

Reds Demand Curb On U. S. 'Propaganda'

Proposal Before U. N. Accuses U. S. Of 'Criminal' Warmongering

NEW YORK, Sept. 19. (AP)—Russia pressed swiftly today for United Nations action on her demands to curb what Andrei Vishinsky yesterday called "criminal" war propaganda in the United States.

Secretary-General Trygve Lie disclosed he had received a formal request from the Soviet chief delegate to have the proposal added to the agenda of the general assembly, now in its third day of general debate.

The new Vishinsky move cleared the way for a preliminary test, possibly later today, on the Soviet resolution.

The Russians' No. 1 deputy foreign minister put the resolution before the 55 member nations at the end of his charges yesterday against the United States and nine prominent Americans whom he called leading "war-mongers."

The bitter Russian blast, delivered in 8,000 angry words by Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky virtually charged a conspiracy within the United States to make war on Russia. The speech was described by ranking American delegates as "so fantastic" that it would defeat itself and be written off in this country and elsewhere in the non-communist world as straight-out Russian propaganda.

Secretary of State George C. Marshall was being advised along this line by top members of his delegation. It was learned, and while a final delegation decision as to the next American move was yet to be made it was authoritatively expected to call for the silent treatment for Vishinsky.

Meanwhile the general debate continued in the U. N. assembly with a number of smaller nation delegates on today's schedule.

The Russian leader directed his unprecedented blunderbuss attack against the whole range of American foreign policy, including the Truman Doctrine, the Marshall economic recovery plan and continued atomic bomb production, took a quick crack at President Truman and specifically accused 9 prominent Americans, including John Foster Dulles of Marshall's delegation here, of being "warmongers" trying to start a war on Russia.

The reference to Mr. Truman came when Vishinsky said the President's recent speech at the Inter-American defense conference in Brazil emphasized American plans to maintain strong military forces without mentioning American "obligations" under the United Nations to seek disarmament.

Unless Secretary of State Marshall finds time for a hurried trip from New York where he is engaged with the United Nations general assembly meeting, Mr. Truman presumably will receive his "blast."

The Chief Executive plans to devote tomorrow to work on papers which have accumulated since he left for the inter-American conference in Brazil August 31.

The Missouri's scheduled arrival time at dockside in Norfolk, Va., was 12 noon, Eastern Standard Time, today. The presidential party planned to board the yacht Williamsburg and complete the homeward journey up the Potomac River, arriving in the capital at 7 a. m. (E.S.T.) tomorrow.

La Guardia Remains In Deep Sleep

NEW YORK, Sept. 19 (AP)—Fiorello H. La Guardia, 64, gravely ill of a pancreas condition, today remained "in a deep sleep from which he cannot be aroused," Dr. George Baehr, his physician, said.

DALLAS POLICE CHIEF "ARRESTED" JayCee 'Cops' Rake In Coin As New Traffic Laws Enforced

Shrill whistles sounded repetitiously and silver coins tinkled in the junior chamber of commerce treasury this morning, as members of the local Jaycee organization launched their two-day tenure as "traffic cops" in the business area.

Armed only with their whistles and card board badges, Jaycee patrolmen manned the street corners and set out to reap the harvest ripened by the average motorists' negligence, and, according to the Lloyd Wooten, Jaycee president, business boomed during the first morning's work.

The temporary patrolmen seemed to delight in catching some of the community's better known citizens off base. Such was the case when Wooten himself blew lustily on his whistle and detained J. H. (Jimmy) Greene, president of the senior chamber, long enough to boost the morning's "take" and deliver a brief lecture on hand signals.

Herb Edenbaum believes he may have "waited on" the prize customer of the day, however. He halted a vehicle for minor violation and the driver advised that he was the chief of police in Dallas and "should have known better."

Principally the Jaycees are concentrating on enforcement of the new state traffic code, although they are not reluctant to assess penalties for violations of older statutes.

And assignments for the day's work were made with an eye on business. The Third and Main street intersection was heavily manned, and at times whistles were sounding on all four corners simultaneously.

Wooten reported that a substantial amount of change had been deposited by noon, but it had not been tallied.

The Jaycees were to be joined this afternoon by several Boy Scouts and both organizations plan to populate to corners Saturday for the final haul.



"COP" AND CODE — Lloyd Wooten, president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, acting as a policeman for the day, puts the tag on J. H. (Jimmy) Greene, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, for an infraction of the new state uniform traffic code. The Jaycees began Friday morning an educational enforcement program of the new code in the downtown area. Token fines collected will go to the JayCee Christmas fund for underprivileged children. (Culver Photo).

The junior chamber group planned the two-day activity in co-operation with city police and state highway patrolmen for the purpose of familiarizing local motorists with the new traffic code. The fines of 25-cents, 50-cents and \$1 will furnish funds for a Christmas benefit program planned by the Jaycees.

Food Prices Don't Worry Manufacturer

Others Fear Consumer Goods Sales To Drop

NEW YORK, Sept. 19. (AP)—Everybody, but the manufacturer seems worried over a possible serious decline in consumer purchasing under the impact of the high cost of living.

The nation's merchants, in particular, fear that the current soaring prices will mean a sharp decline in sales of non-food items.

A sampling of business opinion today disclosed manufacturers generally refuse to express deep concern over the possibility that production cuts may be necessary because the consumer is forced to spend more and more of his dollar for the essentials of living.

Their plants, they say, are running at top speed. Sales are holding at or near record highs. New orders continue to pile up. Inventories are not too much out of line, it at all, with today's high production level.

Personal incomes and national employment, in addition, have reached totals which before the war few people believed possible.

A directly contrary view is expressed by the nation's merchandisers and retailers. They state that rising prices for foods is having an unhealthy effect on retail sales.

The consumer, in other words, is syphoning money into his food budget that normally would be spent in the department store or neighborhood shop.

Ives Says World Needs Production

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Senator Ives (R-NY) said today the world's economy is sick because of "under-production" and that soaring prices at home are only a symptom of this "disease."

"Everybody is talking about high prices and they are pretty bad," Ives told a reporter. "But we'll never get them down until we get production up."

At the same time, Senator Elmer Thomas (D-Okla.) reiterated his contention that this country may have to put up with "inflation" if it is going to pay off the national debt and meet other costs of government.

A labor report on wholesale prices said that for farm products the index went up 187.3 per cent of the 1926 level, up 3.3 per cent from a month ago and 23.4 higher than a year ago. The food figures were up at 180.9 per cent of 1926, a gain of five per cent since last month and 41.2 since a year ago.

B-29'S DUE FORT WORTH, Sept. 19.—Ten more B-29's of the globe trotting 8th Air Force were due to arrive here today from Germany.

MRS. ZINN ILL

Mrs. Mary Zinn is critically ill in her home, 507 Scurry Street. She became ill shortly after she had celebrated her 101st birthday anniversary on Aug. 19.

Screaming Hurricane Strikes New Orleans



LOCAL PALOMINOS PLACE IN SHOW

Two Howard county men showed stallions which placed in judging at the all-Palomino horse show at Fort Worth Thursday.

L. I. Stewart's stallion, Tony's Dude, foaled in 1944, placed second in his class for stock horse stallion. John Butler, For-san, copped sixth place with Golden Don, a 1946 foal, in the pleasure stallion class. Top Palominos from the nation were entered in the competition.

Martin Sees No Need For Special Session

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Republican congressional leaders adopted a "show me" attitude today on the question of a special session of Congress.

Joseph W. Martin, Jr., speaker of the House, told a news conference yesterday he sees no reason for a special session to consider further aid for Europe before the next scheduled meeting of the legislators on Jan. 3.

He said information of his own "from very good sources" indicated there is "no immediate danger" in the foreign situation.

Secretary of State Marshall and Undersecretary Lovett have intimated strongly that affairs abroad are so critical that a solution can not be put off until January.

Martin, however, said he is informed that except in remote areas Europe has good crops this year and there should be no severe food shortages.

Japs Evacuate Northern Tokyo

TOKYO, Sept. 19.—An additional 50,000 Japanese were being evacuated from northern Tokyo today as a weakened dike and tidal backwash threatened new inundation of a wide area of the capital's flatlands.

Simultaneously, U. S. First cavalry reconnaissance reports placed the death toll on the flooded Kanto plain at a new high of 2,000. Kyodo news agency reported 1,798 dead, 652 injured and 2,142 missing.

Allied headquarters' public health and welfare section said three thickly populated wards of Tokyo would be inundated if a weakened dike gave way on the Naka river, on Tokyo's northern boundary.

Army engineers expressed apprehension that the swollen Naka might overflow as high tide came into Tokyo Bay.

Foreign Assets Increase In U. S.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Despite the world shortage of dollars to pay for United States exports, foreign owned assets in this country are greater than before Pearl Harbor.

A new government estimate today put them at \$14,900,000,000 as of the end of June.



HURRICANE DAMAGE — Typical of the destruction by the hurricane which struck Florida again yesterday is the wreckage piled high amid blowing palm trees near West Palm Beach, Fla. (top photo) and two crushed cars in downtown Fort Myers, Fla. where winds collapsed the front of a building (lower photo). (AP Wirephotos)

BY NLRB ORDER

Anti-Red Affidavit Deadline Extended

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The National Labor Relations Board and Robert N. Denham, its general counsel, today allowed AFL and CIO top officers until Oct. 31 to sign affidavits disavowing communism.

The effect of the action is that the board will not dismiss AFL and CIO cases before that date.

Denham has interpreted the Taft-Hartley Labor Law as requiring national officers of the two big labor organizations to sign such affidavits if any AFL or CIO unions are to make use of the NLRB's services.

Approximately 5,000 cases are pending before the board.

Originally, Sept. 23 was set as a deadline when the board would begin dismissing cases if non-communist affidavits had not been signed by that time.

Denham allowed each union 20 days from the receipt of notice that the affidavit was required. The first such notices were mailed Oct. 2 and therefore the first ones would have been due about September 23.

The board and Denham said the extension of time announced today was granted at the request of several international and local unions.

During the intervening time, both the AFL and CIO will hold national conventions which may reach policy decisions on whether their officers should sign the affidavits.

The AFL top officers announced last week they were "unable to conform" with Denham's ruling that the top officers had to sign affidavits in order to make the 105 AFL unions and 43,000 locals eligible to use NLRB machinery.

Buses Fired Upon

HATTIESBURG, Miss., Sept. 19.—Four buses were fired upon and one trainee driver wounded in a new outbreak of violence yesterday in the 122-day-old strike of Southern Bus Co., Inc., employees.

Baton Rouge Is Braced For Blow

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 19. (AP)—The core of a screaming hurricane, which crushed buildings and piled flood waters over the great sea wall, passed over New Orleans shortly before noon today, and moved inland with destructive force.

Baton Rouge braced for the blow, and acting Gov. Emile Verret closed the capitol and sent home all state employees.

The deceptive calm of the hurricane's "eye", which began in New Orleans at 9:40 a. m. (Central Time), ceased at 11 a. m., and thundering winds up to 90 m. p. h. beat the hapless city from the opposite direction. Col. Frank Speiss ordered all National Guard units in New Orleans mobilized in Jackson barracks.

The entire Gulf Coast, from Pensacola westward, was raked by cyclonic winds. More than 1,000 residents of Alabama fishing villages raced for high ground from coastal areas where two giant storms took hundreds of lives in 1916. Water three feet deep was reported in the settlement of Heron.

Near Biloxi, Miss., stout timber piers were snapped like sticks, and roofs were torn from many homes. A tide 10 feet above normal flooded residential areas, and gigantic waves broke over the city's \$3,500,000 seawall, built 20 years ago against storms. Highway 90 was impassable and was studded with stalled automobiles.

The steamship Empire State snapped its hawens and reeled away from the Congress Street wharf in New Orleans, but the master succeeded in reaching midstream and both anchors were dropped. A destroyer-escort broke loose and rammed the Algiers ferry.

Molsant International airport, 14 miles west of New Orleans, reported the roof torn off its main building. The field itself was under a foot of water.

The 130-foot smokestack atop the Hotel Monteleone, in the French quarter of New Orleans, collapsed across two buildings but no one was hurt.

A banana conveyor was slammed against the top of a shed at Erato Street, causing unestimated damage.

A 3-story health center clinic on Rampart Street, on the edge of the business district, was unroofed and one wall caved in under a storm's impact. A residence on north Broad street collapsed but no injuries were reported.

There was no estimate of possible casualties along the Gulf Coast, but it was feared that injuries and property damage would greatly exceed the toll in Florida. There, where the storm struck two days ago, only five lives were lost although property damage soared to many millions.

Authorities expressed fear that many flimsy buildings of war time construction along the Gulf Coast in New Orleans would not be able to withstand the battering.

Acting Governor Emile Verret ordered all state facilities for disposal of the city of New Orleans.

State patrolmen were ordered to the lake front where police reported wide areas under water rising above the three-foot mark.

Authorities warned all residents of outlying areas to try to get to the center of the city by any means possible. They said it was dangerous to remain in outlying areas.

The control tower at the New Orleans airport has been evacuated. The wind instruments broke after registering 90 mile an hour winds.

It was reported that weather bureaus elsewhere, either at Washington or Fort Worth, may have to take over the task of issuing advisories.

Two persons have been injured, but not seriously. Property damage already was high.

Lester Lautenschlager, chairman of the Red Cross disaster committee, called police when a disaster broke out in the procedure of caring for evacuees. He said a group of "rowdies" outside a shelter in a public school grabbed milk before it could be taken inside to babies.

Relief Army equipment was rushed to a shelter center in the municipal auditorium.

The barometer dropped to 28.79, the lowest in 20 years, according to Weather Bureau Forecaster Allan Aime. He said the all-time low for New Orleans was 28.11 Sept. 19, 1911.

Experts Seek Cure For Cattle Disease

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 19.—Dr. J. A. Galloway, British authority on the foot and mouth disease, was in Mexico City today planning with other experts an international research project to seek the cause and the cure of the malady.

People Work Together To Fight Elements

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 19.—The weather bureau was having as much trouble with the hurricane as anyone else here. Even the hurricane teletype circuit failed at the local bureau.

Chief Forecaster W. R. Stevens said further advisories will come from the bureau at the national airport, Washington, D. C. Only local advisories will be handled here.

The crew of the Southern Railway System Pelican skirted Lake Ponchartrain during the blow and said the lake was "as rough as any ocean."

C. P. Nause, fireman of Meridian, Miss., said "spray broke over the top of the train and fierce winds buffeted the winds of our engine and coaches. The locomotive rocked and vibrated.

"As we entered the city we saw parts of trees hanging on telephone wires. All crossing gates were inoperative and we had to creep into the heart of town and flagmen waved down traffic at each intersection."

The section of Louisiana which first felt the full fury of the storm was the extreme southern portion of the state jutting out into the Gulf of Mexico more than 100 miles below New Orleans.

This area contains St. Bernard and Plaquemines parishes (counties) which are rich citrus fruit areas.

