanton Have Weekend Guests

STANTON, Oct. 15, (Spl)—C. J. Pirte of Clovis, N. M. is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. Earl Douglas and family.

Mrs. Kirby McWilliams and small son, Terry Lee, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fryar of Big Spring last week.

Mrs. Leo Brandt, who has been employed in the First National Bank has accepted employment at the sheriff's office.

Mrs. R. L. Riddle and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pinkston, Jr., of Odessa, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pinkston, Mary Frances Burnam, Billy Lindsey, Jerry Hall, Mattie Lou Flanagan and Pete Woody of Texas Tech in Lubbock visited here during the weekend.

Those visiting from the University were Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Hall, Harding Zimmerman and George Peters.

Dewitt Snead visited here over the weekend.

Mrs. Milton Moffett visited with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bentley and Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Moffett and took her children, Mike and Mary Ann home after a visit here.

Supr. and Mrs. Hamrick attended a teacher's meeting in Lubbock Saturday.

Brick Edison and Boyce Edison of Lovington, N. M. are at the bedside of their father, A. C. Edison.

Mrs. I. H. Bentley from Randlett, Okla. is visiting with the T. C. Bentley family.

Mr. and Mrs. Day Foreman have moved to Big Spring this week where they have purchased a home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fisher have as visitors, Mrs. A. W. Starr from Lockhart.

Forg Atchison went to Abilene on business Saturday.

Mrs. Clara Atchison and her daughter, Mrs. Edgar Davis have gone to Hamlin to visit Mrs. Atchison's mother who is in the hospital there.

Lynn Fisher, student at ACC, was home for the weekend and preached at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Jones visited relatives here over the weekend.

Mrs. J. D. Renfro spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Jiggs Hall and husband. She will go to Beaumont to visit her father who is seriously ill.

Mrs. W. E. Neill and son, Larry, left Sunday to make their home at Fort Hancock.

Becky Bentley spent the weekend in Big Spring as a guest of Dorothy Kennedy.

Mrs. Cox Is Hostess To Happy Stitchers

Mrs. Johnny Cox was hostess at the meeting of the Happy Stitchers Sewing club Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ben Daugherty will be the next hostess.

Those present were Mrs. Paul Logsdon, Mrs. Pershing Morton, Mrs. Bill Logsdon, Mrs. J. W. Hull, Mrs. Buck Tyree and Mrs. Lester Esley, a visitor.



FOUR GENERATIONS — Judith Ann and Bobby Bright, left, appear happy over the gathering of four generations of the family here recently. At left is their mother, Mrs. Bob Bright, Big Spring. Bright's grandmother, Mrs. Fred Noble, Alva, Okla., and Mrs. Bright's mother, Mrs. Ken Fash, Alva, Okla. (Adrian Vaughn Photo).

Mrs. Jones Is Elected Music Club Delegate To District Convention

Mrs. C. C. Jones was elected delegate to the district convention of the Music Study club to be held in Midland on Nov. 1 at the meeting of the club Wednesday in the home of Mrs. G. T. Hall.

The theme of the program led by Mrs. Larson Lloyd was "International Music Relations." Mrs. Lloyd sketched the lives of three artists, Fritz Kreisler, Grace Moore and Arthur Rubinstein.

Lions Auxiliary Committee To Report Next Month

The nominating committee, composed of the past presidents of the Lions Auxiliary, will give a report at the next meeting, it was decided at the luncheon in the Settles hotel Wednesday.

Mrs. George Melear, Mrs. Dewey Colman and Mrs. Avery Faulkner were hostesses.

Mrs. C. C. Jones gave the invocation.

The next meeting will be at 1 p. m.

Hostesses for the next meeting will be Mrs. Wayne Pearce, chairman, Mrs. Paul Darrow and Mrs. Cliff Wiley.

Others present were Mrs. C. W. Deats, Mrs. G. L. Daugherty, Mrs. Culin Grigsby, Mrs. Schley Riley, Mrs. John Dibrell, Mrs. Joe Elrod, Mrs. Cecil McDonald, Mrs. John Coffey, Mrs. Joe Pickle and Mrs. Joe Bower, a guest.

Ranch Style Installation Service Held In Coahoma

COAHOMA, Oct. 16, (Spl)—A ranch style installation service of the new officers of the Training Union of the First Baptist Church was held recently in the home of Dale Puckett.

Those installed were Jimmie Minchew, president, Delma Minchew, vice-president; Naomi Ward, secretary; Earlene Ward, mission leader; Ocie Turner, daily Bible reader leader; Ronnie Smart and Ruth Beckman, group captains; and Wayne White, social leader.

Others present were Jimmie McCutchen, Jo Nell Tindoll, Mitchell Spears, Charlie Minchew, Don Stull, Sam Armstrong, Walter Woodson, Don Shirley, Marie Duncan and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Puckett.

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Events OF THE COMING WEEK

Friday HAPPY-GO-LUCKY Sewing Club will meet with Mrs. Bob Kehnley, 602 E. 16th at 2 p. m.

JUNIOR WOMAN'S FORUM will meet at the home of Mrs. E. H. Strauss, 1201 Settles Ave. with Mrs. Zolite Mae Rawlins as co-hostess at 3 p. m.

AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB will meet with Mrs. Ray Griffin at 2 p. m.

FRIENDSHIP BRIDGE CLUB will meet with Mrs. Gertie McAdams, 208 Dixie, at 2:30 p. m.

TRAINERS LADIES will meet at the WOW Hall at 2:30 p. m.

Saturday SUNBEAMS of the East Fourth Baptist Church will meet at the church at 3 p. m.

SUNBEAMS of the First Baptist Church will meet at the church at 10 a. m.

1905 HYPERIONS will meet with Mrs. Lewis Price, 810 W. 18th at 3 p. m.

Birthday Party Given For Ted Holliday

COAHOMA, Oct. 16, (Spl)—Two parties were given this week here, one was a birthday party for Ted Holliday and the other was a party given by Margaret and Mary Ruth Holley.

Ted Holliday was honored with a surprise birthday party at his home Saturday night.

Lawn games were entertainment. Attending were Royce Acuff, Rose Mary Acuff, Bobbie Adams, Martha Denton, Donna McCann, Rodney and Bill Joe Cramer Naomi and Earlene Ward, Patsy Davis, R. J. Echols, Janice Duncan, Dean Holliday, Carl Wyrick, Louie Woodson, Elvon DeVaney and Tommie Wyrick.

The Holley home was the scene of a dance given by Margaret and Mary Ruth.

Those attending were June and Margaret Stamp, Lee York, Wanda Shive, Sue Wise, Betty Graves, Peggy Stringfellow, Bernice Turner, Wilma Jean Wolf, Jane Echols, Patsy Kiser, Cleo Little, Clovis Phinney, Perry Walker, Jackie Cathey, Richard Read, Bob Read, Rex Shive, Johnnie Hall, Billy Bates, Louis Loveless, Ray Echols and Ray Fortson.

Ferdinand Columbus, son of Christopher, wrote a history of his father's life.

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China Carrol Feted With Birthday Party

China Carroll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Carroll, celebrated her tenth birthday anniversary Wednesday afternoon with a party given by her mother.

A black and orange color scheme was carried out in the decorations. Games were entertainment.

Those present were Tommie McDonald, Ann Richburg, Jimmy Wheeler, Jimmy Montgomery, Shirley Banks, Iris Jones, Beverly Pearson, Peggy Griffin, Clara Freeman and Danny Green.

John Rays Host 42 Club At Wednesday Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. John Ray were hosts of the 42 Club Wednesday.

Mrs. Ethel Van Pelt won high score, Tom Amerson, Jr., won guest high and Mrs. H. C. Hooser, Sr., won the consolation prize.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Day, Mrs. Tom Amerson, Sr., Leonard Dillingham, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Parker, Mrs. Maggie Richardson, and H. C. Hooser, Sr.

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Mrs. G. B. Bryant Leads Study At Methodist Club

Mrs. G. B. Bryant was leader at the meeting of the Park Methodist Study Club Wednesday night on the topic "Inclusive Brotherhood."

Mrs. J. B. Myrick led the singing. The group decided at the business meeting led by Mrs. Abbie Anderson to meet at 7 p. m. instead of 8 p. m. Plans to serve the Eastern Star banquet next week were also made.

Those present were Mrs. H. N. Robinson, Mrs. Joe Dorton, Mrs. N. C. Avant, Mrs. G. C. Graves, Mrs. Gould Winn, Mrs. Joe Fawcett, Mrs. Abbie Anderson, Mrs. W. D. McDonald and Mrs. Johnny Bryan.

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Christmas Seals Available Now

Persons sending Christmas packages to friends or relatives overseas may obtain Christmas seals for the packages on request from the Howard County Tuberculosis Association, C. O. Nalley, Seal Sale chairman, announced today.