A wooden bridge spanning a drainage canal in Bucktown washed out. One house on the highway beyond the washout was demolished. Its walls and roof were floating about in tidewater.

A small sailboat was broken from its moorings at the Southern Yacht Club and broke up against the Lake Ponchartrain seawall.

Arrangements were made with the Red Cross for the public school cafeteria personnel to prepare food for evacuees in 40 shelter centers.

Small boats were in big demand to navigate city streets. The Red Cross issued an emergency appeal for all available boats.

A woman anticipating childbirth was unable to obtain medical aid in Bucktown, on the east end of Lake Ponchartrain, because of flooded conditions.

Residents evacuating the area by wading through thigh-deep water called an ambulance, but it was unable to reach the scene because of high water.

The woman was being cared for by relatives at a pumping station.

City restaurant men were banding to aid in feeding evacuees. Executive Director J. J. Kramer of the Louisiana Restaurant Association said all operators had been asked to make their facilities available.

Amateur radio operators were cooperating, relaying emergency messages.



## THE "CARRY"

There are parts of North America through which men can travel a thousand miles by canoe! But not all of the journey is easy paddling on glassy lakes, or lazy drifting before friendly currents. There are choppy rivers and swirling rapids. And when the river becomes un-navigable, or the lake ends - - - there is always a "carry."

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Life isn't much different than a journey by canoe. There are "carries" that must be made if we are to go on. A man can't escape the burdened miles that are part of his journey.

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## Fliers Will Advertise State Fair

Private fliers in twin-engine ships will circle over Big Spring at 1:03 p. m. Saturday to advertise the State Fair of Texas, Mayor G. W. Dabney has been informed. The boosters will drop leaflets, free entrance tickets and opening day keys to the fair, Howard N. Smith, airtour chairman for the state fair, said.

More than 50 private planes will carry 100 goodwill ambassadors in seven routes Saturday, converging at Abilene and the West Texas Fair at 2 p. m. Presumably, the flight which passes over Big Spring, will not land. It visits Newcastle, Haskell, Spur, Lubbock, Slaton, Post, Snyder, Big Spring, Colorado City and Sweetwater and does not have a scheduled stop.

The project has the sanction of the Texas Private Flyers association and the Aviation Association of Dallas, and is the second annual trek of its kind. So far as possible, various makes of planes are being grouped so that the same models will be in the same flight.

## Sheep Volume Shows Increase

Sheep volume picked up Thursday at the West Texas Livestock auction with 414 head sold and prices generally spirited.

Feeder lambs went to 20.10, stocker lambs at 19.10. Solid mouth ewes were bid from \$9.80 to \$11 per head, yearling ewes to \$15 per head, and two and three-year old ewes from \$12.75 to \$13.75 per head.

At the livestock sale 500 head of cattle went through the ring and 25 head of hogs, the latter hitting a top of 23.40. J. R. Roper drew 19.90 for top on the heiferette class from Brooks Packing of Sweetwater. A. Knapp, Big Spring, bought for best in this class and bid in a fat bull for 16.30 from Ben Keel some fat calves at 22.50.

Fat cows ranged from 15.00 to 17.10, the latter to Ed Martin; fat yearlings from 20.00 to 21.40, the top to Repps Guitier; fat calves from 20.00 to 22.80, top to Sonny Edwards; stocker cows 13.00 to 15.50, top to Ed Martin; stocker yearlings from 20.00 to 21.50, stocker calves from 20.00-21.00, canners and cutters 9.00-13.00.

**HISTORICAL CONTRIBUTOR**  
Nancy Hollingsworth, Lamesa, is among the contributors to the Texas State Historical association's junior chapter, which was featured in an article printed in Time Magazine. The article is reprinted in the current issue of "Junior Historian," published by the University of Texas by and for high school historians.

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**ACTIVE FIELD** — The most active field in South Texas at the present time is the Bloomington pool, 14 miles south of Victoria. The picture shows the L. D. Cain Drilling Co. No. 1 Givins, situated just behind the Baptist church. The well was completed early in September for 100 barrels of oil daily from the Greta sand at 4,650-60 feet. The Bloomington field was discovered in 1947 and now has 11 oil producers and 10 rigs active in the area. (AP Photo).

## IN U. N. INTERVIEW

### Indonesians Challenge Dutch To Allow Referendum On Issues

**BOEKITTINGGI, Sumatra, Sept. 19.** — Republican Vice President Mohammed Hatta challenged the Netherlands today to agree to an internationally supervised referendum so that Sumatra's 8,000,000 inhabitants could choose freely between the present republic and "small Dutch-controlled puppet states."

Hatta proposed the referendum in an interview after Consul General E. T. Lamber, Charles Easton and Etienne Ruax of the United Kingdom, Australia and France, respectively, flew into this west Sumatra mountain fastness yesterday to carry out a United Nations sponsored investigation of the Dutch and Indonesian conflict.

Thousands of cheering Indonesians, some armed with bamboo spears, greeted the first foreigners to visit Sumatra's provisional capital since the outbreak of hostilities.

The consuls conferred lengthily with Hatta and then inspected the surrounding countryside. Two British military observers made a first hand inspection of the Indonesian frontline, 15 miles west of Padang.

(A dispatch from Medan, north Sumatra, said the consular party arrived there before noon Friday from Boekittinggi, which is known by the Dutch as Fort De Kock.)

Hatta said the republican Sumatra government supports Sjarifoeddin's offer to review negotiations with the Dutch—"possibly on the basis of the Linggadjati agreement" provided a third power supervises negotiations to prevent unilateral Dutch interpretations of any future agreements.

Hatta avowed he personally would lead the continued struggle for Indonesian independence from the mountains and jungles of Sumatra should the Dutch refuse to negotiate and launch a drive against Jogjakarta.

### Invention Sheds Light On Watches

**AP Newsfeatures**  
**HAGERSTOWN, Md.** — "Why that is so simple that anyone could have thought of it!" is what most Hagerstown folks said when Sig Smith and Paul Willis invented the "visascope."

Smith, a local watchmaker, conceived the idea that it would be easier to see the little wheels and springs if he had a tiny searchlight shining into the dark crevices of the watch-case.

So he fitted out his monocle—the bell-shaped eye-piece that jewelers use—with its own head light.

It took Smith and his friend, Willis, almost a year to perfect the idea. In its final form, it has a head-piece so it can be pushed back on the forehead when not in use.

The lamp is surmounted on the shell that holds the magnifying lens, and is fixed at such an angle that the beam is aimed directly at the point of focus.

### U. S. Boosts Interest On Debt Certificates

**WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.** — The government today boosted the interest yield on its one-year certificates of indebtedness to one per cent from the seven-eighths of one per cent rate which has prevailed for a number of years.

The treasury said it would offer next Monday an issue of one-year, one per cent certificates in exchange for the entirety of a \$1,439,563,000 issue of one-year, seven-eighths certificates maturing Oct. 1.

This action follows the recent trend of slowly rising interest rates for government and private securities.

### Many Danes Want To Emigrate

**COPENHAGEN** — In spite of Denmark's lack of skilled labor more than 13,000 Danes want to emigrate but so far only 700 have got permission, says the Danish Emigration Office.

Four thousand prefer Australia, several hundred the United States, Canada, South Africa and Argentina, and others Jamaica, New Guinea, Salvador, Iraq, Ceylon, and Indo China.

Applications are coming from all classes, but most of them from farmers, industrial workers, technicians, and engineers.

### Martin Plans Tour Of West

**WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.** — House Speaker Joseph W. Martin, Jr., of Massachusetts mapped out a western speaking tour today but insisted he is not interested in becoming the Republican presidential nominee.

"I am not a candidate and do not expect to be a candidate," Martin told newsmen as he headed for a section of the country currently having a strong appeal to GOP presidential possibilities.

The House speaker will cover much the same territory now being toured by Senator Taft (Ohio), recently visited by Governor Dewey of New York, and soon to be invaded by former Governor Harold E. Stassen of Minnesota.

A number of Martin's colleagues are booming him for the 1948 nomination.

Asked at a new conference yesterday whether he would become a candidate if he were "drafted" by the Republican convention, Martin said he doubts that any man in public life would refuse to run if the party demanded.

But he said he does not expect that to happen to him.

Martin said his trip originally arranged as "a little private party" before Congress adjourned, "grew like Topsy" as he yielded to requests to broaden his itinerary. His discussion of achievements of the 80th Congress, he indicated, will include expressions of his views on such major domestic issues as prices.

### Decatur Unit Is First To Fill Quota For TNG

**AUSTIN, Sept. 19.** — The first Texas National Guard unit to fill its quota in the current recruiting campaign is the 145th armored infantry battalion's service company of Decatur, State Adjutant General K. L. Berry has announced.

The unit's enlistment filled its entire authorized strength of seven officers and 54 enlisted men, Berry said.

The Texas campaign is a part of a nationwide effort to enlist 88,888 men. The Texas quota is 3,925.

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## Grange Leader Sees Possible Grain Controls

**WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.** — Albert S. Goss, master of the National Grange, said today government controls over the use of grains should be restored if voluntary conservation steps fail to permit large scale shipments abroad.

Goss, who returned this week from Geneva where he attended the food and agriculture organization conference, described the food situation in Europe as "desperate."

"Unless increased shipments of food reach many of the nations of Europe they will not be able to maintain even the subsistence level of diets which now border on starvation," Goss said in a statement.

Urging farmers to feed less grains to livestock and the public to reduce its buying of meat and other livestock products, the Grange chief added:

"If voluntary methods of conserving grain supplies and channeling them into use in the forms that go farthest toward preventing starvation do not succeed, government controls to curb non-food uses should be restored."

## More Crude Oil Output Allowed

**HOUSTON, Sept. 19.** — The Texas Railroad Commission this week meant an "unprecedented and wholly unexpected increase in demand for oil products" by relaxing production orders in all areas except East Texas.

Commission Chairman Ernest O. Thompson, in announcing an order designed to produce 2,376,358 barrels of Texas crude daily in October, said "this is the first time demand had been large enough to allow fields to produce every day."

The East Texas field (currently operating on a 21-day schedule) received a 22-day October order, the continued restrictions being necessary, the commission said, because of need for preserving pressure in oil reserves.

**FOXES GET THE WORKS**  
**ADELAIDE, Australia (U.P.)** — South Australian graziers are scaring away foxes with explosive charges which are fired automatically with a blinding flash that can be seen and heard for more than a mile.

## KIDNEYS GETTING YOU UP NIGHTS?

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The switchboard is in Mrs. Mastin's apartment, where she lives alone. Her children are grown and married.

Meals are brought to her there and stockholders of the friendly firm frequently stop in to pass the time of day. She says she once stayed in her apartment-exchange for three months without going out.

There is a night bell to awaken her for calls after the normal 10 o'clock closing time, but most subscribers respect her hours and do not call late unless it is a real emergency.

When Concord college is playing a home game here during basketball season, however, she willingly remains on the job after hours so the news services can get the story.

Mrs. Mastin's bosses are the seven men making up the unpaid board of directors. Each one is assigned a district in which he must make repairs himself whenever there is a line break.

The stockholders and directors hold their annual meeting the second Saturday in August to elect

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This year the board elected D. L. Thompson, a retired Mercer county deputy sheriff, president and voted to send bills every three months instead of just once during the coming year.

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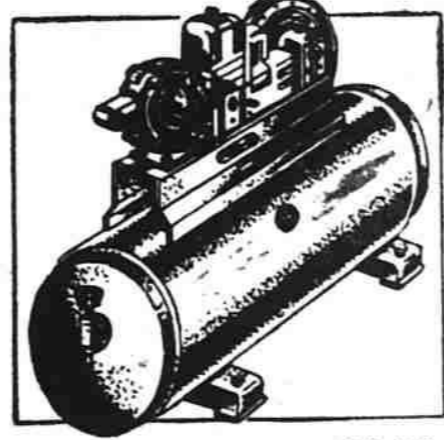
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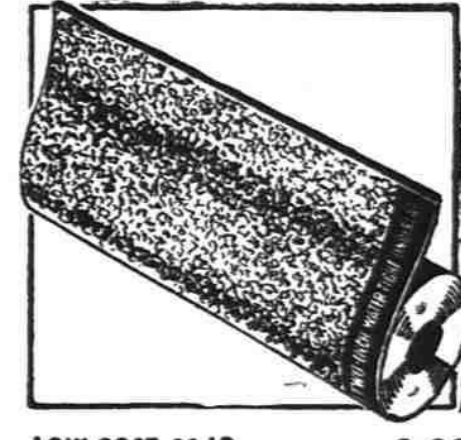
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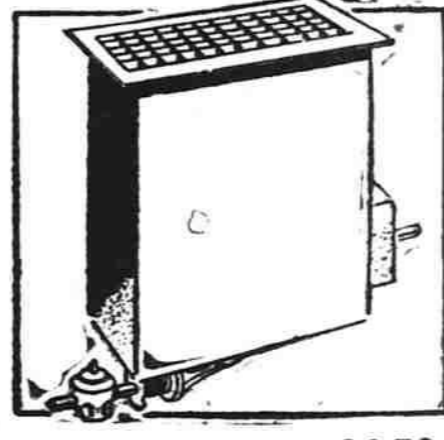
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# Bovines Open Grid Season With Cisco Here Tonight

## Robb Is Lone BS Holdover

Big Spring high school's football machine, equipped with new parts at ten of the eleven positions, launches its 1947 campaign tonight at Steer stadium in a non-conference joust with the Cisco Lobos. Game time is 8 p. m.

The 1946 edition of the Longhorns throttled the District 9AA contingent, 20-0, here but the lads who made the club click—Gerald Harris, Bobo Hardy and Horace Rankin—have since departed the local seat of learning.

In fact, the only boy around who can recite the tale of successful combat is Ike Robb, the all-district guard, who is co-captain of the local troops. Others in uniform tonight saw action in last year's battle but Robb was the only starter.

The Longhorns start with an untied secondary. Harold Berry opens at quarter and should fill the bill. He'll be aided and abetted by B. B. Lees, a passer deluxe, Moe Madison and Paul Shaffer or Charley Seydler. Madison should come along as a running threat, although he has been sidelined in recent days with an attack of the flu.

Up front, the Big Springers are well stocked. Donald Hale is shaping up as a cracker-jack center. He'll be flanked by Robb and a watch-fog guard, Pat Lamb, who saw a lot of action in 1946.

Jim Bill Little and Delmar Turner will be at tackles but Sam Thurman will spell both. Co-captain Eddie Houser will man an end post while B. string graduate Roy Lee Pool will start at the other terminal.

Cisco's chief threat will be Stanley Williams, a 170-pounder who gave the Longhorns a world of trouble last year. Williams does everything well. Unless the Steers forwards can get to him in a hurry, he's liable to wreck the Big Spring playhouse with his aerial game.

Fourney Cleveland, another veteran, will lend assistance in the Cisco secondary.

The Lobos opened their season last week with a 7-0 decision over Cleburne and looked good in doing it.

Both teams have new head coaches this year. Pat Murphy, who was here from 1939 through '41, succeeds Johnny Dibrell to the Big Spring post while D. G. Alford replaced Harold Fischer at Cisco only two weeks before the campaign opened.

## Big Spring-Cisco Lineups

BIG SPRING		CISCO		
No.	Player	Pos.	No.	
88	Eddie Houser	End	28	Jack King
80	Roy Pool	End	17	Durward Smith
72	Delmar Turner	Tackle	30	Ray Rylee
70	Jim Bill Little	Tackle	33	Lee Kinard
64	Pat Lamb	Guard	31	Bob Rendall
41	Ike Robb	Guard	25	Clarence Noble
50	Donald Hale	Center	20	Tom Tipton
11	Harold Berry	Back	26	Stan Williams
21	B. B. Lees	Back	26	Fourney Cleveland
40	Paul Shaffer	Back	20	Don Whitaker
52	Gordon Madison	Back	24	Wayne Hays

**SUBSTITUTES:**  
BIG SPRING — Harold Cain (12), Bobby Fox (22), Dickie Cloud (32), Jim Fannin (33), Don Carter (43), Charles Seydler (44), D. A. Miller (51), Jerry Houser (60), Bill Van Pelt (62), R. H. Carter (63), Billy Wheeler (71), Sam Thurman (77), Culin Grigsby (81), Arliss Davis (89).

CISCO — Tipton (20), West (27), Milner (10), Woods (32), Steffy (29), Farley (23), Harwell (13), Johnson (14), McGowan (16), Taber (12), E. Smith (11), McMurray (19), Watts (22), Boggs (18).

**OFFICIALS** — Gubo Galbraith (McMurry), referee; Bob Nail (Howard Payne), umpire; Malcolm Anthony (McMurry), head line-man; Rainey Owen, (East Texas), field judge.

## LOOKING 'EM OVER

Looking into the crystal ball for the football winners: Big Spring 13, Cisco 0. The Lobos reportedly are stronger than a year ago, the Steers weaker. We don't believe that. Pat Murphy's team is perhaps better balanced than the 1946 Herd.

Pampa 19, Sweetwater 7. The District 1AA power scored 33 points against Electra last week. The Mustangs will give them a better scrap but haven't the man-power to cope with them.

Odessa 25, North Side 7. North Side was anything but impressive here last year. Odessa apparently is loaded again.

Abilene 14, Brackenridge (SA) 0. The Eagles will be heard from yet. Even with Jim Dobbyn out, they'll be tough as a boot.

Brownfield 20, Midland 12. Brownfield—the hard-luck team of a year ago—should salt this one away with a good line and, for that reason, a good defense.

Plainview 19, Lamesa 6. Jim Neill's Tornados were surprised by Kermit last weekend, which held them to a 7-7 deadlock. They'll have to show more before getting more consideration.

San Angelo 6, Lubbock 0. The Westerners were slow and sluggish last week, according to reports. The Cats were overwhelmed by Denison but put up a fight. A shot in the dark.

Also Amarillo over Childress, Borger over Austin of El Paso, Austin over Waco, Breckenridge over Paschal and Stanton over Lorraine.

On the college and university front: TCU 12 Kansas 7. The Jayhawkers are one of the Midwest favorites this year. The Frogs have a gang of kids named Joe who are untried in collegiate football. Still and all, the Texans should come winging home in front.

Baylor 23 Austin 0. Little good news has come out of Waco where a new coach (Bob Woodruff) is experimenting with a new team. That doesn't mean the Bears can't field 11 men. They'll be heard from.

Texas 20 Texas Tech 12. The Longhorns have been hit hard by injuries but carry the guns to win this one comfortably.

Georgia 21 Furman 7. Even without Trippi, the Georgians are still rugged. The Bulldogs should have a better line. A youngster by the name of Johnny Rauch paces the Southern this year.

Penn State 14 Washington State 0. Bob Higgins is supposed to have the best Penn State club in 20 years. The Nittany Lions lost only two games in '46, walloped Navy. However, the Cougars are an improved model and could surprise.

Missouri 19 St. Louis 0. Should be an easy one.

Oklahoma A & M 7 Kansas State 0. Jim Spavital is back at Stillwater, which is enough for us.

Tulsa 28 West Texas 0. Buddy

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## Eagles Guests Of Coahomans In Day Game

District Seven's six-man football wars get away to a fast start today with all eyes on Coahoma, where John Albers' Bulldogs square off with the Sterling City Eagles.

The champion of the conference could well emerge from the tussle. Sterling, coached by George Tillerson this year, bowled over powerful Whiteface, 25-0, last week while the Bulldogs were having their hands full with Union. The Canines won, 21-19, but only after a struggle.

Kickoff time was to be 3 p. m. Garden City and Courtney were to get together in another afternoon go at Garden City. Jack McDaniel's presence made Garden City a slight favorite though G. W. Kenemer, new Courtney coach, has a veteran team back from last year.

At Water Valley, Coach Elvin Mathis tries to get his Water Valley Wildcats off on the right foot against Cagle Hunt's Merton Hornets. The Wildcats took a drubbing from Forsan last week but showed promise.

Forsan takes on a dark-horse Rankin outfit on the latter's home field. The resident Red Devils changed from 11 to 6-man ball the past season, hence cannot be rated by the remainder of the league.

Brothers can take care of him self.

Alabama 21 Mississippi Southern 0. Harry Gilmer is back at Alabama. Enough said.

Kentucky 7 Ole Miss 6. Barney People makes Mississippi a threat but the Wildcats bowled over the Oxford, 20-6, and are coming back stronger than ever.

Arkansas 20 North Louisiana State 0. The Porkers creaked by this one in '46. They'll do better this time out.

Texas A & M 25 Southwestern 0. The Aggies get a warmup at the expense of the once-tough Pirates.

Santa Clara 13 California 7. Lynn Waldorf is taking over at Cal and it will take him a while to get the hang of things. The Broncs have threats in Bill Prentice and Hall Haynes.

**BAYLOR**  
Holon  
Left End  
Left Tackle  
Center  
Right Guard  
Right Tackle  
Right End  
Quarterback  
Left Half  
Right Half  
Fullback

**AUSTIN**  
Heironimus  
Griffin  
Jack  
Johnson  
Tinsley  
Ison  
Parker  
McKinney  
Pierce

**DALLAS**  
Holon  
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McKinney  
Pierce

**WACO**  
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McKinney  
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**TEXAS**  
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**TEXAS TECH**  
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**TULSA**  
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RALPH BRANCA, ace right-hander, will lead the Brooklyn Dodgers into the World Series this year. Ralph has been Manager Burt Shotton's most consistent winner.

## Grid Campaign In Full Swing

NEW YORK, Sept. 19. (AP)—While the season will not hit its stride for another two weeks, several score college football teams jump the gun this weekend and open their schedules while it's still officially summer.

While most of the games are in the category of warm-ups, one big inter-sectional clash spotlights the program in Washington State's meeting with Penn State at Hershey, Pa., Saturday night.

In the South, Kentucky and Mississippi traditional opening day rivals launch their seasons at University, Miss., under new coaches, Paul (Bear) Bryant guiding the former and John Vaught at the helm of Ole Miss.

Harold (Red) Drew, who left Mississippi to replace Frank Thomas at Alabama, unveils the 1947 Crimson Tide edition against Mississippi Southern at Birmingham. South Carolina takes on its customary initial opponent, Newberry, at Columbia, and Clemson entertains Presbyterian.

In the Southwest, Texas Tech is at Texas, Southwestern meets Texas A. and M., Arkansas entertains Northwest Louisiana and West Texas State opens Tulsa's season under the lights.

The University of Kansas Jayhawkers, co-winners with Oklahoma of the 1946 Big Six title, open with Texas Christian in a night game at Kansas City. Other Midwest attractions find Oklahoma A. and M. at Kansas State.

Friday night attractions include Stephen F. Austin at Baylor, and Texas Mines at Drake.

## Dallas Is Scene Of Pro Battle

DALLAS, Sept. 19. (AP)—The first professional football game in a decade to be played in Dallas matches the star-studded Chicago Cardinals and the Boston Yanks tonight in the Cotton Bowl.

The game, bringing the sharp-shooting arms of Paul Governali and Paul Christman into play, and pinpointing interest on what the great Charley Trippi may do is being staged for the benefit of a camp for underprivileged boys projected by the Dallas Salesmanship club.

A crowd of 25,000 is expected to turn out to watch the Yanks try to get on the victory road but expecting the Cardinals, unbeaten this season, to rack up their third exhibition win.

It will be the last exhibition for both teams before they plunge into the National League schedule.

A flock of Texas college players will be in the line-ups. The Yanks have Tom Dean, Jim Sid Wright and Howard Maley of Southern Methodist at tackle, guard and halfback, respectively. The Cardinals will start six from Texas.

Billy Dewell, Southern Methodist, and Mal Kuttel, Texas, ends; Bill Blackburn, Rice, center; Stan Mauldin, Texas, tackle; Ray Malouin, Southern Methodist, quarterback, and Walter Rankin, Texas Tech, fullback.

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**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Batting—Walker, Philadelphia 362; Cavaretta, Chicago 315.  
Home Runs—Kiner, Pittsburgh 50.  
Pitching—Jansen, New York 19-5 792  
Munger, St. Louis 14-5 737  
SPORTS 20 BAYLOR CLASHES  
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# Ballinger Wins Longhorn Title By Edging Broncs

## McClain Hits Two Homers

Ballinger's scrappy Cats invaded the local precincts Thursday night and made off with the first championship of the Longhorn baseball league by defeating Big Spring's listless Broncs, 6-5, in the sixth game of the Shaughnessy playoff before 1,947 paid admissions.

The Steeds were never in the ball game until the ninth inning when McClain blasted out his second home run of the game with the sacks jammed. McClain's four-master came with no one out and pulled the locals within one run of the opposition but Paul Cook, who had relieved Steve Kolesar on the hill for the guests, retired the Big Springers in order after that.

Pat Stasey's Cayuses had a numerous chances to score during the contest but their siege guns, outside of McClain, could never zero their sights on Kolesar.

Big Steve carried a sore arm and plenty of courage to the hill. The Broncs touched him and Cook for 11 blows but left nine men stranded on the base paths.

McClain's first homer, coming in the initial round, gave the resident nine a brief lead. Stu Williams erased the margin with a round-tripper of his own off Gerry Rodriguez in the second, the blow coming with Gene Hickson on the base paths.

The Felines added two more in the sixth on Kolesar's infield double with the sacks jammed. The safety caromed off McClain's shins and bounded into right field.

In the eighth, Floyd Geiger reached second when Orlando Moreno picked up his ground ball and threw into the Ballinger dug-out. Two wild pitches by Rodriguez brought Geiger home.

In the ninth, Roy McMillan scored what proved to be the winning run after doubling to start the round and moving to third on a blow by Gene Hixson. Stu Williams propelled a lick to McClain who started a double killing but McMillan moved to pay dirt on the action.

Armando Traspuesto led off the Big Spring portion of the ninth with a sharp single and was followed by Bert Baez's blow. Moreno walked to set the stage for McClain's blow.

Ballinger  
McMillan, ss ..... 5 1 1 1 0 0  
Hixson, cf ..... 4 1 2 15 1 0  
Williams, 1b ..... 5 0 0 2 0 0  
Harrison, lf ..... 5 0 0 2 0 0  
Gleithart, 3b ..... 4 2 1 4 2 0  
Stratfield, cf ..... 2 0 2 0 0 0  
Staser, lf ..... 3 0 1 1 1 1  
Kolesar, p ..... 4 0 1 1 3 0  
Cook, p ..... 0 0 0 0 1 0

**TOTALS**  
BIG SPRING ..... 35 6 9 27 17  
Broncs ..... 25 11 10 2  
McClain, 2b ..... 5 2 3 2 4  
Del Toro, as ..... 5 0 1 1 1 0  
Staser, lf ..... 4 0 0 2 0 0  
Martin, cf ..... 4 0 0 2 0 0  
Bostick, lf ..... 4 0 0 1 0 0  
Vance, 1b ..... 4 0 0 1 0 0  
Traspuesto, c ..... 4 1 1 10 0 0  
Rodriguez, p ..... 3 0 1 0 1 1  
Baez, r ..... 1 1 1 0 0 0

**TOTALS**  
3-innings for Perez in 9th.  
Ballinger, 2b ..... 002 000 011-6  
Big Spring ..... 100 000 004-8  
Errors, Smithhart 2, Staser, Moreno, Williams, 1b.  
McClain 2 stolen bases, Stratfield, Hixson caught stealing, Del Toro by Staser; double play, McMillan to Williams, Del Toro to McClain to Bostick; McClain to Del Toro to Bostick; left on base, Ballinger 6, Big Spring 9; earned runs, Ballinger 6, Big Spring 5; sacrifice, Stratfield; bases on balls, off Kolesar 2, Cook 1, Rodriguez 4; struck out by Kolesar 1, Rodriguez 8, Perez 2; wild pitches, Rodriguez 2; hits, off Kolesar, 10 for 18 in 8 innings; one out in 9th; Rodriguez, 7 for 5 in 7 1-3; winning pitcher, Kolesar; losing pitcher, Rodriguez; umpires, Gunter, Meadows, Russell.

**Worsham Leading Atlanta Tourney**

ATLANTA, Sept. 19. (AP)—The \$10,000 North Fulton Open golf tournament went into the second round today with U. S. Open Champion Lew Worsham, the favorite, holding a two-stroke lead over the field.

The Oakmont, Pa., pro who got into the top-money brackets of golf in winning the Druid Hills Open here last year, shot a 32-36-68 over the 6,707-yard 71-par North Fulton course.

Gene Dahlbender Jr., Atlanta amateur, and Pete Cooper, of Ponte Verda, Fla., fired 70's to join Worsham in the sub-par shooting.

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## Rebels Square Playoff Set

Houston and Dallas take a night off from the Texas league's championship playoff round all square at one game each.

Dallas clocked the seven game series with a 6-2 victory last night in the second tilt.

The teams move to Dallas tomorrow night for the next three contests.

A 15-hit outburst against three Houston hurlers enabled the Rebels to hand the Buffs their first loss in the playoff series.

Houston won four straight from Tulsa while Dallas and Fort Worth went a full seven games.

Solly Hemus put Houston ahead in the third inning with a home run, but Dallas exploded for two in the fifth then added three more in the sixth.

Doubles by Hal Hirshon and Red Davis and a single by Bob Moyer started the three-run sixth inning spree after two singles, a walk and a fielder's choice accounted for the two in the fifth.

Houston made its second run in the sixth on Hal Epps' triple and Doc Greene's single.

Gene Markland paced Dallas with three singles and a double while catcher Burl Storie had three singles and a walk.

ductive forests do not contain more than half as many trees as they could support.

## Eagles To Play Klondike Today

ACKERLY, Sept. 19.—Ackerly's Eagles of the District Four six-man setup invades Klondike for their opening game of the season today.

The War Birds, boasting six returning lettermen, are highly favored to cop the decision. They are coached by K. Bagget.