Mrs. Louise Horton, secretary of the association, will handle the requests at the city-county health unit office.

Although the sale of seals, which is conducted by mail, will not open officially until Nov. 24, Nalley said that enough seals are on hand now to supply requests for early overseas mailings. In the past, he explained, many people have requested that seals be placed on service-men's packages.

Nov. 15 is the mailing deadline for overseas Christmas packages.

Nathan's Jewelry and Youth's Beauty shop scored victories in Women's Bowling league play at the West Texas recreation center Wednesday evening, defeating Settles Beauty and Modern Cleaners, respectively.

The Gem-Setters blanked the Settles group, 3-0, while Youth squeezed out a 2-1 triumph over Modern.

Lola Eason and Ruth O'Conner of the Youth team were the individual pace setters. Mrs. Eason tabbed a 177 for high game while her partner was gathering 459 for three games.

Youth accumulated 2016 pins for high total. Modern clicked off a 714 for game high.

Mrs. True
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services and the casket will not be opened at the church.

Surviving are one son, Archie E. True; six daughters, Mrs. Jerome Lusk, Mrs. John B. Williams, Mrs. Rufus H. Miller, Mrs. Stanley J. Davis, Mrs. Hayden C. Griffith, and Mrs. Zolzie M. Boykin. She also leaves four sisters, Mrs. T. Marion Sims, Big Spring, Mrs. W. F. Turner and Mrs. Mary Ella Couch, West Point, Tenn., and Mrs. E. S. Howard, Sylacauga, Ala.; and one brother, Dr. E. H. Johnson, Pine Bluff, Ark. Fifteen grandchildren and several great-grandchildren also survive.

Palbearers will be sons-in-law, Jerome Lusk, John B. Williams, Stanley Davis, Hayden Griffith, Rufus Miller and Zolzie Boykin.

Two Leave For Knox City Funeral
M. Weaver and Grady Weaver left Big Spring this morning for Knox City where they were to attend the funeral of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Olson, who were killed in an automobile accident near Seagraves last Sunday. M. Weaver is the uncle of Mrs. Olson, Grady Weaver a brother.

Rev. Dick O'Brien of Big Spring was to officiate at final services, which were to be held this afternoon.

L. H. Austin's Body Shipped To Boulder
Body of Leon H. Austin, 63, long time oil field worker and operator, was shipped to Boulder, Colorado, Wednesday evening by the Eberley Funeral home for interment.

Mr. Austin, who at one time had developed extensive oil holdings, died at a hotel here Wednesday. He had resided here for the past seven months, coming from Monahans. He also had operated out of Odessa and Midland. Only immediate survivor is a sister, Mrs. H. F. Watts, Boulder, Colo.