The Ackerly Eagles turned back the Ackerly Junior high aggregation, 14-0, here Wednesday afternoon. Howard Armstrong and Jas. Cook accounted for the touchdowns while Jack Rogers booted one try for point.

The two sextets play again Sept. 24.

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## Off's Playing Career Ends

22-year major league playing career of Mel Ott, manager of the New York Giants, came to an end today when Ott announced that he had removed his name from the club's active player roster.

Ott released the news to sports writers as the train carrying the National leaguers eastward for their final home stand left Chicago. He said he took the step to make room for the addition of rookies who will be used in the lineup between now and the end of the season. The player limit including rookies is 40.

The 38-year-old Louisianan, who started in the big time with the giants in 1926 holds the modern major league record for service with one club. His other marks read like an index page to the record book. He has been manager of the club since December 2, 1941.

He holds the National league lifetime marks for most home runs, runs scored, runs batted in, total bases (5,041), bases on balls (1,708), extra base hits (1,071) and extra bases on long hits (2,165). For eight years he knocked out 30 or more home runs a season—another record.

Ott led the league in home runs in 1936, 1938 and 1942 and tied for the leadership in 1932, 1934 and 1937. He was the league's leading outfielder in 1935 and had the most assists in the 1929 and 1942 seasons.

## Getting Marksmen To Leave Road Marks

DENVER. — Tired of having trigger-happy highway rovers destroy road signs at the rate of 3,000 yearly by banging away at them with guns, the Colorado highway department is trying to divert the fire to targets.

As an experiment in psychology, the department has erected a regular, circular target on a post hard by one of the "Curve" signs that regularly takes a beating from the vandalistic marksmen.

If they find that slugs are diverted from the "Curve" sign to the flashy concentric circles of the target, they'll put up many more of the targets—they're cheaper to make than the regular signs and their destruction won't endanger lives through the obliteration of necessary warning signs.

## Baylor Clashes With SF Austin

WACO, Sept. 19. (AP)—The Baylor Bears, mystery team of the Southwest conference, make their start tonight when they tackle Stephen F. Austin college of the Lone Star Conference.

Bulging with lettermen but rated last in all forecasts, the Bears are due to get a fair test from the Teachers college which will have a veteran team on the field.

Coach Bob Woodruff declined to name a starting lineup, announcing he would do so just before game time.

**BAYLOR**  
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Quarterback  
Left Half  
Right Half  
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# WIN THAT GAME

## STEERS We're For You

### Season Opener For Big Spring Tonight In Steer Stadium



**DELMAR TURNER (No. 72).** Turner, a 6-foot 3-inch, 170-pounder, relishes the assignment to back up the line. He learned agility in basketball, at which he excels. He'll man a tackle post this year and is a fair bet to win a regular post.

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### Big Spring's Schedule For 1947

- Sept. 19 — Cisco at Big Spring.
- Sept. 26 — Big Spring at Childress.
- Oct. 3 — Big Spring at Odessa.
- Oct. 10 — Lamesa at Big Spring.
- Oct. 17 — Brownfield at Big Spring.
- Oct. 24 — Open date.
- Oct. 31 — Big Spring at Denison.
- Nov. 7 — Big Spring at San Angelo.
- Nov. 14 — Midland at Big Spring.
- Nov. 21 — Big Spring at Abilene.
- Nov. 28 — Sweetwater at Big Spring.

**FURR FOOD**



**ROY POOL (No. 80).** This youngster moved to Fort Worth last year but wanted to play football here so much, he moved right back. Has been a center but will play end this year. He'll go 145 pounds and is liable to be salty.

**BIG SPRING MOTOR CO.**

PHONE 636



**EDDIE HOUSER (No. 88)** Elastic-legged Eddie's forte is catching passes, a mission he accomplishes with remarkable ease. A spirited youth, Houser can kick in an emergency as he did on several occasions a year ago. He's fair on defense, too.

**Cannon Shoe Store**  
208 MAIN



**ARLISS DAVIS (No. 99).** Another end, Davis is only a sophomore but could play enough to win a monogram this fall. He's a crafty offensive operative and never shies away from a defensive assignment. He'll be hard to keep off the first string.

**Big Spring Hdw.**



**BILL VAN PELT (No. 62).** Bill is untried but aims to push someone all the way for a guard berth. He's a 155-pound sophomore and has just begun to grow. Vau Pelt confined his playing to the B string in 1946.

**The UNITED**



**R. H. CARTER (No. 63).** R. H. blossomed as a top-drawer running threat for the B string last Autumn. Lack of experience may hurt him for a while but if he continues to improve some regular is going to have to give way. Weight: 140.

*Anthony's*



**JAMES FANNIN (No. 33).** Jimmy is wearing Horace Rankin's old number and may make the local fans forget all about the popular Hoss. Jim weighs 140, is durable and steady and is being groomed as a field general. He's a junior.

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**PAT LAMB (No. 64).** Became a regular last fall when Ike Robb was hurt at the beginning of the season. Pat has slipped into Pete Fuglaar's old guard post. He doesn't have the size of his predecessor but is fast and aggressive.



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**JIM BILL LITTLE (No. 70),** tallest man on the Steer squad, is coming along after being retarded by a broken leg some years back. The 175-pounder is sure to be a regular tackle. He has played end and excels on defense.

*WAITS*

115 E. THIRD ST.



**BILLY WHEELER (No. 71).** Bill was one of the unsung heroes in the B string line last fall. His 155-pounds is well distributed over his angular frame. He can move and likes to spend his time in the opposition's secondary.

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**CUIN GRIGSBY (No. 81),** is as good a bet as any to play a regular wing. Grigsby performed for the reserve squad in 1946 and was consistently good. Now up to 145 pounds, Cuin is said to have tremendous possibilities.



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# INTRODUCING

## Big Spring's 1947 Football Squad

Season  
Opens  
Tonight



**VERSATILE HAROLD BERRY** (No. 11) has slipped into the shoes of Horace Rankin in the Big Spring backfield and may fill them quite capably. He was a center last year, earned a B string letter. Weight: 150 pounds. The youngster can pass expertly, has the reputation for keeping a cool head under fire.

*Montgomery Ward*



**HAROLD CAIN** (No. 12) biggest man on the Steer squad, is a 190-pound tackle. Cain has been groomed slowly for the job and should come onto his own this season. Lack of speed seems to be his only handicap. Benefiting from last's years experience with the reserves. Harold should raise Cain with opposition.

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**BOBBY FOX** (22) is better known for his accomplishments on the track field than on the gridiron. The speed that made him an outstanding thinny clad, however, will stand him in good stead on the football greenward. He's a back, weighs 145.

**shaw's**



**DICKIE CLOUD** (No. 32), an outstanding grade school gridder a few short years ago, Dickie now plays well enough to rate varsity. He's a back, is especially adept at running. Weight: 145. Dickie is a sophomore.

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### Big Spring Football Steers



**START 1947 SEASON TONIGHT**—The Big Spring high school football Steers open their 1947 campaign at Steer stadium tonight, meeting Cisco's Loboes. Left to right, back row, they are Gordon "Moe" Madison, James Fannin, Delmar Turner, Donald Hale, D. A. Miller, Don Carter, Arliss Davis, Jim Bill Little, Harold Berry and Wayne Burleson (manager). Center row, Roy Pool, R. H. Carter, Bill Van Pelt, Harold Cain, Billy Wheeler, Cui Grigsby, Bobby Fox and Sam Thurman. Front row, Dickie Cloud, Jerry Houser, B. B. Lees, Ike Robb, (co-captain), Eddie Houser, (co-captain), Pat Lamb, Charles Seydler and Paul Shaffer. George Oldham, manager, is pictured at far left. (Photo by Jack M. Haynes.)

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**DON CARTER** (No. 43). A first baseman on the Steers' baseball team, talented Donnie is playing tackle on this year's Longhorn football team. Carter weighs 170 and is solidly put together. He may win a regular berth.



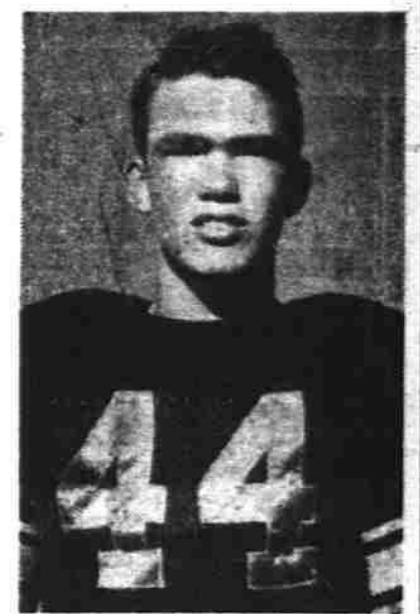
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**PAUL SHAFFER** (No. 40) is another B string graduate who threatens to become a regular at the start of the season. The 150-pound youngster can do everything well but excels at kicking. A little aggressiveness would make Paul one of the better backs in District 3AA.

**Phillips Tire Co.**

**CHARLES SEYDLER** (No. 44). This 145-pound back can't be counted off the first team yet, though he's shy on avoiddu-pois. Charley saw action with both the A and B strings last year. He blocks well, carries the ball to satisfaction.



**Cunningham-Philips**



**DONALD HALE** (No. 50) Don came from nowhere to win the center spot in spring training. He improves as much between now and the end of season as he did after last season's, he could rate All-District laurels. Weight: 165.

**Thomas Typewriter and Office Supply**  
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**D. A. MILLER** (No. 51). This tall youngster fits in just about anywhere. He coached one of the Ward school teams last fall, played some. He'll vie with Hale for the center spot, will be of use to the Longhorns in future years. Weight: 145.

**Stanley Hardware**

**GODRON "MOE" MADISON** (No. 52). The 160-pound Moe, a half back, is growing like a weed and should be tough on line plunges. He's reportedly fair on defense, too, and is quite a hand at leading interference. He'll be heard from later.



**Packing House Mkt.**

**JERRY HOUSER** (No. 60), a brother to Co-Captain Eddie Houser, Jerry is solid as a rock and should fit nicely into Line Coach Mule Stockton's line plans. He's a guard but could man a tackle post in an emergency.



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# FOOTBALL SEASON OPENS Tonight

## 8:00 P. M. Big Spring STEERS Vs Cisco LOBOES



**EDWARD S. (Pat) MURPHY** should feel right at home with his 'new' job as Big Spring high school football coach. He served a previous tenure in that capacity, from 1939 through '41. His 1940 Steer team won District 3AA honors. He has also coached at Abilene and El Paso.

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**HERSCHEL (MULE) STOCKTON**, first assistant to Murphy, was here with the Irishman in 1940 and '41. He departed not long thereafter for military service. He was a football and track star at McMurry college, later played a year of pro ball with Philadelphia.



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**CONN ISAACS**, an assistant, is another McMurry alumnus. He joined the Steer coach staff last year, also serves as the baseball coach. During the war, he played on a baseball team at Amarillo AAF. He helps handle the B team.



**Crawford Coffee Shop**



**J. B. NEELY** resigned a position at Amarillo to come here as assistant coach. He once was on the Abilene high school coaching staff, before that was a stand-out athlete at Abilene high school and Hardin-Simmons university.

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**IKE ROBB (No. 41)**. Only regular back from last year's team, Ike won all-district honors in 1946 and is due to be better than ever. Tipping in at 175 pounds, Ike is mobile and football-wise, likes to diagnose the enemy plays.



**First National Bank**  
IN BIG SPRING

**JIM McWHORTER**, coach of the Yearlings, played football at four different colleges, among them Texas Christian. He later was a standout service griddier, was with Randolph Field's great eleven for a time.



**Mellinger's**



**GOOD GRAVES** worked with Murphy here prior to the war. Good attended Big Spring high school, where he was a stand-out guard, and later was a star at Howard Payne college, Brownwood. Good served with the US Navy as an athletic instructor during the war.

**Burr's**



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**E. B. LEES (No. 21)** will take care of the team's passing along with Berry. Lees tips the scales at about 155, is wiry and tough as a pine knot. E. B. spent his time with the B team most of the 1946 season but got into enough varsity games to know what it is all about. He can tote the melon, too.

**TROY GIFFORD**  
**TIRE STORE**

**MEET THE MANAGER**

**GEORGE OLDHAM** is an old hand at the managing game. He helped the Steers last year. It's George's responsibility to look after the equipment and keep it in repair. His is a man-size job.

**SIMPSON NEWS STAND**  
110 E. Third

**MEET THE Assistant MANAGER**

**BOBBY CARLISLE** is the boy who can be seen at all football games carrying water to the footballers. His duties don't stop there, however. He helps Oldham with the equipment, is envied because he gets to make all the trips.

**YOUTH BEAUTY SHOP**  
Douglass Hotel Bldg.

**SAM THURMAN (No. 77)** comes in at 180 pounds, is a first line tackle reserve. Sam reported for practice for the first time last year and made a creditable showing in spring drills. He's due to spell Delmer Turner and Jim Bill Little.



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# A Hard Decision For Affiliation

The board of trustees for the Big Spring Independent School district is faced with a hard decision, one that apparently has no alternative.

In order to gain approval of the local budget—a contingency for affiliation—the board seemingly has no other choice than to revise its fiscal guide, reapportioning the salary percentage wise across the board against state schedules.

Why hasn't the board done this before now? The reason is that members were seeking to avoid any salary cuts, even to a minority. That minority includes 11 non-degree teachers. Among them are some of the best and most faithful members of the system, who, for one reason or another, lack some on their college courses required for a degree.

Here is the way it will work (using purely fictitious figures except as they might be coincidental): The state minimum is \$2,007 for degree teachers, but it might be \$1,900 for a teacher with three years of college work and \$1,800 for two years college. The local minimum is \$1,850, or approximately 90 per cent of the state minimum. In the case of a teacher with three-years college work, the 90 per cent factor would be applied to the \$1,900.

Thus, the minimum base would be \$1,710. We reiterate that these are not actual figures and should not be construed as such. They are simply for purposes of illustration.

Possibly this would account for around \$2,000. This, then, would be applied to the general base. Increment, or automatic increases for experience and tenure, would be changed also. The local district pays a maximum of \$450 for 10 years. The state says this must be 12 years. So, 12 instead of 10 would be divided into \$450. Instead of \$45 per year the increment would be \$37.50. Those with 12 years experience would continue to get the same total increment, plus a slight addition to base. Some of those in between would gain on the base will do in each individual case is impossible to ascertain until the actual figures are but lose on the increment. Just what it compiled.

It won't be an altogether pleasant step. It will be a last resort to preserve the affiliation of the high school and thus permit graduates to enter colleges without necessity of entrance examinations, or to have their credits accepted in other high schools. It emphasizes the multitudinous problems facing the district.

# Campaign That Deserves Support

A campaign has been launched to raise the sum of \$1,500 for the high school Bible fund. Money given into this cause is used to provide instruction in Bible because state laws prohibit use of tax funds for that purpose.

Until two years ago, Big Spring high school could not offer a course dealing with the greatest of all books. But people responded graciously and so generously that it has not been necessary to make another appeal for funds since that time.

Many people will be interested in the Bible course because they do not have children in high school. It is an elective course and offers affiliated credit. Instruction is along approved lines so as to eschew disputes over doctrines, leaving the churches

to care for the instruction of their own children.

This is done by studying the Bible for its rich stores of literature, poetry, history, its moving chronicles on human nature, its gems of wisdom. Of course, the spiritual significance is there, but no attempt is made to give it any special interpretation.

As for the quality of work being done in the department, we refer you to the comments of the special committee on evaluation, which spent a week in our high school last spring. No room for doubt is left that the program is of high quality.

We commend the program to you and recommend contributions, in whatever amount you can give, as a sound investment.

## Affairs Of The World—DeWitt MacKenzie

# Bombardment Launched In U. N.

Back in the days of World War I, when trench warfare was in vogue, a big offensive was launched with a terrific bombardment of enemy positions, after which the attacking troops went "over the top" in the grim, gray dawn—and generally it was only when close contact with the entrenched foe was established that the efficacy of the bombardment could be accurately estimated.

Certainly some of the language was the product of shirt-sleeve diplomacy. U. S. Secretary of State Marshall's course was the big gun and he would seem to have made the Russian delegation take temporary cover. Soviet Chief Delegate Vishinsky, who had been scheduled to follow Marshall yesterday, postponed his speech after having had a good preview of the text of Marshall's address.

Marshall—the general who had much to do with the strategy which brought allied victory in the recent war—laid down a bold, concrete program that brought him a final burst of applause. It was a violent assault, but we still have to get a view of the Red trenches before being able to determine what, if any, damage has been done in the way of focusing world attention on the critical situation.

has been virtually ham-strung. And he demanded that the assembly should create its own security council as a substitute which couldn't be interfered with by the veto.

That in itself was enough to stand the assembly on its head, but Marshall went the limit. He insisted that the U. N. save Greece from communist aggression. He called on the assembly to pin hostile acts against Greece on Yugoslavia, Bulgaria and Albania, and appoint a border commission to forestall further troubles in the Balkans. The General declared that unless Greece can be saved, no other small nation can feel secure.

Few observers would dispute these observations. World peace certainly is in jeopardy. And the United Nations is fighting for its life because of the divergence of views between Russia and the democracies.

## The Nation Today—James Marlow

# Mankind Is Slow On Its Feet

Compare these feats with the performance of other creatures: Record books indicate that a horse named Big Racket galloped 43 miles an hour for a quarter of a mile in 1945. The great Equipoise averaged 38.1 miles an hour for a whole mile in 1932.

As for swimming, the fastest fish as believed to be the tuna, which can do about 60 miles an hour.

Among birds, the fastest known to the Smithsonian experts is the Swift. In 1922 a flock of swifts was clocked in India at from 171 to 200 miles an hour over a two-mile course.

Now let us see what man can do with his brains as well as his feet. By fastening metal blades to his shoes, he has been known to average 24.9 miles an hour for 220 yards on the ice—consider-

ably faster than he could have run the same distance.

A man riding a bicycle in 1922 averaged 30.6 miles an hour for a quarter of a mile.

Four men in a bobbed can zip down a mountainside at around 60 miles an hour. A German rode a motorcycle at 174 miles an hour in 1937. Day before yesterday a new automobile record of 394.398 miles an hour was set by John Cobb of England.

On the water, it was the speedboats that really left the fish behind. Sir Malcolm Campbell set the present world record of 141.74 miles an hour in his Blue Bird II.

## Texas Today—Jack Rutledge

# Uncle Hade Made Texas History

Uncle Hade of Bonham, whose life reads like chapters from "Gone With the Wind," was 100 years old yesterday and a big party was held for him.

Uncle Hade is Joseph Haden Whitsett. He is Fannin County's sole remaining confederate veteran, and one of the few in the state.

He has lived in Texas for 94 years, and is such an ardent Texan that he still carries a scar on his hip, remnant of a wound he received when he fought a duel with a man who had cursed the Lone Star State.

As a youngster, Uncle Hade hunted and fished and spent a lot of time with his father's slaves, who taught him to become one of the best dancers in the state.

Later, he won a gallon jug of liquor for being the best dancer at a big event.

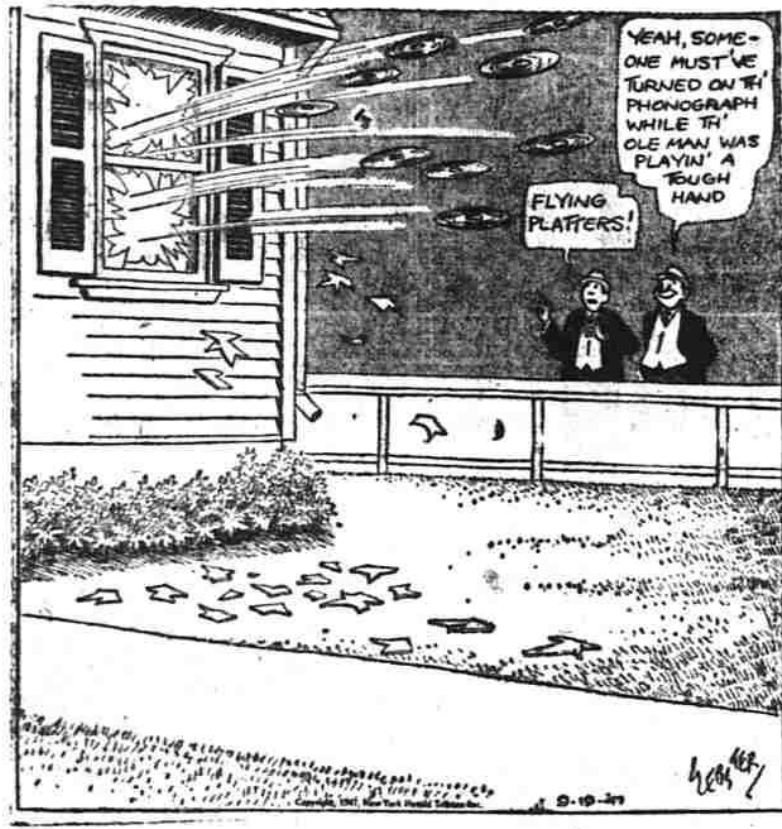
He was the beau brummel of the day, and always rode the best horses and wore the best clothes. He was an excellent swimmer, and once saved three persons from drowning.

dominoes and checkers with friends and nephews, who find him hard to beat.

ONE-COW-DAIRY  
OCONOMOWOC, Wis., (U.P.) One of the highest milk production records ever set in Wisconsin is held by a Holstein cow on the Pabst farms here. Milked three times a day, the cow gave 22,870 pounds containing 918 pounds of butterfat in 365 days, four times the milk or fat produced by the average cow in this country.

DON'T LOOK NOW  
WASHINGTON, C. H., O. (U.P.)—Onlookers were amazed to see the engine of an automobile fall out and the automobile continue down the street. Police said the owner returned for the engine, which was an extra being carried inside the car.

## BRIDGE



## Hal Boyle's Notebook

# Death Of Palm Trees

PALM BEACH, Fla. (U.P.)—If there is sadness in the death of trees, then Palm Beach is a sad place today.

Boarded and empty, the stately homes of this winter social capital of the Gold Coast still stand intact but its pavements are littered with the corpses of former fallen trees.

They are the royal palms known to millions of American tourists—tall, slender trees that take the wind as gracefully as a bending sail.

Now they lie like granite road blocks across Royal Ponciana and Royal Palm boulevards—two of the world's beautiful streets. They are down by the hundreds and probably thousands, beaten to earth and uprooted by winds whirling at more than 120 miles an hour.

The hurricane struck in full power yesterday against Palm Beach, a 12-square-mile sea emerald linked to the mainland by three causeways.

The island is valued on tax rolls at \$63,000,000.

But few of the millionaires who come here to rub elbows with multi-millionaires were in their mansions, still shuttered and closed until the winter season. Palm Beach is populated chiefly by caretakers, policemen and firemen. No lives were lost here in the hurricane.

A pre-dawn motor tour of the battered island this morning found it looking pretty much like a dogwater with her hair caught in an electric drier.

Every side road was blocked with trees. The car lights were blinded at times by heavy rain squalls. High velocity winds sent palm palms skittering across black pavements deserted except for police patrols.

Money built the fabulous homes and playgrounds of Palm Beach and money can repair the hurricane damage to them. But it will take years to replace the ruined royal palms cut down in a few hours along the stricken thoroughfares they once made green with a beauty that became a Palm Beach trademark remembered by every visitor.

## Broadway—Jack O'Brian

# Films Sign Robinson

NEW YORK—Jackie Robinson, first base star of the Brooklyn Dodgers has signed a one-year personal management contract with General Artists Corporation and will leave for Hollywood immediately after the World Series to appear in a motion picture about juvenile delinquency.

A four-year dramatics' major at U.C.L.A., the Negro baseball star has guested on "Information Please"—answered ten questions correctly, giving him a cerebral batting average of .1000. General Artists has a radio show on one of its front burners, which would run until the spring training season.

Bandleader Louis Jordan frightened his friends after collapsing, but has recovered and is back tooting his sax, healthier than ever.

Francis L. Sullivan, the enormous "Mr. Juggers" of the fine British film, "Great Expectations," arrived the other day for his first visit in years, and will swiftly get to his rehearsing chores for a Broadway appearance in "Duet With Two Hands" by Mary Hayley Bell.

Another British import is the lovely Wendy Hiller, who has been summoned to this side by Jed Harris and Fred F. Finklehoffe, who are producing a comedy, "The Heiress," whose content aroused their attention despite its failure to impress the out-of-town critics last season, when it flopped under the name of "Washington Square."

At that time, its producer was Oscar Serlin, the gentleman whose major claim to producing fame has been the one-shot smash, "Life With Father."

Jed and Fred, the latter author of a good many excellent movie comedies and the stage romp, "Brother Rat," feel it has the stuff.

Harris, ever the optimistic "boy genius" of the Broadway stage, whose productions caused hilarious eye-raising when he barely was out of his teens insists it will be just what the critics ordered when it comes to town revised and considerably.

ly rewritten. Miss Hiller will have for her leading man Basil Rathbone.

In order to get the star to come to Broadway, however, Harris and Finklehoffe had to practically give Miss Hiller their shirts. She will receive a four-figure salary, plus steamship fare, hotel expenses, plus if the show is a hit, traveling expenses to this side for her two children and husband—and return.

Anything else? You betcha. . . Her salary guarantee can be considerably embellished by a percentage clause which may just about double the contractual guarantee if the play assumes sellout dimensions. . . She'll have to pay for own afternoon tea and crumpets, though.

## Girl Makes KP's Stand Inspection

COPENHAGEN, (U.P.)—The sentry at the entrance of the garrison barracks at Holbaek, Denmark, was puzzled but presented arms when a pretty young blonde in skirt and officer's tunic with a first lieutenant badge walked up to him, saluted smartly and asked admission to the barracks. She said she was to inspect the cooking, and the sentry let her pass.

The girl lieutenant walked over to the kitchen, praised the KP's, blamed the sergeant in charge for wasting foodstuff on the floor, then walked out.

One garrison captain who heard of the inspection became suspicious. There are no women officers in the Danish army. He found the girl in a local hotel.

## WAR ECHOES STILL

OKLAHOMA CITY (U.P.)—Oklahoma City residents recalled the industrial hustle of war days with announcement that three crews of workers had been put on the night shift at Tanker Field to speed up overhaul of B-29 superfortress bombers.

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## Washington Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

# Lowdown On Anti-Trust Suits

WASHINGTON. — Don't be fooled by all the hurrah, hullabaloo and headlines now coming out of the justice department's anti-trust division. Actually, the rash of anti-trust suits now splashed across the front pages don't mean much. Most of them were prepared two years ago by abler, more energetic Wendell Berge, predecessor of the new anti-trust chief, John Sonnett.

Take, for instance, indictment of real estate boards. Fourteen months ago, this same suit was recommended to Attorney General Tom Clark by Berge, but Clark vetoed it. Tangle with the real estate boys at that time wasn't popular.

Now that President Truman has thrown the harpoon into the real estate lobby, however, the justice department has dusted off Berge's 18-month-old case and brought an indictment.

Even so, the indictment doesn't mean too much. For present anti-trust division chair-warmers pulled punches. They indicted no individual real estate men, only the real estate boards, and you can't send a board or corporation to jail. That's why real estate moguls aren't really worried.

Other recent cases pulled out of the Berge hat are Eastman Technicolor, prepared 18 months ago, and the tire price-fixing conspiracy, prepared two years ago, and the tire price-fixing conspiracy, prepared two years ago. Another important case—still not out of the hat—is against Wall Street's investment bankers. This case was all set to go when Wendell Berge resigned, but six months have dragged by with nothing happening.

CHIEF DUSTER  
The man who has been dusting off old Berge cases and doling them up with flashy headlines is amiable, unspiced John Sonnett—the only man who ever licked John L. Lewis but got no credit for it. Sonnett who dresses like a poet—but doesn't act like one—handled the supreme court injunction against Lewis and eventually expects to go up to Wall Street. There he has been promised a legal job representing Jim Forrestal's old banking firm, Dillon, Read.

During the war, poem-dressing Sonnett was aide to Secretary of the Navy Forrestal, which makes it just a bit embarrassing to bring the long-delayed anti-trust suit against Forrestal's and other Wall Street firms. In addition John Cahill,

under whom Sonnett once worked, is now defending Dillon, Read.

So life is no bed of forget-me-nots for Johnny Sonnett. Nevertheless, he swears he'll prosecute his old Wall Street friends—and perhaps he will.

GOP PUBLICITY  
The Republican national committee isn't shouting it from the housetops, but looking round for a high-powered new publicity man, it finally approached Hal Leshyom, executive editor of Jim Cox's Miami News, offered him \$25,000.

Flattered, but amused, Leshyom replied: "I suppose you realize that I work for Governor Cox, who was Democratic candidate for president in 1920. Also I am a close friend of your effective critic, Senator Pepper. In addition, you would discover, if I took the job, that during the war, I was executive officer to Col. Jack Redding, publicity chief of the Democratic national committee."

The Republicans decided to look for somebody else.

MERRY-GO-ROUND  
New war production board—industrious Averell Harriman, the secretary of commerce who is reversing his father's role of Wall Street high-binder, is quietly working on new links for the Marshall Plan. It's the most ambitious and could be the most effective step to pep up Europe. . . . Harriman argues that Europeans aren't helping themselves; Ruhr coal is bogging down; French industry is flat on its face. So he would recruit about 5,000 U. S. experts to work with American techniques, giving them efficiency hypodermics, allocating raw materials where needed. . . . At present, much U. S. material sent to Europe gets into wrong channels, is wantonly wasted. First thing the Greek government did with U. S. funds from the Truman plan was to buy a big consignment of fancy neckties. . . . Officials admit the Harriman "European production board" will be tough to put across, but no tougher than the present mess.