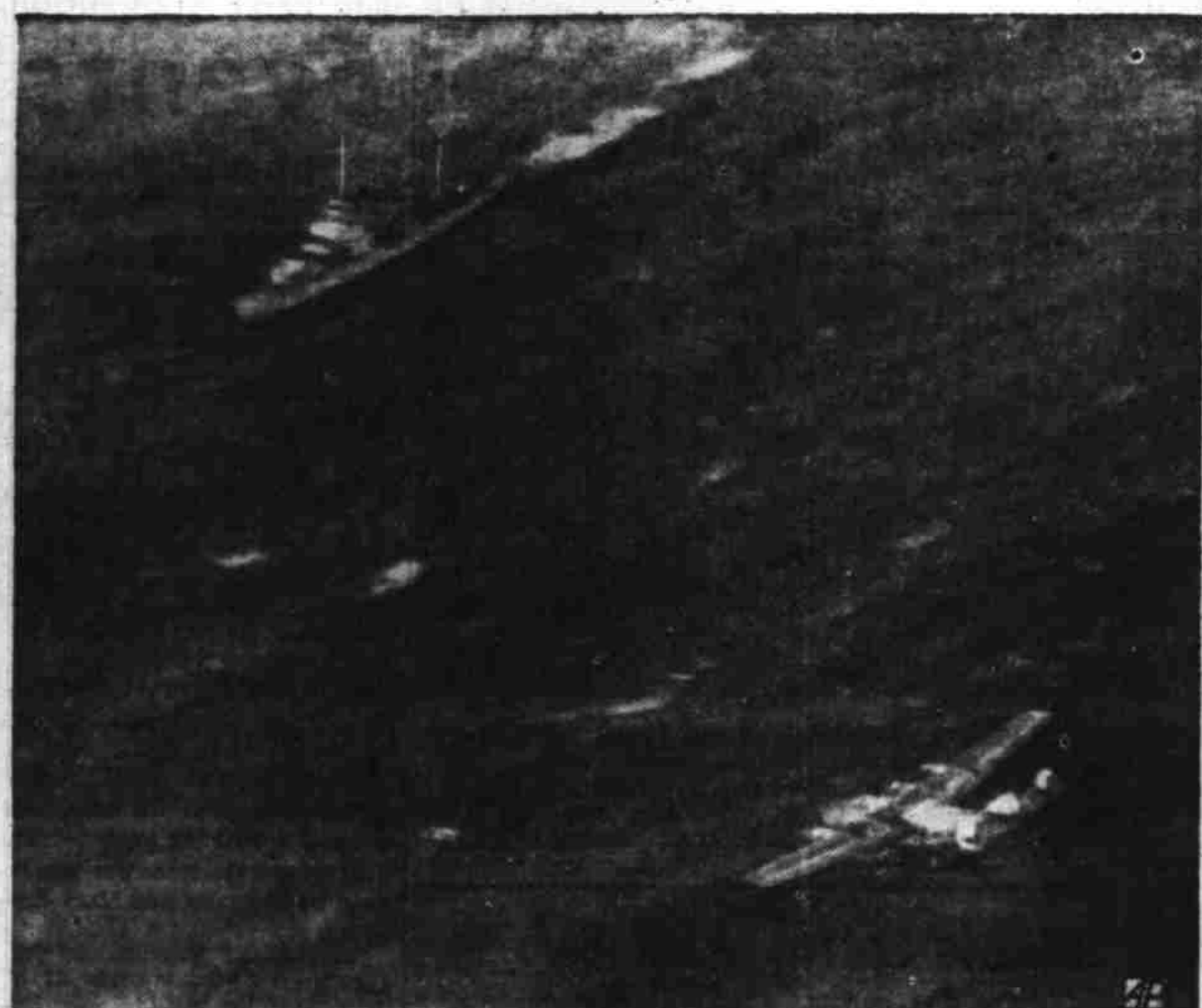
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You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 15th day of October, 1947, at the Court House in the County of SOUTHERLAND, Texas, at the City of Big Spring, Texas, for the purpose of defending against the claims of the plaintiff in the within captioned cause.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at Big Spring, Texas, this 15th day of October, A. D. 1947.

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District Court, Howard County, Texas

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CUTTER AND DISABLED FLYING BOAT—The Coast Guard cutter Bibb stands by the disabled flying boat Bermuda Sky Queen during rescue operations 820 miles off the Newfoundland coast, (AP Photo).

Heavy Boosts Are Posted In Oil Prices

Cosden Petroleum Corp. today announced a 20-cent per barrel increase in the price of crude oil, the lead of Humble Oil & Refining Co. announced following.

The Cosden announcement following an identical hike touched off until Thursday afternoon in meeting by Phillips Petroleum.

By The Associated Press
Led by the Phillips Petroleum company, heavy boosts in oil prices were posted yesterday by a number of oil firms and other companies were expected to fall in line today.

The general increase was 20 cents a barrel. Magnolia Petroleum company and Stanolind Pipeline company quickly followed Phillips.

Soon the Southern Mineral Corporation at Corpus Christi, the cooperative refinery association with offices in Kansas City, the Stanolind Oil and Gas Co. and the Mid-Continent Petroleum Corp. announced they were meeting the new prices. Some of the price boosts were for limited areas.

Deep Rock Oil Corp., an independent company, Ben Franklin Refining Co., and the Bell Oil and Gas Co. will boost similar amounts in Oklahoma and Texas pools where they buy. Standard Oil Indiana announced it was meeting the Phillips advance, "wherever we purchase crude oil."

Standard Oil (Indiana) purchases in Kansas, Nebraska, Montana and Wyoming and Stanolind's purchases are in Texas, New Mexico, Arkansas and Louisiana.

The Phillips announcement at Bartlesville, Okla., came before noon and covered approximately 120,000 barrels it buys daily in field scattered over four states effective 7 a. m. yesterday.

On the heels of the Phillips announcement, Maston Nixon, Corpus Christi, vice-president of Southern Mineral corporation, said that his firm was going up 20 cents a barrel on the 40,000 barrels it buys daily in south Texas fields.

Dallas officials of Atlantic Refining company and Sun Oil company said they had the new schedules under consideration.

Under the new schedule, Magnolia's posting in East Texas will be \$2.15 a barrel, highest in the history of that field.

West Texas was given "two-dollar oil" under the new posting, which starts at \$2.02 for 40-gravity and above and drops 2 cents per degree down to \$1.62 a barrel for 20-gravity. On the Gulf Coast the price will start at \$2.06 and move up to \$2.38 a barrel.

It was the first break in crude prices since March, 1947, when Stanolind initiated an advance of 25 cents a barrel.

The break came after prolonged and persistent pressure on the part of producers, aided by reported bonus payments over the posted price in the scramble to meet an unprecedented demand for oil and its products.

Brownfield Band Will Come Here

The 60-piece Brownfield high school band will accompany the Brownfield football team and rooters here for the game at Steer stadium Friday evening.

Plans call for arrival of the band at 6 p. m. in two chartered buses, and if time permits the musicians will parade through the downtown area.

Director of the Brownfield band is Frank Wentz, former director of the band here and son of Mr. and Mark Wentz.

Markets
WALL STREET
NEW YORK, Oct. 16. (AP)—Stocks reverted to mild irregularity in today's market.

Some selling by professionals stalled a number of leaders. Hopes for an extension of the recent rally inspired further bidding by a few optimistic customers but many brokerage clients held aloof to await more assurances that a follow-through could be negotiated. A batch of good dividends and earnings aided sentiment.

Dealings active at the opening, soon tapered. Small plus and minus signs were pretty evenly divided near midday. Bonds were narrow and cotton futures improved.

COTTON
NEW YORK, Oct. 16. (AP)—Cotton futures at noon were 60 cents to \$1.05 a bale higher than the previous close. Oct. 31.74, Dec. 31.99 and March 32.19.

LOCAL MARKETS
No. 2 milo FOB Big Spring \$3.37 cwt.; candied peas 30 cents; cream 58 cents; butter 68-72 cents; fryers 35 cents; hens 18-20 cents; old cockles 10 cents.

LIVESTOCK
FORT WORTH, Oct. 16. (AP)—CATTLE: 3,000 calves 2,400 cattle trade slow; prices steady to weak; most sales unevenly lower; calves very dull; bids and sale generally weak to sharply lower; no mature steers common to medium; slaughter yearlings and heifers 12.00-20.00; medium to good fat cows 13.50-16.00; cutter and common 11.50-12.50; bulls 8.00-11.00.

19.00; good and choice fat calves 16.00-19.00; common to medium calves 12.00-15.50; culls 10.00-12.00; stocker calves and yearlings 14.00-18.50; stocker cows 13.00 down.

HOGS: 500 butcher hogs steady to strong; sows and pigs unchanged to 29.75; new all-time high here paid; parity good and choice 190-270 lb. butchers 29.50-75; good and choice 150-185 lb. 26.00-29.00; sows 26.00-28.50; stags 15.00-20.00; feeder pigs 18.00-22.00.

SHEEP: 3,500; about steady; medium and good fat lambs 17.00-50; medium grade yearlings 14.00; ewes, 5.50-7.50; feeder lambs 14.00-17.50.

Weather Forecast
Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau
BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Fair today, tonight and Friday.

High today 84, low tonight 51, high tomorrow 86.
Highest temperature this date, 95 in 1917; lowest this date, 34 in 1914; maximum rainfall this date, 1.06 in 1919.

Public Records
Marriage Licenses
M. C. Lawrence and Mary Lawrence, Big Spring.

Barcom Thomas Ashley, Big Spring and Mrs. Bertha West, Abilene.

In 70th District Court.

O. K. Thielen vs. Morris Clanton, suit for possession of automobile.

New Vehicles
O. C. Bloss, Coahoma, Oldsmobile sedan.

Thomas McAdams, Knott, Chevrolet sedan.

O. H. McAllister, Dart truck.

Harvey A. Hallman, Garden City, Chevrolet coupe.

James Tidwell, Nash sedan.

Joe Murdock, Studebaker truck.

P. N. Shive, Coahoma, Oldsmobile sedan.

C. E. Prather, Oldsmobile sedan.

Fred Parker, Plymouth sedan.

S. C. Rhoads, Jr., Salisbury, scooter.

F. McQuerry, Coahoma, Chevrolet coupe.

P. K. Robinson, Chevrolet sedan.

Lloyd Koda, Lamora, Buick sedan.