Negro to Annapolis—First Senator ever to appoint a Negro to Annapolis is 80-year-old Democratic Theodore Francis Green, Rhode Island millionaire, and blue-stocking. He has picked 16-year-old Reeves Taylor of Providence, a runner-up for the Naval academy exams last year, who came out ahead of any other candidate this year. First to con-

gratulate him was John Nicholas Brown, assistant secretary of the Navy, and, like Green, descendant of one of New England's oldest families. . . . Several representatives have named Negroes to Annapolis but none has graduated.

1948 Predictions—Both political parties are scanning the horizon for a Jewish candidate to be Mayor of New York. Dave Saroff of the Radio Corporation of America and Bernard Gimbel, head of the big dry-goods merchant, head the Democratic list. Robert Moses, N. Y. city planner, tops the Republican. . . . Moses is being enticed down to the Potomac

bullrushes to chart a new government reorganization—which will make him just as unpopular in Washington as he is getting to be in New York. . . . Ambidextrous Governor Warren, the man who runs on both tickets in California, still scours White House ambitions. Friends say Warren's real yen is to be a good attorney general in a good Republican cabinet. . . . Bill Malone, San Francisco Democrat, now thinks he can swing the Democratic national convention to the Golden Gate. His best ally is Harry Truman, who thinks the Democrats should move west.

Pompous Senator Revercomb has so irked GOP bosses in West Virginia that they talk about bouncing him in favor of Tom Townsend, counsel for the United Mine Workers. That's one way to insure the miners' vote. . . . Ironic fact—if it hadn't been for the disagreeable persistency of Australia's Herbert Evatt in bucking the United States when we wrote the UN charter at San Francisco, the United Nations would not be helping the United States in Greece today. It was Evatt who howled, yelled and banged his fists until he modified the veto—almost over the dead bodies of Stettinius, Vandenberg, Connally et al. . . . Thanks to Evatt, the UN General Assembly is now able to consider Greece unbothered by Mr. "Gro-veto."

Good bureaucrat—chalk up credit to Loy Henderson of the State department for knocking Greek heads together and forcing them into a coalition cabinet. . . . Henderson, son of a Kansas preacher, comes from the same background as Eisenhower, sometimes seems a fish out of water. However, his streak of Kansas common-sense usually comes out on top.

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## In Hollywood—Bob Thomas

# Film Has Butterfly Problem

BY ARMAND ARCHERD (For Bob Thomas)

HOLLYWOOD, (U.P.)—Hollywood has finally been stumped. The wonder town has always been able to get trained animals of all descriptions for film work. But when the call went out for a trained butterfly no one could deliver the goods.

A studio craftsman finally was called to build a mechanical butterfly. The contraption, to be used in "Mortal Coils," is an intricate affair, motivated by tons of equipment. But believe me, you won't be able to tell it from the real butterfly.

Lassie will live in true star-style when he goes on location for "The Hills of Home." He moves into the swanky cabin occupied previously by Van Johnson, Gary Cooper and Frank Sinatra on their location trips to the same vicinity.

Lana Turner needn't worry about being mobbed if she takes her vacation in Hawaii, writes Walter Christie, Jr. "The fact that a Waikiki beach sunbather turns out to be a screen celebrity," he says, "hardly disturbs our populace one way or another." The Cornell Wildes and Margaret O'Brien are there now.

Katherine Hepburn goes into "The Saimly Miss Peters" by her own request. Katie wants to do a comedy after the run of dramas. . . . Fred MacMurrary completes his role in "The Miracle Of The Bells" tomorrow and will immediately head north with rod and reel. Fred says he will not work again until after the first of the year.

## Radio Programs

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FRIDAY EVENING

6:00 Evening Melodies	6:00 Baby Snooks	6:00 News
6:15 News of the World	6:30 This Man Flint	6:15 Novelties
6:30 Texas Park Game	6:35 News, Bill Henry	6:30 Lone Ranger
6:45 News	7:00 Arthur's Place	7:00 News
7:00 To Be Announced	7:30 Wheel	7:00 Sportscast
7:30 Wait Time	8:00 Eyes to be Innocent	7:10 Texas News
8:00 Mystery Theater	8:30 Glenn Ford	7:15 Melody Parade
8:30 Bill Stern	8:00 Lowell Thomas	7:30 This is Your FBI
8:45 Luther Stuart	9:15 Jack Smith Show	8:00 Football
9:00 Surf Club	9:30 Blue Sonnet Inn	10:00 Tomorrow's Headline
9:15 Smile Program	9:45 Billie Holiday	10:15 Serenade
9:30 Musicians	10:00 World at Large	10:30 Ooms for Thought
10:00 News	10:10 Sports Extra	10:35 Ted Sturgeon
10:15 Highways in	10:15 Veteran's Mail Box	11:00 News
Midwest	10:30 Platter Party	11:30 Jack Pina
10:45 Billie Holiday	11:30 Gene Krupa Orch.	11:45 Hotel Gramercy Trio
11:00 Dream Awake	11:35 News	12:00 Sign off.
11:30 Terry's Stompin'	12:00 Hillbilly Jamboree	
Ground		

## SATURDAY MORNING

6:00 Texas Farm Home	6:30 Radio Revival	6:00 Billie Holiday
6:15 Last Night's Events	6:45 Texas Roundup	6:30 Agricultural Show
6:30 Farm Editor	6:15 News, Farm Edition	6:55 Luck
6:45 Gay Nineties	6:30 AGM Farm Revue	7:00 Musical Clock
7:00 Early Birds	7:00 Morning News	7:30 News
8:00 News	7:15 Saxebrugh Serenade	8:00 All Powers
8:15 Murray Cot	7:30 News, Vag Bond	8:00 Benny Barlett
8:30 Archie Andrews	7:45 News, Navy Band	8:15 Show
8:45 Saturday Mornings	8:00 CBS Morning News	10:00 Playhouse
9:00 Health Talk and	8:15 Garden State	10:15 Junior Demo Club
Answers	8:30 Mary Lee Taylor	10:30 Home Junction
10:00 News	8:00 News	11:00 Tim Robertson
10:15 Public Affairs	8:05 Let's Pretend	11:15 Melodrama To Be
10:30 Smith, Ed	8:30 Adventures, Club	member
McConnell	8:45 Dance Club	11:30 Dr. Swain
11:00 World at Large	10:00 Theater of Today	11:35 B-M Music Hall
11:15 Saturday Matinee	10:30 Record Show	
11:30 Weather & Sunday	11:00 Grand Central Sta.	
Lesson	11:30 County Fair	
11:45 Sonnet's of The West		

## SATURDAY AFTERNOON

12:00 News	12:00 Highest Tradition	12:00 Riders' The Range
12:15 Mountaineers	12:15 News, M. Lowrey	12:15 Blue Sings
12:30 What's News	12:30 Give and Take	12:30 Melody Parade
12:45 Nat'l Farm & Home	1:00 Candy Kids	1:00 News Show
1:00 Life Can Be	1:30 Radio Revival	1:00 Football
So Beautiful	2:00 Horse Races	4:00 Saturday Concert
1:15 Nat. Branding Or	2:15 Sports	8:00 Vabardons
1:30 Your Host is Buffalo	2:30 Adventures in	8:15 Betty Hovland
2:00 Sports Roundup	Science	8:30 Benny Wagner
2:15 Texas vs. Texas	2:45 Of Men and Books	8:45 Earl Oodwin
Tech	3:00 Cross Section, CBA	
4:45 Rime Cole Trio	3:30 at the Club	
5:00 Chuck Foster	4:00 Platter Party	
8:15 News	4:45 News, Larry Leasure	
8:30 News	5:00 Methodist Hour	
8:30 News	5:15 Sports News	
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	5:45 The Christians	

## SATURDAY EVENING

6:00 Romance in	6:00 Robert Lewis	6:00 To Be Announced
Melody	6:30 Sweeney and March	6:30 Museum of Mus!
6:30 Sammy Kaye Orch.	6:45 News, M. Lowrey	7:00 Sportscast
6:45 News, M. Lowrey	7:00 Bill Goodwin Show	7:10 Texas News
7:00 Third Horsemans	7:30 Vaughn Monroe	7:30 Famous Jury
7:30 Can You Top This	7:45 Saturday Serenade	8:00 ITCU vs. Kansas
8:00 News	8:30 Abe Burrows	8:15 Betty Hovland
8:30 Grand Ole Opry	8:45 Dance Club	10:15 Tomorrow's Headline
8:45 News, M. Lowrey	9:00 Hawk Larabee	10:30 Skinny Kniss
9:15 W. W. Chaplin	9:30 Oklahoma Foundry	11:00 News
9:30 Sammy Kaye	10:00 World at Large	11:05 Don McCraine
10:00 News	10:30 CP Dance Parade	11:30 Jack Pina
10:15 Sat. Night Skindie	11:00 News	11:45 Hotel Gramercy Trio
10:45 Jimmy Wakely Trio	11:05 CP Dance Parade	12:00 Sign off.
11:00 News and Gen.	11:35 News	
11:45 La Salle Orch.	12:00 Hillbilly Jamboree	
11:45 Music and Musicians	12:15 News	
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# Executive Board Elects Nominating Committee At Parent-Teacher Meet

A nominating committee was elected at the meeting of the executive board and committee chairman of the 16th district of the Parent-Teacher Association Thursday in the Settles hotel. Mrs. Shelby Read of Ackerly is chairman of the committee and Mrs. R. B. Kerbow of Lamesa, Mrs. Murray Fly of Odessa, Mrs. C. R. Fry of Abilene, and Mrs. J. A. Coffey of Big Spring, committee members. Alternates elected were Mrs. John Reese of Colorado City; Mrs. Riley Miller of Abilene; Mrs. W. D. Sims of Snyder and Mrs. L. W. Leggett of Midland. Mrs. Jack Hutchins was elected as vice president to succeed Mrs. G. B. Dillard of Abilene and Mrs. John Reese of Colorado City succeeds her as president. Mrs. Dillard resigned both positions. New committee chairman elected were Mrs. J. A. Coffey of Big Spring, as membership; Luz Ab-

# Three Babies Born At Local Hospital

The births of two sons and one daughter to local residents this week have been reported by the Big Spring hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Taylor are the parents of an eight-pound, one ounce daughter born Tuesday at 7:51 a. m. The child has been named Linda Kay. Gary Wayne McNew arrived Tuesday at 2 a. m. to Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McNew. The infant weighed four pounds. Roy Eugene Childers is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Childers. Born at 8:25 a. m. Sunday, the boy weighed seven pounds, nine and three-fourths ounces.

# Mrs. R. L. Thompson Heads Organization

Mrs. R. L. Thompson has been elected president of the Wives of the Police Department which held an organization meeting Thursday morning in the home of Mrs. W. D. Green. Other officers include Mrs. Green, vice-president; Mrs. L. F. Trammell, secretary; and Mrs. L. D. Grice, reporter. The second meeting will be with Mrs. Thompson, 306 Park Ave. The group will convene every other Thursday at a time to be left to the hostess. Refreshments were served. Attending were Mrs. E. W. York, Mrs. C. C. Arnold, Mrs. Willis Carlton, Mrs. W. H. Osborn, Mrs. Otto Harris, Mrs. C. C. Aaron and Mrs. J. C. Woodard.

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# Events OF THE COMING WEEK

Thursday  
Friday  
FRIENDSHIP BRIDGE CLUB will meet with Mrs. Herbert Johnson, 601 E. 18th.  
Saturday  
SUNBEAMS of the East Fourth Baptist church will meet at the church at 3 p. m.  
SUNBEAMS of First Baptist church meet at the church at 10 a. m.  
SUNDAY  
COMMUNITY THEATRE will meet with Shina Phillips, 1204 Scurry street, at 3 p. m.

# Happy Stitches Entertain Families

The Happy Stitches Sewing club had a regular meeting Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Buck Tyree and a weiner roast and bingo party in the home of Mrs. Pershing Morton Thursday night. Guests present at the meeting were Mrs. Gene Haston, Mrs. Joe Fortson, Mrs. W. R. Mabewell and Mrs. Marvin Daugherty. Members present were Mrs. Ben Daugherty, Mrs. J. W. Hull, Mrs. Pershing Morton, Mrs. Johnny Cox, Mrs. Paul Logston and Mrs. Bill Logston. The weiner roast and bingo party was given to entertain the families. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cox and Vickie, Mr. and Mrs. Pershing Morton, Katherine and Jeff, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hull, Lynette and Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Daugherty and Terry and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Tyree and Cliff.

# Project Planned At P-TA Meeting

The East Ward Parent-Teacher Association planned as its project for the year, the providing of basketball backboards and a library of records for the record player, at the meeting Thursday afternoon. The meeting was on the theme "The more we get together". Mrs. A. C. Klovin spoke on the subject. A committee was appointed to make plans for the carnival. The committee will meet Oct. 2. It is composed of all officers, teachers and the room representatives. The executive committee will meet Sept. 24, to revise the by-laws and prepare the yearbook. The teachers and new members were honored with a tea following the business meeting. Mrs. Tom Buckner and Mrs. C. W. Mahoney served the refreshments from a lace laid table centered with zinnias and bridal wreath. Approximately 50 members attended.

# Credit Women's Club Hears Irene Meier At Thursday Meeting

"Personality in Collecting" was the topic discussed at the meeting of the Big Spring Credit Women's Club by Irene Meier Thursday at the luncheon at the First Methodist Church. Members selected the cover for the monthly publication, "The Cry-Terian," which Doris Carr and Margarette Wooten will co-edit. Those present were Doris Carr, Veda Carter, Faye Coltharp, Alice Craven, Ollie Eubanks, Bobbie Good, Florence McNew, Irene Meier, Johnnie Morrison, Jessie Nalley, Velma O'Neal, Pauline Sullivan, Jessie Lee Townsend, Edith Trapnell, Fern Wells, Margarette Wooten, Ina McGowan, Josephine Raoul, Mae Hayden, Georgia Johnson, Cleone French and Clara Johnson. Velma O'Neal has charge of the program for Oct. 2.

# Frank Summers Feted With Surprise Party

Frank D. Summers, five-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Burke Summers, was honored with a surprise birthday party at the city park Thursday afternoon. Games were entertainment. Those present were Diana O'Brien, Billie McDonald, Gary Pickle, Ann and Bob Dally, James Robert Haston, Carl Phillip and Johnny Haynes, Patsy Lee Wiley, Larry Sandridge, Warren Shelby, Mrs. Marie Haynes, Mrs. Orbin Dally and Mrs. Curtis Sandridge.

# Discussion Is Held At Berta Beckett Meet

A discussion of adopting a child was held at the meeting of the Berta Beckett Sunday school class of the First Baptist church Thursday afternoon when they met at the church for a social hour. Mrs. J. P. Dodge opened the meeting with a prayer and gave the devotional from Psalms 106. Refreshments were served to Mrs. R. V. Jones, Mrs. Jamie Hancock, Mrs. E. B. Kimberlin, Mrs. J. P. Dodge, Mrs. J. H. Greene, Mrs. A. C. Rawlins and Mrs. R. V. Hart.