BANKERS MEET
GALVESTON, Oct. 16. (AP)—The audit section of the Texas Bankers association will hold its seventeenth annual meeting here Friday and Saturday.

Barbara Lee Killed In Fall

Arrangements were pending for Barbara Janice Lee 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aude C. Lee, Pecos, who was injured fatally in a fall from an automobile near Pecos Wednesday afternoon. The child died shortly after being brought to a doctor.

Services will be held at Vealmoor but the time has not been set. Burial will be in the Big Spring cemetery.

Besides her parents, Barbara is survived by two sisters, Beverly Ann and Carolyn Kay Lee; her paternal grandparents, Mrs. F. C. Lee, and her maternal grandfather, C. O. Clanton of Big Spring. She also leaves these uncles and aunts: Mrs. F. G. Treat, Lubbock, Mamie Clanton, Jim Harris, Gladys Clanton, Mrs. Otis McBride, Mrs. Dick Todd and Corbett Lee of Vealmoor; B. T. Clanton, Kentwood, La.

Texas Merit System Announces Exams

Examinations have been announced for several positions by the Texas Merit System council for here on Nov. 22, Walter Reed, who conducts the exams, announced Thursday.

Deadline for applications is Nov. 1, and blanks may be obtained from Reed at the high school, the local Texas Employment Commission office, or Charles S. Gardner, Austin, director of the merit system council. The examinations will be given at the high school building at 9 a. m. on Nov. 22.

Head Of State Water Board Visits Here

E. V. Spence, chairman of the state board of water engineers, was a visitor here Thursday morning, leaving for a short business trip to Colorado City. He planned to return here later in the day and to attend the meeting of the Colorado River Municipal Water association meeting here Friday noon.

Funeral Held For Juanita Sanchez

Funeral was to be held at 3 p. m. today at the St. Thomas Catholic church for Juanita Sanchez, who died on a farm near here Wednesday. Only immediate survivor is a son, Joe Sanchez. She had resided in Howard county for the past six years.

First Lady

A wife owes her husband the responsibility of maintaining a home, even when she is taken out of life's picture.

YES, SIR, in Mother's language she's the "first lady." And Mother had her in mind, as well as Dad, that day she took out a Southwestern Life Insurance policy on her own life. Mother calls it "Wife Insurance;" it's her plan to make sure that Dad won't be head-over-heels in debt, if she should be taken away.

You see, she knows about wives who suffered lingering illnesses, and incurred big medical, and hospital, and other bills, and then were taken away. She knows what a struggle the husbands had trying to hold the family together and carry on, because they had no ready cash to pay those bills. She knows about them having to go in debt, and how many, many months it took some of them to get "back on their feet" financially. And since Mother wants Dad to be able to carry on, and to give her little "first lady" all the things they've planned together to give her, Mother has a Southwestern Life Insurance policy on her own life that will give Dad the cash he'd need in such an emergency.

How about your wife? Would you have the ready cash to pay the doctor, the hospital, the druggist—to settle all the bills you'd have to settle, if she were called away? Or would you have to "go in debt?" With Southwestern "Wife Insurance," you can avoid the long, tedious, financial set-back that such misfortune brings. You can have the ready cash when you'll need it most. Now, while she is in good health, is the time to put your wife's plan in effect. Let's talk it over.

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Marine Corps Unit Set Up

Sgt. L. D. Ferrell and Sgt. S. G. Cook moved in a mobile recruiting unit for the U. S. Marine Corps on the east side of the courthouse square Thursday for a three-day stand.

Primary purpose of the unit, which has been moved over a five-state area, is to furnish a place to which interested men can come for answers about recruiting in the Marines. There are facilities for projecting motion pictures and displaying some trophies.

Sgt. Ferrell and Sgt. Cook said that information about Marines can be obtained at any time from the recruiting office in Odessa. The mobile unit will remain here through Saturday.

Elk Hunt

Luke LeBlau and Leonard Morgan returned this week from an elk hunt in Colorado, an elk hunt that netted the nimrods two deer. The local men could not get within gun shot of the elusive elk.

How To Relieve Bronchitis

Many birds are relatively color-blind and unable to distinguish, for instance, the color blue.

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Sugar, 5 lbs.	50c
Sugar, 10 lbs.	98c
Peanut Butter, quart	59c
Pinto Beans, lb.	19c
Apricots, Sana Clara, lb. and 13 oz.	25c
Sour Pickles, quart	28c

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