# Lottie Moon YWA Meets At Church Thursday

The Lottie Moon YWA of the First Baptist church had a business meeting Thursday to plan the program for Wednesday night's prayer meeting which will be in observance of the Mary Hill Davis week of prayer. They will meet Sunday afternoon to complete the plans. Those present were Caroline Smith, Nidra Williams, Marilyn Martin and Mrs. Marie Haynes.

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# Mrs. J. L. Franklin Is Honored At Bridal Shower In Collins Home

Mrs. J. L. Franklin, who was before her recent marriage Bertha Lou Compton, was honored with a bridal shower Thursday night in the home of Mrs. J. B. Collins with Mrs. Earl Brownrigg and Mrs. Jack Daugherty as co-hostesses. Mrs. Franklin wore an aqua printed dress and a corsage of mixed asters. Mrs. Compton wore black with a corsage of white asters. Cake and punch were served from a table laid with lace centered with white and pink asters. Fall flowers of zinnias, marigolds and roses decorated the party rooms. Those attending were Mrs. C. H. Worley, Mrs. J. B. Compton, Mrs. Mary Locke, Mrs. S. E. Smith, Mrs. Lewis Thompson, Mrs. Lewis Gene Thompson, Mrs. Herbert Newman, Mrs. J. C. McWhorter, Mrs. D. S. Riley, Mrs. J. C. Rogers, Mrs. Buel Fox, Mrs. D. W. Conley, Betty Collins, Mrs. C. S. Kyle and Mrs. Avery Faulkner.

# Help From Proverbs

By NEWMAN CAMPBELL. (The International Uniform Lesson on the above topic for Sept. 21 is Proverbs 3:5-7; 4-23; 6:16-19; 9:10; 14:34; 15:1; 16:18; 21:3; 22:1; 27:1-2; 28:1; 29:18; James 4:17, the Memory Verse being Proverbs 15:1; "A soft answer turneth away wrath; But a grievous word stirreth up anger." The words of guidance for our lives from the Book of Proverbs are signals that we should watch carefully so that we may avoid pitfalls, just as an engineer on a train watches for the stop or go-ahead signals in the red and green lights on the railroad to know whether he should go ahead on a free line or stop. Dreadful accidents have happened when the engineer did not notice or heed the signals; many lives have been lost, and many others seriously injured. So in our moral lives, if we do not heed the warning signs that Solomon gives us in his wise proverbs, we may end our lives in disgrace, or a least be injured morally, perhaps beyond recovery. The first precept in today's lesson is, "Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths. Be not wise in thine own eyes; fear the Lord, and depart from evil." When you have a difficult problem to decide, take time to take it to the Lord, and receive guidance. You cannot go far wrong if all through life you abide by that proverb. "Keep thy heart with all diligence; for out of it are the issues of life." The heart is the center of our physical systems. If the heart is filled with clean, kind thoughts, the actions will show it and we cannot go far wrong. Remember, too, that "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; and the knowledge of the holy is understanding." Things the Lord Hates These six things doth the Lord hate: seven are an abomination unto Him: A proud look, a lying tongue, and hands that shed innocent blood. "A heart that deviseth wicked imaginations, feet that be swift in running to mischief, a false witness that speaketh lies, and he that soweth discord among brethren." The proud and haughty are rebuked in another passage in our lesson: "Pride goeth before destruction, and an haughty spirit before a fall." A lying tongue and hands that shed innocent blood are abominations to man, too. More subtle and harder to control is "the heart that deviseth wicked imaginations, and feet that be swift in running to mischief." We have already, in a previous lesson, discussed the witness who lies under oath, and labeled him as despicable. What shall we say to the mischief maker? The people who "soweth discord among brethren." We all have known such people—even children who love to start quarrels. Remember what Jesus said: "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called the children of God." In Proverbs 22:1, we read, "A good man is rather to be chosen than great riches, and loving favor than silver and gold." It reminds us at once of Othello's speech in Shakespeare's play: "He that filches from me my good name robs me of that which not enriches him, and leaves me poor indeed." Many a person suffers from calumny or gossip which temporarily takes away his good name, but if that person lives truly in the right way, eventually the good name is restored to him. What God Demands "Once more we are reminded that a good life is more acceptable in the sight of the Lord than forms, ceremonies and sacrifices. "To do justice and judgment is more acceptable to the Lord than sacrifice." Another proverb to take to heart is: "Boast not thyself of tomorrow; for thou knowest not what the day may bring forth." Also: "Let another man praise thee, and not thine own mouth; a stranger, and not thine own lips." Think of this proverb when you are tempted to boast a little. Finally, this precept which it would be well for us all to heed at this time in the history of our country: "Where there is no vision, the people perish; but he that keepeth the law, happy is he." "Righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach to any people." And finally from James 4:17. "Therefore to him that knoweth to do good, and doeth it not, to him it is sin."

# Mrs. Robert Adams Wins High At Bridge Club

Mrs. Robert Adams won high, Mrs. Harold Talbott, second high, and Mrs. Roxie Dobbins won bingo score at the Dessert Bridge Club meeting in the home of Mrs. Travis Carlton Thursday afternoon. Mrs. L. D. Crain will be the next hostess. Others present were Mrs. Jack Cook, Mrs. R. R. McEwen, Jr., Mrs. Tommy Hutto and Mrs. L. D. Crain.

# Church Group Hits IRO Limitations

HONOLULU. — The Navy has paid the largest claim on Guam against the United States—\$24,950.23 to the island's Catholic Church. This was one of the 517 claims totaling \$1,321,091.10 which have been authorized for payment said Adm. Louis E. Denfeld, commander in chief of the Pacific. All claims paid so far with the exception of the Church's were for death and injury, according to the Navy announcement. The Church claim covered 38 properties including the cathedral at Agaña which was being completed when the Japanese invaded Guam in December, 1941.

# Pays Taxes 20 Years On County Property

SACRAMENTO, Calif. — The housing problem hadn't bothered Manuel P. Reimundo for 20 years — until he discovered his home site, on which he'd paid taxes all those years, actually belonged to the county. It is part of a road right of way. District Attorney E. I. Means said the county would try to figure out some solution. Leaves should be removed from the lower part of stems of cut roses to prevent their decaying in water.

# Revival Begins Sunday At Trinity Baptist Church

The fall revival meetings of the Trinity Baptist church, East Fourth and Austin streets, will open Sunday and continue through Sept. 28, Rev. Marvin Clark, pastor has announced. The Rev. Clark will conduct the meeting. Introductory sermon of the revival will be given Sunday evening in "The Greatest Need of the Day." At the regular 11 a. m. service, the Rev. Clark will speak on "The Mystery That Prophets Never Understand, and Angels Desire to Look Into." The subject is taken from I Peter 1:10-13. Services will begin at 7:30 each evening of the coming week. Among themes to be used in the series of messages are "The Return of Christ to the Earth—Will It Happen, and Have We Reason To Believe It Is Near?" "Ten Reasons Why A Saved Soul Cannot Fall Away and Be Lost Again," and "How To Be Saved and Know It." Mr. and Mrs. Ralph S. Stone of Coleman will be guest song directors for the meeting. They also will appear in duets. The 11 a. m. sermon at the First Presbyterian church Sunday will use the theme "Need of God in Days of Unrest and Uncertainty." Given by the Rev. Gage Lloyd, pastor, the topic is taken from Proverbs 3:5-7 and James 4:13-14. The evening topic is "The Miracle of Peter Walking On The Water." The Rev. Lloyd will lead the Young People's meeting at 6:30 p. m. The Rev. James S. Parks, pastor of the East Fourth Baptist church will speak on "Man's Greatest Blunder" (Psalms 81:10-16) Sunday at 11 a. m. Immediately following the sermon, there will be a meeting of the congregation to vote on the proposed new auditorium. Every member is urged to attend. The Rev. Paul Seale will speak Sunday at the Airport Baptist church in the place of the Rev. J. J. McElreath who has been seriously ill. The Rev. Cecil Rhodes, pastor of the Westside Baptist church, will conduct a study course at the Airport church beginning Sept. 22. Enlargement of Sunday school classes will be stressed. The Rev. E. R. Winter has chosen as his sermon topic for the 11 a. m. service at the First Assembly of God church, "Life and Light" based on John 1:4. The evening message, "Power To Become Sons of God," is taken from John 1:12. The community singing meeting is scheduled for 2 to 4 p. m. In observance of St. Matthew's Day Sunday, Holy Communion will be held at 8 a. m. and Holy Communion and sermon are scheduled for 11 a. m. at St. Mary's Episcopal church, the Rev. Charles Abele has announced. Masses at the St. Thomas Catholic church are said at 7 and 9 a. m. Sunday by the Rev. Theo Francis, O.M.I. Catholic rites with sermon in Spanish are scheduled at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m. at the Sacred Heart church with the Rev.

# First Christian Church Will Name New Officers

New church officers of the First Christian church will be named Sunday in a meeting at the church at 10:50 a. m., immediately preceding the morning worship services. Out-going officers include Elders C. D. Wley and George Owens, and Deacons T. E. Baker, L. M. Brooks, J. D. Benson, Chester Cathey, C. A. Murdock, Jr., Brown Rogers and J. D. Holmes. All officers will be eligible for re-election. Thursday evening the church will be host to an all-church dinner at which the Rev. Lloyd Thompson, pastor will speak on the recent Christian convention in Buffalo, N. Y.

# Mrs. Elgin Jones Hosts Eager Beaver Club

Mrs. Elgin Jones was hostess of the Eager Beaver Club at her home Thursday afternoon. Needlework was entertainment. A refreshment plate was served to Mrs. R. G. Burnett, Mrs. Wayne Morris, Mrs. J. B. Kendrick, Mrs. A. F. Johnson, Mrs. Ruth Findley, Mrs. H. D. Bruton, Mrs. A. B. Jernigan, Mrs. Roy Spivey, Mrs. R. I. Findley, Mrs. Denver Yates, Mrs. Hiram Yates, Mrs. Dora Thomas, Mrs. Alden Clinton, Mrs. J. S. Ballard, and Mrs. O. R. Smith. Mrs. J. D. Kendrick will be the next hostess. Fire killed more people in Boston's Coconut Grove nightclub disaster than were lost by the American troops invading North Africa.

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Second Service 10:50 A. M.  
Young People's Meeting 6:30 P. M.  
Preaching 7:30 P. M.  
WEDNESDAY  
Prayer Meeting 7:30 P. M.  
THURSDAY  
Ladies' Bible Class 10:00 A. M.

# Church Group Hits IRO Limitations

HONOLULU. — The Navy has paid the largest claim on Guam against the United States—\$24,950.23 to the island's Catholic Church. This was one of the 517 claims totaling \$1,321,091.10 which have been authorized for payment said Adm. Louis E. Denfeld, commander in chief of the Pacific. All claims paid so far with the exception of the Church's were for death and injury, according to the Navy announcement. The Church claim covered 38 properties including the cathedral at Agaña which was being completed when the Japanese invaded Guam in December, 1941.

# Pays Taxes 20 Years On County Property

SACRAMENTO, Calif. — The housing problem hadn't bothered Manuel P. Reimundo for 20 years — until he discovered his home site, on which he'd paid taxes all those years, actually belonged to the county. It is part of a road right of way. District Attorney E. I. Means said the county would try to figure out some solution. Leaves should be removed from the lower part of stems of cut roses to prevent their decaying in water.

# First Christian Church

SUNDAY, 11 A. M. "To Them That Love God." A sermon by Dr. P. D. O'Brien from Romans 8:28.  
SUNDAY, 8 P. M. The pastor speaks on "Man's Search For God." Isa. 55:6 (Baptizing at conclusion of service)  
**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

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Mrs. Susie Wiesen Is Guest Of GIA Club  
Mrs. Susie Wiesen of Hobbs, N. M. was a guest of the GIA when they met in the home of Mrs. S. M. Barbee with Mrs. Ned Boyles as co-hostess. Mrs. Wiesen is a former member. Refreshments were served to Mrs. D. C. Pyle, Mrs. A. B. Wade, Mrs. C. L. Gill, Mrs. Charles Vines, Mrs. P. F. Van Pelt, Mrs. W. M. Mims, Mrs. Zack Mullins and Mrs. R. D. Uirey.

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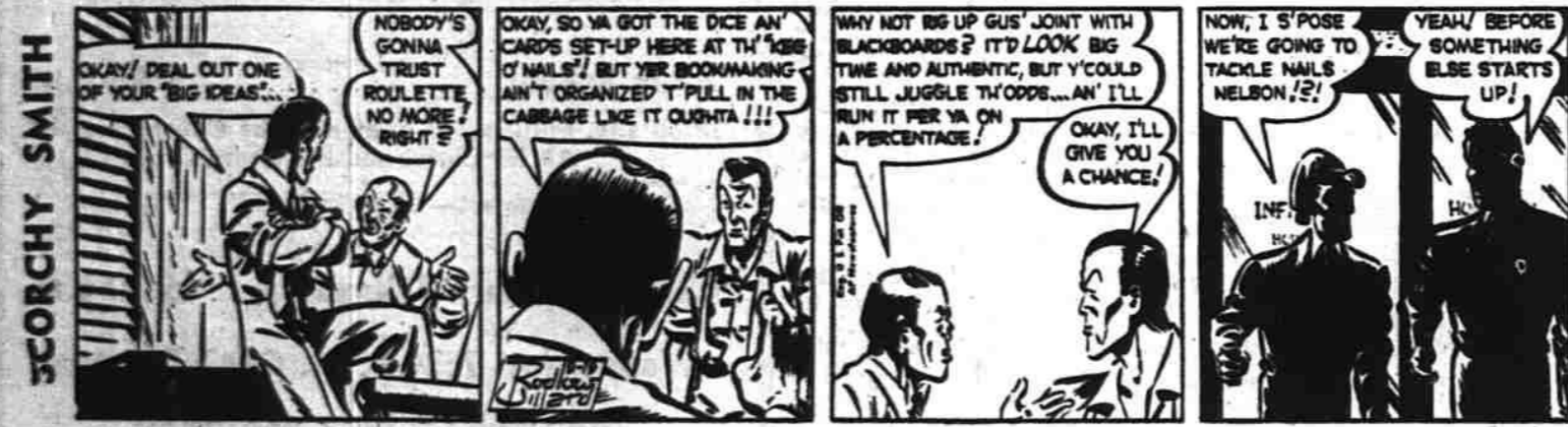
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"I'd give you back your ring this instant—except that all the girls haven't seen it yet!"

Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS
- 1. Photographic instrument
- 2. Scotch
- 3. Obliterated
- 4. Garden plant
- 5. Cylindrical
- 6. Pleasant odors
- 7. Plural ending
- 8. Curl
- 9. That fellow
- 10. Through; prefix
- 11. Sweet vegetable exudation
- 12. Blessing
- 13. Pronoun
- 14. Lubricates
- 15. Vase
- 16. Sweet biscuit
- 17. Settle money upon
- 18. Smallest state; abbr.
- 19. Fruits
- 20. Leave
- 21. Garbed
- 22. June bug
- 23. Term of address
- 24. Burden
- 25. Large
- 26. Speed contest
- 27. Stone mug
- 28. Not many
- 29. About
- 30. Cheese dish
- 31. Oriental weight
- 32. Handbag
- 33. Banished from one's country
- 34. Wreath; poetic
- 35. Legislative body
- 36. Move back
- 37. Manual
- 38. Vocations
- 39. DOWN
- 1. Whale
- 2. Metric land measure
- 3. Deface
- 4. Alkaloid of the Calabar bean
- 5. Nerve network
- 6. Arabian seaport
- 7. Older
- 8. Minute orifices
- 9. Feelings
- 10. Strike hard
- 11. Greenland settlement
- 12. Quantity of medicine
- 13. Pomegranate airp
- 14. Put on
- 15. Brood of pheasants
- 16. Donkey
- 17. Constellation
- 18. Vandal
- 19. Science of reasoning
- 20. Took oath
- 21. Spoiled
- 22. Attention
- 23. Straddle
- 24. Egg drink
- 25. Public vehicle
- 26. Cutting tool
- 27. Ancient galley
- 28. Part of the eye
- 29. Relieved
- 30. Photographic bath
- 31. City in Portugal
- 32. Temple
- 33. Archais
- 34. Finest
- 35. Measure
- 36. Poems
- 37. Ingredient of varnish
- 38. Boy



Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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## Invasion Money Was War Problem

WASHINGTON—Invasion money used in World War II by the Allies meant a lot of different things to many people. It helped smooth the paths of invasion for Allied military authorities. It brought small fortunes to many GI's who sold watches, cigarettes, candy and soap for big batches of invasion currency which they converted into dollars. It enabled Russian soldiers to go on watch-buying sprees. It set senators on the trail of multimillion "bookkeeping losses" by the United States government. It caused taxpayers to worry about having to pay for those "losses."

A question still frequently asked about invasion money is: "What will it cost American taxpayers to redeem it?"

"Not one nickel," is the answer of Treasury and War Department officials.

These officials say invasion currency is not United States currency and this government has no obligation to redeem it. Upon issue, it immediately became part of the currency of the country in which it was issued. The eventual German government, for example, will be responsible for redemption of Allied military marks issued in Germany.

Army finance offices did convert some \$380,000,000 in invasion currencies into dollars in excess of funds appropriated by Congress. But Assistant Secretary of War Howard C. Peterson says it will NOT cost the taxpayers anything because the \$380,000,000 is being used in lieu of dollars for supplies, services and other items in Germany, Japan and other invaded countries.

Peterson has told Congress the "loss" will be liquidated by the end of 1948. The great bulk of it—some \$250,000,000 worth—was in military marks disbursed in Germany. Most of the "deficit" resulted from black market operations in which American soldiers traded watches, cigarettes and other war-surplus goods for invasion currency at inflated prices.

Many of the GI sales were to Russian troops who were well supplied with invasion marks. The Russians used American plates to print German invasion money. Henry Morgenthau, Jr., then secretary of the treasury, turned over the plates to the Russians in Washington in the spring of 1944.

His action resulted, treasury officials say, from a joint British-American decision after the Russians had refused all offers of printed currency instead of the plates. Soviet officials had threatened to upset plans for a joint Allied currency by printing a separate Russian issue.

In September 1946 the American military in Germany substituted "military payment certificates" for invasion marks to stop the GI practice of accumulating large amounts of invasion marks at bargain rates and turning them into dollars. Thereafter the holders of Allied military marks could use

them only for the purchase of German goods.

The Russians informed American military government officials in Germany that they stopped issuing joint allied invasion money on July 1, 1946. United States Army officials said, however, they had no way to check on this.

Some congressmen contended this summer that the Russians still were putting out invasion marks by the basketful. Senator Bridges (R-N.H.) charged the Soviet with "legalized looting of Germany with printing press money."

When the Americans and British invaded German territory in 1944, they started circulating Allied military marks at par with Reichsmarks. No general rate of exchange between the Reichsmark and the dollar was established. However, for computing the pay of troops a provisional basis of 10 marks to the dollar was used.

Military lire were used in Italy under similar conditions. However, President Roosevelt directed in 1944 that the Italian government receive dollar credits covering the extent to which invasion currency in lire denominations had been used in Italy for the pay of troops.

Later dollar credits were authorized to cover invasion currency used for the purchase of Army supplies. This was after Italy recognized the lire invasion currency as legal tender in that country.

Our military government in Japan is reported to have had less trouble with yen invasion currency than was experienced with marks in Germany. However, military payment certificates were substituted for the invasion yen as a currency for our soldiers in Japan in July 1946.

Some persons have questioned the authority of the American military to issue invasion currency. The United States government cites a legal basis for it. It is a provision of international law under which military commanders are for the time being the legal government of an invaded country.

The Treasury Department says one of the reasons for issuing invasion currency was that "we did not want to pay our men in dollar currency, and thus turn dollar claims against the United States into general circulation in an enemy country."

After the last war, Treasury officials say, our army of occupation made gross disbursements of almost \$300,000,000 in Germany, most of it by cashing dollar checks for marks at German banks and by paying out actual dollars to our troops. These dollars were never recovered.

We filed a claim for our net costs of occupation but we were no more successful in collecting than were the European countries who claimed reparations from Germany.

## Garden City's Class Officers Are Selected

GARDEN CITY, Sept. 19.—Election of officers for various classes and organizations have been announced by the school here.

William Weyman heads the senior class, with Leroy Linney as vice-president; Charlie Schafer, secretary-treasurer; Basil Keathley, reporter. Mrs. Gordon Griggs is sponsor. Other classes and officers are:

Junior—Helen Hightower, president; Barbara Harris, vice-president; Frances Robinson, secretary; Ann Frizzell, treasurer; Jack McDonald, reporter; L. O. Shelley, sponsor.

Sophomore—Edward Weyman, president; C. B. Fisher, vice-president; Frances Linney, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Rube Ricker, sponsor.

Freshmen—Wendell Hahn, president; Barbara Lu Currie, vice-president; Lue Low, secretary-treasurer; Dalton Sheffield, sponsor.

Eighth grade—Johnnie Fay McHenry, president; Bonnetta Cox, vice-president; Jimmy Robinson, secretary; Curtis McLaren, treasurer; Troy Cline, reporter; Mrs. C. H. Neely, sponsor.

Geraldine McNew heads the pep squad which will support the athletic teams and will raise funds by operating concessions. Other officers are Emma Cline, vice-president; Barbara Harris, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Gordon Griggs, sponsor. Yell leaders are Juanita Ratliff, Anita Calverley, Helen Hightower.

One organization—the Speech Class—has had a social since opening of school. Leroy Linney, Lael Roberts and Anita Calverley planned entertainment for a wienner roast at the home of Mrs. Gordon Griggs on Tuesday evening. After the roast, members dispersed for a "scavenger" hunt.

## Borden To Get Deep Oil Test

Another deep exploration in the area north of Big Spring was in prospect Friday with the announcement of a location in south-central Borden county by Tide Water Associated Oil company.

The Tide Water test will be known as No. 1 Clayton & Johnson, and is to be located 10 miles south of West, 660 feet from the north and west lines of section 47-31-4n. T&P, approximately three and a half miles southeast of Northern Ordinance, Inc. No. 1 Clayton & Johnson, which was abandoned in 1945 at 4,959 feet in barren Ellenburger, topped at 9,450. The new exploration, scheduled to start on or before Oct. 1, is on a 5,000-acre block.

In northwestern Martin county, Stanolind No. 1 Mabee, tract 87, league 258, Briscoe School Land, was reported below 7,246 feet in brown, sandy lime. It is approximately 35 miles northwest of Stanton.

Plymouth Oil No. 1 Georgia Frost, which has been swabbing salty water after two attempted shut-off jobs, was to run an electrical survey in seeking the source of the water. Previously the north-central Sterling county wildcat had showed good prospects of becoming an Ellenburger producer, the first on the northeast side of the Permian Basin. Location is in section 39-1, H&TC.

Magnolia No. 1 Guy Guffee, out-pool to the Vincent pool in the northeastern corner of Howard county, was below 6,968 feet in lime and shale. Barren in the Vincent horizons, it is to be deepened to 9,000 feet. Location is in section 58-20, LaVaca.

## Amarillo Man Is Killed In Bar

AMARILLO, Sept. 19.—Glenn William Wilson, 43, of Amarillo was shot to death early today in a back room of a downtown bar.

He was shot three times with a .38 revolver. Police arrested a man but no charges were immediately filed.

Investigating officers took possession of \$230, which they described as the jackpot of a card game. They said they found a deck of cards and two hands of cards that had been dealt before the shooting.

## FELT HAT DAY SET FOR SATURDAY

Saturday is "Felt Hat" day in Big Spring, with all stores carrying men's furnishings featuring autumn lines on hats.

Much of the pre-war dash is back for men's head gear, ranging from the staid, rolled-brims to breezy snap brims, spicky bands and here and there a tricky feather. Familiar brand names are back, too, with previously hard-to-get quality. Better known lines range from \$5 to \$15 in the popular field, the price range is from slightly under \$3 to \$20, and even up if something extra special is desired.

## Sixty Called For Petit Jury

Sixty men have been summoned for petit jury in 70th district court for duty the week of Sept. 22. The group will gather at the court house at 10 a. m. Monday at the court house.

Criminal docket for the September term has been called for that week.

Those notified include H. H. Tanner, Bill Bronaugh, L. B. Edwards, Ed A. Savage, Cecil McDonald, L. B. McElreath, W. H. Reed, L. B. Hodnett, Morris Chapman, R. C. Dalton, Tom Hopper, Horace Garrett, H. E. Peacock, W. O. Lowe and Erda Lewis.

Also L. W. Longshore, H. L. Wilkerson, Lloyd Brooks, W. R. Dawes, W. R. Pucket, J. A. Glover, Wilbur Forrest, J. H. Stanley, Clay Bedell, Binnie White, Julian B. Fisher, R. P. Kuntz, Ira Thurman, Monroe Gafford, T. M. Dunagan, Burke Summers and Thomas Hutto.

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Also S. W. Agee, H. C. Reid, D. D. Caldwell, Porter Hanks, O. D. Cross, Jack M. Haynes, Vernon Logan, W. D. Hayes, D. J. Holmes, M. B. Beam, W. J. Goodson and E. J. Hughes.

## County Judges Hear Sturdivant

Following welcoming ceremonies Friday morning, county judges and commissioners were addressed by Judge Carroll Sturdivant, president of the state county judges and commissioners association, in convention under way in San Angelo.

Dr. S. H. Condon, West Texas State Teachers college at Canyon, spoke on taxation and R. E. Blair, from the State Training School for Boys at Gatesville, talked on juvenile delinquency. Afternoon speakers were to include Howard L. Leakey, Austin, department of public welfare, speaking on child welfare problems; Judge L. M. West, Channing, on new laws passed by the 50th legislature; and Art Brally, San Angelo, on soil conservation. A banquet and dance are on the program for Friday evening. The meeting ends Saturday.

Judge Walton Morrison and Commissioners Earl Hull and Grover Blissard are representing Howard county at the San Angelo session. The trio left this morning.

## France, Italy Give Aid Needs

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The possible cost of "spot-gap" financial aid to western Europe became clearer today with the disclosure that France and Italy together want nearly \$1,100,000,000 during the next six months.

Government officials who disclosed this said the French tentatively estimate their dollar requirements at approximately \$700,000,000 during the period—but double the Italian figure.

Both of these countries have furnished financial reports to the State department to help the administration determine how much emergency aid may be needed before the long-range Marshall Plan can be put into effect.

## Odessa Child Is Accidentally Shot

ODESSA, Sept. 19.—Three-year-old Susan Louise Harper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Harper of Odessa, was shot fatally late yesterday when a .22 rifle in the hands of her five-year-old brother, Alfred, was discharged accidentally.

The two children had been playing in the rear seat of an automobile where the rifle had been left. The little girl, who would have been four in November, was found on the ground near the car after the rifle went off. She died in a hospital of a bullet wound behind the right ear.

The body will be sent of El Paso for funeral services tomorrow morning.

## Jan Dickerson Places Fourth In Cowgirl Race

Jan Dickerson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dickerson, tied for fourth place in the second round of the cowgirls race at the Abilene rodeo Thursday evening. Her time was 19.1, the same as tacked up by Marjorie Cox, Coleman.

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## Miss Hooper Will Be Crowned Queen Of High School Band At Game Tonight

Highlighting the Big Spring Steer-Cisco Lobo football game tonight opening the season for the local grid team, Nancy Hooper, high school senior, will be recognized as queen of the high school band. She is to be crowned at the half-time by former band director, Dan Conley.

Miss Hooper was elected by popular vote of members of the band.

She has been runner-up for the honor for the past three years. A twirling contest will be held preceding the game tonight to select drum majorettes for the 1947-48 band. Among those to try out are Mae, Jo and Joy Barnaby, Tommie Nell, Delores Hull, Sue Craig, Carolyn and Catherine Williams and Geraldine Cross.

## Drunken Drivers Face Stiff Penalties Under Traffic Laws

(Following is another in a series of articles dealing with changes and amendments in the state traffic laws, which went into effect Sept. 5).

The Department of Public Safety continues to preach the slogan of caution: "If you drive, don't drink; if you drink, don't drive."

Courts have long since been armed with the authority of make it costly for the individuals caught in an impaired condition at the wheels of vehicles.

Drivers found in a drunken condition, whether or not they are involved in mishaps, face the prospect of long jail or prison sentences and-or stiff fines. Persons driving while under the influence of drugs have been added to the list of erring motorists who can be penalized by the law.

First offenders in DWI cases can be sentenced anywhere from ten days to two years in confinement and fined up to \$500, or again draw a combination of the two.

Second offenders are ordinarily treated in felony court and each can be sentenced by prison terms of from one to five years.

The new code is specific as to procedure for appearance in court of all persons violating the provisions of the laws.

Patrolmen must give tickets to offenders for speeding.

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## PHONES FOR VEHICLES

### Mobile Communication Tower Is Planned For Big Spring Area

Contract has been let by Southwestern Bell Telephone company for the erection of a steel transmitter tower to be located near Big Spring and to be used in mobile communication systems the company is licensed to provide.

Tentatively, the site for the tower here is about five miles east of Big Spring. Others in West Texas are to be located at Ranger and Odessa, according to C. L. Stewart, division manager for Southwestern Bell.

Plant and installation personnel have been undergoing schooling in the mobile communication system which is paralleling U. S. highway 80 through Texas. Telephone sets with receiving and sending radio mechanism, will be installed in trucks, buses, and other vehicles subscribing to the service. Messages to or from the vehicle will travel to the nearest radio transmitter on its assigned frequency. The transmitter near here will relay the calls to the toll board where conventional long distance or other connections will be made.

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